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Governor Pledges All at His Command

Asks Delaware to Measure Up To Past

Asked for a statement of the part Delaware will play in case of war, Governor Townsend has issued the following:

"Everything that is in my command in Delaware is at the disposal of the President. In this, I am, I believe, but feebly voicing the sentiment of the citizens of this State. In the emergency of war, we shall remember we are sons of Delaware. It is no time to parley over our unpreparedness. Criticism of the lack of preparedness is not pertinent just now. Action, loyal, determined action and not argument, is the need of the hour.

"Speaking for Delaware, we await orders. Our State has not only never failed to respond to the call, but has played a very vital part in creating and maintaining what are known as American institutions, American honor and American manhood. She will not fail now.

I wish to pledge my best energies and best judgment, and ask the aid and advice of every resident in the State."

Flag Presented To St. Thomas' Church

Interesting exercises were held in St. Thomas Church last Friday evening, when American Flag Council, Jr. Order United American Mechanics, presented to the vestry and congregation of the church a handsome silk flag of the United States. A delegation of members of the order marched from the lodge room to the church. Mr. James Smith presided at the exercises; the presentation speech was made by George Brooks, also a member of the order. It was accepted on behalf of the church by the Rev. H. G. Haupt, the rector.

Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. attended the Sunday evening service. The vested choir, an innovation at St. Thomas, made its initial appearance on Sunday.

WEDDINGS Swayne-Baldwin

Announcement has recently been made of the marriage of Mr. Francis Davis Baldwin and Miss Louisa Roberta Swayne, on Saturday, March 3, at Elkton, Md. Mrs. Baldwin taught for a number of years in the Newark public schools, and is well known in this community.

Dean-Wilson

Miss Harriet Dean and Mr. Esmer Wilson, both of Newark, were quietly married at the M. E. parsonage by the Reverend E. P. Roberts, on Tuesday, March 20th. The bride and groom were accompanied by Miss Alma Cann and Mr. Frank Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson went immediately to their furnished home, the David Jaquette property, north of town. Mr. Wilson is employed at the Jacob Thomas Wall Paper Company.

CLASS IN SOCIAL SERVICE

Discuss Books Suitable For Children

The Social Service class of the Women's College has been meeting for two weeks with Miss Rich. The class, which is held on Thursday evenings, is designed especially to help girls who intend to hold eight weeks clubs, to do social service work in the summer, but the topics discussed are of sufficient interest to attract other girls, and the attendance is large. Last week Miss Alice Evans told extracts from "One Girl's Influence," the girls discussed suitable books to be read by girls between twelve and eighteen, and Miss Rich read two chapters from "My Little Boy." The meetings are very delightful.

Committee Meets To Plan Work

At a meeting of the General Community Committee held last week plans for some civic work to be undertaken in the near future were discussed. Miss Rich was appointed to consider the advisability of a Sanse Fourth-of-July celebration. The committee will meet in two weeks to hear the reports of the various sub-committees.

"Right More Precious Than Peace!" Says the President

It is a distressing and oppressive duty, gentlemen of the Congress, which I have performed in thus addressing you. There are, it may be, many months of fiery trial and sacrifice ahead of us. It is a fearful thing to lead this great, peaceful people into war, into the most terrible and disastrous of all wars, civilization itself seeming to be in the balance. But the right is more precious than peace, and we shall fight for the things which we have always carried nearest our hearts—for democracy, for the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own governments, for the rights and liberties of small nations, for a universal dominion of right by such a concert of free peoples as shall bring peace and safety to all nations and make the world itself at last free.

To such a task we can dedicate our lives and our fortunes, everything that we are and everything that we have, with the pride of those who know the day has come when America is privileged to spend her blood and her might for the principles that gave her birth and happiness and the peace which she has treasured. God helping her, she can do no other.

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE RED CROSS?

The Organization Asks Your Interest

Newark residents are asked to swell the membership of the American Red Cross. Forms have been forwarded to Miss Elizabeth Grime from the headquarters in Wilmington; a request for one of these, returned with your check for \$1.00 (the annual dues) makes you a member of the great organization. The following statistics speak eloquently, and explain the campaign for increased membership which is being made throughout the land:

Japan with a population of 40,000,000 has a membership in the Red Cross of 1,800,000; Germany with a population of 67,000,000, has a million members; the United States with its dependencies and a population of 100,000,000 has a membership of only 33,000.

Announcement of a meeting to discuss some form of Red Cross work to be undertaken by the women of Newark, will be made later.

Cantata At Evening Service On Easter

A cantata will be given by the young people's choir of the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, beginning at 7:30. The cantata, "The Doubter's Daughter," is a beautiful story of the power of the Gospel to melt the heart of the proudest sinner, even though he should determine to make himself proof against the Divine influence. In order to accommodate the cantata to the Easter season the choir will add three anthems: "Oh, Tell Us Where He Is," "There Shall be No Night There," and "Praise Ye the Lord." A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

MILITIAMEN GUARD THE BRIDGES

First Battalion Men Through- out The State

Acting under orders received from the Department of the East on Saturday, officers and men of the First Battalion, Delaware Militia, who have been mobilized at the armory in Wilmington for the past week, on Sunday settled down to the grim business of active duty under what are almost war-time conditions. They are guarding the railroads through this state to see that traffic over the main lines is not interrupted or delayed in any way.

Soldiers with rifles, ball cartridges and bayonets have been stationed at the approaches of all the railroad bridges in this vicinity. They have also been stationed at the several draw bridges and at all points regarded as vulnerable or which might be considered a likely point of attack for anyone who is inclined to mischief or to attempt anything that might interrupt traffic. The men have orders to shoot in case of necessity and it will therefore be unsafe for prowlers who are found in the vicinity of any of the points where they are on duty.

The men doing duty along the railroads, at the bridge approaches and draws are being sheltered by the railroad companies. The armory in Wilmington is deserted except for the guard on duty there and the sentry who paces up and down in front of the building all the time and keeps crowds of idlers away. The railroad guards will be on duty night and day from now until further orders are received as to their disposition.

FACULTY MEMBERS TO VISIT HIGH SCHOOLS

Plan Itinerary To Cover State

The Extension Committee of Delaware College has been mapping out an itinerary for the visits of its members to the High Schools of the state during the spring. It includes the High Schools of Wilmington and of the three counties. The object of the visitation is to enable the college to keep in touch with the principals and teachers, and to inform itself of their needs and the opportunities of the college to meet them. The schools in the following places will be among those visited: Selbyville, Frankford, Millsboro, Lewes, Georgetown, Milton, Milford, Greenwood, Bridgeville, Seaford, Laurel, Delmar, Frederica, Felton, Harrington, Camden and Wyoming, Dover, Smyrna, Clayton, Middletown, Delaware City, New Castle, Newark, Dupont, and Wilmington.

The committee consists of Prof. E. V. Vaughn, chairman of the department of history and politics; Prof. C. A. Short, of the department of mathematics, and Dr. K. R. Greenfield, assistant professor of history, recently appointed to take the place of Dr. Reed, who has left Delaware College to take the position of State Veterinarian of Maryland, at the Maryland State College.

TOWN ELECTION ON TUESDAY

Contest In Middle District Only

Annual town election will be held in Council Chamber next Tuesday, April 10th. All of the retiring Councilmen, J. H. Hossinger, Mayor; Jonathan Johnson, eastern district; W. H. Barton, middle district and E. C. Wilson, western, have filed their names for re-election. In the middle district John Frazer is also a candidate.

HIGH SCHOOLS INVITED TO TRACK MEET

Baseball Candidates Out For Practice

The largest number of baseball candidates that have reported to Coach McAvoy, of Delaware College, this season were out on Joe Frazer Field Saturday afternoon. About twenty-five men were out. The new batting cage arrived the day before and the work consisted largely of batting practice, the cage being used in that connection.

Clancy, the freshman southpaw, who has been getting in shape for two weeks, worked out for a short time with Walter Ritz, former Newark High star, catching his benders. After the batting practice Coach McAvoy sent the entire squad around the quarter of mile track twice and then let them go to the showers.

An unusually large number of track candidates also reported to Coach Keyes. He worked with the hurdlers largely and a number of them are showing marked improvement in the way they take the hurdles under the direction of Coach Keyes.

Coach McAvoy has sent out announcements to all the high schools of the State and a number in adjoining States relative to the annual inter-scholastic meet to be held on Frazer Field Saturday, May 12. This meet, judging from the large number of inquiries that have already been received from schools, will be much longer than ever this year.

