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THE "HOME PAPER" OF THE MIDDLE SECTION OF PROSPEROUS MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

ABOUT TOWN NOTES.

Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 27, 1919. And another Yuletide Less than four weeks distant.

Miss Ella Ebert spent the week end in Norristown.

A birthday was given in honor of Mr. Ottinger on Saturday evening, November 22, guests being present from Phoenixville, Philadelphia, Conshohocken, Zieglerstown and Pottstown.

Mr. Joseph Klumpff, of Upper Providence and Miss Lizzie Hunsicker of Limerick, spent Sunday with Mrs. Kathryn Moyer and family.

Mr. Claude Getty and son, of Trappe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Getty.

Mrs. Thomas, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with Miss Elizabeth Kratz.

Misses Carrie and Margaret Tyson, of Upper Providence, spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Halteman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Francis entertained the following at a turkey dinner on Sunday: Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Cornish and family, Mr. J. U. Francis and family, Mr. Harry Brown and family and Mr. Clare Bowden, of Oaks.

Miss Kate Hale is on the sick list. Mrs. S. D. Cornish and children spent Wednesday in Red Hill.

Miss Margaret Himes, of Norristown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Luckett and daughter Ruth spent Sunday with Miss Ella Grubb.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller are spending some time in St. Clare.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCarragher spent the week end in Spring City.

Mrs. Bella Meyers, of Oaks, spent Monday with Miss Elizabeth Kratz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Kemmerer and Mr. Morris Robison, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. Joseph Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Munyon, of Roxborough, spent the week end with Miss Ella Grubb.

RED CROSS DRIVE.

In the recent membership drive of the Red Cross, four hundred and forty-seven (447) members were secured for the Collegeville branch, which includes Collegeville, Trappe, Ironbridge and the surrounding vicinity.

The committee is pleased with the result of the drive and gives full credit to the faithful work of the solicitors.

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THE DEATH ROLL.

Charles S. Boileau, aged 76, died on Thursday afternoon at his home, Green Tree, Upper Providence township. For many years Mr. Boileau was engaged in the building and contracting business and won many friends by social qualities and integrity of character.

SOCIAL AND ENTERTAINMENT.

The social and entertainment given by the American Legion, post 119, Collegeville, in the Field Cage of Ursinus College, Saturday evening, was well attended. Music and dancing were the leading features.

TABLET TO DR. DEDAKER.

In the assembly hall at Northeast High School, Philadelphia, Tuesday morning, dedication of a bronze tablet to the memory of Dr. Frank M. Dedaker, class of 1905, was made by members of "N. P. T. S."

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NOVELTY SHOWER.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Reiff of Trappe, Wednesday evening of last week, their daughter Mrs. Bertha Weigner gave a novelty shower in honor of her sister-in-law, Alverda Weigner, of Center Point, and Nevin Yergler, of Pottstown, whose wedding will take place in the near future.

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GOOD ROADS.

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STRIKE BROKEN AT STEEL PLANTS.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 23.—Authentic reports from the Pittsburgh district on conditions resulting from the steel strike called September 22, 10 weeks ago, show that the strike has been a distinct failure and that the steel companies, for the most part, now are contending simply with the imperfect shop organization inevitably accompanying operation with a large percent of men not yet familiar with their jobs.

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SPECIAL WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

No one in Washington really knows or has any idea as to what will be the next move in regard to the Peace Treaty when the Senate convenes on December 1. There is plenty of "inside information" going the rounds, and the "I tell you so's" have the whole future program of events mapped out; but the truth is that the whole thing is guesswork.

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NEWS FROM TRAPPE.

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COUNTY AND STATE ITEMS.

Councilman F. Brooke Binder, of Pottstown, returned from the Maine woods with two deer.

Governor Sproul named Mrs. Lillian M. Hillegas, of East Greenville, a trustee for mothers' pensions in Montgomery county.

Falling over a wire while playing football, Gerald Reichelderfer, of Pottstown, broke a collarbone.

Judge G. A. Endlich, of Common Pleas Court, fell at his home in Reading and fractured his right hip.

Thieves with an automobile got away with \$2500 worth of hosiery from the Vaughan Knitting Company's plant, Pottstown.

Enough strawberries were picked one day last week in the garden patch of Franklin Baver, near Malmo, to serve seven boarders and his family of six.

Rev. C. K. Fegley, director of night schools for foreigners at Palmerton, is assisted by 15 teachers of the public schools of the town.

The shortage of houses at Lansdale has reached such a crisis that the business men have combined to relieve the situation.

In three nights' hunting on the Blue Mountains, L. H. Kline, of Strassburg, bagged 10 raccoons, 19 skunks and two opossums, receiving for the pelts \$125.

The Montgomery County Court has granted divorces to Mrs. Joseph Leban, Norristown; Mrs. Clyde Roney, Pottstown, and Mrs. Jacob Jones, Conshohocken.

Dr. Mary Christiane, for a quarter of a century a physician at the State Hospital for the Insane, at Norristown, bequeathed her entire estate to her sister, Mrs. Joseph Bishop, of Glenwood, Mich.

Struck by an automobile, Michael Koples, of Stowe, suffered concussion of the brain.

A derailed Reading Railroad freight car tore up more than 500 feet of track at Sinking Spring.

Three barrels of whiskey valued at \$1400 were stolen from Neversink distillery at Lorane.

J. Fred Garber, a Spring City business man, suffered a minor when his team loaded with furniture was struck by an automobile.

Mrs. Henrietta Hillcock, 74 years old, of Shillington, was run down by a trolley car near Shillington and killed.

TWENTY-FIVE PERSONS KILLED AT FIRE.

Ville Platte, La., Nov. 23.—Twenty-five persons, most of them women and girls, lost their lives last night in a fire which quickly destroyed a frame building in which 200 of the village folk were making merry at a dance.

Ten of the dancers were burned to death and others were crushed in a wild stampede to reach the street during a narrow, frantic stairway escape.

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EARLY DECISION ON DRY LAW.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Within a few days, a fortnight at furthest, the question of a hiatus in prohibition enforcement will be determined.

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TREATY REJECTED.

The special session of Congress ended Wednesday night of last week with the rejection by the Senate of the Peace Treaty. The Treaty for the present, so far as it relates to the United States, is dead.

"The covenant of the League of Nations is the noblest effort so far made to eliminate war from a world which has just buried 7,000,000 victims of war, besides which it contains many millions of mutilated survivors, and unnumbered widows and orphans.

"Henry Cabot Lodge himself and Theodore Roosevelt had told us that a combination of nations was practicable, and was the only way of averting war. But Henry Cabot Lodge has led the cowardly assassins, who did not dare to defeat the treaty outright, and were afraid to attach amendments to it, but who sought to accomplish their infamous purpose by repudiating every obligation assumed in ratifying the treaty by reservation.

"To ratify the treaty with all these reservations would be to insult our comrades in the war, and our associates in the peace conference, and it would leave the United States outside of the League of Nations, where by its traditions, its history and the wishes of an overwhelming majority of its people the United States ought to lead.

"How can there be any compromise? Under the treaty the United States would assume certain obligations, accepted also by all other members of the League. By the reservations we declare that we are not bound by any of these. We must be either bound or not bound; how can that be compromised?

"But there is still an opportunity for the Republicans to save the country from shame, to save themselves from infinite disgrace, and to save their faces. They may substitute for the reservations they have agreed to others which are merely declaratory, and then they can prate of forcing reservations upon the treaty and yet not be responsible for its death.

