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

ABOUT TOWN NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bortz and Nelson spent the week end in Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. T. Kratz and Miss Mae Kratz of Norristown, visited Miss Kratz on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willauer, of Quakertown, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Bortz.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Reminger spent Sunday in Schwenksville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Munson and daughter Ruth spent Friday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Fegeley and Mrs. Snyder, of Trappe, visited Mrs. Charles Wendel on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rushong and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Umsted spent Sunday in West Point.

Mrs. Pugh and daughter Eleanor visited in Philadelphia over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gottschalk and children Emma and Albert spent Sunday in Mainland.

Mrs. Ralph Miller has returned home after spending some time in Atlantic City.

Miss Lela Bickel spent Saturday in Pottstown.

Miss Bertha T. Gristock left for Cambridge, Mass., to attend the Sargent School of Physical Training.

Miss Ruth Miller, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. B. Miller.

Mrs. A. Hendricks entertained the five hundred club on Friday evening.

Mrs. Vee Small and daughter have returned home after spending the summer in Connecticut.

Miss Georgia Bossert and Mr. Raup and Mr. and Mrs. Allebach and children Emma and Albert spent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Essig.

Dr. E. G. Lechner and lady friend spent Sunday in Boyertown.

A number of sportsmen of this town spent several days at Fortescue, along the Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Godshall spent the week end in Allentown.

Mrs. William Brown and daughter, of Spring City, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wendel spent Sunday in Schwenksville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Moyer, of Royersford, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Josephine Moyer.

Mrs. J. T. Ebert and son attended the Allentown Fair on Saturday.

Mrs. Colehower spent several days in Trappe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smiley and family and Miss Margaret Miller attended a birthday party at West Chester on Friday evening.

Miss Annie Metka attended the Allentown Fair on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Knipe gave a birthday party to a number of little girls in honor of her daughter Harriet's birthday.

Mrs. S. D. Cornish spent Monday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Freed and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warner, of Reading, motored to Wilmington, Del., on Sunday and took dinner at the Hotel Dupont.

OF THE PAST.

Daylight saving time is again of the past and many people are hoping that it will stay there forevermore. If it must come again it should by all means apply in full to all communities. Let's have either standard or daylight saving time. One or the other!

W. C. T. U.

The opening meeting of the W. C. T. U. for the season will be held at the home of Mrs. Rebecca P. Bean, Tuesday, October 4, at 2:30 p. m. Members will please endeavor to be present.

Applicants For Postmaster.

The following named are Republican applicants for the position of postmaster of Collegeville to succeed the present postmaster Rev. Wm. Y. Yenser, Democrat: Squire Horace L. Saylor, and Messrs. Robert Moyer, and C. H. Bartman. Mr. Yenser is also a candidate.

Freshmen Class Entertained

The Senior class of the Collegeville High School entertained the Freshmen class last Friday evening. The students were masked and a delightful evening was spent playing games, dancing and indulging in dainty refreshments.

Football.

Ursinus vs. Villanova on the Ursinus Athletic field next Saturday at 3 p. m. Lovers of football get there and witness a vigorous contest. Don't miss it.

Married.

At the Reformed church parsonage, Collegeville, on Monday, September 28, by Rev. William S. Clapp, James V. Ryback to Miss M. Bauer, both of Allentown.

Football Player Injured.

While playing football, last week, Earle K. Miller, a student at Ursinus College fractured a shoulder blade.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mary A., widow of the late Emanuel Buckwalter, died on Sunday at her home at Yerkess, aged 82 years. A daughter, Ella, wife of Abner Gottschalk, survives. Funeral on Thursday, September 29. All services in the Memorial home, near Yerkess, at 2 p. m.; undertaker J. L. Bechtel.

URSINUS-VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY.

The drubbing which the Ursinus football team received at the hands of the Rutgers eleven on Saturday last has not dampened the spirits of the Collegeville squad one iota. As a matter of fact the scrimmages this week indicate a strong comeback on Saturday night in the main address. The game will be staged at Collegeville and will be called promptly at 3.00 o'clock. It will mark the formal opening of the new gridiron on Patterson field.

The contestants are old rivals, also this will be the first time in years that the two schools have met in a football contest, the 1917 conflict resulting in a 7-7 draw. Both elevens are conceded to be about evenly matched, the Ursinus team making up in speed what it lacks in weight, and Coach Conroy is giving special attention this week to perfecting the aerial attacks of the backfield. Capt. "Nat" Detwiler, the husky tackle from Spring City, is putting fight into the line and the backfield, under the leadership of quarterback Evans, a Lehigh youth of much promise, is developing snap and pep. The Ursinus-Villanova game is the first of three home games on the Collegeville grounds, Dickinson and Haverford being the other two opponents who will meet Ursinus at Collegeville this season.

A LIMERICK WEDDING.

On Wednesday afternoon September 21, in the Lutheran church, Limerick Centre, Miss Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Otterstetter, of the Limerick Square hotel, was united in wedlock to Robert Brooke Evans, of Linfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. F. Schmidt in the presence of many invited guests. The bride was given away by her father, Miss Margaret Otterstetter, of Limerick, was maid of honor and Miss Ruth Evans, of Linfield, and Miss Hilda Otterstetter, were bridesmaids. Theodore Bonz, of Limerick, was best man. The ushers were Gus Otterstetter, of Seneca, and Mr. Burkholder, of Royersford. The church auditorium was finely decorated with potted plants and flowers and presented a very pretty spectacle. After the ceremony a reception was held at the Limerick Square hotel. The couple are on a honeymoon trip and on their return will reside in Philadelphia.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH NOTES.

An enthusiastic reception was given in the parish home on Thursday night last, in honor of the new rector and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Charles F. Scofield. Among the guests, in addition to the members of the congregation and residents of the community, were Dr. Omwake, president of Ursinus College, the Rev. W. T. Clapp, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, the Rev. Dr. S. L. Messinger of St. Luke's church, Trappe, and the Rev. Caleb Cresson, rector of St. Paul's church, Oaks. Each had a cordial word of greeting for the new rector and his charming wife and the occasion marks it is believed, a new era of christian fellowship and co-operation in the Perkiomen valley.

A church school has been organized, with an encouraging attendance, meeting every Sunday afternoon. This is followed by the evening service in which the members of the school, away part. Commencing next Sunday the hour will be changed to three o'clock. Choir rehearsal will be held in the church on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Evansburg M. E. Church.

October 2, 1921—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning church service at 10:45 a. m. Topic: "Let us build us a city." Christian Endeavor at 7:00 p. m. Topic: "Thy will be done—with my time"—a consecration meeting. Evening church service at 7:45 o'clock. A special address by the pastor. Topic: "The Church of Tomorrow." There will also be the Board meetings on Saturday evening, October 8, 1921 at 7:30 o'clock. This meeting includes all Boards.

WHY THE EDITOR LEFT TOWN.

The Times of Sebastopol, California, furnishes the following item of news: "Someone sent the editor of the Pocket Gazette a few bottles of home brew. The same day he received for publication a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here are the results: Wm. Smith and Miss Jack Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her breast and two white calves, before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about seventy guests, including two nice cows, six calves and one bob sled. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on one good John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers. They will be at home to their friends with one good baby buggy and a few kitchen utensils after ten months from date of date to responsible parties and some fifty chickens."