The proposed program for the day will include a military drill from 10 to 11 o'clock in the morning. At noon all contestants and officials accompanying them, will be given a light athletic lunch in the gymnasium. During the luncheon it is likely that there will be selections by the college orchestra, then the Glee Club, the Mandolin Club and finally by the College Band. The meet will start at 1:30 o'clock sharp.

Leaves Estate Valued At Ninety Thousand

Letters testamentary have been issued by Register of Wills Isaac R. Brown, on the estate of J. Wilkins Cooch to Francis A. Cooch and Edward W. Cooch, sons of the deceased. The deceased left an estate valued at between \$80,000 and \$90,000. There were no public bequests.

M. E. CONFERENCE ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS

Few Changes In Immediate Neighborhood

The following appointments in the Wilmington District of the M. E. Conference were announced at the closing session on Monday:

Wilmington District.
Robert Watt, district superintendent.
Bethel Circuit—J. H. Wilson, Charlestown—(Supply) W. B. Horner.
Cherry Hill—J. E. Anderson, Chesapeake City—M. D. Nutter, Chester-Bethel—F. J. Cochran, "Christiana—H. D. West, Claymont—C. C. Harris, Colora—O. E. James, Delaware City—T. N. Given, Ebenezer—J. W. Gray, Elk Mills—(Supply), "Elk Neck—(Supply) Walter Ford. (Continued on Page 4)

Council Awards Light Contract

New Well Being Tested Today

At the meeting of Town Council held last Monday evening a contract for electric current for the next five years was entered into with the Wilmington and Philadelphia Traction Company. According to the details of the contract, which is a sliding one, the town pays from 1 3/4 to 2 cents per K.W. hour. The new contract goes into effect at once, and does away entirely with the operation of the local plant.

Ridpath and Potter, the Philadelphia contractors, at work on the new well, it was reported, have drilled a distance of 85 feet; water is within 15 feet of the surface. A pump was installed today and a ten hour test begun. The new well is to have a capacity of 300 gallons a minute.

The Pig Ordinance which prohibits pig pens within town limits was passed at the meeting.

SUMMER SCHOOL PLANS

New Dining Hall To Be In Readiness

One of the most significant acts of the recent Legislature was the passage of the bill requiring the state to bear the expenses of teachers who attend the Summer School which opens at Newark on June 25. This act affords an opportunity to every teacher to strengthen herself for the tasks of managing her school. The courses, as mapped out by Dr. Counts, cover a wide range from subjects of elementary grade to advanced collegiate work. An innovation this year is the arrangement of a cycle of study extending over a period of four years, so that a teacher can advance steadily toward a degree, since the faculties of Delaware College and of the Women's College have agreed to give credit for courses passed satisfactorily to them for the ten week's session.

It is now confidently expected that the new dining hall at Delaware College will be ready by June 25. This will accommodate three hundred and fifty students. Mr. Sharp, chairman of the committee, is negotiating with an experienced person who will have entire charge of the refectory, which will be equipped with all modern appliances. It is proposed to bring this person on the grounds at once so that everything will be in readiness for the opening day.

Short Easter Vacations

Easter vacation begins at Delaware College and the Women's College of Delaware on Thursday evening, extending until Tuesday morning. No holiday has been granted by the members of the Board of Education of the local public schools.

OBITUARY

Louisa I. Hollett

Louisa I. Hollett, aged 73 years, died at her home "The Cedars," on Sunday, April first. Funeral services were held from the late residence today at one-thirty. Interment, Christiana village cemetery. Benjamin Hollett, tenant on the Tip Top farm, is a son of the deceased.

Noah D. Congo

Noah D. Congo, aged 55 years, a highly respected colored citizen of Iron Hill, Md., died suddenly last Friday, March 30th. In company with his son, Thomas, he had been to look after the hauling of some hay at the Racine farm on Thursday about noon. Returning in his buggy, he was seized with a stroke of apoplexy, and was found unconscious by members of the family. He regained consciousness for two short intervals, lingering until Saturday morning, when he passed away at 7:25. The deceased was trustee of the colored school at Iron Hill, and trustee of the church. He was a prosperous farmer, and has had a stall in Wilmington market for the last 35 years. He is survived by a widow who was Matie Morgan of Cherry Hill, and ten children. The funeral was held on April 2, from St. Thomas church, Glasgow. Interment in the adjoining church yard.

NEW DORM FOR GIRLS TO BE STARTED SOON

INFORMAL CONFERENCE WITH ARCHITECT HELD YESTERDAY

Plans for the new dormitory of the Women's College of Delaware, for the erection of which the sum of \$125,000 was appropriated at the last session of the Legislature, were discussed at a meeting of the Committee on Development, held at the Hotel du Pont on Tuesday

morning, April third. The new building will stand in the rear of Residence Hall, near the site of the small heating plant, and face west. Work will begin as soon as the plans are accepted by the committee. The building, however, owing to the substantial way in

thereto as could be built with the appropriation, should be erected of either the north wing or the south wing, as appeared most expedient in view of steam connections. The committee decided further that unless something modifying this decision should appear, the sketch



NEW DORMITORY FOR WOMEN TO BE ERECTED BY THE STATE AT A COST OF \$125,000

plans for the central building and north wing arranged for one student in each room.

After careful consideration it was decided that the middle building should be erected according to the plans submitted by the architect, and that as much in addition

plan of the middle building, first and second floors, was to be considered correct; but that the third and fourth floors should be arranged for single rooms, and that as much of the wing building as could be erected for the money should be

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OUR "THANK YOU" TO THE LEGISLATURE

To Friends of Public Education:
The Legislature which has just adjourned has achieved most astonishing and most praiseworthy results, but its most noteworthy achievement is the laws promoting education and educational endeavor. The commendation and gratitude of the state's citizens are due the members of the Legislature, including His Excellency, the Governor, and should be promptly and freely bestowed. Three of the best measures passed were not State Board of Education bills, which shows the breadth and depth of the determination to start education of the state on its movement forward. Only a few of the State Board's proposed laws failed of passage.

The State Board's bills were in the hands of devoted men in both Houses, the Board's reasons for its bills were presented to the legislative Committees with convincing clearness and with consummate skill by a member of the State Board. Great as was the force of these factors toward securing the gratifying results attained, one other factor, namely, state-wide popular interest and desire for progressive school legislation, was a force whose potency cannot be stated nor estimated. Our excellent Governor, Honorable John G. Townsend, Jr., is aglow with this desire, members of the Legislature possess it, and from all portions of the state strong and convincing statements of it reached the Committees and the Members, from Principals, from Teachers, from Parent-Teacher Associations, from Century Clubs, from Granges, from Ministerial Unions, from School Commissioners, from the Press, from citizens singly, from state officials; there was no public demonstration, but the silent accumulation of the expressions really became an invincible force. The fine skill and generalship on the floors of both Houses had the existence of this solid and substantial body of public opinion behind and beneath it as the warrant and justification of its persistent endeavor to get the bills passed. We owe gratitude and here humbly tender it to all who helped to secure the enactment into law of a series of bills which will certainly mark the line between past and future in education in Delaware. All should learn and should heed the admonition of this success. What is that lesson?

Efforts to organize Parent-Teacher Associations should be redoubled, Associations already in existence should take a new lease of useful activity, meetings of Associations and Clubs of all kinds for the discussion of further school improvement, and the opening and establishing of regular avenues of expression for the sentiment and opinion that shall result from such discussion. When the next Legislature meets, its members should hear their constituencies speaking unitedly and as one voice. The avenues for this expression and the lines for its conveyance must be built before the Legislature convenes, and should have a preliminary try-out to make sure they are in working order.

To the propagandists of the present campaign the present success should be both a gratifying recompense for the exertions made, and it should also constitute encouragement and exhortation to make a Herculean effort to secure the next time either what we lost this time or what we lacked the courage to ask for this time. Such an effort it is our obligation to make. It can be made, therefore it should be made.

With personal gratitude for all the assurances of friendly interest and of readiness to help, I desire once again to ask our co-workers to join me in heartfelt gratitude to the members of the Legislature for the fine array of bills helping education which became law. It is worth counting as an honor to have been a member of the body. I remain,

Yours very truly,
Chas. A. Wagner,
Commissioner of Education.

Recent Appointments Made By The Governor

Governor Townsend has recently made the following appointments:
Member Delaware College board of trustees—Former Governor Charles R. Miller, Wilmington.
Commissioner of Education—Chas. A. Wagner, Wilmington.
School Superintendents—Elmer L. Cross, New Castle county; J. E. Carroll, Kent county; Ernest J. Hardesty, Sussex county
Oyster Revenue Collector—James C. Richardson, Little Creek.