"The Republicans have got to retreat from their position or be ever infamous for putting the brand of shame upon the nation and perpetrating war upon the earth when all the nations of the civilized world except the United States were willing to enter into a compact to prevent war and enforce civilized and humane processes of settling international disputes."

THE TREATY AN ISSUE IN 1920.

If the Republican leaders in the Senate instead of ratifying the Peace Treaty, upon their return to duty in December, choose to make it an issue in the next Presidential contest, the Republican party will enter the campaign with the chances for success largely against it. With lines sharply drawn between peace and war, the voters of the United States will not recall the appalling sacrifice of life and atrocities of the world war and then vote to perpetuate the probabilities of war and murder rather than favor the only means in sight which promise world peace.

THE DAY OF "ETERNAL REST."

Monday-morning reports of deaths and injuries in automobile accidents over the Sabbath are so numerous that most newspapers have a fairly long list of victims of the immediate vicinity. If the list for the whole country were printed it would rival in length the sad column of war dead familiar to American readers a year ago, and it would be sadder because of the frequency with which the names of women and little children would appear. Sunday used to mean a day of rest. These days it means eternal rest for too many Americans.—Toledo (Ohio) Blade.

Very true—Sunday does mean "eternal rest" for too many American citizens," because too many American citizens are affected with "speed" insanity—a form of insanity by no means confined to those habituated to the use of intoxicants. Such aberration has been rapidly increasing for several years. Those who travel upon much used thoroughfares on Sundays take great risks. They may return home or they may enter "eternal rest," or, with fractured skulls or limbs, enter hospitals for repairs to their anatomies. Sundays are special days for the running at large of speed maniacs and "road hogs," but a disproportionate number of them go to rest. The innocent victims outnumber the maniacs and "road hogs" who "go the voyage" on Sundays. If the innocent could be spared entering into "eternal rest" on the highways on Sundays, there would be some relief somewhere in sight. Speed laws are largely looked upon as mere jokes, not only by reckless auto drivers but also by those invested with authority to enforce laws.

SCHOOLS FOR ADULTS.

Senator Kenyon has submitted a bill for the compulsory education in English of adults. This bill should become a law, and the law should be made effective in Pennsylvania through its acceptance by the Legislature. Pennsylvania is charged with 354,290 illiterates above the ten-year age limit. These illiterates, many of them of foreign birth, are a constant menace to the safety and well-being of society. If illiterate adults will not of their own volition improve their leisure moments in studying the English language, and acquainting themselves with the character of our institutions, they should be compelled by the State to do so.

From Charlotte Observer: It is fortunate that Senator Lodge did not have the power to annul or ratify the armistice. He might have turned the Germans loose upon the world again. Their representatives at Washington are mightily uplifted at Lodge's success in blocking the treaty, as they have reason to be.

Furnace going full blast —only using one room!

Coal costs too much to waste these days.

Then why feed the furnace, just to keep one room comfortable?

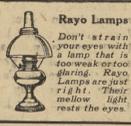
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This will be a jewelry Christmas—folks have come to recognize that nothing can express the spirit of Yuletide so suitably as a Pendant, a Watch, a Ring, a Cigarette Case or some other piece of jewelry. Nor will anything you give be treasured for so long, be worn or used so frequently—as a gift of jewelry.

And when you buy your jewelry gifts choose a real jeweler. Only in that way can you be certain of securing the enduring quality which is so essential in a gift. Only at a jeweler's can you have a full opportunity to consult the experienced advice of a specialist who knows jewelry. Ensure that it is genuine by purchasing it here.

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NEWSPAPERS DON'T TELL ALL

As a Matter of Fact, World Must Not Be Judged by What One May See in Print.

Through all civilized countries folks spend a lot of their time just reading the papers. And it is all right, too. Everybody reads the papers.

But one must be careful to keep one's equilibrium at the same time. We must not make the mistake of supposing that there is nothing else going on in the world except that which the papers print.

The papers publish only the news that is startling or sensational. Naturally, that's all they publish. What is unusual, out of the ordinary, something that astonishes one—these things are what the papers print.

If you were to go into a newspaper office with an item, say about a man who had reared his family carefully, sent them to school and had paid the mortgage off his home, the editor wouldn't put that piece in the paper because there is nothing unusual about it.

But if the item were about a man who refused to work to support his family, and who beat his wife over the head with a club, and who chased them all out in the middle of the night in the rain, then the editor would say it was "news."

So, you see, it is mostly the troubles of the world, its seamy side, its crime and suffering and squalor that get into the papers.

Yet, there is the world's other side, that God—its bright side, its love and gladness and charity and the help that one man gives another.

Read the papers, of course. But, when you read them do not get the idea into your head that the world is plunging headlong to perdition, because such is not the case.—Utica Globe.

WINGS FOR MRS. VANDERBILT

Soldier Admirer Split of His Enter-tainer, but Couldn't Quite Credit the Rest.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt tells this story on herself: She was doing certain work in France during the recent misunderstanding in that vicinity, and devoted considerable time to entertaining American soldiers in one of the hostess houses. Being an excellent dancer and attractive, she was in much demand among the boys. One evening she danced several times with a tall tow-haired doughboy who showed symptoms of great loneliness and talked volubly about things in Michigan.

When the evening was ended, the tow-haired one came over to Mrs. Vanderbilt. "I've had a bully time," he said. "And I want to keep track of you. We're moving out of here tomorrow, for the front. But if we get back, I'd like to look you up over in the States. My name is Albert Bridgeman, from Grand Rapids. What's yours?"

"I'm Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt," she replied. The doughboy scanned her from head to foot. "That's right, chicken," he said, "fly high!"

Treasure-Trove.

Tobermory Bay is becoming seriously interesting. The salvaging operations in connection with the Spanish

galeon, supposedly the 'Florentia, which for three and a half centuries has lain a wreck off the coast of the Isle of Mull, are being brought to the surface—among them a beautifully chased silver plate and the ornamented handle of a silver flagon. Interest in the operations has brought crowds to this part of the Scottish coast and neither bed nor board is to be obtained by late winter groups. The divers have not performed their work without some sign of protest from sea dwellers. One of them disturbed recently a huge conger measuring some 15 feet. The annoyance of the animal was unmistakable. Treasure-trove is being obtained now within grasp, but difficulty is experienced in bringing the finds whole and uninjured to the surface.

The Flying Era.

Mail-carrying airplanes are already an old story, writes A. Russell Bond, in "Inventions of the Great War." In Europe the big bombing machines are being used for passenger service between cities. There is an air line between Paris and London. The airplanes carry from a dozen to as many as 50 passengers on a single trip. In some cities here, as well as abroad, the police are being trained to fly, so that they can police the heavens when the public takes to wings. Evidently, the flying era is here.

Thing of the Past.

"An old gentleman from the country visited Washington the other day and set the capital in an uproar. In fact, he was hailed as one of the nation's leading humorists."

"What did he do or say to make such an impression?"

"He said he'd come to Washington, by heck, to see a specimen of that there senatorial dignity."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Merely Thinking.

"Yes," said Mr. Brown, "my wife and I are thinking of chartering a yacht for the year."

"But won't that be pretty expensive?" asked Mr. Hughes.

"Not so long as we confine ourselves to thinking about it," replied Mr. Brown.

Fate of "First of the Tribunes."

On the eighth of October in 1354 Rienzi, the Italian patriot, who headed a revolution at Rome which overthrew the power of the aristocracy, was killed. He had been placed at the head of the Roman government under the title of tribune of the people. His successors went to his head and he was finally killed in a riot which his ill-considered conduct had provoked.