CORNER STONE LAYING AT URSINUS COLLEGE

Impressive services marked the laying of the corner stone of the Memorial Library at Ursinus College, Saturday afternoon. The singing of the "Church's One Sure Foundation" by the college choir was followed by prayer by Rev. J. M. S. Isenberg, D. D., of Philadelphia, who also presided and gave a brief address. Rev. Titus Alfred Alspach, class of '07, pastor of the Reformed church at Lancaster and President of the Alumni Association, delivered the main address. He said, in part: "The laying of the corner stone indicates that at heart there is a certain vitality with which we must reckon and which is prophetic of something in the future. This library is to be a memorial of a nation that understands self-sacrifice, it is a memorial to Ursinus soldiers and sailors who so willingly gave because of their length and because, too, they travel on steel rails and therefore the weight is widely distributed. With a truck the weight is, say, over two grinders or sills while with a trolley car it is over three or more. According to Mr. Hatfield, president of the Board of Commissioners, the report of the engineer settles the location of the new bridge. It will be on the site of the present structure, because with the urgent need of a new bridge where this one is impels action to replace this one, and the county cannot afford two bridges. It is probable that work on the new bridge will be started next spring.

PRIMARY ELECTION FIGURES FROM LOWER PROVIDENCE

Following was the Republican vote cast at the primary election in Lower Providence for candidates for the county and local offices:

Prothonotary—Harvey S. Frederick, 50; J. T. Haldean, 99.

Director of the Poor—J. Horace Ziegler, 142.

Jury Commissioner—Samuel Coats, 70; I. Ira Fisher, 71.

Coroner—Alfred Reed, 141.

Supervisor—Jesse J. Thomas, 139.

Justice of the Peace—J. Stroud Weber, 122; J. Norman Crawford, 121.

School Directors—Geo. W. Schall, 120; Jesse R. Sloan, 123; Mary L. Schenk (2 yrs.), 64; J. Harold French, 89.

Assessor—John H. Casselberry, 151.

Auditor—Abram Pearlman, 104.

Tax Collector—Harry S. Koons, 120.

Judge of Elections—H. N. Higley, 148.

Inspector—A. H. Casselberry, 47.

The Democrats only filed nomination papers for John I. Smith for Justice of the Peace, who received 133 votes, about the number of Democrats who voted.

Upper Providence primary election figures have not been received.

CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION PROPOSITION HEAVILY DEFEATED.

Differences in votes polled on the question of a constitutional convention and those for Congressman-at-large and on local primary tickets ranging all the way from one-fifth to one-fourth have surprised the State Bureau of Elections and are taken to indicate the lack of interest in the convention.

Estimates based on the returns coming in on the convention are that the proposition was beaten almost as decisively as the similar question in 1891. Some of the estimates made go as high as 150,000 majority against the convention.

SERIOUSLY INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Lulu Stewart aged 42 years, of Schwenksville, was seriously injured near Fruitville, Sunday, when the horse she was driving took fright at a motor truck of Garrett Brownback, Linfield, and ran away. Mrs. Stewart was thrown out of the carriage and was dragged by the frightened animal. She was taken to the Pottstown Hospital by Dr. William Knipe.

Esther Nowak, late minor. Balance, \$305.73.

Amanda A. Bernhard, late of East Greenville. Balance, \$987.63 awarded in equal shares to Oscar and Henry Bernhard and Harvey E. Christman.

Jane E. Martin, late of Lower Merion. Balance \$18497.06, which is awarded to family of deceased.

Nathaniel H. Styer, late of East Greenville. Balance \$193.68, which is awarded in equal shares to Ida S. and John S. Styer.

M. Elizabeth Treichler, late minor. Balance \$295.51.

Sarah E. Davis, Pottstown. Balance, \$227.14, which is awarded to Carl Taylor.

Thomas B. Hartzell, late of Salford. Balance, \$700.96 which is awarded to widow and children of deceased.

Daniel Blair, late of Cheltenham. Balance, \$25,071.91, which is awarded to Martha B. Livezey.

MILK POISONER SENTENCED.

Angelina Yacovina was Saturday afternoon sentenced to four years in prison by Judge Miller following her conviction on the charge of trying to kill her husband Mike, with poisoned milk. The Yacovinas lived in West Conshohocken, and it was charged that she placed bichloride of mercury in the milk, so that she would be free to marry her alleged soul affinity, Louis Panichelli. When released from jail Angelina will be likely to do some more poisoning providing an "affinity" of her "soul" prompts her to do so. Poisoners and all pronounced criminals should not be permitted at any time to run at large.

BRIDGE AT NORRISTOWN DECLARED UNSAFE.

Traffic over DeKalb street bridge, the ancient structure spanning the Schuylkill river between Norristown and Bridgeport, is being regulated by watchmen because an engineer, after an exhaustive examination, reported to the County Commissioners that the bridge is unsafe.

James Long, engineer, at the instance of the Board of Commissioners, has been at work for some weeks making surveys and examinations of the bridge and the piers. His report has just been made to the Commissioners.

Because of the seriousness of the report the commissioners placed a watchman on each end of the bridge to regulate traffic. They will not permit any vehicle to pass over the ancient wooden structure that weighs more than eight and one-quarter tons. Trolley cars are permitted to cross because of their length and because, too, they travel on steel rails and therefore the weight is widely distributed. With a truck the weight is, say, over two grinders or sills while with a trolley car it is over three or more.

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CHICAGO POLICE FORCE "BOOZE RING."

Chicago, Sept. 25—Federal officials to-day started an exhaustive investigation of the Chicago police department as a result of an appeal last night by Charles Fitzmorris, chief of police, who declared that, in his belief, "half of the city's 5000 policemen were bootleggers, plying their illicit liquor operations much more industriously than they watched over the city."

Federal indictment of at least seven members of the force, four of them commanders, may be expected within a day or two, Charles Clyde, United States District Attorney, said to-night in a letter to Chief Fitzmorris, promising that every effort would be made to break up the alleged relationship between liquor rings and the police force.

In a statement to-night Chief Fitzmorris declared that prohibition was a failure, not only in Chicago, but in every city which he had knowledge. "In Chicago there is more drunkenness than there ever was—more deaths from liquor than before prohibition—more of every evil attribute to the use of liquor than in the days before the so-called prohibition laws became effective," he declared. "Prohibition enforcement in Chicago is a joke."

SAVED FROM AWFUL DEATH

Chester, Pa., Sept. 26.—Attempting a short cut to Model Village, Miss Harriet Dugan, 48 years old, of Delaware avenue, Market Hook, late Sunday night plunged into a swamp, but was rescued from an untimely death by two men who heard her frantic cries for assistance. Weak from exhaustion and powerless to free herself, the woman was discovered and assisted from her perilous position by Lewis Moore, of Trainer, who waded in the mire of the marsh for almost an hour before they located the woman from her perilous plight and saved her life.

Moore had been visiting his brother in Market Hook, and was walking home along the swamp lands that mark the boundary lines of Hook Creek when he heard a woman's cries for help. He was approached at the time by Jenkins, who resides on a farm at Trainer and they commenced a search for the lantern which was procured in the neighborhood. They finally sighted the woman's head and shoulders protruding from the mire. Her efforts to free herself had caused her to sink to the armpits in the slimy bog.

The men succeeded in getting her out and carried her to a nearby house, where she was cared for until she was able to be taken to her home.

The spongy nature of the soil, together with the rising tide would have meant certain death to the woman but for the untiring efforts of the men in the darkness, she became bewildered and stepped from the path she was following into the swamp.