Sealer of Weights and Measures, New Castle county—Walter M. Elliott, Wilmington. He succeeds William J. McKnight.

State Board of Agriculture—Newton L. Grubb, near Wilmington.

Justice of Peace—Howard C. Stewart, Georgetown; Samuel L. Rogers, Clayton; James K. Phillips, Seaford; Lewis S. Cloud, near Christiana.

State Librarian—Earle D. Willey, of Bridgeville. He succeeds Librarian Thomas Wilson. Mr. Willey was formerly secretary to former Congressman Thomas W. Miller.



Frances Star

Who will appear in "Little Lady in Blue," a new comedy by Horace Hodges and T. Wigney Percyval, under the management of David Belasco, at The Playhouse on Thursday, April 12th, for an engagement of three nights, with a matinee on Saturday, after her four months' run at the Belasco Theatre, New York.

Protest Thief's Parole

Judges Boyce and Conrad who on Monday of last week had paroled Leroy Williams, colored, who had admitted stealing 80 chickens from Frederick Williams, of the Middletown section last December, on the ground of first offense, on Friday following a strong protest entered by the Farmers' Protective Association of Middletown, reopened the case. Several witnesses were heard. Dr. H. D. McDowell, president of the association, estimated that from \$1500 to \$2000 worth of poultry had been stolen in the neighborhood during the raids, which had ceased after Lewis' flight.

He was thought to be the leader of the gang. One witness said Lewis was known as "duPont" as he always had money. It was feared that Lewis, if left at large, might head another campaign. The Court concluded to give Lewis a year at Greenbank with six months added if he failed to pay \$70 restitution money. Lashes were omitted.

The heavy rain of last Tuesday flooded roads in lower Delaware and retarded farmers' planting work for most of the week.

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HERE AND THERE

David Smith and his son-in-law, James Smith, Jr., on Saturday caught the first shad of the season, a roe and a milt of fair size which they kept for their own use, despite offers of tempting prices.

A minstrel show yielded the firemen of Georgetown \$105 which they will use for erecting an alarm whistle.

Burglars cracked the safe in G. Harold Baker's office in Middletown, one night last week, but found it empty.

Wilmington bank clearings last week totaled \$3,022,197.00, against \$2,538,850.53 for the like week last year. For March the clearings totaled \$14,659,152 against \$11,069,693.64 during March of last year.

After hearing arguments upon remonstrances the Court of General Sessions on Saturday refused to issue liquor licenses to Joseph C. Jolls at St. Georges, and Joseph d'Amico in Wilmington.

A large electric flag has been erected on the Wilmington and Philadelphia Traction Company's office building in Wilmington.

Fire last Tuesday destroyed the outbuildings on former Governor Pennewill's home farm near Greenwood.

Struck and injured in Wilmington on Saturday by an automobile owned and driven by William Blendt, of Blackbird, Mrs. Catherine Brogan was sent to Delaware Hospital.

Assistant Fire Chief Donohue's automobile caught on fire and was more or less damaged while he was responding to an alarm one day last week.

Edward Ruh, Percy Hall and George Weaver, of Wilmington, were arrested in Elizabeth, N. J., early last week when found in possession of an automobile stolen on the night of March 23 from Mrs. Mary Evers, of Wilmington.

"The Star Spangled Banner" is to be sung daily at the opening of the public schools in Wilmington.

James Mason, colored, was fined \$100 in the City Court in Wilmington on Friday for violating the cocaine ordinance.

Justice Broman on Friday fined R. and A. Crisconi, Wilmington fish dealers, \$5 each for offering bass for sale out of season.

Mrs. Lucy Biddle Howell, wife of Dr. Harrison W. Howell, former Mayor of Wilmington, died on Friday. Her funeral was held on Monday from the home of her father, Samuel C. Biddle, 1110 Jackson street.

Georgetown High School Seniors obtained from Tag Day collections \$42 toward defraying the cost of a trip to Washington, D. C.

The Frost Gas Co. of New York has purchased the Smyrna gas plant from Joseph Smithers for \$16,000 and will, it is said, extend the mains to Clayton.

The fire company recently organized at Bellefonte, near Wilmington, has decided to purchase a chemical engine.

As recommended by County Engineer Wilson, the New Castle Levy Court has decided to borrow promptly \$30,000 to improve and repair the roads.

Governor Townsend has appointed Robert D. Kemp, of Wilmington, and David C. Rose, of Newark, Jury Commissioners for New Castle county, vice S. D. Townsend and Frederick Brady, and has reappointed John E. Hopkins of Dover, and John W. Herring of Milford, for Kent county.

Earle D. Willey, the newly appointed State Librarian will also serve as Custodian of the State House in Dover.

Contributions to the proposed endowment fund of Asbury M. E. Church Wilmington totaled last week \$2,040.61.

Milford dealers have combined and will raise the price of milk to 10 cents a quart.

Members of Epworth M. E. Church, Wilmington, before the opening of Conference presented the pastor, Rev. J. Howard Gray, a purse of \$200 in gold.

The late Dr. Joseph W. March in his will, filed at Georgetown, distributed his estate of about \$50,000 among upwards of 25 relatives and friends.

Miss Helen Hance, while on her way home from church in Wilmington

on Sunday night of last week, was attacked by a man who cut her head with a blunt weapon and escaped when her cries brought other men to her aid.

Edward G. Adams within the past two weeks made shipments from Bridgeville of 3,000 and 4500 pounds of pork, receiving for the former \$15.15 and for the latter \$15.18 per hundred.

The directors of the E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co. and of the E. I. duPont de Nemours Powder Company on Wednesday re-elected the officers for the coming year. Pierre S. duPont is President of both concerns.

The permit for the erection of the \$600,000 addition to the duPont Building and Hotel duPont in Wilmington was issued last Tuesday. A steam shovel which had begun work on the cleared site on the previous Saturday is rapidly excavating for the foundations, and construction work will soon be in full swing.

Mrs. Emaline Collins, mother of Cashier John S. Collins, of the First National Bank of Dover, died at her home there on Thursday, aged 94 years. She fell and broke a hip shortly before her death which the shock hastened.

Resident Judge Herbert L. Rice on Saturday announced the appointment of Samuel K. Smith to the Wilmington Police Commission as successor to W. H. Bowers, whose term expires on May 1. Mr. Smith is treasurer of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Corporation and has a son enrolled at Delaware College. The other members of the Commission are Adjutant General Pusey Wickersham and William B. Megeer.

Governor Harrington under authority conferred at the last session of the Maryland Legislature has named Dr. Howard Bratton, Henry L. Constable, Frank B. Evans, W. T. Warburton and Henry M. McCullough, all of Elkton, as the Commission on Preparedness and Survey for Cecil county. They were to assume their duties on Monday, April 2.

The body of the suicide found on the shore of Broad Creek near Charlestown on March 16, and interred in the burial ground at the Cecil county almshouse has been identified as that of Dr. Franklin Tinkley, of White Stone, Pa.

Frank J. Henry, a former well known Elktonian, residing for several years past at Columbia, S. C., died on Monday of last week of heart trouble, following a severe attack of grip, aged 49 years.

Lieutenant Julian C. Smith, U. S. M. C., of Elkton, a graduate of Delaware College, has been promoted captain and was one of the officers in charge of interned Germans transferred from League Island, Philadelphia, to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

The Groves, formerly the James H. Scott residence on West High street, near Bow, in Elkton, has been sold to J. Leedom Scarborough, of Pleasant Hill, for \$3500.

The Perry Point farm, fronting on the Susquehanna river at Perryville, long owned by the Stump family, has been secured as camping ground for the Maryland National Guard. The tract comprises about 600 acres and was put to like use by the Federal Government during the Civil war.

Harvey L. Walker, aged 21, of 1200 King street, Wilmington, newly employed as a P., B. & W. R. R. brakeman, fell from the top of a moving car last Tuesday night. His left leg was crushed below the knee and his right arm was broken. The leg was amputated at Delaware Hospital.

Brantley Shockley, aged 21, of Bridgeville, employed at the Viscose Silk Mill at Marcus Hook, who declined to join in the recent strike at the plant was struck a violent blow on the head with a blackjack by one of the strikers. He has been under treatment since the attack and on Friday his condition was reported critical.

Sewer and water connection has been supplied for the new Romeo canning establishment in Dover. The building, a concrete structure, will be one of the largest in the town.

