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The Independent

VOLUME FIFTY-THREE.

COLLEGEVILLE, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1928.

WHOLE NUMBER, 2756.

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

MEMORIAL DAY
Our hearts are sad, our tender tears are shed.
And the hush and silence of the dead.

THE DEATH ROLL

John G. Johnson, a life-long resident of Lower Providence, died on Sunday at the home of his son-in-law...

Elizabeth Brierly, widow of John Brierly, formerly of Eagleview, died Tuesday morning at the Odds Fellows Home...

May Irene, wife of A. W. L. Faust, died Thursday afternoon at her home in Schwenksville, aged 52 years.

ABOUT TOWN NOTES

Corporal Hamefas has been transferred to the Collegeville station of the State Highway Patrol, replacing Corporal Gabrielson.

Wm. A. Vandreslief, attaché of The Independent office, has been ill and out of duty, the past week. His condition is improving.

The electrical storm, Monday evening, was not appalling in its manifestations, in this immediate vicinity.

Misses Beth and Margaret Rasmussen have the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Meek and family and Mrs. Horace Fry of Conowingo and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kramer and children, of Evansburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lananagan and children, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Tinsler.

Miss Theresa Muehe and Mr. and Mrs. George Walt and daughter Gladys visited at Haddonfield, N. J., on Sunday.

Grace Yeagle has the measles. Mrs. Baer, of Ardmore, was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Grimley.

Mrs. Ida Stierle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jennie Stackhouse, Linfield, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hendricks and family, of Long Branch, N. J., visited friends in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Freed spent Sunday in Conowingo, Maryland.

Arline Walt has the measles. Mrs. Warren Schanley, of Pennsylvania, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Renninger.

Mr. John Keel and mother, of Detroit, Michigan, and Mrs. Rothrock, of Dover, Delaware, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hatfield.

Miss Sheila Garrett, of New Jersey, spent Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hendricks and family, of Long Branch, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Wanner spent Sunday in Phoenixville.

Mr. Henry Stout is having his new house and slow room along the Gravel Pike plastered this week.

The Auxiliary No. 3, of River Crest will hold a Lawn Tete June 3 on the N. C. Schatz lawn in Trappe. Ice cream, cakes, strawberries and lots of other good things to eat will be on sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fritz and grandson, Ralph, of Norristown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Koder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. John Fairweather and daughter Ruth were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cassel.

The following is the program of services at the Hendricks Memorial Building for Saturday, May 26 at 7 p. m., standard time: "Pathe News," "Children of the Sun," "Love 'em and Feed 'em," a Max Davidson comedy, and "The Mysterious Rider," another of "paramount's great pictures, taken from a Zane Grey novel and played by Jack Holt and others.

FAREWELL SERMON
Rev. Wm. S. Clapp, who some time ago resigned as pastor of Trinity Reformed church, Collegeville, delivered a farewell sermon on Sunday morning. He has not made known any arrangements he has made, if any, respecting another charge. His successor has not been chosen.

NOTICE—CLOSING HOURS
Beginning June 1, we will close our store at 6 p. m., except Friday and Saturday, 9 p. m. YEAGLE & POLEY, Collegeville, Pa.

MEN'S CHORUS WILL GIVE MUSICAL
The Mt. Kirk Men's Chorus, under the direction of David L. Trucksees, will give a musical on Monday evening, May 28, in the Lower Providence Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock, d. s. t. The program will include an orchestra of eight pieces, men's choruses, duets, solos, double quartette, and two musical sketches. Admission, 25 cents.

LOVE FEAST
Love Feast will be held in the Brethren in Christ church, Graterford, on Saturday and Sunday, May 26 and 27. Services will begin on Saturday at 1 p. m., standard time. Everybody welcome.

RELIGIOUS MEETING
An appointed meeting will be held under the care of Gwynedd meeting house on Sunday afternoon, June 10, at 3 o'clock, d. s. t.

80TH ANNIVERSARY OF FOUNDING OF FREELAND SEMINARY

The eightieth anniversary of the founding of Freeland Seminary at Collegeville will be celebrated in connection with the commencement exercises of Ursinus College on Saturday, June 9, 1928.

All whose names once appeared on the rolls of this famous old school are invited to return on June 9 and visit the scenes of their school days.

The following Freeland Seminary men have been constituted a committee on the reunion: Abraham D. Fetterolf, Esq., Collegeville, chairman; Newton R. Wanner, Collegeville, Jr.; D. Cassberry, Norristown; R. J. Capt. H. H. Fetterolf, Collegeville; Irvin S. Schwenk, Schwenksville; and Hon. Henry K. Boyer, Red Hill, Pa.

RE-ELECTED PRINCIPAL OF COLLEGEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

At a recent meeting of the Collegeville school board Howard B. Keyser was re-elected principal of the Collegeville High School. Mr. Keyser has been performing excellent service as a teacher and in his supervising capacity. Other teachers appointed by the directors are: Miss Mabel Fritsch, mathematics and girls' athletic instructor; Miss Blanche Kratz, history and civics; Guy Moyer, seventh and eighth grades; Miss Helen Hoague, commercial work; Miss Augusta English, teacher of English, and Grace Kaufman, Latin and French.

BENJ. HUGHES KILLED IN CRASH ON PACIFIC COAST

Benjamin B. Hughes, 3rd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hughes, of 723 Swede street, Norristown, formerly of Collegeville, died Sunday morning at Wenatchee, Washington, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident while he was returning to Wenatchee, from Seattle, Washington.

NOTICE TO PARENTS FROM BOARD OF HEALTH

By order of the Board of Health parents of families under quarantine in the borough of Collegeville, shall keep their children off the public streets and out of public places until quarantine is lifted. Otherwise, fines will be imposed upon them.

BERT GARRETT STARS ON RUTGERS PITCHING PEAK

Bert Garrett, of Collegeville, former Collegeville High star athlete, added more laurels to his brilliant athletic career by pitching Rutgers to a 2-1 victory over Holy Cross in a college baseball game at New Brunswick, N. J., last week. To date Bert has not lost a game for Rutgers. His south-paw slants, hooks and dazzling speed have made him the ace of the Rutgers mound staff. He allowed the highly touted Holy Cross team but six scattered hits. On Monday he turned back Lafayette 3-1.

MARRIED AT ELKTON

Mr. Robert Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller, of Trappe, and Miss Eva Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of Schwenksville, surprised their friends by quietly slipping off to Elkton, Maryland, on Saturday and getting married. Mr. Miller is engaged in the plumbing business in Trappe. The young couple will reside with the groom's parents for the present.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arnold, of Telford, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lena Arnold, to T. Wells Knipe, of Perkasie, formerly of Limerick Square. Mr. Knipe is a son of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Knipe, of Limerick, and is a graduate of Collegeville High School and formerly held a position in the Collegeville Bank. Mr. Knipe is at present connected with the Perkasie Bank.