Against Grasshopper.

When a grasshopper jumps he has no idea where he will hit, but merely launches himself into the air and trusts to chance. Through the efforts of the agricultural agents, however, it is coming about that after a few trials the insect learns that he is almost certain to land some place where he isn't wanted.

Floor 160 years Old Still Good.

When an old house in Pike county, Pennsylvania, was torn down it was found the floors of pitch pine, 160 years old, were still good, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. The size amazed the carpenters, for the planks were two feet wide and an inch and a quarter thick.

ORPHANS' COURT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA., NOTICE OF FILING AND AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS.

Notice is hereby given to heirs, legatees, creditors and all parties in interest, that the following accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Wills or Clerk of Orphans' Court, as the case may be, of said county, on the dates below stated, that the executors, administrators, guardians and trustees, have settled their accounts in said office; and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said county, on Monday, December 1, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., for confirmation, at which time the Honorable William F. Solly, President Judge of said court, will sit in Court Room No. 3, in said court house, to audit said accounts, hear and pass upon exceptions where filed and make distribution of the balance ascertained to be in the hands of said accounts.

PILCHER—Oct. 6—Account of Rebecca Walker, administratrix of Eliza J. Pilcher, late of Lower Merion.

LAWRENCE—Oct. 8—Account of Henry C. Baldwin, admr. c. t. a. of John R. Lawrence, late of Lansdale.

MOERLE or PFANNSCHMIDT—Oct. 10—Account of J. Willard Hoopes, executor of Margaret Moerle of Margaret Pfannschmidt, late of Frederick.

HAMMEL—Oct. 18—Account of Harry I. Hiestand, admr. of Alvah Hammel, late of Royersford.

DILLON—Oct. 21—Account of Edgar S. Gardner, admr. of James Dillon, late of Lower Merion.

SMITH—Oct. 23—Account of Girard Trust Company, et. al. executors of Edward B. Smith, late of Lower Gwynedd.

PERRY—Oct. 24—Account of Charles E. Schmidt, guardian of Alice Perry.

DETTRE—Oct. 24—Account of S. H. Orr, executor of Amanda M. Dettre, late of Norristown.

KANE—Oct. 27—Account of Irvin P. Krups, guardian of Edward F. Kane.

WILLIAMS—Oct. 28—Account of Florence S. Williams, admr. of Harry M. Williams, late of West Conshohocken.

MILLER—Oct. 28—Account of Henry I. Brown et. al. executors of John W. Miller, Jr., late of Lower Gwynedd.

BERGER—Oct. 28—Account of Thomas W. Berger, admr. of Jessie M. Berger, late of Lower Merion.

BAKER—Oct. 28—Account of Anna L. Baker, executrix of Francis H. Baker, late of Narberth.

BENDER—Oct. 28—Account of The Pennsylvania Company for Insurance on Lives and Granting Annuities et. al. executors of Charles J. Bender, late of Lower Merion.

CLARK—Oct. 29—Account of Jenkinson Trust Company, executor of Ellanora S. Clark, late of Hatboro.

ST. CLAIR—Oct. 29—Account of F. O. Bishop, admr. of Frank St. Clair, late of Royersford.

GRACEY—Oct. 29—Account of Neville D. Tyson, admr. of Frances Faussett Gracey, late of Ambler.

LINDSEY—Oct. 29—Account of Herbert A. Seymour et. al. executors of Adelaide H. Lindsey, late of Narberth.

SMITH—Oct. 29—Account of Mary B. McCawley, executrix of Alice W. Smith, late of Lower Merion.

LOWNES—Oct. 29—Account of Jenkinson Trust Company et. al. executors of Robert C. Lownes, late of Lansdale.

MOYER—Oct. 29—Account of Miriam Moyer et. al. executors of Maria Moyer, late of West Yellord.

HORN—Oct. 31—Account of The Provident Life and Trust Company of Philadelphia, et. al. executors of Herman Horn, late of Upper Dublin.

WEYAND—Oct. 31—Account of Sarah Emma Schoenly, admr. of Rebecca Weyand, late of New Hanover.

KOCH—Oct. 31—Account of Irwin L. Koch, admr. of Jeremiah E. Koch, late of Douglass.

SHARFF—Oct. 31—Account of Kate D. Shaef, executrix of Charles Shaef, late of West Norriton.

HOOULIHAN—Oct. 31—Account of Montgomery Trust Company, guardian of Eleanor Houlihan.

EBERT—Oct. 31—Account of Louis A. Breiting, executor of Louis Ebert, late of Abington.

BARLOW—Oct. 31—Account of David L. Barlow et. al. admrs. of Friend F. Barlow, late of Horsham.

LOUGHERY—Oct. 31—Account of Bertha V. Ketcham, et. al. admrs. of Robert G. Loughery, late of Springfield.

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There are four things that come not back—the spoken word, the spent arrow, the past life and the neglected opportunity.—Arabian.

A weak mind is like a microscope, which magnifies trifling things, but cannot receive great ones.—Chesterfield.

Idleness is the sepulchre of a living man.—Holland.

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# WHITE CHIMNEYS

By DORA JONES

Winifred had wired Baltimore as soon as she reached New York. If she lingered some of Leslie's friends were certain to recognize her and tell him, but she knew of one safe hiding place. "Take Bel Air bungalow, Hartley Manor, Deep River. Three months." Her agent there would understand, she knew, and ask no questions. She took the night train down and reached Deep River about seven. It was a run of four miles to the shore of the Chesapeake, and there he hid away. As she drove along the narrow, winding shore road the first glimpse of its white chimneys above the willows brought a sob of relief to her throat. It had been their honeymoon home, two years before, and already she longed to break the tie that bound her to Leslie Forbes.

A fire had been laid in the living room. She knelt before the blazing knots and spread her fingers to the warmth.

"Deed an' if Eph and me had jus' a known 'yo' was comin' we'd had all de comforts for 'yo', Miss Winifred." Aunt Dinorah watched her solicitously, her head on one side, as she sensed the trouble in every dejected line of the slender figure. "Ain't but a day since 'yo' was here, and Master Forbes."

Before Winifred realized the break in her nerves she was crying on the old colored woman's ample shoulder, and being petted as if she had been ten instead of twenty-two. After she



Winifred Laughed With Sheer Relief.

had been helped into an easy negligee, and given breakfast out on the porch overlooking the broad blue waters of the bay, she tried to think of her next step.

If it had been anything definite, any real facts that she could bring out against him! But there was nothing except the suspicion in her own mind, and Leslie's own manner. That—and, of course, she knew he had been engaged to Mrs. Pomeroy four or five years before.

She had thrown him over to marry Cutler on account of money, rumor said, and now she was a widow and wealthy; she had engaged Leslie as her lawyer to settle the estate. That meant she was at liberty to consult with him at any time, to call him to her side at any hour, to renew all of the old intimacy and hide her interest in him under the guise of their business relations.

Leslie had laughed at Winifred's little hints against it, and had gone on in his steady, business-like way. Then had come the mysterious package for him by special messenger one morning, and he had not opened it.

It was from her, Winifred knew, and as it lay at his elbow on the breakfast table, she had waited for him to tell her the contents, but he had kept silence. Only the unusual sternness in his eyes and around his mouth, and the way he looked the parcel in the safe made her suspicious. Were they old love letters? Or was it even something more personal, some gift that Fay Pomeroy had dared to send him to worry her, perhaps?