Rapid progress is reported on the new Odd Fellows' Temple on Lockerman street, Dover, which it is hoped to have ready for use by May 1. The lodge rooms on the second and third floors will, it is said, class with the best arranged in the State. The first floor has already been rented for a moving picture theatre.

The committee appointed during the closing hours of the session to ar-

range for a reunion of the members, officers and others connected with the Delaware Legislature, has decided to call it for August 16, at Chincoteague, Virginia.

Members of the State Senate, at the close of the session on Wednesday, tendered President Pro Tem Barnard an elegant silver pitcher bearing the State's coat of arms and inscribed as follows: "Presented to John A. Barnard, President, Pro Tem, by the Senate of Delaware, 1917." Speaker Hall was tendered by the members of the House a fine gold watch, with the State's coat of arms on the outer and the following inscription on the inner side of the case: "Presented to Speaker H. P. Hall by the House of Representatives of Delaware, 1917."

Reported Banking Deal

Rumor had it in Dover on Saturday that control of the People's Guarantee and Trust Company of that town had been secured by Alfred I duPont or his agent, the Delaware Trust Company of Wilmington. It was reported that some of the stockholders of the Dover concern admitted selling their stock at good prices to the Delaware Trust Company. Elmer Outten, cashier of the Dover concern, is said to have owned the controlling interest.

The First Requirement

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M. E. CONFERENCE ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS

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- Elkton—G. P. Jones. Hockessin—D. F. McFaul. Hopewell—L. S. Whittaker. Kirkwood—(Supply) O. S. Walton. Marshallton and Cedars—J. P. Otis. Mt. Lebanon—G. E. Wood. Mt. Pleasant—H. B. Kelso. Newark—E. P. Roberts. New Castle—J. H. Bickford. Newport—Asbury Burke. North East—J. R. Neese. Perryville—L. I. McDougle. Port Deposit—F. X. Moore. Port Penn—(Supply) Henry Gray. Red Lion—R. T. Thawley. Rising Sun—H. E. Reed. Stanton—R. W. Cooke. St. Georges and Summit—Ivanhoe Willis. St. John's—J. A. Bawington. Town Point—J. H. Thornton. Zion—J. C. McCoy.

- Wilmington. Asbury—G. W. Dawson. Brandywine and Edge Moor—V. P. Northrup. Brack-Ex—(Supply) Joseph W. Chappelle. Cookman—W. O. Bennett. Eastlake—E. H. Collins. Elsmere—(Supply) B. F. Jester. Epworth—J. Howard Gray. Grace—H. F. Randolph. Harrison Street—G. T. Alderson. Hillcrest—(Supply) Albert White. Italian Mission—J. A. Pignatello. Kingswood—To be named. Madeley—L. M. Broadway. McCabe—J. W. Easley. Mt. Salem—W. E. Habhart. Richardson Park—G. W. Bounds. St. Paul's—A. H. Thompson. Scott—J. L. Johnson. Silverbrook—E. W. Jones. Trinity—(Supply) R. H. Adams. Union—W. F. Corkran. Wesley—Z. W. Wells. Superintendent Wilmington City Missionary and Church Extension Society, Robert Watt. Assistant Superintendent of Maryland Anti-Saloon League—C. C. Prettyman. Corresponding Secretary of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund Commission—E. H. Dashiell. President of the National Society for Broader Education—George E. Reed. *Signifies charges filled by new pastors.

COLLEGE PUBLICITY IN THE STATE PAPERS

E. N. Vallendigham Makes Suggestions

To the Editor of The Post. Sir: Let me add the voice of "1873" to that of "1916" in urging a proper publicity for Delaware College. When I "professed" there many things about which I knew little, I induced the Faculty to authorize me to give out from time to time to all the newspapers of the State information that seemed of news value touching the College. I take it the practice continues. What should always be considered in any such matter sent out is timeliness, and the crowded condition of some newspapers. My notion is that no long article should ever be sent to the press generally without an accompanying clear and extremely brief summary, and that those newspapers that could not afford space for the full article should be urged to use the summary. All such articles should be done in good newspaper style, without cheapness of appeal, but with simplicity, and when the subject justifies it, liveliness or even humor. Above all, such matter sent out officially from the College should be free

from pretence or boastfulness. Growth should be noted from time to time, but without exaggeration. Doctor Mitchell's cheerful acknowledgement that Delaware College is one of the country's smaller institutions, and his modest immediate aim of providing for 500 young men, I can not too much applaud. His wish that Delaware College shall be in all respects the educational equal of other such colleges, wherever situated, is a proper and entirely realizable ambition. I think the press of the State now might easily be persuaded to publish in three or four installments a clear and not too detailed history of the College from its founding to the present moment, and newspapers should have such articles in two forms, one at a length of perhaps 1500 to 2000 words to each article, another a summary of each in 500 to 800 words. There should be a special celebration in June 1920 of the 50th anniversary of the resurrection, and the plans for this should be given to the press from time to time as they mature. Much of the matter in the "Alumni News" should go to the press in full or summarized form, and in turn, the person charged with the "publicity" of the College, should see that all the matter he sends out reaches the "Alumni News" as early as possible. Good taste, sound judgment and all the other virtues of styles should mark whatever goes out officially from the College to the press, and vulgarly sensational reports of college doings by local correspondents, whether students or others should be discouraged by an appeal to loyalty, and if need be by other means. E. N. Vallendigham.

State Board Offers Prizes For Crops

The State Board of Agriculture has announced this week a continuance of the prizes for corn and potatoes this year, namely, \$60.00 for the highest yield on one acre of corn and three prizes of \$40.00, \$20.00 and \$10.00, for the highest yield in each of the Counties and five prizes for potatoes, ranging from \$10.00 to \$50.00.

Farmers who are interested should write to the State Board of Agriculture for full particulars. These prizes have stimulated many farmers to grow bigger and better crops.

In addition to the cash prizes a gold medal is given for the best acre of seed corn and a silver medal for the second best acre. The State of Delaware should be a great seed corn State and for this reason the medals are given.

BANK PASSES RESOLUTIONS

Death Of J. Wilkins Cooch. Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, to call to his final reward Joseph Wilkins Cooch, the honored President of the Farmer's Trust Company of Newark, and

Whereas, We, the members of the Board of Directors, have by his death sustained an irreparable loss, not only in his leadership, knowledge, and excellent judgment in matters pertaining to the policy of our institution, but also in his genial personality and his sympathetic interest in those who sat with him at the Directors' table, as well as in every customer of the bank, be it

Resolved, That the members of the Board of Directors of the Farmer's Trust Company of Newark acknowledge our dependence upon the God of our Fathers and recognize, in the death of the one whose memory we revere, the uncertainty of our mortal life and the frailty of men; be it also

Resolved, That we express our appreciation of the valuable service that Mr. Cooch has rendered during his long and active life to the financial and civic welfare of the community in which he lived and our pride in having been co-workers with him in his efforts for progress in the state, county and town which were so dear to him, and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and

that copies be sent to the members of the family and to the press. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Farmers' Trust Company, of Newark.

MASONIC LODGE PLAYS HOST

Pleasant Social Evening At Clubhouse

The first "ladies night" in the history of the local Masonic Lodge, was held in the New Century Club building last Thursday evening. About one hundred were present and the occasion was made a delightful one by the genuine sociability that prevailed. Grand Master J. Stewart Horn, of Wilmington, was present, and made an address. Mr. Groves gave his famous rendition of "How Ruby Plays the Piano"; also the Tribute of Oliver Wendall Holmes to the boys of his class; Mr. Ad Smith recited The Lazy Family, and Artemus Ward's speech on Mormonism. The singing of old songs in which everyone joined, was an enjoyable feature of the evening. Refreshments were served by W. M. Coverdale.

PUBLIC SALE

Public sale of personal property Tuesday, April 10th, one o'clock, on road from Dayett's Mill to Columbia School, the following personal property: 4 horses and colts, 3 good milk cows, 30 bushels potatoes, 50 chickens, 1 sow and 5 pigs. A general line of farming implements all in good order. FRANK CIEZYNSKI. W. S. Armstrong, Auctioneer Daniel Thompson, Clerk

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNITED DISTRIBUTING CO. OF AMERICA:

Take notice that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the UNITED DISTRIBUTING COMPANY OF AMERICA held on the 17th day of February, 1917, at 2 P. M., the following resolution was adopted: BE IT RESOLVED that it is advisable that the Company be dissolved, and that the Board of Directors do hereby call a meeting of the Stockholders to be held at the Company's office, 927 Market St., Wilmington, Delaware, at 11 A. M., to take action upon the above resolution.