RETURNED FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Cassel, Miss Mary Kulp and Mr. H. F. Kulp, of St. Petersburg, Florida, returned last week to their summer home in Rahns.

WILL BUILD HOME IN COLLEGEVILLE

Isaiah C. Gouley, who recently sold his 45-acre farm fronting on the Skippack creek in the southern part of Skippack township, will sell his personal property including many antiques on Thursday, May 24. The present house on the Gouley farm was built in 1767 by John Custer, a Tory during the Revolutionary war. It is in a state of excellent preservation. He stated that Mr. Gouley has purchased a lot on Third avenue west, Collegeville, and will build thereon his future home.

DIRIGIBLE PASSED OVER PERKIOMEN VALLEY

The U. S. N. dirigible J-3 passed over the Perkiomen valley section and Norristown about 4 last Thursday afternoon on its return flight from Allentown, where it participated in the celebration marking that city's passing of the 100,000 population mark. It was observed by hundreds of Perkiomen valley residents inclusive of Collegeville. Carrying a crew of five men under command of Lieutenant T. G. W. Settle, the airship left Lakehurst, N. J., at 10:30 a. m., reached Allentown at noon and arrived back at its hangar at 7 p. m.

TWO DECLARED INSANE

Howard Hamill, Jeffersonville, and Nathan A. Karver, East Greenville, have been declared insane by a commission consisting of Dr. John C. Simpson and Dr. Fred B. Little. They were transferred this week from the county prison to the State Hospital.

EVANSBURG CHURCH REUNION

The 26th annual reunion of the descendants of early members of St. James' Episcopal church, Perkiomen, Evansburg, will be held Saturday, June 2. The program will consist of morning prayer at 11:00 a. m., with an address by Rev. Waldemar Jensen, Jr., rector of Trinity Church, Oxford, Philadelphia. Additional particulars next week.

C. H. S. SENIORS LEAVE ON BIG ANNUAL TRIP TUESDAY

Thirty-one members of the graduating class of Collegeville High School will leave next Tuesday on the annual educational trip to Washington, D. C. This year the seniors plan an unusually extensive trip. The tour will include not only the National Capitol, but the Annapolis Naval Academy and a steamer ride down the Chesapeake Bay stopping at many points of interest along the route in the famous old state of Virginia. The tour will include a full four days of sight seeing.

The following are the seniors who expect to participate in the sight seeing: Richard Allebach, Spring Mount; David Block, Collegeville; John Clawson, Collegeville; Frank Horrocks, Collegeville; D. D. Clyde King, Spring Mount; Fred Mueller, Collegeville; William Sclarowitz, Norristown; R. D. J. Gilbert Shaeffer, Collegeville; James Shrawder, Norristown; R. D. J. Ernest Stealy, Trappe; Harry Undercoffler, Fairview Village; Harold Kline, Graterford; Frances Bechtel, Graterford; Vera Bechtel, Phoenixville; R. D. J. Helen Blithe, Collegeville; R. D. J. Sara Fenstermacher, Collegeville; Katherine Gotsch, York; Edna Kline, Collegeville; Virginia Kline, Rahns; Amelia Kutra, Schwenksville; R. D. J. Mary Landes, York; Sara Miller, Trappe; Catherine Hance, Norristown; R. D. J. Gertrude Plush, Collegeville; B. D. J. Anna Rosenberg, Collegeville; Maxine Silkmitter, Collegeville; R. D. J. Elizabeth Thompson, Providence Square; Cecyl Walters, Trappe; Ruth Wismer, Collegeville; Esther Blith, Schwenksville; R. D. J. Blanche Reiner, York.

PERKY LEAGUE BASEBALL

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COLLEGEVILLE HIGH BASEBALL

On Friday afternoon Collegeville High School battled the strong Phoenixville High baseball team to a 3-3 deadlock on the Commons Field. Rain stopped the contest at the end of the fifth. Collegeville was in good form and played a fine game behind Schreiber's stellar pitching.

SPRING CITY MAN KILLED BY LIGHTNING

During a severe electrical storm, accompanied by a heavy rainfall, Walter C. Hale, of Spring City, a contracting carpenter, on Monday evening was instantly killed by lightning, while sitting in the living room of his home reading a newspaper. He was awaiting his supper after a hard day's work at Nelson's Dairy, Royersford. Mrs. Hale was but a foot away from him and, having felt a shock, she could scarcely realize that lightning had taken the life of her husband. Belief that Mr. Hale had died suddenly from a heart attack was dispelled by physicians, who agreed that he had been killed by lightning. He was the son of Henry and Annie Hale, and was about 45 years of age and had been of robust health and about \$400 in cash. He was survived by a family of six children and several brothers and sisters. The storm was especially heavy in that section. A number of radios were struck by lightning and "cold bolts" also struck several other homes but fortunately did little damage.

THE WORST DAMAGE TO PROPERTY RESULTING FROM A STORM

The worst damage to property resulting from a storm to property recently at the home of Raymond Sealer, Hall street, Spring City, where lightning cut a hole in the roof, threw the house and into the room where Mr. and Mrs. Sealer were eating supper and wrecked a radio set, scattering it to bits. Nobody in the house was injured. The damage to the interior of the home, however, was considerable.

A BOLT OF LIGHTNING DURING THE STORM

A bolt of lightning during the storm struck the belfry of the Spring City First Reformed church, on Chestnut street.

AT EARVILLE HAIL STONES AS BIG AS WALNUTS FELL FOR A TEN MINUTE PERIOD

At Earville hail stones as big as walnuts fell for a ten minute period. Windows were shattered. 24 hours later the icy pellets could still be shoveled up.

GRATERFORD NEWS

Residents of Graterford and vicinity were visited by burglars some time last Friday night. Four homes were entered and about \$400 in cash stolen. Strange to say no one heard the clever thieves in operation and nothing was learned of the robbers until the next morning. The robbery of Wilson Bergery was entered and about \$12 or more taken. At the Claude Kulp home over \$20 was missing. A brick house at Main street and Centre avenue, Norristown, on the 80-acre farm of Charles Myers, on Stump Hall road. This was the former John B. Alderfer farm.

CLINTON HARTZELL AND FAMILY WILL MOVE INTO ONE OF JESSE KLINE'S TENANT HOUSES

Clinton Hartzell and family will move into one of Jesse Kline's tenant houses recently vacated by Charles White and family. Gladys Smith, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kline, recuperating from a recent illness.