Finally, after a week of estrangement, he had demanded to know the cause of her manner toward him, and Winifred had told him—told him eagerly, longing for his quick assurance of love, but Leslie had closed his lips and told her absolutely nothing.

"It is not my secret," was all he said, and Winifred needed only the telephone message that came for him later to believe all she feared. The maid brought it to her. Mrs. Pomeroy was ill and must see Mr. Forbes at once about the old trouble. Winifred had given the message to him herself over the office wire, and had waited. Leslie's tone was clear and concise.

"I won't be home for dinner, dear, possibly not until midnight."

She had left on the evening train, without a word for him, with all of the unreasoning, heart-breaking misery and recklessness possible, and now the peace of White Chimneys unfolded her. She fell asleep in the porch hammock, her amber silk negligee cast aside for a little sport suit of pongee, her hair rumpled like a tired youngster's around her face.

It was here that Leslie found her. Worn from a sleepless night he came up the porch steps slowly and stood over her, hands clasped behind him, his gray eyes full of yearning and relief. Behind him ambled old Eph, his garden hat held between his hands anxiously, and Aunt Dinah shouted at him indignantly from the back of the house.

"Ain't got no sense, nevah did have, nevah 'spect 'yo' will have, ole man. Don't 'yo' know dey's makin' up?" But Winifred's eyes held no welcome when she wakened and sat up to find him there. Silently, unforgettingly, she listened to his explanation of how he had found her. It all seemed so simple, and she had thought she had covered her flight. Just tracing her to New York, he had called up the "Hotel Registry" and had located her at the Belmont. There he had found her and sent the telegram to Baltimore and had followed to White Chimneys.

"Now tell me the exact meaning of this nonsense," he drew a porch chair

close beside her and waited gravely. "I'm thankful you came here, anyway."

She bit her lip. He simply wanted to call up the old memories of their happiness there and trade on her love for him. And now she told herself she did not love him, not even with him sitting there and gazing at her steadfastly.

"I wanted to give you back your freedom," she said slowly, once more pushing back her hair. "It's all been such an awful mistake."

Leslie took her hands in his firmly. "Listen to me, dearest. I was wrong not to have told you perhaps, but that poor devil was in danger and I dared not."

"Mrs. Pomeroy!" exclaimed Winifred. He laughed. "No, indeed, her younger brother Al. He's up at West Point, you know, and got into a pretty bad row there. Looked like suspension, but I've cleared the matter up, and I know he'll make good now. That package was his. He'd smuggled into his quarters a roulette outfit, just a kid trick, but it looked bad. He hid it with his sister, but I insisted on making a clean breast of it, and his facing the music. So she sent the stuff to me. I could hardly tell you until the thing was over. It meant everything to the boy not to get thrown out, and I had given my word. By the way, she's to marry Major Regan, did you know it? The announcements were in the morning papers."

Winifred stared out at the water in dead silence. All of the misery of the past week, all of her own unreasoning folly in jumping to conclusions came over her, and slowly the tears gathered and fell down on her pounce dress. Leslie wiped them off gravely. "Rain always spots it, doesn't it?" he asked gravely. "Any chance for breakfast? I've come for a little vacation."

"Oh, you old dear," she cried, helplessly. "I wonder what made me do it. You said once women had no logic or deduction. Was that it?" Leslie laughed softly as he took her in his arms.

"Never mind the logic or deduction, honey," he whispered, "only next time just keep faith with me. Remember how we loved the old line, 'A little faith all undisproved.' Give me a chance before you take a train, won't you dear?"

"Same ole waffles and honey, children," said Aunt Dinorah, coming around the corner of the veranda with a large, tempting breakfast tray. "Ah alters, you two! You all would come back for a second honeymoon, and dar you is, less you."

Winifred laughed with sheer relief, but Leslie was already at the waffles and the smoke from the new hearth fire curled out of White Chimneys.

**Bugs That Walk on Water.** Insects that walk on the water by means of pneumatic floats are the familiar spider and the pond skater. The pond skater really walks on pneumatic floats. There are tiny hairs on the feet of this insect, so fine that they cannot be seen, that are arranged to collect air. The amount collected in and about these hairs is sufficient to allow the insects to walk or float upon the surface of the water. As each foot is put down it forms a cup-like depression, or tiny pit, in the water. The foot does not sink because the air bubble that has been formed is too light to let it. A fine covering of hair protects the water spider, too, and even if it is submerged in the water it is never really wet; the hair keeps a layer of air between its body and the water. It looks like a white pearl when below the surface.

**Some Scholar.** Smith—Did you ever go to school, Sam? Sam—Sure, I was to the academy and dere I learned school fellows as George Gravy.

Smith—Nonsense, Sam, you are referring to the study of geography. Sam—Dere was Matthew Mattix.

Smith—You mean mathematics. Sam—And I knew Jimmy Nasty-tricks.

Smith—You are referring to gymnastics, Sam. By the way, can you spell? Sam—Sure, I got as far as m-u-d.

Smith—And that spells mud. Sam—I stuck dere—Boys' Life.

**Life Insurance in the Wild West.** Agent—"What did you want arrival say?" Assistant—"He wouldn't talk to me at all—said he was too busy to talk about life insurance." Agent—"Well, I'll hang around his house to-night and shoot holes through his windows, and when he comes downtown in the morning you be head of a fence in some vacant lot and put a few balls through the top of his hat. Then when he reaches his office I'll drop in and talk life insurance to him again."

**Lights and Lesser Lights.** If you have ever crossed the ocean you know that one of the first glimpses you get of America is the flash of Thatcher's light, off Cape Ann. It can be seen a very great distance. Josephus, the historian, writes that there was an ancient lighthouse which could be seen forty-two miles. It was erected by Ptolemy Soter in the island of Pharos, off the coast of Alexandria, Egypt.—Boston Post.

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**Repose of the Ocean.** Scientific investigations go to show that the roaring waves and the mightiest billows of the ocean repose, not upon hard and troubled beds, but upon cushions of still water; that everywhere at the bottom of the deep sea the solid ribs of the earth are protected from the abrading action of its currents.

**The Old Cry.** It doesn't make any difference what happens, somebody is bound to arise to whisper that it is crooked. We overheard this man talking on a street car yesterday. There's nothing the human family enjoys better than being suspicious of somebody or something.—Detroit Free Press.

**Cassock Once Common Garment.** It may not be known that the familiar soutane or cassock of a Catholic priest was the garment habitually worn by all gentlemen up to comparatively recent times, though it was not always necessarily black. There is a portrait of Dante wearing one of fustic length.

# CHURCH SERVICES.

Trinity Reformed Church, Collegeville, Rev. William S. Clapp, pastor. Services for next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 9 a. m. Two adult Bible classes, one for men and one for women. You are cordially invited to join one of these classes. Church at 10 a. m. Junior and Senior congregations worshipping together. Junior G. R., 1:30 p. m. Senior, O. R., 6:30 p. m. Church at 7:30 p. m. Services every Sunday evening at 7:30, also singing and good music by the choir. All most cordially invited.

Augustus Lutheran Church, Trappe, Rev. W. O. Pegley, pastor, Sunday School at 9 o'clock; preaching at 10:15. Evening services at 7:30; Teachers' meeting on Wednesday evening.

St. Luke's Reformed Church, Trappe, Rev. S. L. Messenger, D. D., pastor. Sunday School at 8:45 a. m. Preaching at 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Meeting of the Junior League at 2 p. m. Meeting of the Heidelberg League at 7 p. m. Bible Study meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. All are most cordially invited to attend the services.