County Constables Elected

The Levy Court has recently elected as constables for New Castle county for one year the following: In Wilmington Hundred, Lucius C. Jones; Benjamin Fisher, Charles F. Bowers, one more to be selected; St. George's Hundred, John W. Dickerson; Odessa, Elwood C. Dulin; Appoquinimink Hundred, Jacob Hill; Brandywine Hundred, Alfred Whorttenby; rural policemen for Christiana Hundred, George Whittington; end of car line, William Campbell; New Castle Hundred, Weldin Vising; White Clay Creek Hundred, Delaware Lovett; Red Lion Hundred, Warren Downs.

Noted Temperance Worker In Newark

Honorable Oliver Stewart, of Chicago, visited Newark on Monday and delivered a strong address in the Newark Presbyterian Church. Mr. Stewart came as a representative of the Flying Squadron Foundation, which sends leaders, expert in the cause of temperance, into all states where the dry forces are fighting for control. Mr. Stewart on Monday in his talk explained the work of the squadron and reviewed the liquor question from the economic standpoint.

NEWARK OPERA HOUSE PROGRAM WEEK BEGINNING

- Thursday 5th. Mary Miles Minter in "FAITH" a beautiful 6-part drama.
- Friday 6th. Theda Bara in "THE VIXEN"
- Saturday 7th. Gladys Hulette in "HER NEW YORK" Also a two reel comedy.
- Monday 9th. Edna Goodrich, America's most beautiful dramatic actress, in a 5-reel drama, "ARMSTRONG'S WIFE"
- Tuesday 10th. Victor Moore in one of the best comedy dramas ever filmed, "CHIMMY FADDEN OUT WEST" And 12th Chapter "Pearl of the Army."
- Wednesday 11th. Ethel Barrymore in a five-reel Metro Wonderplay, "THE AWAKENING OF HELEN RITCHIE"

COMING ATTRACTIONS: George M. Cohan, "Broadway Jones," Thursday 12th; Mary Pickford in "Madam Butterfly," Monday 16th; Fannie Ward in "The Cheat," Tuesday 17th; Emmy Wheelen in "Vanity," Wednesday 18th; Marguarita Fischer in "Miss Jackie of the Navy," Thursday 19th.

Senate of Hudson M... Notice is hereby given that... H. Curtis, late, of this... Charles M. Curtis... A. D. 1917, or at the... Address: CHARLES M. CURTIS, WILMINGTON, DELAWARE. CHARLES M. CURTIS, Secy.

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- LOST—In the Farmer's Trust Company—a pocketbook marked with owner's name. No questions will be asked if returned to the owner. 4-4-1t. JOHN Q. STEWART.
- LOST—A watch—between Newark Center and Delaware College Buildings, on Monday. Reward. ELWOOD H. GREGG, R. F. D., Newark, Del.
- WANTED—A man who understands boilers and is familiar with machinery. 3-28-2t. P. J. RITTER CO.
- WANTED—A man and wife to work on a farm—wife to keep house for small family. Apply 10-25-1 Phone Newark Post.
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PERSONALS

Mr. George W. Wilson of Yale University, is spending the Easter holidays at his home in Newark. Professor M. E. Rich of the Department of Education, Women's College of Delaware, spoke on "The Development of the Child," before the Parent-Teachers' Association of New Castle last Saturday. Miss Elizabeth Wollaston spent the week end with Miss Anna M. Carns at her home near Cochr.

SOCIAL NOTES

An attractive luncheon was served in the department of Home Economics at the Women's College last Wednesday by Miss Myrtle Steele and Miss Mildred Ferguson, Miss Steele having entire charge of the cooking and Miss Ferguson, the dining room and serving. The table decorations consisted of a centerpiece of daffodils, hand-painted place cards, and candles with yellow shades. The following menu was served: Cream of Celery Soup, Bread Sticks, Salmon Loaf, Sweet Potato Balls, Bread and Butter, Tea, Orange Sherbert, Rolled Cinnamon Wafers. The guests were Mrs. Samuel C. Mitchell, Professor Mary E. Rich, Miss Margaret T. Cook, and Miss Ada Willim.

ions, the kodak, talking machine, Ford automobile, motion pictures, and women's clubs. After a rising vote of thanks to Dr. Vaughn the meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be held on April 27.

NEW CENTURY CLUB MEETING

Washington Heights Club Furnishes Program

Members of the New Century Club were delightfully entertained last Monday by ladies from the Washington Heights Club, in observance of Reciprocity Day. Following words of greeting by Mrs. Douglas of the visiting club, the program opened with a cornet solo, "Perfect Day," by Mrs. E. P. Burnham. An interesting paper on Inventions and Discoveries was read by Mrs. Douglas; Mrs. J. E. Fuller gave a reading, the impersonation of a old negro mammy talking to a little child; Mr. William T. Inderlied described the Evolution of a Book, Mrs. Preston and Mrs. Sparks rendered a vocal duet; Miss Simples read a paper on Delaware; and Mrs. Fuller gave a brief review of inaugurations, comparing previous ones with that of President Wilson. The program concluded with a cornet solo, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," by Mrs. Burnham. In response to the applause, Mrs. Burnham responded with the "Sunshine of Your Smile." A social hour followed during which refreshments of coffee, tea, and cakes were served.

There will be a meeting of the New Century Clubhouse Co. next Monday, April 9, from 4 to 5, for the purpose of electing three new directors.

Mention was made at the meeting of forming a chapter of the Red Cross, to furnish knitted articles for use on the battleships. Further announcement will be made at a later meeting.

Edith Hoffecker, Press Correspondent.

Newark Dog Among The Winners

"Piccadill," sable and white male collie belonging to J. G. Longfellow, of Newark, was shown for the first time at the 6th annual exhibition of the Interstate Collie Club on Saturday last. The exhibition was held at the Bingham House, Philadelphia, under American Kennel Association rules and proved to be the largest held by the club.

Piccadill, in addition to winning four special prizes and \$7.50 in gold, also carried off the blue in the Novice class and third in the championship class, being beaten in this class by two imported English champions. A most gratifying feature to the owner in the placing of the awards, was the fact that Piccadill was placed over a number of winners at the late New York and Philadelphia shows. Piccadill did not compete at any of the above shows.

NAVY LEAGUE CALLS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Women Knit Articles For Sailors

Owing to the fact that the large appropriation recently made by the U. S. Government for ships and munitions, does not afford funds to provide for the personal needs of the sailors, the Navy League has made a requisition upon the various states to furnish knitted articles, the state being requested to equip sailors on the battleships named for them. The Navy League has asked Delaware, therefore, to provide 800 sleeveless sweaters, 800 mufflers, and 800 wristlets. The plan has the official sanction of Secretary Daniels. And Delaware women are busy knitting to provide for the sailors on board the Delaware, the Wilmington, the Macdonough, the Eagle and the gunboat du Pont. In time of peace the watch for a sailor (this time on guard) is fifteen minutes, but in time of war his watch is four hours and the sweaters and other knitted articles are needed for protection against the weather and the spray.

The response on the part of the women of Delaware has been gratifying to those in charge of the work. Mrs. C. B. Evans, the local representative of the committee, reported today that all the wool furnished for mufflers had been given out. Knitters are still needed, however, for the sweaters and wristlets.

All women knitting for the Red Cross are asked to knit 10 rows instead of five rows, on each shoulder.

The error was just discovered on Monday, and it is hoped it can be rectified.

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Other Suggestions

The Neckwear section is showing styles not obtainable elsewhere in this market. All the popular kinds of Silk and Kid Gloves are shown. At the Silk counter it is possible to find every Silk requirement. Our Notion and Small Wares department is complete, notwithstanding the difficulty of securing many items. Without the least exaggeration we are sure you will find in our garment sections the widest range of NEW models in Top Coats, Suits, Dresses, Waists and Skirts to be found anywhere. We are featuring tailored and sport models in "Golflex" and men's wear serge in dark navy, both fabrics being very popular.

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FROM THE

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To Our Fellow Citizens:

In this time of crisis when our country's highest good is the common aim of all, we voice this deep conviction of patriotic duty.

We rejoice that even at this time, when the world is crazed by war, so many men are judging war by moral and spiritual standards, and by ideals of sacrifice. The causes for which men fight—liberty, justice and peace—are noble and Christian causes. But the method of war is unchristian and immoral. War itself violates law, justice, liberty and peace, the very ends for which alone its tragic cost might be justified.