STANLEY KLINE, OF THE U. S. NAVY, IS SPENDING A FURLOUGH WITH HIS PARENTS

Stanley Kline, of the U. S. Navy, is spending a furlough with his parents. On his return to service at the end of his furlough June 2 he will embark on the Memphis for a two year's cruise to China and the Philippines.

NICK LONG HAS RECOVERED FROM THE BURNS RECEIVED RECENTLY WHEN THE OFFICE IN WHICH HE WAS EMPLOYED WAS BURNED

Nick Long has recovered from the burns received recently when the office in which he was employed was burned. He is rebuilding the office at present.

CONTRACTOR HOWARD SHALLORSS HAS RENTED BOTH SIDES OF HIS DOUBLE DWELLING TO PENITENTIARY GUARDS

Contractor Howard Shallorss has rented both sides of his double dwelling to Penitentiary guards—Mr. Ryan and Mr. Munzinger and families. The new temporary "pen" barracks about completed, several weeks ahead of schedule. Work on the railroad siding run to the new bridge is also progressing rapidly and is expected to be completed next week. Exceptional good time is being made on the railroad siding work.

PERKY LEAGUE BASEBALL

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Next Saturday's Games

Collegeville at Trooper. Schwenksville at Oaks. Skippack at Graterford.

Graterford gained undisputed first place in the Perkiomen baseball league even though the remaining idle by reason of Skippack's defeat at the hands of Schwenksville.

The Collegeville-Graterford game was called off due to wet grounds.

"Razz" Yerks's Schwenksville club apparently struck its real stride against George Bell's Skippack team and handed the Skippers their first defeat of the season on water-logged Hallman's Grove diamond.

The big right hander was touched for 15 bingles, but Skippack's eight errors and his lightning in the pinches hauled the Skippers down from first place. Mendenhall was also hit hard.

Trooper in the meantime gave Oaks a severe licking 10-0. Texas DeBeach, a 16-year-old rookie, twirled great ball for Dick Guthridge's crew allowing Jack Dale's aggregation two hits in the whitewashing act. Trooper on the other hand enjoyed a track meet.

PHOENIXVILLE

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Win Last Game From Worcester

Collegeville High School brought their 1928 baseball season to a close Tuesday afternoon with a close 5-4 win over Worcester High at Worcester.

Score by innings

Teams Total R. H. E.
Collegeville 0 3 0 2 0 0-5 4
Worcester 0 1 0 3 0 0-4 5

RAHNS NEWS

Paul E. Schmoeyer, of Ursinus College, delivered a fine sermon in the chapel last Sunday evening.

The Ironbridge Union Chapel Association held their annual meeting in the chapel last Wednesday evening.

The regular order of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows: Past president, John F. Klein; president, Horace T. Bean; vice president, Henry F. Haas; secretary, W. K. Schlottner; and treasurer, L. K. Kulp.

The annual memorial services by the Patriotic Order Sons of America will be held in the chapel on Sunday afternoon, June 3, at 2 o'clock standard time. The Rev. Harry Daniels, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church at Mechanicsburg, Pa., will preach the sermon.

Next Sunday afternoon and evening, the Senior and Junior Christian Endeavor Societies will attend the semi-annual convention of the Perkiomen Valley Branch, C. E., which will be held in the Ebenezer United Evangelical church at East Greenville.

A special bus will convey the members to the convention and back.

The C. E. Societies were presented with a mounted portrait of the late Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder of the Christian Endeavor movement, by W. K. Schlottner at their meeting on Sunday evening in commemoration of the first anniversary since his death which occurred on May 28, 1927.

SPEED MANIACS CAUSE COLLISION OF AUTOS

Sunday last while there was a great congestion of traffic on Main street, Trappe, and while this condition was being aggravated by the movement of machines from St. Luke's church, a machine loaded with speed maniacs from Norristown going at 45-mile rate found themselves in a pocket and endeavored to pass the machine of Charles E. Longacre, of near Trappe, on the wrong side, with which it collided. Both machines were slightly damaged, but fortunately no one was hurt. It was the consensus of opinion of witnesses that the safety of society demands that the license of such speed maniacs should be revoked.

Advertise your public sales in The Independent.

RAMBLING AT RANDOM

BY JAY HOWARD
The kids are anticipating that last day of school and looking forward to a joyful summer vacation!

I guess you know—Collegeville didn't lose this week in the Perky League!

Saw a big black snake on Sunday afternoon—and it wasn't of the bootleg species either. According to reports blacksnakes are extremely plentiful this spring.

The Perkiomen Valley is beautiful, always, to the natural scenery lover; but during the month of May it is really grand. The hills dotted with dogwood and mountain pink peeping out between the heavy green foliage of the trees are a wonderful sight.

The schools and colleges are just about ready to turn loose another army of graduates; but it seems that the business and professional world can assimilate them year after year without any readjustment, so there's nothing to worry from that source.

A rather cool summer interspersed with a number of very oppressive heat waves, demanding electrical storms; that's our prediction for the weather the next few months—unless the wind changes as Andy Pfeiffer cautions. And beware next fall we're going to need some of the rain we had this spring.

"Don't give your wife a vacation," advises cousin Chon from the Stone Hills. "Because the rest is going to make her hands white and then you'll have an awful time getting her back to chopping the kindling, spading the garden, mowing the lawn and digging fishworms for you!"

Even the medical profession is effected by the change in styles, the modern trend being toward "operations." The old science of "blood-letting" is now considered bunk. How soon will the present "cutting craze" be supplanted by some new discovery in the realms of the medico?

Friend Bob Miller and his "sweetie" pulled a surprise over on the "gang" by slipping off to Elkton on Saturday and coming home married. The whole affair was well engineered except that the prospective bride and groom in their haste to get away without publicity forgot one important detail and had to come all the way back and make a second trip.

Of course love overcomes all obstacles and Bob managed to make the second trip, after he knew the road, in record time. But don't worry about that second trip Bob—the rest of us "hen-pecks" know just how nervous and excited you were and can easily excuse the slip.

The writer went fishing with several of the boys last Friday evening. What did we get? We got—soaked when that shower came up—and two catfish. The old adage about Fisherman's Luck—a wet b-bottom and a hungry belly—was certainly appropriate!

According to the geological survey made by the Department of Internal Affairs, Harrisburg, the uplands in Montgomery county rise from the southeast to the northwest from 400 to 600 feet. The highest point above mean sea level in the county is 700 feet in the north corner of the county near Palm.