WISMER FAMILY REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Wismer Family Association was recently held at Tohickon park. A large gathering of its members were present and enjoyed the many social features of the day. In an effort to solicit the hearty and enthusiastic support of the Wismer families of Montgomery and Chester counties it was decided to hold the reunion for the year 1922 at Ziebers Park, Montgomery county, Pa., providing the park would be available.

The officers elected to serve for the ensuing year were: President, Eli F. Wismer, Esq., Pottstown, Pa.; vice president, Joseph Wismer, Philadelphia, Pa.; secretary, Miss Irene Trumbore, Easton, Pa. The day was spent in the playing of various games and other social activities after which the following program was rendered: Singing—"America"; address of welcome, Earl Pearson, president; vocal duet, Kathryn and Dorothy Fluck; vocal solo, Mr. Ruth; vocal duet by Eli F. and Charles E. Wismer; vocal duet, Mrs. Wm. Grouver and daughter Ethyl Grouver; recitations, Ella Wismer Schmolze; male quartette by Charles E. Eli F., Christian A., and Ralph F. Wismer, vocal solo, Mr. Dotterer; "Characteristics of the Montgomery County Wismers," Eli F. Wismer, Esq.; recitation, Dorothy Haffler; singing—"God be with you till we meet again."

DECREASED DEPOSITS IN NATIONAL BANKS.

Funds on deposit with the national banks of the country decreased by more than \$2,000,000,000 in the last fiscal year, while the total resources, exclusive of rediscounts, declined by more than \$2,500,000,000, according to an abstract of reports on the condition of these banks on June 30 issued by Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger. June 30 the resources of the national banks totaled \$19,638,000,000, compared with \$22,196,000,000 June 30, 1920, while deposits at the end of the last fiscal year aggregated \$15,142,000,000, as against \$17,155,000,000 at the end of the previous year.

"You do not seem impressed by Brother Sellem's glowing description of heaven." "Naw—you see, he's a real estate agent.—Judge.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CAUSES HEAVY DEATH TOLL.

New York, Sept. 26.—Health department officials are confidently looking forward to the early advent of cool weather to check the spread of infantile paralysis that since September 1, has taken a toll of 38 lives. During the month 188 cases have been reported.

"This is no epidemic," said Dr. William H. Gilfoyle, registrar of the department. "There are just a few more cases than usual but it can't be compared with the 1916 scourge."

"Infantile paralysis is a hot weather disease," added Dr. Gilfoyle "and with cool weather coming soon, I do not see anything to worry about. Fortunately the disease came later this year than in 1916."

Three hundred and forty-seven cases have been reported since January 1, with 71 deaths, a mortality of 20.4 per cent. In 1916 some 9,000 cases occurred with over 2,500 deaths, the mortality percentage being about 27 per cent.

"Are you a philanthropist, sir?" asked an old gentleman of a young man who was distributing a quantity of buttercups to some children. "I do not see anything to worry about. I am a philanthropist?" "No, sir, I am a dentist."—Toronto Telegram.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES.

Sixteen world war veterans from one post of the American Legion in Tulsa, Okla., have settled upon government homestead land in Scott county, Southern Arkansas. By cold weather, it is estimated that 100 ex-service men will have taken claims on the land. The territory which will become a settlement of world war service men, the first in America, stretches over 2,500 acres, composed of adjoining individual tracts of 160 acres each. The men have to live on the land but seven months before it becomes their property as Arkansas gives credit to soldiers up to two years of army or navy service. Part of the men will spend the winter on the land, clearing timber, building, hunting and trapping for the tract around in deer, fox and lynx. The sixteen who have already settled are preparing to establish a central trading point and town which they will name "Legionnaire." Four of the pioneers are married and all have had farming experience. Homesteading is now possible in the following other states: Washington Michigan, Montana, Arizona, New Mexico, Wyoming, Louisiana, Alabama, Colorado, Idaho and Oregon.

A family which in itself is a thriving war veterans' society has come to the notice of the American Legion in Independence, Kansas. Thirty-three able-bodied men and women call the civil war veteran, Mamma C. Bruner, by the familiar "papa." Of the lot, the father, soldier of the Union in '61, is proudest of his even dozen sons who served overseas with the American Legion in the world wars. Of the remainder, 20 are girls and one son was too young to fight. The oldest is 42.

The Pershing estate in Tangipahoa Parish, La., owned jointly by heirs of John J. Pershing, father of the general of the armies, has been advertised for sale for taxes, according to a letter sent the general by the editor of an American Legion magazine in Amite, La. The editor posted sufficient funds with the parish sheriff to prevent the sale and requested General Pershing to make the estate available for colonization by his comrades who are being rehabilitated, after having served for agricultural pursuits. The Pershing tract contains 100 acres of the parish's best land.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK.

Fire prevention week ends on the 26th—\$18,166,170 in 1918. Of the fires that year 33 per cent. were from causes classed as preventable, 37 per cent. from partly preventable causes, and 30 per cent. unknown but believed to have been largely preventable. With inadequate fire-fighting equipment on farms, fires are hard to control. Prevention is the best way to deal with them.

Defective chimneys and flues took toll to the extent of \$1,962,031; sparks on roofs, \$1,181,171; careless use of matches by smokers and others, \$1,071,987; petroleum and its products, \$762,067; and stoves, furnaces, boilers, and their pipes, 674,968.

The largest item listed as partly preventable is lightning, \$3,933,950.

Fire Prevention Week—October 2-9—should be made a special time for looking over the premises to see that the buildings are in the best practicable shape to prevent and resist fire; that inflammable rubbish is cleared away; and that habits of safety are instilled in the handling of matches, lamps, stoves, and kerosene and gasoline.

Gasoline has come to play such an important part in farm life that special care should be taken to see that it is not stored in inflammable buildings, and is never opened in the presence of uncovered flame.

Fire Prevention Week ends on the semi-centennial of the great Chicago fire. While occurring in a great city, the traditional cause of this fire was one which is liable to occur in the country—the upsetting of a lantern in a stable. If lanterns must be used in barns, they should be kept in good condition, set or hung in a safe place, and never filled or lighted in the barn.

Numerous disastrous fires are caused by threshing machines, both by scattered sparks and embers and by explosions in the separators. All smokstacks should have spark arresters, and the ground around the boiler should be kept clear and wet down if necessary. Grain dust explosions are largely preventable. The United States Department of Agriculture has made exhaustive studies of the subject and is prepared to recommend adequate safeguards.

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NEWS FROM TRAPPE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richard and family, of Green Lane, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Abram Bradford.

Mr. David Derr, of Conshohocken, visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heffelfinger and family on Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver Reed, of Conshohocken, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hallman.

Miss A. G. Plank spent some time last week with friends in Allentown, where she attended the Fair on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Reichenbach, of Pottstown, and Mrs. S. P. Getty, of Eagleview, spent Sunday with Mrs. Susan Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Astheimer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Laver and family, of Royersford.

Mrs. Koonley, of Norristown, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hatfield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli F. Wismer and children, of Pottstown, visited Mrs. Elizabeth Austerberry on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Smith, of Norristown, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Murray and family.

Miss Mollie Davis, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Miss Esther Miller.

Mrs. Ella Wisler, of Pottstown, spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in town.

Miss Cora Bowers is spending some time visiting in New Jersey.