St. James' church, Parkenton, Norman Stockert, Rector; 10 a. m., Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer, 2:30 p. m., Sunday School.

St. Charles' church, Roman Catholic, Mass at Collegeville every Sunday at 8 a. m.—at Green Lane at 9:30, and at East Greenview at 10 a. m.; William A. Bueser, Rector.

Evansburg M. E. Church—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening. Episcopal Church, St. Paul's Memorial, Oaks, the Rev. D. C. Cresson, Rector, Sunday Services—7:45 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 3:30 p. m., Weekdays, 8:30 a. m., 12 and 5 p. m. Everybody welcome. The Rector residing in the rectory at Oaks P. O. Pa. Bell phone Pottsville 5-3674. Gladly responds when his ministrations are desired. Send your name and address for parish paper, St. Paul's Bulletin for free distribution.

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It must be remembered, however, that attempts to draw conclusions as to the intelligence of certain birds from a comparison of the weight of the brain with that of the body have been considered futile.

In man the brain forms from one-twenty-second to one-thirty-third of the whole body; in the canary, one-fourteenth; the sparrow, one-twenty-fifth; the chaffinch, one-twenty-seventh; the redstart, one-thirty-second; the blackbird, one-sixty-eighth; the duck, one-two-hundred-and-fifty-seventh; the eagle, one-two-hundred-and-sixty-sixth; the goose, one-three-hundred-and-sixty-sixth; the domestic hen, one-four-hundred-and-twelfth.

By some the preternaturally cunning raven is supposed to be the most highly developed of birds. His courage is so great that the eagle respects it, and his intelligence prevents him from getting into unreasoning though suspected dangers.—London Spectator.



# More Headaches are relieved

with glasses than with medicine. This is a very simple remedy but effective. Come and see me. A. B. PARKER, Optometrist 210 DeKalb St., NORRISTOWN, Pa.

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The Nash Six is powerful, to an unusual degree, economical of fuel and quiet of operation. These qualities are due to its Nash Perfected Valve-In-Head Motor—now generally acknowledged to be one of the most efficient power plants in passenger motor vehicles. Its high worth has been proved by severe and country-wide owner service.



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Some men are not, but it really doesn't make any difference one way or the other, if you buy here. We take care of that for you, for we sell clothes that can be depended upon absolutely for utmost value—

# Kuppenheimer, Michaels-Stern and Alco Clothes

And this season, despite the scarcity of good wools, these nationally-famed clothes represent the same high standards of quality and wearability. Everything that went into the making had to pass careful scrutiny and exacting tests by experts.

Whether you are a good judge of clothing value or not, you can be sure that you're getting full value for the price you pay in one of these genuine garments.

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The double-breasted belt styles are the stylish thing for young men—you can wear most of them several different ways, full belt, half belt or no belt; models as scrupulously correct for older men.

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Now is the time to buy your top-coat. Our line of overcoats are mighty good looking. Many rich shades of brown, blue, gray, oxford and heather. Stylish effects, distinctive and new.

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The pleasure of life is accorded to the man that lives it, and not according to the work or the place.—Emerson.

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**Fresh Groceries DRY GOODS** NOTIONS AT **Odd Fellows' Hall Store** Coffee, Canned Goods, Dried Fruits, Confectionery **Arrow Collars a specialty** **Daniel H. Bartman** COLLEGEVILLE, PA. Daily and Sunday Papers

**FORCED THEM TO FIGHT.** The code duello as insisted upon abroad is strikingly illustrated by the story of a happening at Budapest, Hungary. It appears that a lawyer, Babocsay, by name, quarreled with his wife over a new hat. The wife called her brother, Lieutenant Hajdu, a military aviator, to her aid. The husband used words deemed insulting by Hajdu. This coming to the hearing of Hajdu's superior officer, the latter ordered the lieutenant to fight a duel with Babocsay. Babocsay offered to apologize, and Hajdu was willing to accept the apology and thus end the affair. But the military martinet was inexorable. The duel must be fought to satisfy the honor of the army. Consequently these two men, closely related, were compelled to attempt to try to take each other's life. They met, Babocsay, firing aimlessly, nevertheless sent a bullet through the lung of his adversary, and Lieutenant Hajdu died of his wound. Upon hearing of the death of her brother at the hand of her husband in his quarrel Mme Babocsay went insane, twice attempted suicide and was finally confined to an asylum—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Don't forget to get your public sales in the INDEPENDENT, and attract buyers.

**EVANSBURG**  
Mrs. James Miller spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Champlin.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Weber and son, Harold, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Bean at Creamery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hesler and son, and Mrs. Lillian Boyle were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Anderson.  
A delegation of members of Benevolent Council No. 25, O. I. A., attended services at the M. E. church last Sunday evening.  
Richard C. Weber has accepted a position with the Diamond State Fibre Company, of Bridgeport.  
The Wallace property along the Skippack creek near Casals' corner has been sold to Charles Russell, of Philadelphia.  
The N. B. Keyser farm and mill property has been sold to Max Brussell, of Carney's Point, N. J.

**PORT PROVIDENCE.**  
The condition of Mrs. Susan Supple, who was taken suddenly ill on Saturday, is slightly improved.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Bare and daughter Thelma, spent the week end with relatives in Camden and Tioga.  
Catharine, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Eppright has been confined to her home for a week with illness.  
Mrs. Hyman Zevin has returned to her home after spending some time with relatives in New York and Philadelphia.  
Mrs. Edwin Saville and daughters Miss Edna and Mrs. John Keplinger were Philadelphia shoppers, Monday.  
Miss Irene Webb spent the week end with friends in Philadelphia.  
About fifteen school friends of Miss Naomi Brower tendered her a surprise party, Wednesday evening.  
Mrs. Leshere Root was a Philadelphia shopper, Monday.  
Mrs. Jonas Umstad and granddaughter, Miss Sara Brower, spent Sunday with relatives in Skippack.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albanus Rowland and children Mattie and Nellie spent Monday in Philadelphia.  
Frank Wesler, a farm hand on the William Kolb farm, had his leg broken Sunday afternoon, when a heavy limb fell on him. Mr. Wesler was trying to remove a large limb which had fallen over the springhouse. The support under the limb gave way and both limb and support fell on him and pinned him to the ground. Albanus Rowland and son Jacob removed him from his perilous position. He was later removed to the Phoenixville Hospital.