Editor Chas. Spatz, of Boyertown, humorist and after dinner speaker, gives this advice, "It's not what you say, but how you say it, that counts in becoming a great speaker. Most of what you may say the people know already; but you can say it in such a way that it strikes their fancy and makes a big hit."

There was some talk of closing the Bum Hollow road on the hill from Fifth avenue to the Gravel Pike. Then along came a storm and blew a big tree down squarely over the roadway completely closing it even to pedestrians—now there is some talk of opening the Bum Hollow road. Bum Hollow serves two purposes. In winter time it makes the fastest coasting hill in the country for the kids and the rest of the year it makes a dandy "one-time" dump. You can find in cans, oil, radium and arsenic from every home in Collegeville in that old Bum Hollow quarry dump. We have heard tell of people taking a big load of trash there and coming away again with an even larger load of salvaged goods.

P. S. There are rumors that it is also used by the Ursinus College "spooners" as a Lover's Lane.

Who ever heard of Greenly Island before the Bremen fliers landed there? But now that the geography map is handy let us rectify some mistaken ideas. Did you know that Greenly Island is nearer to Brazil than to Texas; that a line drawn east from New York strikes Portugal—not England; and south strikes Peru and the Pacific ocean; that Brazil is larger than the U. S.; that Labrador is directly west of Scotland; that Hawaii is south of Alaska and west of Mexico City; that a shaft driven thru the earth from New York would come out in the Indian Ocean—not China, as is supposed; that the weather in Reykjavik, capital of Iceland, never gets below zero (due to the Gulf stream); that people sometimes freeze to death on the Sahara desert. (In the mountainous regions); and that the east end of the Panama Canal empties into the Pacific and the west end into the Atlantic ocean (it does not run due east and west as supposed)?

Fred Gumst, West Union, Ia., was excused from jury duty because a pig chewed his ear. Evidently the pig liked to chew gum!

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Tait entertained on Sunday Mr. Marling C. Miller, of Uniontown; Mr. Robert Beitel, of Catasauque; Mr. John Ellis, of Amble, and Mr. Leo P. Scholler, of Hancock, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tyson motored to Douglassville with Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson and family, of Rahns, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peterman and family on Sunday.

Miss Louise Boettger is enjoying a trip up the Hudson with a class of students of the Royersford Continuation School.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fry and family, of Philadelphia, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wismer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Schatz entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carpenter, Mrs. K. D. B. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carpenter, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Henry Schatz, of Parr, South Carolina, and Mrs. Tillie Freudenburg, of New York City, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cauffman and family, of Royersford, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Kate Buckwalter. Mrs. Buckwalter visited Mrs. Hittle, of Philadelphia on Saturday.

Mrs. John Favinger, of Royersford, and Mrs. Kathryn Detwiler, of Phoenixville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Favinger and family.

Dr. and Mrs. George Bradley and son Charles, of Philadelphia, visited Dr. and Mrs. William C. Samuel on Sunday.

Mrs. Morris D. Slifer and son Ronald spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Slifer, of Quakertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Miller and daughter Betty spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Miller, of Souderton.

Attorney and Mrs. Raymond Blain Tobias and Mrs. J. J. Tobias, of Mt. Carmel, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. De Munn on Saturday.

Miss Lucy Carr and Mr. John McClennen, of Roxboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. J. Burns and family on Sunday.

Mr. D. W. Favinger visited Mrs. Elmer Bush, of Royersford, on Thursday.

Miss Bertha Wismer, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Wismer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hoyer and daughter visited Mr. John Hoyer and sons, of Conshohocken, on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Hunsberger and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard H. Hess and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Tyson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harrison B. Tyson, of Royersford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris and sons, of Philadelphia, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrush.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fisher and daughter Evelyn, of Amble, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kling and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Treen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Treen, of Kirklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wismer and family, of Pottstown, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wismer on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Tait and son visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sidel, of Norristown, on Saturday.

Miss Louetta Fulmer, of Philadelphia, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boettger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Favinger and Mrs. Mary Detwiler motored to Allentown, on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elias Detwiler, of Phoenixville, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Diehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert K. Davenport, of Trenton, New Jersey, were the Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Fegeley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Diemer and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Diemer, of Spring City. Mr. Aaron Tyson, of Creamery, was the Sunday guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hiltbeitel, of Summerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adam M. Hiltbeitel.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Getty and Mrs. Susan Wanner spent Sunday with Misses Hannah and Emma Keeley, of Schwenksville.

Mr. William Longacre, Mr. George Alden and Miss Mae Alden, of Roxboro, visited Miss Clara Miller on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Abram Bradford, of Telford, were also callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rommel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William C

# THE INDEPENDENT

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY.

COLLEGEVILLE, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA.

E. S. MOSER, Editor and Proprietor.

Thursday, May 24, 1928.

## A QUESTION ANSWERED

Rev. Geo. W. Lutz, editorial writer of Town and Country, submitted the following question from a Lehigh county reader:

"Which would you rather choose for yourself, to be good or to do good?" We respectfully refer this question to Meredith, of Quakertown, who is a Baptist; to Spatz, of Boyertown, who is a "Luzeran"; and to Daddy Moser, of Collegeville, who is a Free Thinker. Give us your opinion, Brethren!"

Editor Charles Spatz, of the Boyertown Democrat responds:

Simple, George. When you do right you are good, no matter what the world thinks of you. When you do wrong, you are bad, no matter how good the world thinks you are. You are your own judge. You know whether you've done wrong. You may hide it from the world, but you can't "kid" yourself. When you do good you are good—there is no choice.

I am quite in accord with Brother Spatz's comprehensive (though tersely stated,) response. It may be susceptible to some "hair-splitting," but, as a general statement it is sound. Furthermore, it reveals Charles in the role of a philosopher. Humorists are not always philosophers.

## "NEVER TOO OLD TO LEARN"

E. L. Thorndike, an eminent educator of Columbia (N. Y.) University, recently observed:

"In general nobody under 45 should restrain himself from trying to learn anything because of a belief or fear that he is too old to be able to learn it. Nor should he use that fear as an excuse for not learning anything which he ought to learn. If he fails in learning it, inability due directly to age will very rarely, if ever, be the reason."