Mrs. H. H. Snyder has returned to her home in Centre Square after making an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. O. Fegeley.

Mrs. Mary Lightke, of Norristown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Schrack.

Miss Helen Shuler, who is a pupil nurse at the Lankenau Hospital, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shuler and family.

Miss Lee, of Spring City, was the week end guest of Miss Olga Kirchoff.

Mrs. Alban Kirchoff has returned home after spending a week in New York City.

Holy Communion will be celebrated in Augustus Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock. Confessional services at 10 o'clock in the lecture room.

Mr. Oliver Bechtel has sold his farm near Trappe to Mr. Horace Reed, of Chester. Mr.

THE INDEPENDENT

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY

COLLEGEVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA.

E. S. MOSER, Editor and Proprietor.

Thursday, September 29, 1921.

A GOOD TIME.

Aristotle, one of the ancient philosophers, observed: "Nothing is so hard to resist as pleasure." He also wrote: "The tone of a free state depends on the tone of its people. If any part is bad, the whole cannot be good."

GOVERN ISLAND LIKE VESSEL

In Guam the Usual Routine of a Naval Ship is Observed With Scrupulousness.

The routine of a naval establishment gives an unusual amount of life to the plaza of Agaña, Guam. Every morning at 8 o'clock the full band assembles before the palace and the halcyons of the two flag staffs are manned by marines.

On Sunday mornings the men of Agaña are exercised in military drill, which is compulsory for all the able-bodied men within certain age limits.

Occasionally a most interesting drill is witnessed on the "corral cavalry," as it is called, although the mounts are not water buffalo but domestic cattle.

RELIEF FOR HEAT SUFFERERS

English Savant Who Probably Knows Offers Some Advice on the Problem of Keeping Cool.

The obvious expedient of avoiding exposure to the sun, "stimulating" foods and drinks, and the use of dark and heat-retaining garments is not always sufficient to keep the human body cool.

It is nearly one hundred years since the Silesian peasant Priesnitz introduced the curative use of cold.

CERTAINLY.

The recent triumph of the ash-cart in Philadelphia, however unsavory the victory (in behalf of the kind of politics that extols boodle at the expense of taxpayers and is never shamed by considerations of public economy and decency) should direct especial attention to Senator Vore as a choice candidate next year for Republican gubernatorial honors.

A NATURAL ATTITUDE.

The Staats Zeitung of Philadelphia is glad because Elihu Root, the eminent Republican statesman of New York, declined a seat in the International Court of Justice.

The Staats-Zeitung is quite in harmony with its pro-German proclivities. Quite so. Mr. Root was clear-headed and fair enough to sidestep partisan politics and favor the treaty of Versailles.

UNGRATEFULNESS.

The following readable piece of jingling composition is from the editorial department of the Boyertown Democrat.

Why is it, that we're discontented in this fair land of fruit and flowers? Why can't there be some scheme invented to palliate our selfish hours? Our harvest bins are overflowin'—unbounded wealth is at our hand,—and still our discontent keeps growin'!

There was a day that I could mention—I can't forget it even now. We kept our feelin's in suspension by waltzin' with a shovell plow. . . . We didn't flirt with fickle fortune, we never chased the nimble cent, we got along without no scorchin'.

We didn't know no strained conditions—nor hungry mouths nor greedy eyes. . . . We didn't have no politicians to fill our ears with blasted lies! I wouldn't say that I'm contentin' for what you call back number ways. . . . But I can say, without pretendin' that them was mighty happy days!

YOUR OWN UNCLE JOHN.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK.

National Fire Prevention Week will be observed October 2-9. Its object is to call attention to the vast annual loss by fires which might have been prevented, and to emphasize the necessity of safeguards against future fires.

FROM LIFE: Fake bankers, of the Ponzi order, have succeeded in extracting ten billion marks from the credulous public in Germany. That's more than the Allies could do.

FROM LEXINGTON HERALD: The case of the Montana youngster who drove two miles before he discovered his girl friend had fallen out of his buggy only shows how indifferent a hold some people have on their friends.

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Best Crabs From Chesapeake Bay. The Chesapeake bay blue crab, the largest specimen found along the Atlantic coast, is considered the best.

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Seed's Remarkable Vitality. The "youngest" known survivor of any seed is that of a certain Egyptian flint. A dried seed kept in the South Kensington museum, England, contained seed which was tested and found to grow after 95 years.

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"A charm?" repeated Dorry politely. "Yes, it is the flute of the Arabian sheik, now a venerable sheik, and patriarch of his tribe in the Arabian desert. He told me wonderful stories of its power to win the love of a maiden—just play it before her—that's what he said—and believe, Dorry, he must have been the sheik himself in his youth. I took the flute—I thought I might use it some day—but decent take it all, the only girl I had fancied married while I was on that trip and so the flute has never been used. I have kept it as a curiosity."

Dorry took the case and thanked the donor. "I feel like a fool, Mr. Wylie. I never played a flute."

"So much the better," just blow it gently in her ear, or under her window, or—somewhere—away from the house by all means," he added emphatically.

"Oh! I'll try the rose garden by moonlight tonight," muttered Dorry, looking very red. He hid the flute in his coat pocket for he heard Marion's light step on the stairs. "Tell her I will come over tonight—but don't tell her about the flute," he whispered, and slipping over the window sill he disappeared among the trees that led to the side street.

It was not until after ten o'clock that he re-entered the Wylie grounds and made his way to the lovely rose garden which was overlooked by the south side of the old house. Marion's window was on that side and a faint light shone there behind rosy curtains. "I wonder if she looked for me tonight," he thought as he took out the flute and replaced the box in his pocket. Never in his life had he played any musical instrument, and it was with some trepidation that he put the flute to his lips, and following Mr. Wylie's directions he blew softly upon it.

The result was so wonderful that he charmed his own senses and sat down on a marble seat among the roses. The most entrancing music came wandering from the flute of the old Arab sheik. It was like all the love songs of the world—it played itself as Dorry blew gently into the mouthpiece. The wailing strains seemed to kiss the bending roses, seemed to meet the falling dew, seemed to lift up to Marion's windows. He forgot her for the moment—he was entranced with love himself! All at once he saw a misty white form coming across the lawn, it drew

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## The Flute of Ab' Yussufa

By KATE EDMONDS

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"Turned you down, did she?" chuckled Uncle Oliver, as he faced Dorry Lander's crestfallen countenance. "You're not a match for the girls, Dorry, my lad!"

"She's not only one girl, Mr. Wylie, Marion is a dozen girls."

"One girl with the essence of a dozen, eh?" went on Marion's adoring uncle. "But I surely thought she liked you a little bit, my boy." He put his hand on Dorry's big shoulder.

The young fellow turned a dark, tense face, and humorous gray eyes toward the old man, but there was a tinge of bitterness in his voice. "I'm afraid it's a little bit—a very little bit, sir."

"I know, Dorry, when I was a young chap like you, we know how to make the girls like us, whether they would or no," blurted Mr. Wylie impatiently. "Dorry smiled. 'You, you never married one, sir!'"

"True, my boy—but, she didn't like me even a little. 'Your Marion—' he paused and ruffled his thick gray hair. 'Come into the study, I want to show you something,' and Dorry followed Marion's uncle into a small book-lined room with the walls above the bookcases hung closely with rare engravings and mounting trophies from all over the globe, for Mr. Oliver had been a great traveler, and even now threatened another expedition into southern Asia.