Further, the method of war is ineffective to these ends. Might does not decide the right, ideals cannot be maintained by force, nor can evil overcome evil. True national honor is a nation's own integrity and unselfish service. Only unswerving honesty and self-control maintain it. Rights, the rights of all, are securely defended between nations as between individuals by mutual confidence, not suspicion; by universal co-operation and law, not by private armed defence.

The alternative to war is not inactivity and cowardice. It is the irresistible and constructive power of good-will. True patriotism at this time calls not for a resort to the futile methods of war, but for the invention and practice on a gigantic scale of new methods of conciliation and altruistic service. The present intolerable situation among nations demands an unprecedented expression of organized national good-will.

Unpractical though such ideals may seem, experience has taught that ideals can be realized if we have faith to practice now what all men hope for in the future. The American Nation, as a more perfect union of States, as a melting pot of races, as a repeated victor through peace, has proved practical the methods of generosity and patience. Throughout many years of an adventurous belief in the Christian principle of human brotherhood, the Society of Friends has seen the triumph of good-will in all forms of human crisis.

The peoples of every land are longing for the time when love shall conquer hate, when co-operation shall replace conflict, when war shall be no more. This time will come only when the people of some great nation dare to abandon the outworn traditions of international dealing and to stake all upon persistent good-will.

We are the nation and now is the time. This is America's supreme opportunity. Unflinching good-will, no less than war, demands courage, patriotism, and self-sacrifice. To such a victory over itself, to such a leadership of the world, to such an embodiment of the matchless, invincible power of good-will, this otherwise tragic hour challenges our country.

Friends' National Peace Committee

20 South Twelfth Street Philadelphia, Pa.

GROWING EARLY VEGETABLES

Seeds Started In House Boxes

Home gardeners who do not own a hotbed and who can not readily buy young plants can get much earlier crops of tomatoes, cabbage, cauliflower, pepper, egg plant, and lettuce if they will start the seed for their early gardens in seed boxes in the house. Early potatoes sometimes are forced in the same way. Seeds so planted germinate and are ready for transplanting by the time it is safe to sow the same kind of seed in the open ground. When danger of frost is over and the soil is dry enough to work, therefore, the home gardener starts his early garden with seedlings well above the surface. Transplanting, if properly done, instead of hurting, seems to help such plants develop a strong root system. Garden enthusiasts should get a good deal of pleasure from this kind of preliminary indoor gardening. They also can use boxes to hasten the blooming period of many sorts of flowers which stand transplanting.

Any sort of wooden box filled with good soil answers the purpose. The following directions for making seed boxes and handling the plants have been prepared by the Bureau of Plant Industry and the States Relations Service, United States Department of Agriculture, for the guidance of the causing and gardening clubs in the North and West.

Making a Seed Box.

Seeds of early tomatoes and cabbage, as well as cauliflower and pepper should be planted in a seed box in the house at once. The seed box should be 3 to 4 inches deep, 12 to 14 inches wide, and 20 to 24 inches long. A layer of about 1 inch of gravel or cinders should be placed in the bottom of the box, then it should be filled nearly full of rich garden soil, or soil enriched with decayed leaves or manure. The rich soil beneath the family woodpile or around decaying logs is splendid for this purpose. The soil should be pressed down firmly with a small piece of board and rows made one-fourth to one-half inch deep and 2 inches apart crosswise of the box. The seed should be distributed 8 or 10 to the inch in the rows and be covered. The soil should be watered and the box set in a

warm place in the light, in the sunshine by a window being best. Water enough must be given from time to time to cause the seeds to germinate and grow thriftily, but not enough to leak through the box. If a piece of glass is used to cover the box, it will hold the moisture in the soil and hasten the germination of the seeds.

Take Out Surplus Plants.

When the plants are from an inch to an inch and a half high, they should be thinned to 1 or 2 inches apart in the row so as to give them space enough to make a strong stocky growth. If it is desired to keep the plants which are thinned out, they may be set 2 inches apart each way in other boxes prepared as mentioned for the seed box. When the weather becomes mild, the box of plants should be set out of doors part of the time so that the plants will "harden off" in preparation for transplanting to the garden later. A good watering should be given just before the plants are

taken out of the box for transplanting so that a large ball of earth will stick to the roots of each one.

Wets To Test Liquor Laws

The arrest of Martin Ingram, who arrived in Georgetown on the night of March 25, on his return from a railroad excursion to Philadelphia with two quarts of liquor in his possession, will afford occasion for testing the anti-shipment law, it is reported. Ingram was held for Court, and in his behalf the constitutionality of the act will be assailed on the ground of the penalties it provides among which is confiscation of any automobile containing more than one quart of liquor to a passenger. It is also said that the liquor interests of Wilmington will attack the resubmission law, passed for the city, on the ground that the State Constitution provides the way in which the license question can be put to a vote.

A Ritter Tomato Contract IS AN ASSET

Sure Market Prompt Unloading

Sure Payment Immediate Return of Baskets

Our catsup kitchen at Newark will be equipped to cook all of the tomatoes that can be raised within carting distance.

We shall pay a higher contract price than any open market averaged throughout the season last year.

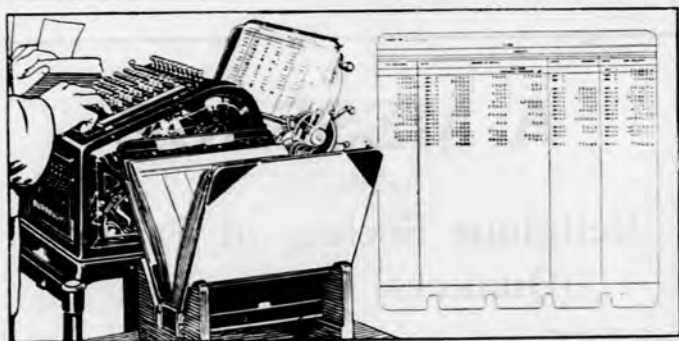
Baskets will be returned or replaced.

Everything possible will be done for the grower's convenience and profit.

Contracts can be signed at the kitchen at Newark or at the Company's office Philadelphia at 2219 Frankford Avenue.

We shall be glad to have you call or write.

P. J. RITTER CONSERVE COMPANY



A New Machine At The FARMERS' TRUST CO. of Newark, Delaware

This machine is really a wonderful set of steel brains which we are putting to work in our accounting department.

With it we can handle our figure work faster than ever before and at the same time be sure that every item in our book is right.

Help Us Give You Better Service

By the machine method, every depositor's account is kept in balance all the time and there are no mistakes such as are unavoidable with other ways of handling figures.

The time saving made possible by this machine gives us opportunity to improve the service to our customers in all departments of the bank.

Everything Is Done Automatically

It prints dates, adds your deposits to the old balance, subtracts checks, figures and prints your new balance. All of this is done automatically. The operator simply writes the amount on the keyboard—the machine shifts from column to column and adds, subtracts, or prints the date as desired, without the least attention being necessary.

Come In and See It Work

There is no method of posting ledgers known which equals this Burroughs Bookkeeping Machine in either accuracy or time saving.

Come in and see our new Burroughs at work in our accounting department.

FARMERS' TRUST CO., of Newark

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 5, 1917.

Resources		Liabilities	
Loans and Investments	\$634,062.84	Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Banking House	10,000.00	Surplus and Profits	55,202.86
Due from Banks	36,592.28	Dividends unpaid	158.75
Cash on hand	24,466.64	DEPOSITS	605,760.15
	\$711,121.76		\$711,121.76

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY
SNELLENBURG'S
MARKET AND SEVENTH STS.

Regal Shoes

More Stunning Easter Styles

Just arrived from the Regal factories

We feature Regals because our trade is particular as to style and not "penny wise" when it comes to quality.

Shoe quality is so serious a matter this year that no one should go half way.

You will see the smartest and most dependable shoes of the season displayed in our windows now.

Come in—ask to see

The Fulton, The Briton—and many other attractive models in high and low shoes.

These prices make our store popular with folks of all incomes.

\$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$8.00

N. SNELLENBURG & CO.

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY
SNELLENBURG'S
MARKET AND SEVENTH STS.

BOYS' SHOES
Have Gone Up In Cost
But Not in Price

Because We Are Bearing the Additional Cost Ourselves

In the present epidemic of high prices, it is no injustice to other stores to state that most Boys' Shoes today are either higher in price or lower in quality than in former seasons.