A very sound observation. Indifferent habits, with relation to obtaining information upon many important subjects are common in every strata of society, including schoolmen and educators. Men and women daily physically engaged at labor to maintain their existence, and the existence of others depending upon them, are in a large measure to be excused from mental effort of an investigating character, and yet they should be encouraged to read and think, between times. But, there is no excuse for those more or less educationally engaged, to rest content with the knowledge they acquired in former years, to follow beaten paths, to be unmindful of the fact that they are under obligations to themselves and others, to cultivate alertness of mind, to be ever on the lookout for new ideas and new thoughts. There are, perhaps, as many "single track minds" among those who seek to impart knowledge to those entrusted to their tutelage, as among any other class of rational human beings, possessing an average amount of natural endowments. In this connection it may well be remembered that strong brains depend upon the strenuous exercise of brains. Weak muscles follow disuse of muscles. Inactive brains as to inquiry, and reasoning, follow disuse of brains. No man or woman, if ever able to learn, to think or reason, ever becomes too old to learn, to think, to reason.

## COVERING A SPAN OF 300,000,000 YEARS

Discovery of traces of organic life possibly millions of years older than any hitherto found, was announced before the national academy of science, by Dr. Davis White of the United States geological survey. His evidence, taken from rocks, formed in the proterozoic period at least 600,000,000 years ago, was obtained near the mouth of the Bright Angel creek in the Grand Canyon, about 5,000 feet lower than traces discovered by the late Charles D. Walcott of the Smithsonian Institution, which have stood for years as the oldest known records of life in southwestern North America. It is in this region, where some of the rock formations are estimated to date back 1,400,000,000 years, that the academy, with the financial support of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, is establishing a permanent exhibit of evidences of prehistoric life in their natural environment. These exhibits already cover a span of about 300,000,000 years.

## ENCOURAGING WORK OF FARM BOYS

The vocational division of the Department of Public Instruction, Harrisburg, has announced that the farm boys attending rural community vocational schools of Pennsylvania, conducted a total of 2102 agricultural home projects last year on which they realized a total labor income and profit of \$181,829. Poultry projects were the most popular, 590 boys carrying projects of this kind with a total of 105,867 birds. Potatoes stood second with an enrollment of 364 boys growing 376 acres. Truck ranked third, with 345 boys growing 135 acres. Swine projects ranked fourth, with 304 boys raising 1861 hogs. Other projects consisted of dairy, corn, fruit, small grains, home improvement, bees, sheep, farm accounts, forestry and beef.

## THE CHINESE SITUATION

Latest reports from the Chinese situation indicate that matters grow daily more serious. The nationalists have appealed to President Coolidge to define the attitude of the United States toward "the grave situation created by Japan." High Peking officials and political leaders were reported fleeing to Dairen under Japanese protection in fear of the fall of the northern capital. Nationalist forces reported the capture of Tsangchow, with 7,000 prisoners. Foreign troops at Tientsin, numbering 8,000, of whom 4,000 are Americans have established defense lines and prepared to defend the city against forcible seizure. The total casualties in the Tsinan fighting were put at 2,250.

## NATIONAL POLITICS

Political observers of wide experience appear to be united in forecasting the nomination of Smith and Hoover for the Presidency. In neither the Democratic nor the Republican camp does an upset seem probable. The forecast is that it will be Hoover on an early ballot at Kansas City, and Smith at Houston, possibly by acclamation.

I'm disappointed that you did not get your degree, my son." Never mind, father," said the slack student. "I intend to make a few millions and then endow colleges, and thus acquire more degrees than I could win in a lifetime of study." With eyes moist with pride the father bade the boy go gravely forward upon the path of destiny.—Boston Transcript.

"What is that a picture of?" asked a small tot. "That's the Goddess of Liberty," Big Brother replied. "You can always tell her 'cause she's got an ice cream cone in her hand."—Luesberg (Fla.) Commercial.

## PERKY LEAGUE BASEBALL

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with Oaks gathering 18 hits for 10 runs. Campbell started for Oaks. He was relieved in the eighth by Poley.

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Rambo, 2b.	4	0	4	7	2	
Pugh, ss.	4	0	1	1	0	
Moffatt, cf.	4	0	1	1	0	
Poley, cf.	4	0	2	0	0	
Horseshoe, 1b.	4	0	1	1	0	
Berlinger, rf.	3	0	3	0	0	
McIntosh, lf.	3	0	1	1	0	
Scanton, c.	2	0	1	0	0	
Campbell, p.	2	0	1	0	0	
Dale, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	
Jones, ss.	1	0	0	0	0	
Totals	28	0	22	16	4	

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Morris, 3b.	5	0	1	2	2	
Winters, 1b.	5	0	1	2	2	
Werking, 2b.	5	0	1	2	0	
Gear, cf.	5	1	2	0	0	
Hindorf, lf.	5	1	2	0	0	
Guthrie, 1b.	3	1	1	0	0	
Brant, rf.	4	1	1	1	1	
Deweese, p.	1	0	0	0	0	
Leaser, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	
Hammes, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	
Long, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	
Totals	40	3	17	27	11	

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hinsworth, lf.	5	0	3	0	0	
Baker, 3b.	5	0	1	0	0	
Boudreau, 1b.	5	0	1	0	0	
Cash, lf.	4	1	2	0	0	
Bishop, c.	4	1	2	0	0	
Hindorf, lf.	4	1	2	0	0	
Ziegler, ss.	3	1	2	0	0	
Meuser, 2b.	3	1	2	0	0	
Gonder, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	
Mendenhall, p.	1	0	0	0	0	
Totals	40	6	16	27	11	

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Sterner, ss.	6	1	1	0	0	
Longacre, 1b.	6	1	1	0	0	
Faust, 2b.	6	1	1	0	0	
Sari, cf.	6	2	1	1	0	
Edinger, 2b.	6	2	2	1	0	
Faust, cf.	6	2	2	1	0	
Chargal, cf.	6	2	2	1	0	
Braun, cf.	6	2	2	1	0	
Wagner, p.	6	2	1	0	0	
Koons, cf.	6	2	1	0	0	
Ford, cf.	6	2	1	0	0	
Totals	44	14	14	27	14	

## URSINUS BEAT DELAWARE BUT LOSE TO MUEHLBERG

The Ursinus ball tossers lost a one-sided game to the undefeated Muhlenberg nine on the Commons Field last week 14-1. Nick Borelli and his mates jumped to an early lead in the first innings and continued to pile up points as the game progressed. Remembering the football and basketball defeats the Allentown nine seemed bent for revenge and proceeded to pitch right into Coach Kichline's tees to get it. For the first time this season the Bears' slugging was completely stopped.

"Nick" Borelli, hero of gridiron and basketball court as well as an expert performer on the diamond was out for a big time, doing his stuff in great style, for Ira Thomas was giving him the once-over from the grandstand. Ira, it will be remembered, is a scout for the Athletics and Nick holds a nice contract with them and is due to report in June after graduation. He pounded five smoking hits and scored enough runs himself to defeat the downcast Grizzlies several times.