**OKAS.**  
The funeral of Charles Boileau was well attended.  
The Oaks Building and Loan Association met on Monday evening and the Oaks Fire Co. on Tuesday evening. Routine business was transacted.  
Thanksgiving services will be held at Green Tree church at 9.30 a. m. on Thursday. Rev. W. K. McKee will preach the sermon. All friends of the congregation are requested to remember the time, 9.30 a. m.  
The masquerade dance given by the Oaks Fire Co., was a success. The next dance will be given Saturday evening, December 13th, at which time there will also be a cakewalk.  
Next Sunday afternoon there will be a musical by the choir of St. Paul's church at 2.45 p. m. Organ recital by Miss Edna Gottwald organist. The choral service will be several choruses appropriate to the Thanksgiving season. Composition of Barnby, Mando Stultz, etc., will be used. Come bring your friends and worship. On Wednesday evening, December 10, there will be an organ recital at the same church by Mrs. F. O. Nagle, assisted by Dr. F. O. Nagle, violin and Louis W. Nillingger, baritone soloist. All music lovers will be given an opportunity to hear splendid music. Come and bring your friends.  
Wednesday, December 3, the Girls Friendly Society will have a party in the Fire Hall. Useful Christmas gifts will be offered for sale. Come and get some good gifts and help along a good cause.  
**ELECTING A GOAT KING FOR A DAY.**  
Puck fair, held at Killorglin, is one of the last of the old-time Irish fairs, and more than one story is told as to the origin of its name. Amongst them is a tradition that when Cromwell's soldiers were in Ireland a large party of troopers were coming over Kerry mountains, making for Killorglin, when they frightened a flock of goats. These immediately made a hell-skeeter for Killorglin, and dashed wildly into the town headed by a great Puck. Thus warned of impending danger, the inhabitants beat off the troopers and in gratitude dedicated a fair to their horned defender, and elected him king for a day.  
**SHE WAS NO EASY MARK.**  
Martha is seen, and has shown more than ordinary childish aversion to learning lessons, being washed and having curls made smooth and shiny, and less than the average delight in fairy-tales.  
One day upon her return from Sunday school she was questioned as to what she had learned from her nice teacher this time. She cried out with flashing eyes and an indignant toss of her pretty head, "Why, mamma; my teacher told me to-day that story about the children of Israel walking across the Red sea and not getting themselves wet one single bit—and she expected me to believe it."  
"Mamma, I want a dark breakfast." "Dark breakfast? What do you mean, child?" "Why, last night you told Mary to give me a light supper and I didn't like it."—Blighly (London).  
The old are hungrier for love than bread.—H. Drummond.  
Edith—"So that rich old bachelor didn't propose?" Madge—"No; he ate six meals at that summer hotel where they advertise home-cooking and decided to stay single."—Boston Transcript.  
I'll say this for some of the landlords, they're backing up the real estate men in great style." "In what way?" "They're certainly making it cheaper for a lot of folks to buy their own homes than to pay rent."—Detroit Free Press.

(Continued from page one)  
**GOOD ROADS.**  
suggest freely his views and suggestions. There are enough real men and good citizens in our township to make the movement a success. The time and place has been arranged. It only remains for the people to attend and assure Good Roads.  
**BURD P. EVANS,**  
Upper Providence township.

**STATE AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT NOTES.**  
A square deal always pays.  
Printed stationery gives a business air to the farm and helps to make a good impression.  
Every rat costs the farmer at least two dollars per year to board.  
There were 75,125 unlicensed dogs killed by officers in Pennsylvania during the year 1918. Number of dogs licensed was 382,249.  
Saving steps, time and labor should be the main consideration in selecting a location for farm buildings.  
Dig out the barberry, says the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Plant Industry. All the evidence that is available indicates that this plant is a very important factor in increasing wheat rust. The Japanese barberry is harmless but the common variety harbors the rust.  
Statistical information recently collected by the Bureau of Statistics, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, shows that approximately 20 per cent, or 43,657 farmers in this State are now using silos. The number one year ago was estimated at 32,907. The wide-awake and successful farmers learned long ago that a silo, when properly used, was a valuable asset to any farm. As farm conditions improve the number of silos naturally increases.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION**  
of the Collegeville National Bank, at Collegeville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on November 17, 1919.

**RESOURCES.**

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Loans and discounts  | \$304,976.64 |
| Overdrafts unsecured   | 7.94         |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)                          | \$200,000.00 |
| Over and undeposited   | 17,500.00    |
| Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged     | 154,284.40   |
| Total  | 656,768.98   |
| Stocks of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) owned and unpledged | 2,500.00     |
| Equity in banking house  | 9,000.00     |
| Partnership and fixtures   | 5,000.00     |
| Legal reserve with Federal Reserve Bank  | 35,477.15    |
| Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks                            | 11,889.91    |
| Net amount due from banks and banks' checks on hand (not included above)         | 3,508.62     |
| Total  | \$718,191.64 |

**LIABILITIES.**

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in   | \$50,000.00  |
| Surplus fund  | 35,000.00    |
| Undivided profits   | \$12,599.98  |
| Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid  | 19,132.17    |
| Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)                                      | 1,424.81     |
| Circulating notes outstanding   | 48,400.00    |
| Cashier's checks on hand outstanding  | 599.31       |
| Total   | \$99,311.27  |
| Individual deposits subject to check  | 258,778.55   |
| Total of demand deposits, other than bank deposits, subject to check  | 258,778.55   |
| Certificates of deposit (other than for money market) subject to check  | 102,888.63   |
| Other time deposits   | 205,873.27   |
| Total of time deposits subject to check   | 308,761.90   |
| Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than from discounts) | 15,000.00    |
| Liabilities other than those above stated   | 1,095.00     |
| Total   | \$718,191.64 |

W. D. KENNINGER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
F. W. SCHURKEN, Notary Public.  
My commission expires May 29, 1921.  
Correct—Attest:  
A. D. FETTEROLF,  
B. F. STEINER,  
FRANK W. CRISTOCK, Directors.

**MONKEY-TALK.**  
Professor Garner reports that the female apes say "Wahoo," and the male ape replies "Wahoo." Evolution doesn't appear to have carried us very far. A chap on the moonlit beach last night said, "Who's in oo?" and the girl replied, "It's oo's."—San Francisco Chronicle.

**Burmese Fisheries.**  
At auctions of leases of government fisheries in Burma only Burman fishermen or their descendants are allowed to bid. This rule, in force for fifty years, limits competition and keeps speculators from raising the price of fish, the food of millions.

**Record Hurricane Damage.**  
The worst hurricane of which any record exists was that of October 10, 1780, which started in the Barbados. An English fleet anchored off St. Lucia simply disappeared. Nearly every building on the island was blown down and 6,000 people buried.

**Eagle Beats Express Train.**  
An express train was beaten by twelve minutes by an eagle which traced it over a distance of eighteen miles. The train was racing at a speed of more than sixty miles an hour, according to the members of the crew.

**Executive Ability.**  
Executive ability is the capacity for shoveling off all the work you ought to do yourself on someone else that can do it better.—Ohio State Journal.

**Origin of the Airedale.**  
The Airedale was originally bred by English coaches, who wanted an all-around hunting dog which would not give tongue on the trail.

**To Improve Chinese Tobacco.**  
Efforts are being made in China to improve native tobacco by planting American seed and teaching modern methods of cultivation.

**New York Bigger Than Switzerland.**  
The present dwellings in Greater New York could more than accommodate the whole population of Switzerland.

**Getting it Straight.**  
No, girl, the court er is not responsible for the sob stuff.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**PUBLIC SALE OF 2 CARLOADS OF FRESH COWS**  
125 HOGS, SHOATS AND PIGS.  
Will be sold at public sale on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1919, at Eretz's hotel, Limerick Centre, 28 fresh and springer cows and 125 hogs, shoats and pigs, selected right off farms in the Cumberland valley. This is an altogether lot of choice stock. The cows are big producers and the hogs are well bred and thrifty. Sale at 1.30. Conditions by F. H. PETERMAN, Auctioneer and Seller. M. B. Linderman, Clerk.

**SPECIAL NOTICE TO HORSE BREEDERS.**  
Pedigree Percheron Stallion, MEDIUM, Registry No. 5552, Percheron Society's American Bloodstock No. 160. Gray, 17 bands; 1000 lbs. weight. Terms, \$5.00 at service, \$25.00 at birth.  
Breeders should use the best sire available. Look at this one. He is a great breeder.  
WM. KOLB, JR., Port Providence, Pa.

**PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
AND PERSONAL PROPERTY!  
Will be sold at public sale on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1919, at 1 o'clock p. m., on the Enos S. Schwenk farm at Graterford, in Skippack township, Montgomery county, Pa. The real estate and personal property belonging to the estate of Enos S. Schwenk, deceased:  
The farm to be sold consists of 87 acres of Lansdale silt and Penn silt loams and lies in the Perkomen valley. There are 12 acres in heavy timber, including white oak, hickory and cedar; 14 acres in meadow; plenty water; 100 or more fruit trees; half mile frontage on Perkomen creek; 13-room stone house, slate roof, three porches; big stone barn for 30 head stock, slate roof; 2 poultry houses for 50 hens; pig sty for twenty swine, corncrib, wagon house, ice house, lake house, carpenter shop, and usual outbuildings.  
PERSONAL PROPERTY consists in part of the following: Four Schweikville National Bank shares, 6 Pottstown Citizens' Bank shares, 1 Phila. Electric Co. gold bond, 1 Phila. City gold bond, 1 United States Steel Corporation gold bond, 1 Electric and People's Traction Co. gold certificate; a very old and valuable grandfather clock, cherry bureau, safe, antique desk, old coins of all kinds, rag carpet, revolver, bed and springs, chest, cot, comforts, spreads, silk quilts, bookcase, old book secretary, couch, heater, 6 guns, blacksmith tools, chairs and rockers, some very old; rye, oats, corn, fodder, straw, hay, posts, rails, cedar posts, thousand feet of oak, hickory and walnut lumber, 5 cords of firewood, and other articles too numerous to mention. Sale at 1 p. m. sharp. Conditions on day of sale.  
MARY SCHWENK WALT, OLIVER K. SCHWENK, Executors.

**Household Goods!**  
Will be sold at public sale on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1919, at the residence of the undersigned, near Perkomen Bridge, the following HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Three bedsteads, four tables, one 6-ft. extension table, sideboard, two years old; parlor suite, four rocking chairs, kitchen and other chairs, kitchen sink, dishes of all kinds, some antique; feather beds and pillows, 3 clocks, good cook stove, good oil stove, 2 wash bowls and pitchers, looking glasses and pictures, 4 dozen frames and lot of jelly glasses, benches, tables, washing machine, 2 saws, 2 axes, and many other articles not enumerated. Sale at 1 o'clock, sharp. Conditions: CASH. DAVID BOWERS, Wilmer Herst, Clerk.

**LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN.**  
A bull from the premises of the undersigned, near Arcola. Information as to the whereabouts of the animal will be rewarded.  
MRS. MARGARET HUNSBERGER.

**NOTICE.**  
The annual meeting of the Upper Providence Live Stock Association will be held at Devin's hotel, Trappe, on MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1919. Board meeting at 9 a. m. Meeting of members at 1.30 p. m. By order of WALLACE HOYER, Secretary.

**FOR SALE.**  
Lot of corn by the shock. THOS. B. WILSON, Collegeville, Pa. 11-27

**FOR SALE.**  
New cook stove, two parlor heaters, chairs, rocking chairs, two bureaus, and one hanging lamp. Apply to O. MILLER, 11-13 The Alberta, Collegeville, Pa.

**FOR SALE.**  
A good horse, six years old. Apply to J. W. FERNER, Trappe, Pa. 11-6

**FIREWOOD FOR SALE.**  
Firewood for sale. Four feet long—\$7 per cord; stove lengths, \$8 per cord. Delivered, if desired, at extra cost.  
GEORGE LETTEL, Near Evansburg, Wanner's Woods. 10-30-41

**FOR GREATER PROFIT**  
from your poultry feed the Landes Dry Mash, moist or dry. If unable to get it of your dealers, write or call on us.  
1-16 LANDES BROS., Verkes, Pa.

**COLDS breed and Spread INFLUENZA**  
KILL THE COLD AT ONCE WITH HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

**THE FLY'S STABILIZERS.**  
"On either side of the waist line of a fly is a stabilizer," says Dr. Bellesma, a famous entomologist. "This looks something like a bass drum stick. These are extremely small, not more than one-fiftieth as long as the fly's wings, and while in flight they may be moved about, much as a tight rope walker uses a long pole for balancing himself."  
"In experimenting with flies these little stabilizers have been removed. When they released the fly begins his flight but without these stabilizers he describes a sort of semicircle and invariably lands on his back."  
"Wasps and bees keep their balance while in flight by shifting the center of inflection of the abdomen and legs."—Exchange.  
"I don't want to criticize women. I know they're all right." "Well?" "But you'll never see a man buy a wire frame for a hat."—Kansas City Journal.  
Formerly, in hearing men, I heard their words and gave them credit for their conduct; now I hear their words and observe their conduct.—Confucius.

**ESTATE NOTICE.**  
Estate of Mary E. Devore, late of Upper Providence township, Montgomery county, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims to present the same without delay to ANNIE J. ASHENFELTER, Philadelphia, Pa. Or her attorney, E. L. Hallman, Norristown, Pa. 11-20

**PROPOSALS.**  
Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Poor of Montgomery County for furnishing Drugs, Tobacco, Groceries, Feed and Flour to the Montgomery County Home for the quarter beginning December 4, 1919. All bids, plainly marked as such and accompanied by samples wherever required by the schedule, must be in the hands of the Secretary, H. Wilson Stahl-necker, Esq., 509 Swede Street, Norristown, Pa., not later than 5 p. m. on December 3, 1919. Schedules may be obtained from the Secretary, John H. Bartman, R. D. Roversford, Pa. All contracts will be for immediate delivery and the Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
WM. D. HEEBNER, Controller.

**EXEMPTION NOTICE.**  
In the Orphans' Court of Montgomery county, Pa. Estate of Anthony C. Poley, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Anna C. Poley, widow of Anthony C. Poley, deceased, has filed in said court her petition for her exemption of cash which she has elected to retain amounting to Five Hundred dollars, under the Fiduciaries Act of June 7, 1917, and the same will be approved by the court on December 12, 1919, unless exceptions thereto be filed before that time.  
RALPH E. WISMER, Attorney for Petitioner.

**COLLEGEVILLE NATIONAL BANK**  
The Installment Plan  
You can buy or bank \$1.00 a week on the installment plan. One means Debts and the other Dollars. Which do you prefer to have?  
If you pay out \$1.00 a week at the end of the year you have a bundle of receipts. If you bank \$1.00 a week at the Collegeville National Bank at the end of the year you have \$52.00—and the interest it has earned.  
COLLEGEVILLE NATIONAL BANK  
We pay 3 per cent. interest in our Savings Department or Certificates of Deposit. 3 1/2 per cent. if left one year.

**HIGH GRADE BONDS**  
Municipal, Railroad, Public Utility, Industrial, Short Term Notes  
SEND FOR LIST TO DAVID A. STORER  
Collegeville — Bell Phone 37-R-V  
REPRESENTING Halsey, Stuart & Co.  
NEW YORK PHILADELPHIA  
CHICAGO BOSTON  
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**TAXPAYERS TAKE NOTICE!**  
A public meeting of the taxpayers of Upper Providence township will be held at Pennypacker's schoolhouse on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1919 at 7.30 p. m., to discuss the question of the State taking over the road leading from Trappe to Roversford to relieve the township of the burden put upon it by State traffic. All residents of the township are earnestly invited to be present and participate in the discussion.  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
North End Improvement Association.