In spite of the increased cost of leather, we have maintained our customary high standard of quality and low price.

Boys' Shoes, black or tan calf, with patent indestructible neolin or calf soles **\$3.50 and \$4.00**

Boys' Dress Shoes, in black or tan leather calf, shown in various models **\$4.00 and \$4.50**

Boys' Scout Shoes, black or tan elk skin leather, indorsed by U. S. Army & Navy **\$2.75 and \$3.00**
Sizes 10 to 13 and 1 to 6

N. SNELLENBURG & CO.

NEWS

As Reported

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APPLETON

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Mr. and Mrs. H. R. bake at their home April 7, from 5 to 10 o'clock and home made pie, also hand-made proceeds to benefit Anna manse. All invited.

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NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD

As Reported by Correspondents for THE POST

IRON HILL

Mr. J. Howard Ash, who has been suffering with pneumonia, is rapidly recovering.

The proceeds derived from the box social, which was given Saturday evening, March 24, by the Iron Hill base team, amounted to \$50.

Mr. John Pomeroy, of Ridley Park, spent Sunday with friends here.

Samuel Slack, of Chester, Pa., spent Sunday at his home.

Members of West Amwell Chapel proved their loyalty and readiness for the coming summer's work at the opening of the chapel last Sunday, which was largely attended.

Miss Helen Slack has been ill with grippe the last two weeks. She is now able to resume her duties as stenographer at the office of the Thomas Co., this week.

Mr. Leonard Brown, of Newark, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Pomeroy.

APPLETON

Miss Elvora Finley, of Wilmington, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Smith will hold a bake at their home on Saturday, April 7, from 5 to 10 p. m. Ice cream, cake and home made candies will be on hand. Also hand-made fancy articles. Proceeds to benefit Head of Christiana manse. All are cordially invited.

The assurance of a good road from here to the Delaware line was received with delight by our citizens.

Former County Treasurer Charles Lynch and family of Wilmington, Del., have moved to the Beers farm recently purchased by Mr. Lynch.

Elwood Zebley, Jr., has returned from a trip to Washington, D. C.

On Easter Sunday new members will be received either by letter or on confession of faith at Head of Christiana Church. Potted plants will be used to decorate the church. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Clement McMullen and family, of Bear Station, Del., are occupying the latter farm near here lately purchased by Mr. McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Krauss were recent guests of W. T. Lofland and family.

On Friday evening last the Social Club gave an excellent program before a large audience. On Friday evening, April 6, Lieut. Hoey, of Delaware College, will address the club. The public is invited to attend.

APPLETON SOCIAL HOUR

On Friday evening, April 6, Lieut. Hoey, of Delaware College, will address the club. Do not fail to come and bring your friends. The last meeting of the club on Friday, March 30, was well attended. The program follows:

Chorus, the club; reading of minutes, Secretary, Miss Ida Peterson; select reading, Miss Ida Kimble; chorus, the club; recitation, John T. White; solo, Cecil Hedrick; solo, "California and You," Georgia Peterson; recitation, Mrs. A. VanOveren; solo, "Eve, only in Dress," Mrs. H. R. Smith; solo, "When the Black Sheep Returns to the Fold," Miss Mabelle Peterson; patriotic address, Rev. A. VanOveren; chorus, "We'll Rally Round the Flag," club.

KEMBLESVILLE

Mr. George Good and family and Miss Sue Good, of West Grove, called on Mr. and Mrs. J. Newlin Good, on Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie West and Misses Grace and Florence West were Wilmington shoppers on Saturday.

Miss Esther H. Lovett was a recent visitor in West Chester, Pa.

Mr. George N. McCleary had the misfortune to run his auto into a telephone pole on Friday and considerable damage was done.

Several from this vicinity motored to Perryville on Sunday to view the bride, while under guard, the first time since the Civil War.

Irvin Crossan, of Landenberg, has placed an order with C. T. Richards for a Ford runabout.

Miss Evelyn J. Kelley, of Newark, spent the week end with her parents.

Dr. Jones, of Wilmington, was out to see Miss Olive Mote on Thursday. Miss Olive has been ill for some time and hasn't improved at the rate her friends have wished.

Mr. Geo. R. McCleary is suffering with a sore hand, having cut it with a piece of barbed wire.

Mrs. William Willard is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell Reynolds, of Avondale.

McCLELLANDSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen spent the week-end at Chesapeake City.

Miss Pearl Vercer spent the week-end in Newark.

Miss Elizabeth Buckingham is spending the week with Miss Anna Mary Little.

Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Young motored to Nottingham, Pa., on Sunday.

Mr. Ralph Marvel spent Sunday with the Messrs Ewing.

Mr. Frank Clark was home for the week-end.

Misses Jennie and Anna Smith were guests of Mrs. G. M. Clark last week.

Mrs. James Batton and son of St. Georges, Mr. James Smith, Mr. John and Mr. Henry Smith called on G. M. Clark last Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Burnley is spending some time with her mother.

Preparations are being made for an Easter entertainment at Wesley M. E. church, to be held Sunday, April 15th.

Mothers' Pension Law On The Statutes

Among laws enacted by the Legislature at the session which closed last Wednesday was the Mother's Pension law, which passed both houses of the General Assembly without a single dissenting vote. The law provides for helping destitute women to take care of dependent children. This applies to widows, women deserted by their husbands, or whose husbands are helpless invalids, who have children too young to work. For one child provision is made for a monthly allowance of \$8, with an additional allowance of \$4 for each additional dependent child. The allowance to be made on the recommendation of the trustees of the poor or the authorities of any town or city.

To finance the project, \$7500 is appropriated annually by the State, in addition to \$1500 for the traveling expenses of the Mother's Pension Commission, which will administer the new law. This commission is to be composed of nine women, three from each county, to be appointed by the Governor, for one, two and three years. They are to serve without pay. No more than \$2500 can be distributed in any one county in any one year and no more than \$7500 in the entire State. Dependent children who are being helped will cease to be benefited as soon as they are old enough to obtain employment permits, when they will be required to go to work.

Delaware City's Finances

Delaware City's financial statement for the year ending March 26 showed: Receipts, \$10,438.93, including cash in sinking fund (railroad bonds) interest to be added; \$2,870.25; cash in sinking fund (street improvement bonds) interest to be added, \$356.47; taxes collected, \$6,613.42. Fines netted \$104.50. The total assessment is \$674,574 and the tax rate 80 cents on the \$100. The expenditures were \$4,332.47; the railroad bond fund totals \$3005.26; the street improvement bond fund totals \$4,931.38; uncollected taxes \$1,523.78. Cash in treasury March 26, 1917, \$503.59.

Heptasophs Had Good Year

About 70 delegates attended the annual communication of the Heptasophs of Delaware held in Masonic Temple, Wilmington, on Friday. Grand Archon Nicholson, of Wilmington, presided. Friendship Conclave gave a dinner to the delegates at noon. Grand Scribe William Winthrop reported \$3,877.22 distributed in sick benefits during the year and \$2,489.25 in funeral benefits by the several conclaves. Grand Treasurer Gemmil reported a balance in bank of \$2,035.64. There are 1038 members of the order in Delaware, a gain of 61 during the year. Grand Archon Nicholson urged the appointment of a committee to promote increase of membership.

Some Conference Statistics

Statistics of the Wilmington M. E. Conference for the past year show 46,972 church members, 4111 preparatory members, 1755 non-resident members and 394 Sunday schools with 64,413 members, an increase of 22,000 during the year. The Conference owns church properties valued at \$3,113,729 and spent \$262,120 on ministerial support during the year. At Monday morning's session a campaign was launched to raise an endowment fund of \$250,000 for the Conference Academy at Dover.

Life Saved By Leap

Miss Nora Robinson, of Mt. Pleasant narrowly escaped death on Saturday evening when her automobile was struck and smashed on the Delaware railroad crossing at that point. She was returning from a visit to a dentist in Middletown and a northbound freight train had been parted to let coaches pass over the crossing. A man there signalled to Miss Robinson to cross the tracks, not noticing the approach of a southbound train. As the engine was about to strike her car she leaped from it, landing clear of the track. She was picked up unconscious and taken to her home, where it was found that one of her arms had been broken and her body severely bruised. The car was completely wrecked.

Fear Check On Sunday Sprees

Wilmington saloon keepers are anxiously awaiting Governor Townsend's action upon the "bottle law" repealing act passed by the Legislature. A moving argument for the repeater was the check it would put upon Sunday drunkenness due to Saturday night purchases of bottles of liquor which served to prolong week-end sprees.