He crossed to the fireplace and took a long narrow box of hammered brass from the mantelpiece. "I'm going to give you a love philtre," he announced gravely. "Dorry stared and then his deep hearty laugh echoed through the house. Overhead, in her own room, Marion Wylie heard it and smiled, while a faint color stained her soft cheeks. She blew a kiss down through the floor to Uncle Oliver's study. 'Dear

neerer, nearer, and the moonlight shimmered on her golden hair—it was the girl he loved. Now she hurried a little as if drawn by the melody, until she ran breathlessly into the rose garden, and poised before him, a smile on her lovely face. As he dropped the flute and jumped up she turned and buried her face in a glorious clump of roses, pressing the cool fragrant petals to her hot cheeks.

"Denrest," whispered Dorry beside her. "Dorry," she answered in a muffled tone, "were you playing that for me?" "Of course."

"I thought when I heard it that some one had stolen Uncle Oliver's prized possession and I came out to rescue it, and it was only you playing to the moon!"

"Confound it all," said Dorry impatiently. "I knew it wouldn't work for a cent! You're only laughing at me after all!" He picked up the flute and turned away, but from among the roses her voice came sweet and clear. "Don't go, Dorry, Uncle Oliver meant well, but you don't need the flute to win my love, because—"

And Uncle Oliver gave them the flute for a wedding present, because he said he was finally afraid of its influence in the possession of a confirmed bachelor like himself.

**FAMOUS TREE NEAR CAPITAL**  
Dead Now, It Was Used as a Signal Station by Confederate Soldiers Under General Early.

A dead giant of a tree stands in the grounds of the United States General Military hospital at Washington, Walter Reed hospital. The great branches of this tree have been saved off—amputated might be the better word, bearing in mind the place where the tree stands—in that country, and the butts of the big branches remain. It was a gaunt, dead tree when the hospital was established. It was a yellow poplar, and died a good many years ago from age and neglect. It was stripped of its bark long ago, and its bare wood weathered to an ashen gray.

There is a tablet on the trunk of this tree which bears this legend: "Used as a signal station by Confederate soldiers under General Early during the attack on Washington, July 11 and 12, 1864. Also occupied by sharpshooters."

When Gen. Jubal Early and his Confederate division won the battle of Monocacy and came down on Washington by marching 20 miles a day, and skimming a good part of the time, he drew up on the afternoon of July 11 at some distance from the north line of earth forts and rifle trenches which had been constructed all around Washington for the protection of the city.

The tree stood in an open field about 1,000 yards in front of Fort Stevens, on the rampart of which President Lincoln stood during a part of the fighting, having driven out to the fort from his summer residence in a cottage at the Soldiers' home, about two miles nearer the city. The tree grew in land lower than the land around it, but from among its branches men could look out over the flat or gently rolling fields that stretched away to the parapets and ditches of Fort Stevens.

When General Early's skirmishers and the skirmish line which had been thrown out from Fort Stevens and from adjacent fortifications were popping away at each other, a number of Confederates climbed this tree and continued firing on the Union skirmishers.

Not far away and on one of the busy streets of the national capital now called Georgia avenue, and then the Seventeenth street, there is a cemetery called Bartle cemetery. The story is that a number of the men whose bones rest there were killed by shots fired from this tree, which is preserved in the grounds of Walter Reed hospital.

**Effective Fly Swatters.**  
Some, not all, animals use their tails as whisks to fan away flies and other winged abominations. In India a favorite present to a valued mistress or nurse is a yak's tail. It makes an ideal "swatter" in that country where flies are certainly no joke at the right season for them. As you see the handsome tails in use, you realize that the yak, half-buffalo, half-sacred cow in appearance, was made to live in the same locality with flies. Domestic cows have developed their tails into useful swatters also, as they have traveled with man in all his world-wide emigrations.

**Brown Coal.**  
Germany expects brown coal to make her rich again. The beds of this newly discovered fuel are only a few feet below the surface of the ground, so that the material can be taken out with dredges. No shafts will be required; no timbering, no costly machinery, and no explosives. Of course "brown coal" is only coal in the making, with about one-third the heating value of bituminous. It contains much less carbon than the latter, more ash, and a good deal of water.

**Important Experiment.**  
Domestic production of chaumoozra oil, long used in Asia for the treatment of leprosy, is made possible through a consignment of seeds of the *Hydnocarpus* tree, sent from Siam to the bureau of plant industry. They will be experimentally propagated in Florida, Porto Rico and Hawaii. The oil formerly was obtained only from seeds of another tree grown in Burma.

**The Way of the Fool.**  
A fool is one who goes through life with his eyes open, but sees not the things his eyes were intended to see. Instead of passing to one side of trouble, he bumps into it, runs headlong into it, and is crushed in it. And sometimes he walks right into the arms of fortune or happens to be Johnny on the spot when favors are being distributed. But his streaks of luck are so thin as compared with the thickness of his worries and disappointments that they seem to be hardly worth considering.

**Peculiar Hawaiian Flowers.**  
It is known that upon many of the summits of the high mountain ridges of the Hawaiian islands, in the regions of heavy rainfall, are open bogs which support a peculiar and interesting flora. Many species form more or less hemispherical tussocks which rise above the general level of the bog. A showy lobelia with numerous large cream-colored flowers as much as three and a half inches long, peculiar violets and a sundew are found there.

## DAMS WILL PREVENT FLOODS

Catastrophe That Overwhelmed the City of Pueblo Can Be Avoided by Proper Action.

A disastrous flood occurs, causing a loss of many human lives and millions of dollars' worth of property. What happens next? What precautions are taken to prevent disaster?

Usually what happens is that the suffering community courageously undertakes the task of reconstruction. The flood is called an "act of God," and confidence is felt that there will be no repetition of the calamity. But the conditions that gave rise to the disaster continue to exist, and such being the case, there is no assurance that it will not repeat itself.

If the catastrophe that overwhelmed the city of Pueblo is not to be repeated, again and yet again perhaps, preventive measures must be adopted. Dams must be built and reservoirs constructed at the headwaters of the Arkansas river to impound its floods.

The government reclamation service points out that floods not less destructive might occur in any year on the Rio Grande if the waters of that stream were not held in leash by the great Elephant Butte dam. Before that dam, with its vast reservoir, was constructed, flood tides and again wreaked havoc in the vicinity of El Paso.

The Elephant Butte dam is one of the greatest engineering works on the globe. It is 306 feet high, nearly one-third of a mile long, and creates the largest irrigation reservoir in the world—an artificial lake covering 63 square miles and averaging 70 feet in depth. The water contained in the reservoir would cover the whole state of Connecticut to a depth of ten inches.

Development of similar works on the headwaters of the Arkansas river would not only prevent future floods, but would store water for irrigating hundreds of thousands of acres, and furnish water power for all the manufacturing industries in that part of the country.

**NOTHING "SOFT" ABOUT THIS**  
Heavy Outfit and Intense Heat Make Life Miserable for Soldiers at Buckingham Palace.

A reporter of the London Daily News writing sketches of the heat wave is especially sorry for the sentries outside of Buckingham palace. Their plight, he writes, would have melted the heart of Mr. Winston Churchill could he have seen them.

In the full glare of the sun, clad in thick serge trousers, heavy scarlet tunics, with tight belts and bearskin bushes, the guardsmen stood perspiring and half stifled.