As to the ball game little can be said. It was over about as quick as it began, Muhlenberg blasting Mink for three runs in the first inning and proceeding to shell him from the peak in the following round. Rordan went in to stave off the massacre and succeeded partially. "Reds" however, was accorded miserable support during the greater part of his journey and cannot be fully blamed for all the runs tallied during his term on the hill. On the other hand the strong feature of the Bears was muzzled by Spots, the big Muhlenberg pitcher. Ursinus could only garner five scattered blows from his delivery and scored their only tally in the eighth when W. Francis batted in Schink.

## URSINUS

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Honey, ss.	4	0	1	0	0	
W. Francis, c.	4	0	1	0	0	
Moyer, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	
Young, 2b.	4	0	1	0	0	
Bigley, 2b.	4	0	2	1	3	
LaChap, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	
Schink, 1b.	4	1	1	1	0	
J. Francis, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	
Mink, p.	4	0	0	1	1	
Rordan, p.	2	0	0	0	3	
Totals	33	1	5	27	17	

## MUEHLBERG

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Weidenmeyer, 2b.	5	1	2	2	4	
Evans, c.	5	2	7	1	1	
Dickert, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	
Borelli, ss.	5	1	1	0	0	
Lewison, 1b.	4	2	2	0	0	
Kimble, cf.	6	2	2	0	0	
Steinhart, 3b.	4	1	1	0	0	
Empie, lf.	4	1	2	0	0	
Spotts, p.	4	1	2	0	1	
Totals	42	14	27	11	1	

## DELAWARE

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Schuberger, ss.	1	1	2	0	0	
Hill, 2b.	1	1	2	0	0	
Glaser, rf.	0	2	0	0	0	
Leisner, 2b.	0	1	0	0	0	
Taylor, cf.	0	1	0	0	0	
Loveland, 2b.	1	1	1	0	0	
Jaquette, 1b.	1	1	2	0	0	
Reitzel, c.	1	2	3	1	0	
Garrett, p.	0	1	0	0	0	
Totals	6	9	14	3	1	

## URSINUS

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Honey, ss.	4	0	1	0	0	
W. Francis, c.	4	0	1	0	0	
Moyer, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	
Young, 2b.	4	0	1	0	0	
Bigley, 2b.	4	0	2	1	3	
LaChap, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	
Schink, 1b.	4	1	1	1	0	
J. Francis, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	
Mink, p.	4	0	0	1	1	
Rordan, p.	2	0	0	0	3	
Totals	33	1	5	27	17	

## Play Penn Wednesday

On Wednesday afternoon, May 23, the Ursinus Bears will battle the University of Pennsylvania nine at Philadelphia. This will be the last game of the present season to be fought on foreign fields, and also the last on the schedule between two opposing college teams. The only other game scheduled is that of the alumni game which takes place on Saturday of Commencement week.

## NOTICE WARNING FIRMS TO STOP RIVER POLLUTION

Letters have been sent to twenty-five industrial plants on the Schuylkill River in Montgomery county by City Solicitor Ashton of Philadelphia warning them that unless they stop polluting the river, action will be taken to have them enjoined by the courts.

Simultaneously, the city and Commonwealth, acting jointly, asked the Montgomery County Court at Norris-town to enjoin and close up a Conshohocken chemical plant which is alleged to have ignored warnings.

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## 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 of Wills or Clerk of the Orphans' Court, as the case may be, on the dates below stated and that the same will be presented to the Court on the following dates, to-wit: Monday, June 4, 1928, at 9 o'clock a. m. (standing time for confirmation) at which time the Honorable J. Burnett Holland, President Judge of said Court, will sit in Court Room No. 3, in the Court House, to audit accounts, hear exceptions to same and make distribution of the balance ascertainable to be in the hands of said accountants.

## WOODWARD—April 9—Conshohocken Trust Company, Ex. of Salla Woodward, late of Conshohocken.

GOLZ—April 11—Rudolph L. Golz, Ex. of Albert Golz, late of Narberth.

BUE—April 11—Lillian B. Bue, Ex. of Harold M. Bue, late of Royersford.

CLARK—April 11—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Ex. of George Clarke.

YERKES—April 18—Jenkinson Bank & Trust Co., Ex. of Annie Delp.

DELB—April 18—Isaiah H. Delp, Adm. of Mary H. Delp, late of Schuylkill.

MAGEE—April 18—James H. Cain, Adm. of C. A. of James H. Magee, late of Cheltenham.

TORPIN—April 20—Richard Torpin, Jr., Adm. of Richard Torpin, late of Cheltenham.

## STEINBRIGHT—April 22—Frank W. Steinbright, Ex. of Isabella S. Steinbright, late of Lower Gwynedd.

ROUPEY—April 22—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Ex. of William Henry M. Erb.

BROPHY—April 22—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Ex. of Joseph J. Brophy, late of Pottstown.

HEMBERGER—April 26—Charles Hemberger, Ex. of Emma Hemberger, late of Lower Moreland.

MODERMOY—May 1—Jenkinson Bank & Trust Co., Ex. of John McDermott, late of Cheltenham.

MEREMOTT—May 2—Charles D. McAvoy, Ex. of Daniel I. McDermott, late of Norristown.

LIPPINCOTT—May 2—Bertha L. Coles, Ex. of Walter Lippincott, late of Lower Merion.

LEVINGOOD—May 3—Harry Levingood, Adm. of Franklin Y. Levingood, late of Pottstown.

## SHELL—May—Charles W. Shell, Adm. of Frieda Shell, late of Pottstown.

YERGER—May 5—John M. Yerger, Ex. of Mark L. Yerger, late of Pottstown.

DEHAVEN—May 5—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Ex. of Susan E. Dehaven, late of Norristown.

PHIPPS—May 5—Charles P. Phipps, Ex. of Arnold A. Phipps, late of Abington, as filed by Jenkinson Bank & Trust Co.

PISTON—May 5—Montgomery Trust Co., Ex. of Thomas E. Waters, Gdn. of Lillian M. Hiley.

SUTTON—May 4—Howard A. Sutton, Ex. of Hannah A. Sutton, late of Norristown.

SCATCHARD—May 4—William B. Scatchard, Adm. of Elizabeth Scatchard, late of Norristown.

## SEHEPHERD—May 4—G. Herbert Jenkins, Ex. of Testier A. Shepherd, late of Upper Gwynedd.

BARKER—May 4—Charles P. Barker, Ex. of Thomas H. Barker, late of Lower Merion.