**EYE TALKS**  
Do not be deceived by glitter and sham. Inferior Glasses Affect the eyes like a slow poison does the system. Often they aggravate the very conditions they are expected to relieve.  
THROW THEM AWAY!  
Do not for another moment tolerate anything so hurtful.  
Your Eyes are Worth More Than a Whole Spectacle Shop  
Have your glasses correctly fitted at HAUSSMANN & CO.  
Optometrists and Opticians  
725 CHESTNUT STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA.  
BOTH PHONES.  
PERFECT HEALTH WILL BE YOURS.  
When using the old-fashioned and unreliable herbal compound used in earlier days of medicine.  
Pioneer Health Herbs  
Cleanses stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies blood. Thousands praise it. Send for sample and book. 89 tablets 50 cents. Amco Typewriter and the Amco Adding Machine. Ribbons for all machines, paper, carbon paper, etc. 11-13

**Philadelphia Market Report.**

|                 |                    |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| Wheat           | \$2.34 to \$2.39   |
| Corn            | \$1.68 to \$1.69   |
| Oats            | 79c. to 84c.       |
| Brass, per ton  | \$44.50 to \$45.50 |
| Baled hay       | \$27.00 to \$33.00 |
| Fat cows        | \$9.50 to \$11.00  |
| Steers          | \$12.00 to \$17.00 |
| Sheep and lamb  | \$3.50 to \$15.00  |
| Hogs            | \$15.00 to \$17.00 |
| Live poultry    | 21c. to 40c.       |
| Dressed poultry | 25c. to 48c.       |
| Butter          | 50c. to 77c.       |
| Eggs            | 80c. to 82c.       |

**Do Your Xmas Shopping Early AND DO IT IN NORRISTOWN**

THE NORRISTOWN MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION, in last week's display space, pointed out the many advantages of doing your shopping in all seasons, particularly the Yuletide season, in Norristown, as this organization is promoting among its members the policy of SERVICE, COURTESY, QUALITY, VALUES, ASSORTMENTS, DEPENDABILITY, and other phases of merchandising which benefit the purchasing public. One of the phases which is of more than ordinary interest to the public is the assortments which hold sway in Norristown this year, being the most extensive in the history of the town.

The line of Toys to gladden the hearts of the kiddies and infuse the spirit of happiness to be derived from cheerful giving, is of an exceptionally complete nature. Clothing needs for the entire family, that meet the desires of the thrifty shopper, will be found here in abundance, "from head to feet," so to speak. This not only applies to the larger articles of wearing apparel, but also holds true with the daintiest of furnishings. As to Jewelry and other articles to lend dignity to one's appearance, the selection is of a most distinctive nature marked at exceptionally reasonable prices. Household necessities, ranging from the needs in your kitchen to furnishing the most elaborate room in your home, will be found here. If you want to bring additional cheer into your home with music, every musical desire can be met by Norristown's music stores. In brief, every line of business has a selection that is unparalleled in the town's history. Mr. and Mrs. Shopper, think this over—THEN SHOP EARLY.

Many articles will be found on display in Norristown's Stores that prove excellent gift suggestions. It will pay you in Dollars and Satisfaction to Buy in Norristown.

**WEITZENKORN'S**  
CAR FARE PAID DURING SALES  
Pottstown Pa.

**DAVID A. STORER**  
Collegeville — Bell Phone 37-R-V  
REPRESENTING Halsey, Stuart & Co.  
NEW YORK PHILADELPHIA  
CHICAGO BOSTON  
ST. LOUIS DETROIT

**TAXPAYERS TAKE NOTICE!**  
A public meeting of the taxpayers of Upper Providence township will be held at Pennypacker's schoolhouse on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1919 at 7.30 p. m., to discuss the question of the State taking over the road leading from Trappe to Roversford to relieve the township of the burden put upon it by State traffic. All residents of the township are earnestly invited to be present and participate in the discussion.  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
North End Improvement Association.

**EYE TALKS**  
Do not be deceived by glitter and sham. Inferior Glasses Affect the eyes like a slow poison does the system. Often they aggravate the very conditions they are expected to relieve.  
THROW THEM AWAY!  
Do not for another moment tolerate anything so hurtful.  
Your Eyes are Worth More Than a Whole Spectacle Shop  
Have your glasses correctly fitted at HAUSSMANN & CO.  
Optometrists and Opticians  
725 CHESTNUT STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA.  
BOTH PHONES.  
PERFECT HEALTH WILL BE YOURS.  
When using the old-fashioned and unreliable herbal compound used in earlier days of medicine.  
Pioneer Health Herbs  
Cleanses stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies blood. Thousands praise it. Send for sample and book. 89 tablets 50 cents. Amco Typewriter and the Amco Adding Machine. Ribbons for all machines, paper, carbon paper, etc. 11-13

**You Can Own One!**  
You've always hoped to own a Washing Machine and you can own one. We will put the best machine in the world, the famous Thor or Red Electric Washing Machine in your home before next wash day and let you pay for it ON EASY TERMS.

Wash with a THOR Next Wash Day-- WHY NOT?  
TELEPHONE Bell 57-0

**Counties Gas and Electric Co.**  
212-214 DeKalb St. Norristown  
First Ave. & Fayette St. Conshohocken  
OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS.

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Price, \$1.50. By mail, \$1.65.  
Call at or address THE INDEPENDENT, COLLEGEVILLE, PA.  
Sickness seizes the body from bad ventilation.—Ovid.

**Reducing the Cost of Clothes for You**  
We're doing it in two ways for you:  
First: By offering only the best clothes made; the all-wool quality and fine tailoring in them give such long wear—you don't have to buy clothes so often.  
Second: By basing our present retail prices on what we paid for the goods months ago. Were we to try to duplicate any of this clothing we are selling to-day, we'd have to pay as much for it at wholesale as you do at retail.  
So, if we sold clothes to you on the present wholesale basis, we'd be asking a lot more money.

**Some Warm Ones**  
You'll find all of the good stylish overcoats here. Warm ulsters and great coats for winter. Lighter coats for fall wear. Full draped models. Body tracing designs, single and double-breasted and belt, all-around models, at \$20 to \$60.  
MEN'S SUITS All wool guaranteed at \$27.50 to \$50.  
BOYS' SUITS and OVERCOATS at \$7.50 to \$20.  
Sheep lined coats, mackinaws, corduroy coats, reasonably priced.

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**FALL AND WINTER SHOES**  
Bring your shoe troubles to me. Don't buy too cheap a shoe; if you do you will be disappointed. Now that shoes are high try to buy as good as possible.  
Ladies' Black Shoes, \$4 to \$12 Men's Black Shoes, \$3.50 to \$9  
Ladies' Tan Shoes, \$5 to \$12 Men's Tan Shoes, \$5 to \$12  
Ladies' Comfort Shoes, \$3.50 to \$6.50  
Norristown's Best Line of Work Shoes  
H. L. NYCE  
EAST MAIN STREET, NORRISTOWN, PA.

**RENOVATE YOUR CAR**  
MAKE YOUR OLD CAR LOOK LIKE A 1919 MODEL  
We can supply all materials, and you have the spare time. Then why not?  
ENAMELS, TOP DRESSINGS, CUSHION DRESSINGS, RADIATOR HOSE, BRAKE AND TRANSMISSION LINING, RUBBER FLOOR MATS, COCOA MATS, CAR-WASHING HOSE, FORD PARTS.

**Diamond Fabric and Extra Ply Silvertown Cord**  
United States, Goodrich, and Firestone Cords and Fabrics always in stock. 31x3.75 Special Extra Mileage Tire for Light Cars.  
SPECIAL: Three-fourth inch Braided Garden Hose at Lowest Price. Your visit to inspect our stock will be appreciated.

**Collegeville Tire & Rubber Co.**  
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