Their outlook was upon a roadway stained with oil and reeking of petrol, flaring beds of scarlet geraniums, scorched brown grass and the shimmering heat reflecting copper work surmounting the Victoria memorial. The fountain was not playing and the surroundings were as devoid of coolness as an alfalfa plain. One almost expected to see scurrying tarantulas and lizards. It was tropical military service in English kit.

**Small Clouds on Jupiter.**  
Prof. W. H. Pickering, in a recent address before the British Astronomical association, recalled the fact that during his observations at Arequipa he noticed that the surface of Jupiter, instead of being composed of uniform bands of yellowish white or brown, really consisted of an enormous number of extremely minute reddish brown clouds seen upon a perfectly white background. The effect of belts was produced where the cloudlets were numerous, and the light spaces where they were scarce. He compared the appearance of these spots to the well-known "rice grains" on the sun. Their length lay in the direction of rotation of the planet. He said he had since observed the cloudlets in Jannina, and they have been seen in England by Phillips and Stevenson—Scientific American.

**The Omniscient Reporter.**  
American newspapers are spending considerably more on their service abroad than for parallel service in America. We know better things Americans are interested in than the managing editors who authorize this? Any event of more than local interest in Europe calls the American journalists to the spot. For example, one morning at 10 o'clock in London, I strolled into a British labor congress. I met there six American newspapermen, and but three or four British. Let any trouble start in Ireland and every New York paper will have its man on the scene inside of twelve hours. If he is not there already. All over Europe, stationed at strategic centers, is the American correspondent within reaching distance of anything that may happen.—From the New Republic.

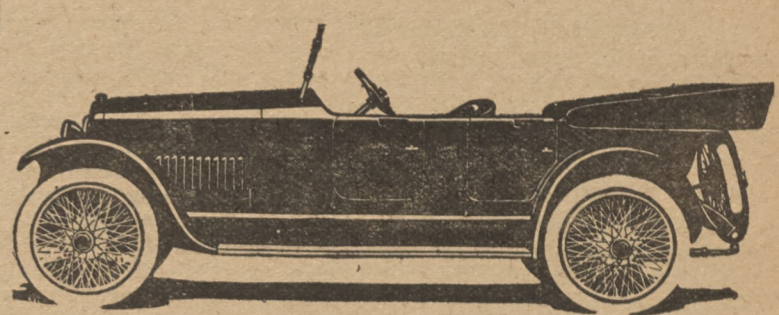
**Can't Lose Their Addresses.**  
New Jersey seaside mothers, who have been bothered in keeping tabs on their children, have adopted the method of embroidering their addresses on the back of the bathing suits worn by the youngsters. "I live at 37 South Texas avenue," read a neatly embroidered inscription across the shoulders of suits worn by two young bathers who strolled about the Chelsea beach the other day. When they were tired of the beach and breakers they turned their backs to the life guards and inquired: "How do we get where it says on our backs?" The necessary directions were given and they reached home safely.

**Like Father, Like Daughter.**  
The tendencies of the father are usually handed down to the daughter, while the son inherits those of the mother.

**His First and Last Lesson.**  
"I conclude that's a fly," said the young trout, and he was presently to learn how wrong it is to jump at conclusions.

**Sun Affects Only White Races.**  
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**Spider's Silk.**  
Experiments are in progress in Madagascar as a result of which it is hoped that a fine silk may be produced from spiders' webs. According to recent reports, excellent progress has been made by those in charge of the tests. The thread produced by spiders is declared to be finer in quality, stronger, and more beautifully colored than that obtained from silk.



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"Would it be all right to beat a grass rug?" "I don't know, my dear. Perhaps I'd better just run the lawn-mower over it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Such vivid neckties Dicky wears. They're simply dazzling." "Yes, his idea seems to be 'Best is the tie that blinds.'"—San Francisco Chronicle.

A salesman was showing an elderly woman the virtues of his car. At each stop or turn he extended his arm in the proper signal. The old woman watched the proceedings for some time. Then she craned her neck and looked at the sky. "Mister," she said, "you just tend to your driving! It don't look like rain; but if it should I'll let you know."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

New captains ever rise, New leaders, leading men; The hope of conquest never dies, Spring always comes again.

—Toronto Telegram.

BLACK ROCK AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Troutman and daughter, of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bechtel, of Ironbridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bechtel, of York.

Miss Elizabeth Funk spent last Thursday in Norristown.

Miss Ada Hunsberger and Miss Josephine Elfers, nurses at the Lankenau Hospital, Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with J. M. Hunsberger's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Williams, Mrs. Sara Hallman, and William Quinn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plush, of Arvonia.

Mrs. Rebecca Griffin is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Root, of Port Providence.

Harvest Home services will be held at River Crest this Saturday, October 1. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Earl Smith, of near this place, spent last week in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gottshall and daughter, of Telford, spent Sunday with the family of D. H. Jones.

PORT PROVIDENCE

Miss Ella Sheeder is visiting relatives in Altoona.

The Dio Alpha Club, of Phoenixville, held a dance in Blanshard's barn, Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Sutton and daughters, of Tioga, spent the week end at the John Bare home.

Mrs. Leshar Root was a Philadelphia visitor, Thursday.

The Andrew Mack family, of York, spent Sunday at the Harry Detwiler home.

Mr. and Mrs. John James, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with relatives here.

Samuel Griffin, of this place, is building himself a bungalow on the Norristown road, near Mont Clare.

Mrs. M. Jane Epright spent the week end with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brower and son Harry and Mrs. Jonas Umstad were visitors to Stowe, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bateman and niece, of Norristown, spent Sunday with the William Williams family.

OAKS.

On Saturday the Oaks boys played with a picked team from the League and won by the score of 4-3. The game attracted a large crowd of people. Next Saturday the Oaks boys play the same picked team at Graterford. The boys hope to have a good turnout to witness this game as it will be the last of the season.

The primary election passed off quietly with a 50 per cent. vote. A great number of our ladies failed to declare their politics hence could not vote at the primaries—they will be all right for the general election in November. The Oaks correspondent failed to copy the returns and a few days after could not get them. Sorry.

The moving pictures in the fire hall Thursday evening for the benefit of St. Paul's Auxiliary to the church was a success in every way. The ladies cleared about \$35.00.

Eddie Johnson has his potato crop in the cellar. The yield was better than he thought and he would not be surprised to see a "Potatoes For Sale" card hanging in his yard very soon.

A. H. Francis and family, of Collegeville, spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Francis, Sr.

It is rumored that operations are to begin at once for another new dwelling house in Oaks. The next new building we hope will be a school-house.

On Saturday, October 8, at 8 o'clock a musical and literary entertainment will be held in the Oaks Fire hall for the benefit of the Oaks baseball team. Admission, 25 cents; children under 12, 15 cents.

Mrs. Landenslager, from Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Crosscup.

Mrs. Henry Schilling is spending several weeks in Philadelphia, visiting her daughter.

Mr. Freese and family, from Reading, spent the week end with Bert Smith and family.

The Harvest Home services in Green Tree church on Sunday were well attended. The decorations deserve especial mention.

Services in Green Tree church next Sunday morning will be conducted by Rev. Grubb. Mr. Grubb is a very good speaker and deserves a well filled house.

Rev. Cresson will preach in Audubon church next Sunday morning and services will be conducted at St. Paul's by Harry Crosscup and I. G. Price.