MC CARTER—May 4—Merion Title & Trust Co., Ex. of Elizabeth R. McCarter, late of Lower Merion.

TYSON—May 4—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Gdn. of Alice M. Tyson.

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WILSON—May 4—Norristown Penn Trust Co., Ex. of Mary A. Wilson, late of Norristown.

BRANCA—May 4—Antonio Branca, Adm. of Salvatore Branca, late of Pottstown.

HAIRER—May 4—John S. Newbold, Ex. of Alfred C. Harrison, late of Cheltenham.

MEHLHENNY—May 4—The Pennsylvania Co. for Insurance on Lives, etc., Ex. of Frances S. McHenry, late of Springfield.

## WOLF—May 4—Carl B. Wolf, Ex. of Exrs. of Jennie B. Wolf, late of Lower Merion.

CROWE—May 4—Nellie A. Crowe, Adm. of James Crowe, late of Lower Moreland.

SELFRIDGE—May 5—Elizabeth W. Selfridge, Ex. of William Selfridge, late of Narberth.

TRIESBACH—May 5—Jesse R. Evans, Adm. of Annie Triebach, late of Lower Pottsgrove.

YERGER—May 5—The Security Trust Co. of Pottstown, Ex. of George W. Yerger, late of Pottstown.

SHADE—May 5—Conshohocken Trust Co., Ex. of Anna Q. Shade, late of Conshohocken.

DUFFIELD—May 5—Rose Duffield, extr. of Horace G. Duffield, late of Whiteford.

GEHMAN—May 5—Isaac F. Gehman, Ex. of Isaac L. Gehman, late of Franconia.

## BREY—May 5—Harry Barnet, Ex. of Ed-ward Brey, late of Merion.

WOODWARD—May 5—Mary B. Boyer, Adm. of Elizabeth Woodward, late of Salford.

WHITNEY—May 5—Annie G. Whitney, Ex. of Benjamin F. Whitney, late of West Norriton.

KELLEY—May 5—George W. Kelley, Adm. of Caroline S. Kelley, late of Cheltenham.

FREED—May 5—Carolyn M. Freed, Ex. of G. Howard H. Freed, late of Lansdale.

KNIFE—May 5—Samuel D. Conner, Ex. of Charles H. Knife, late of Lansdale.

HINES—May 5—Samuel D. Conner, Adm. of Charlotte Hines, late of Lansdale.

HINES—May 5—Samuel D. Conner, Adm. of Annie Hines, late of Lansdale.

CAMERON—May 5—Benjamin H. Cameron, Adm. of Richard Cameron, late of Norristown.

ALDERFER—May 5—Christian A. Alderfer, Ex. of Abraham B. Alderfer, late of Souderton.

## SUTTON—May 5—Howard A. Sutton, Ex. of Exrs. of William Henry Sutton, late of Lower Merion, dec'd.

HEMBERGER—May 5—Andrew Hemberger, Trustee of Andrew Hemberger, deceased, as stated by Charles Hemberger, late of Emma Hemberger, deceased.

GRATER—May 5—Montgomery Trust Company, trustee for John Grater in Est. of Isaac Grater.

BRILL—May 5—Trustee of G. Martin Brill, deceased, stated by The Real Estate Co. successor to The Real Estate Title Ins. & Tr. Co. of Philadelphia, present trustees.

WOOD—May 5—William R. Perot, Jr., Trustee of Mary K. Wood estate, as stated by Girard Trust Co. of Philadelphia.

HENDERSON—May 5—Jenkinson Bank & Trust Co., Trustee u-w of Michael J. Henderson, late of Jenkintown.

LEA—May 5—Norristown Penn Trust Co., surviving trustee for Emma L. Calhoun and George Leaver u-w of Justus P. Leaver, late of Norristown.

ALDERFER—May 5—Alexander D. Alderfer, Trustee u-w of Abraham D. Alderfer, late of Pottstown.

KUNTZ—May 5—Norristown Penn Tr. Co., Trustee for Nettie E. Kuntz, dower fund in est. of Samuel D. Kuntz.

KLAUDER—May 5—George C. Klauder, Adm. of Trustee u-w of W. W. Klauder.

## YEAKLE—May 5—Samuel Yeakle, Trustee for Kate L. Yeakle, under will of Annie H. Yeakle, as stated by his exrs.

CHAUNCEY—May 5—Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Co. (formerly Philadelphia Tr. Co.) Trustee u-w of

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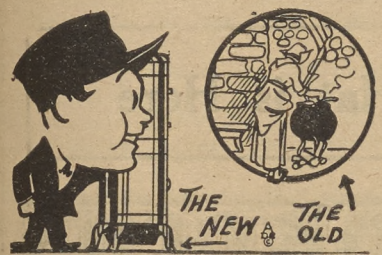
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## THE GIRL AND THE MINE

LANGHORNE, owner, stepped from the dingy little room at the end of the long, black building, dubbed office, and walked briskly to the door of the foundry division. He had come down from the city that morning and was going back by the afternoon train. He took out his watch.

"Allison," he called. "Mr. Allison." A strongly built young man emerged from the grimy interior. Langhorne looked at him speculatively.

"You will have this lot out by four o'clock, Allison, I think you said?" he asked.

"Yes, sir." "Well, you may draw the fire then and have the men begin clearing up. I shall not be down again."

In spite of his mask of iron black, Allison's face expressed incredulous surprise.

"You don't mean close the furnace, sir?" "I mean just that," calmly. "I have been experimenting two years and losing money right along. The ore is too poor in quality for profitable working. I shall be sorry to lose your services, but all my other furnaces are fully supplied with managers and foremen. Of course," thoughtfully, "if you should care to commence again as an ordinary workman, we might—"

"I do not wish to leave here," broke in Allison impetuously, "and if you excuse me, I think you are making a big mistake in closing the furnace. It will pay well, in time. My experiments—"

"Yes, things have improved since you took charge," interrupted Langhorne. "But you have not been able to eliminate the loss. I can understand your enthusiasm. I was that way at your age. But iron is a plain, hard, practical business. And this is your first command, so to speak. He looked at his watch once more.

"Twenty minutes to train time. Suppose we walk back to the office and wait until we hear the whistle. Of course, I shall try to sell and, frankly, I do not expect to find other customers or lesses. I would be glad to lease for a nominal sum, just to have somebody here. But, of course, no one would care to operate the furnace at a loss."

"If I could—" began Allison. Then he stopped abruptly. He was going to say if he could raise the money. But he could not, so what was the use thinking about it. He added, instead, "If I could have charge here, there would be a profit inside of three months."