Wilmington's police during March made 666 arrests of which 234 were for drunkenness.

The recent bazar held in Wilmington by the Irish-American Association for the Irish Relief fund will net upwards of \$14,000.



Style in Eyeglasses is now a matter of much importance in considering your personal appearance. Good-looking FITS-U Eye-glasses cost no more than the ordinary kinds.

Millard F. Davis
Maker of Fine Eyeglasses and Spectacles
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Market & 10th Sts.
Wilmington, Delaware

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A Restaurant planned on the type of the old Wayside Inn. Dainty meals, good food, cleanliness are big words with us. Every thing in Season. Lots of Home-baked dainties. Just now Oysters in Every Style. Rooms for rent--the best in town. Agent for NORRIS CANDIES. Mam Street NEWARK, DELAWARE

There's Magic in a Smile!

More than do studied words and phrases, a good warm smile makes friends and holds them.

A smile comes naturally when we meet our friends and acquaintances face to face, in our offices, at our homes or on the street. And why should it not when the wires of the telephone bring a caller to us?

There is no smile in a curt "hello" or "well" in answer to a call; none in a dull, disinterested voice. But there is a smile in a genial greeting, an answer that tells just who is talking, and a tone that reflects both interest and attention.

THE DIAMOND STATE TELEPHONE CO. E. P. BARDO, District Manager, WILMINGTON, DEL.



The Time of the Plow

has come. In the sunshiny April days so near at hand, the man at the plow will be the man of the hour. With all the world to feed his task is a mighty one. Good tools are essential

WIARD AND SYRACUSE

Plows have a reputation covering many years. They are used by the best farmers here for they suit our soil conditions.

A full line of these plows with a complete line of new parts on hand at

Thomas A. Potts

Newark,

Delaware.



Scene from "Treasure Island" Playhouse April 9 and 10

NEW DORM FOR GIRLS TO BE STARTED SOON

(Continued from Page 1)
In double rooms, the Commons Room on the first floor being temporarily divided into double rooms. The Architects are to determine and report as to whether it is better to add a boiler and increase the present small boiler plant, or to bring steam from Central Power House, in which case it would have to be determined whether it should be brought by way of Wolf Hall or by way of the Engineering Building. In that case it would be carried on to Women's College Hall and thence across the Green to the new Women's Dormitory. If by Wolf Hall, the North Wing should be built; if by Women's College Hall, the South Wing.

It was requested that the steam mains be placed if possible, under sidewalks for accessibility.

The Architects were instructed to report how many elm trees would be needed for planting in the Court of the Women's College.

Enlistments In Local Companies

Simply because the recruiting stations have been closed temporarily, there is no need for any patriotic individual of military age to feel that Uncle Sam does not want him. On the other hand Uncle Sam does want him and that badly.

Four men presented themselves at the local armory last evening to undergo the medical examination preparatory to enlistment, and their names were forwarded to the State physician by Lieutenant McKeon.

"Any person wishing to enlist should apply to his local armory at once," was the information given out by Adjutant General Wickersham, on advice from the United States military authorities yesterday.

In response to a request from Captain John P. LeFevre of Company G, Dover City council on Monday appointed a committee of men to solicit recruits. Two automobiles decorated with flags, were in service all day Tuesday.

Company E, (of Elkton), First Maryland Infantry, during the last ten days, has been recruited from 75 to between 90 and 100 men.

PLAYHOUSE

WILMINGTON, DEL.

Coming Attractions

April 5th, 6th, and 7th
Matinee Saturday

ARNOLD DALY

In
"THE VERY MINUTE"
Immediately Preceding a Run
at the Belasco Theatre, New York

April 9th and 10th
Holiday Matinee Monday

"TREASURE ISLAND"
Direct From a Run at Broad
Street Theatre, Philadelphia

April 12th, 13th, and 14th
Matinee Saturday

Another Belasco Success
FRANCES STARR

In
"THE LITTLE LADY
IN BLUE"

Direct From a Successful Run
at the Belasco Theatre,
New York

April 16th, 17th, and 18th
Matinee Wednesday

**THE GLAD PLAY
POLLYANNA**
The Hit of Years

April 19th, 20th and 21st
Matinee Saturday

BLANCHE BATES
With **WILTON LACKAYE** and
Others In

"ELEVEN P. M."
One of the Great Plays of the
Season

Reserve your seats in Advance
from our Newark Sub-Station
at

SOL WILSON'S
MAIN STREET

Call D&A 167W.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS ANNOUNCE SCHEDULE

First Game On Friday Afternoon

Newark High School will open the baseball season with a game with Wilmington Conference Academy on Friday afternoon on Delaware Avenue grounds.

The schedule at the present time comprises the following games:

- April 6, W. C. A.—Home.
- 13, DuPont—Wilmington.
- 25, Goldey College—Home.
- May 4, W. C. A.—Dover.
- 9, Goldey College—Wilmington.
- 16, DuPont—Home.

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet this Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Butler. The meeting is called for two o'clock.

A Trip to Wilmington is not Complete Without a Visit to the

GARRICK THEATRE

Wilmington's Handicraft Playhouse
HIGH-CLASS VAUDEVILLE
Twice a Week, Afternoon at 2:15
Evenings at 8:15
Private Parties Attended For

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FLOOR COVERINGS

Exceptionally Large and Very Attractive Displays of Spring and Summer Furnishings are Awaiting Your Inspection.

We are ready for the warm weather with many helpful suggestions.

Summer porch and livingroom furniture is more attractive than ever—from the humble porch rocker to the elaborate sun parlor furnishings.

Eddy and Mckee Refrigerators (to be had here exclusively) are sampled and a complete assortment is ready. Catalogues on request.

Cool summer draperies, awnings, porch screens and slip covers—grass, rag and fibre rugs, all will help to make your spring and summer delightful.

BUT, come while the stocks are large and unbroken—You'll probably want to select your summer things NOW.

This is YOUR invitation.

The M. Megary & Son Co.

Sixth and Tatnall Streets
Wilmington, Delaware

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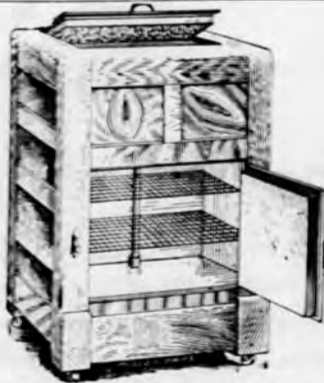
Special Offerings to Brighten Up the Springtime Home

China Matting Worth \$18 Per Roll Will be Sold Here Today for \$11.95

We've succeeded in securing a part of our importations at our old contract price so that this value is possible now. Matting is extra heavy, genuine Cochin. (Only 50 rolls in this special grade, making your early visit imperative)

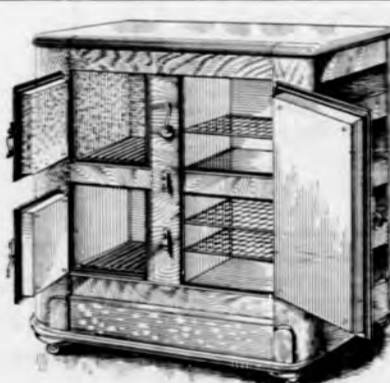
Wool and Fiber Rugs, 9x12 Size, Worth \$13.50 Here Today at \$6.95

Another big purchase of these color fast wool and fiber rugs, in new spring patterns, enables us to sell them at this unusually low price. The value is apparent in every rug in the lot and they will not be duplicated elsewhere at the price.



This Arlington Refrigerator \$8.95

Exactly as illustrated. Good apartment or small family size; generous capacity; white enamel lined throughout; removable wire shelves.



This Leonard Cleanable Refrigerator \$25.75

One piece white porcelain lined throughout; generous capacity; removable wire shelves; constructed on the sanitary lines that have made the Leonard famous.



This Red Cedar Chest \$12.75

You'll need one of these to store away your winter clothes, etc. This is a big value. Chest exactly as illustrated, in genuine red cedar, highly polished.



This Easy Riding Sulky \$1.95

Sturdy built easy riding Sulky with rubber tires and flexible steel springs. Just like picture.



This Big Reed Go-Cart \$14.95

Exactly as illustrated. New style, reversible gear, rubber tires, and telescopic suspension. A real motor.



Poarch Swing \$2.35

Every one should have one of these big Mission Poarch Swings, offered at this price, complete with chains and necessary fixtures.

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