NEW MANUAL OF HOG CHOLERA

"Control of Hog Cholera in Pennsylvania" is the title of bulletin sent to press last week, by the Bureau of Animal Industry, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. This bulletin is intended for the information of hog raisers of the Commonwealth and gives in detail the control measures necessary in the repression of this dreadful hog disease. Hog cholera heretofore has been a limiting factor in hog production, and the great annual losses suffered in Pennsylvania as a result, are all the more lamentable because of the fact, that hog cholera is largely preventable. Judged by its great possibilities, Pennsylvania should be among the leading hog-producing States and such a feature will be among the possibilities of the Pennsylvania farmers and Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture.

Philadelphia Market Report. Wheat \$1.10 to \$1.33. Corn 40c to 71c. Oats 43c to 46c. Bran, per ton \$22.00 to \$24.00. Baled hay \$12.00 to \$22.00. Fat cows \$3.75 to \$5.75. Steers and lambs \$1.00 to \$11.00. Hogs \$8.75 to \$11.00. Live poultry 16c to 35c. Dressed poultry 19c to 35c. Butter \$26 to 50c. Eggs 36c to 61c.

LOWER PROVIDENCE NOTES

The Lower Providence Choral Society will resume its sessions of voice culture and sight singing Friday evening September 30th in Lower Providence Baptist Church. Mrs. Grace Welsh Piper, of Philadelphia, the teacher, has returned from a business trip to Lincoln University, Cumberland, Tenn., and some important announcements of the Choral Society's plans for the winter course will be made Friday evening. This society is not a sectarian organization and it is hoped that all who have been attending this interesting course of correct breathing, voice culture and training in sight singing will be present Friday evening and bring others from any part of the township and elsewhere. The splendid success of an annual Montgomery county choral society, the Narberth Choral Society, is an example of the spirit of community interest which is the aim of the Lower Providence Choral Society. The session opens promptly at 8 o'clock.

Miss Helen Alderfer, of Trooper, has accepted an invitation to associate with the choir of the First Jerusalem church at 22nd & Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia, as one of the soloists, and enter upon her engagement there last Sunday. Miss Alderfer has a charming soprano voice and her selection as a soloist in this prominent Philadelphia church is an indication of her deserved success in musical circles. She is the daughter of H. M. Alderfer.

Here are two announcements to mark on the calendar—October 13, anniversary of Mite Society at Lower Providence Presbyterian church with entertainment furnished by a humorist—October 15, chicken and waffle supper from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m. in Lower Providence Presbyterian Sunday school rooms. Supper tickets for grown up appetites are fifty cents, while pink tickets for the children are only thirty-five cents. Diners will be assigned a number and 120 at a time will be admitted to the dining room. The others will have to listen to the music upstairs until their turn comes. This social affair is in the hands of the men and women of the congregation.

Coming events at Lower Providence Baptist church include the Harvest Home services next Sunday morning, the Sunday school next Sunday evening and the box social and musicale of the Mite Society Wednesday evening, October 5. Donations of fruit and vegetables received at the Harvest Home will be sent to the Montgomery Hospital at Norristown. Mrs. Lewis Kossiter and Miss Ethel Clarke, in charge of the donations, request that donors endeavor to deliver all articles to the church by two o'clock Saturday. Miss Esther Jones is chairman of the Sunday School Rally program.

Rev. R. L. Williams is a delegate to the Presbyterian Synod at its sessions to be held at Tyrone, Pa. Last Sunday evening Dr. Williams preached a sermon on the motives of foreign missions to the Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed church at Trappe.

The yield of corn on the farm occupied by William Raby, near Providence Square, is regarded by many as the finest in this section as to quantity and quality.

Last Tuesday evening the "Red Side" of the Lower Providence Presbyterian C. E. Society entertained the "Blues" in the Sunday School rooms. An interesting program by the Reds and original stunts by the Blues was followed by games.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. White on September 20. Daniel H. White, of Grange avenue and Ridge pike, is the proud grandfather of the little newcomer.

A largely attended quilting was held to-day, morning and afternoon, at the Lower Providence Presbyterian church by the Missionary Society of the church.

Miss Maude McIlarg spent Sunday last in Boyertown.

Mrs. Bertha Corey, sister of Mrs. William E. Kryder, has moved to Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Place will leave on Friday for a trip to Chattanooga, Tenn., and other Southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rudolph Potts, of Germantown, were week end visitors at Brookfield Farm.

DEEP LATE FALL PLOWING BEST WAY TO FIGHT GARLIC.

Wild onions, otherwise known as garlic, which cause American farmers millions of dollars annual loss, can best be combated by deep, late fall plowing, in the opinion of the United States Department of Agriculture. In plowing, the tops should be completely turned under. A jointer attached to the plow, and also disking before plowing, will help to put the tops under. The following spring give the land a thorough preparation and plant to some tiled crop, such as corn in check rows.

It is sometimes impracticable to eradicate this pest completely. An important remedial method in such cases is to sow small grain late in the fall, plowing and preparing the land just before seeding the grain. This method will not destroy the onions, but gives them a set back that the bulbs do not have time to mature before the grain is harvested. An important precautionary measure is to sow only grain which is free from bulbs.

Damage from wild onion is of two general classes. Cows eat thorning shoots in spring, resulting in tainted milk and butter; and the bulbs which grow in clusters at the top of the stalk in summer are so nearly the size and weight of wheat kernels that it is difficult or almost impossible to separate them except after artificial or over-season drying. Onion-tainted wheat flour is highly objectionable in bread, and wheat thus fouled is shunned by millers. The presence of onions in wheat also interferes with milling operations by gumming the rolls.

An English clergyman who was nailing up a refractory creeper observed a lad watching him for a long time with obvious interest. "Well, my young friend," he said smilingly, "are you trying to get a hint or two on gardening?" "No," he said, "I am watching you to see what a person do who hammers his thumb!"—Irish World.

From the Philadelphia Record.

MYSTERY OF MELTING MILLIONS.

Senator Penrose is quoted in a dispatch from Washington as stating that he considers it too early to consider the question of who shall be the G. O. P. candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania next year. Possibly so; but it is too early for the people of Pennsylvania who profess to have an interest in the State to consider what has been going on here during the past four years? This with a view to considering not only the kind of man needed to succeed Governor Sproul, but the kind of man needed to serve in the next Legislature.

It used to be possible in Pennsylvania, up to four years ago, for any newspaper or any citizen to discover something about the business of the State by going over the report of the Auditor General, who is supposed to keep the accounts, and is paid for so doing. But so far as we are able to discover there are no Auditor General's reports available for three of the past four years. Some one appears to be afraid to print the reports. Why?

Is the State bankrupt? Are the persons who have professed to be engaged in managing the business of the State afraid to give an account of its finances in advance of the next gubernatorial election? If so, are the taxpayers of Pennsylvania too impatient to force them to do so? Recently the new Auditor General, Mr. Lewis, who took office only a few months ago, had published reports go over the books at Harrisburg and make him a statement. They reported as follows: That there was in the general fund of Pennsylvania on May 31, 1921, when the new Auditor General took office, only \$280,658.

That the net appropriation liability of the State on that date was \$139,382,027.72. That the cash balance in the State Treasury general fund on November 30, 1919, was \$7,903,081.06. That this dropped to \$5,658,930.72 one year later.

That, as stated, instead of millions, but \$280,658 was in the fund when Auditor General Lewis assumed office. Does this interest the voters of Pennsylvania?

Are they going to elect the next Governor and the next Legislature without knowing something worth while regarding the millions that were collected and expended during the past four years?

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PUBLIC SALE OF TWO CARLOADS FRESH COWS!

Will be sold at public sale on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1921, at Perkiomen Bridge hotel, 2 carloads of fine fresh cows—one carload from Ohio, selected by Fred Fisher, and one carload from Centre county. The lot of big milkers includes cows weighing from 1200 to 1500 pounds each. Bidders and buyers, don't miss this opportunity to get the real good kind of cows. Sale at 10 o'clock. JONAS P. FISHER, F. H. Peterman, Auct., M. B. Linderman, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE OF 30 TUBERCULIN TESTED HOLSTEIN FRESH COWS!

Will be sold at public sale on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1921, at Limerick Centre hotel, 30 grade Holstein cows, and two pure bred Holstein bulls. These cows are good milkers. I have cows that will yield 60 lbs. of milk per day and they are backed by a guarantee. All were purchased by myself on the farms of Madison county, New York, and they have been tuberculin tested by my veterinarian. You all know the kind of cows I sold in my last sale. Some of the cows of this lot are still better—one that will weigh 1600 pounds. Sale at 1 o'clock. Conditions by M. B. Linderman, JOHN P. FRETZ, M. B. Linderman, Clerk, Elwood Miller, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY!

Having sold the farm I will dispose of the following personal property on the premises at Cross Keys, on Ridge pike, a short distance south of Collegeville, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1921: 50 yards of rag carpet, Cress rug 6x11 ft.; cherry bureau, cherry table with six legs; beds and bedding, lamps, Edison phonograph, with 50 records, chamber set, 3-burner Perfecto oil stove, with oven; chairs, sideboard, seven-piece hair-cloth parlor suite, bed couch, kitchen cupboard, hutch, chest, double gang plow, carriage pole, bob and sleigh, threshing, maul and wedges, hand cart, 140-egg Cypres incubator and brooder, 3 barrels of vinegar, big ice chest, 120 lbs. of ice, and tonnage, and other articles not herein specified. Sale at 1 o'clock. Conditions: Cash. JAMES S. UNDEROFFLER, Waynesboro, Pa., Auctioneer, John H. Casselberry, Clerk.

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 accounts in the following estates have been filed in the office of the Register, Clerk of the Orphans' Court as the case may be, on the dates below stated and that the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said county on Monday, Oct. 3, 1921, 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 the Court House, to audit said accounts, hear exceptions to same and make distribution of the balances ascertained to be in the hands of said accountants.

THOMAS—Aug. 18—Elizabeth M. U. Thomas, executrix of Isaac B. Thomas, late of Lower Merion. LAWS—Aug. 25—Jenkintown Trust Company, guardian of Louisa Laws. PENICK—Aug. 25—Elijah P. Remmelin at admr. of Clara J. Penick, late of Cheltenham. KRIEBEL—Aug. 26—Samuel S. Kriebel, admr. of Emma Jane Kriebel, late of Hatfield. BOYER—Aug. 26—George E. Boyer, admr. of Jacob E. Boyer, late of Lansdale. HUGHES—Aug. 26—Benjamin B. Hughes, et al, executors of John J. Hughes, late of Norristown. BISBEE—Aug. 26—W. P. Cutler, executor of Henry H. Bisbee, late of Cheltenham. REIFSNYDER—Aug. 30—John H. McCandless, executor of Bella Reifsnnyder, late of Cheltenham. POTTS—Sept. 1—Norristown Trust Company, guardian of William Newberry Potts. DEHAVEN—Sept. 1—Norristown Trust Company, Admr. of Laura DeHaven, late of Norristown. THEWS—Sept. 1—Marie Thews, admr. of Richard Thews, late of Pottstown, supposed decedent. BATTEN—Sept. 1—Evelene G. Miller, executrix of Coyd Batten, late of Norristown. PARKER—Sept. 2—Thomas J. Norris, admr. of James P. Parker, late of Conshohocken. GODSHALK—Sept. 2—Leidy D. Garis, admr. of John F. Godshalk, late of Souderton. HEIL—Sept. 2—John B. Evans, executor of Jacob A. Heil, late of Pottstown. CONNOR—Sept. 2—Norristown Trust Company, guardian of Percy Connor, minor, deceased. BANDY—Sept. 2—John C. Leidy, executor of Mary Catharine Bandy, late of Souderton. BAKER—Sept. 2—George K. Brecht, executor of Sue H. Baker, late of Norristown. FRESKO—Sept. 3—J. C. Brower, administrator of Anna Fresko, late of Upper Providence. MOYNE—Sept. 3—John J. Ferry, administrator of Henry Moon, late of Norristown. BOYER—Aug. 26—George E. Boyer, admr. of Jacob E. Boyer, late of Lansdale, of sales of real estate under order of O. C. in partition. POSTER—Sept. 1—Norristown Trust Company, trustee under will of Susanna P. Foster. GRISTOCK—Sept. 1—Norristown Trust Company, trustee under will of Matilda E. Gristock. Check accompanying proposals must be handed to the Clerk to the County Commissioners one hour before the time stated above. HORACE W. SMEDLEY, Controller, HORACE W. SMEDLEY, Deputy. 9-15-41 By WM. C. IRVIN, Deputy.

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LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in 50,000.00. Surplus fund 35,000.00. Undivided profits 20,584.63. Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 26,314.48. 49,270.15. Circulating notes outstanding 40,000.00. Amount due to national banks 646.22. Cashiers' checks on own bank outstanding 444.00. Total of items 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 1,000,000.00. Individual deposits subject to check 27,141.58. Total of demand deposits, other than bank deposits, subject to reserve 27,141.58. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) 108,627.60. Other time deposits subject to reserve 7 time deposits subject to reserve 326,229.40. Total \$1,785,042.68

State of Pennsylvania, County of Montgomery, ss. I, W. D. RENNINGER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. RENNINGER, Cashier. Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 10th day of September, A. D. 1921. F. W. SCHEUBEN, Notary Public.

My commission expires at the end of the next session of the Senate. FRANK W. GRISTOCK, D. FETTEROLF, F. J. CLAMER, Directors.

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PROPOSALS--Bids will be received by the School Board of the Borough of Trappe up until Friday at 8 o'clock p. m., October 21, 1921, for the grading of the grounds of the public school lot. Plans and specifications can be had at any time by communicating with the Secretary of the School Board, H. D. Allebach, or its President, Warren H. Grater. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. H. D. ALLEBACH, Secretary. 9-29-31

PROPOSALS--Bids will be received by the Controller of Montgomery county in his office in the Court House, Norristown, Pa., up until 11 o'clock a. m., October 10, 1921, for the general repairs to three bridges, as follows: Bridge No. 91, One-span iron bridge, Skippack Creek, Franconia township, one mile west of Allentown road. Bridge No. 154, Two-span iron bridge, Mosey Creek, Upper Hanover township, Road, McLane's Station to Gareysville Pike. Bridge No. 168, Five-arch Masonry Bridge, Swamp Creek, New Hanover township, one mile south of Layfield. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Check accompanying proposals must be handed to the Clerk to the County Commissioners one hour before the time stated above. HORACE W. SMEDLEY, Controller, HORACE W. SMEDLEY, Deputy. 9-15-41 By WM. C. IRVIN, Deputy.

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