Langhorne's eyes twinkled, and an odd look came into his eyes. As soon as the bars were sufficiently cool he took several of them to the station platform, addressing them to Mr. Langhorne. Then he went to the office and wrote a long letter. And it lacked but two days of the year's end.

The first of January the letter was answered by Langhorne in person. His face seemed unusually excited as he swung to the platform, even before the train stopped.

"Are these bars fair samples?" he demanded.

"Yes, sir." "Well, well, well. I'd never have believed it, never in the world! They are the finest I ever saw, and mean a fortune. But I can't accept your proposition, Allison; to take over the plant with you as manager. No, no. We'll run it half and half; my capital against your discovery and services. And I'll increase the capacity, and the working force to three hundred men. You'll want a superintendent now, Allison, and foremen for the furnace, and assistants. You'd better hire them at once."

"They're already at hand, sir, men on whom I can depend, and who will make our interests their own."

"Good! That's the kind we want. Now let's go into the office and consider plans for the increase. Why, explosively, "it's a fortune, and the most unbelievable thing I ever heard! Then we'll run up home and see Helen. She'll be glad and—er—I won't say another word."

### First Penny Newspaper

The History of American Journalism states that the precursor of the penny press was the Daily Evening Transcript, established in Boston July 24, 1830, by Lynde M. Walter. While this paper was not sold on the streets for 1 penny, it was quoted at the extremely low rate of 8¢ per annum. Probably the first daily that was actually sold for 1 cent was the Cent of Philadelphia, published in the same year as the Daily Evening Transcript in Boston. In New York city the idea was first conceived by Dr. Horatio David Shepard.

### Prize Husband

The prize husband is the one who does not try to his wife "your child" when he's bad and "our son" when he's good.—Woman's Home Companion.

### Confucius Great Sage

The man whose memory has for 2,000 years aroused signal respect and honor in China was a sage, not a saint nor a founder of a religious faith. Confucius took the best of the various Chinese philosophies of his day and formed a cult of his own, using as a basis five cardinal virtues—righteousness, knowledge, sincerity, politeness and discrimination of good. The wisdom of the Chinese Solomon so delighted the people that temples were built in his honor, his wise sayings were widely quoted and came to be taught in the Chinese schools.

### White Pearls in Demand

Pearls that come from the coast of Australia are of many shapes and colors. Those under ten grains are sold by the ounce; above that by the grain. Color has a deal to do with the value. The white pearls go mostly to Europe and the yellow ones to India. In Australia a cut of his own white pearls will fetch up to \$500, but sometimes realize only a fifth of that amount. The yellow pearls may be rated on an average of about half the value of the white ones.

### Close Resemblance

He had just left the club and was walking rather unsteadily down the street, when he thought he saw his wife.

"Making doubtful progress in the woman's direction, he threw his arms about her and, to his horror, discovered she was a total stranger. He hastened to apologize.

"Excuse me," he gasped, "thought you were my wife."

"And you're a fine husband for any woman to have, aren't you?" screamed the lady in a rage.

"There, y'see," ejaculated the gentleman triumphantly. "You talk just like her, too!"—London Answers.

### More Sophisticated

"Dearest," he said rather sadly, "it doesn't seem like the same old smile you used to give me."

"No, Jack," she returned, "this is a new one. I've been studying at a school of dramatic art."

### ANNUAL ALUMNI-VARSITY BASEBALL GAME AT URINUS

Dr. G. L. Omwake, President of Ursinus College, and a graduate of Yale, has announced the grand homecoming of all the graduates of Ursinus College June 8, 9, 10, 11 to view the recent marvelous developments that have placed Ursinus in the forefront of the American colleges. A new gymnasium, new athletic field, running track, straight-away, tennis courts, natural grandstand, new library, Brodbeck and Curtis halls for men named after the Hon. Andrew Brodbeck, a former Congressman and Hon. Cyrus H. K. Curtis of the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, prominent in national affairs, and new athletic club for men will be seen for the first time by those returning to the banks of the beautiful Perkiomen river at Collegeville, on this momentous occasion.

One of the most interesting features of the commencement program is the annual alumni-varsity baseball game, which will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday, June 9, 1928. The old grads are all steamed up over this contest, and promise to make it hot for the varsity. Last year old Jupiter Pluvius came to the rescue when the two elements, youth and old age, were deadlocked, and the game was called at the end of the fourth inning. This year everybody is expecting to see the old grads and the varsity. A good licking, and they are busy rounding up a crack combination to uphold the honors of those who used to be.

The speed limit on our highways seems to be about 30 miles between buses.—Collier's.

### Failed to Appreciate "Alice in Wonderland"

All those who have been famous in imaginative work for children were children—happy children—themselves, asserts Harry Furniss in his book, "Some Victorian Women." Mr. Furniss, a famous Punch artist, says that "Alice in Wonderland" and "The Tale of Peter Rabbit" were not given more than a passing glance by any one else.

Lewis Carroll's childlikeness was of a different kind; his was pure literary egotism.

"It was his habit to watch the children well-to-do people on the sand at Eastbourne and then, without disclosing his identity, present those he admired most with a copy of 'Alice in Wonderland.' Subsequently he formally called on the parents. Then came the moment at which the Rev. C. L. Dodgson informed the grateful parent that he was 'Lewis Carroll,' the effect being magical and Carroll's delight immense.

"However, one day, the dignified lady whose little daughter had been the recipient of a beautifully bound copy of 'Alice,' by the strange, uncanny clergyman, remarked:

"Oh, you are the writer of those rubbishy books, are you? Well, perhaps you may like to know that I threw the book you gave my daughter away—I certainly could never dream of her poisoning her mind with such a that!"

### Mother Sheep Must Have Jumped Fence

There is a common expression, "stupid as a sheep," but this is not entirely just, for the sheep displays surprising intelligence when its maternal instincts are aroused.

Recently a shepherd was started by the sudden and frantic bleating of a sheep outside his door. Going outside he found one of his own flock, which immediately led him to the grazing pasture.

Here he had to open the gate to let the sheep into the field.

She led him to a spot where he found her lamb with its head firmly wedged in a hedge. It was apparent that she had made frantic attempts to free her baby, and falling had gone to the shepherd's home for help.

He freed the lamb, none the worse for its adventure, but has never discovered how the mother sheep got out of the field, which was so well fenced that at no point could he find a gap.—London Tit-Bits.

### Famous Astronomer

Hipparchus, the Greek astronomer, who lived more than 2,000 years ago, long before any of the modern astronomical instruments had been invented, deserves much credit for his accomplishments, says the Kansas City Star.

He catalogued 1,080 of the stars; fixed latitude and longitude; determined the length of the year, the obliquity of the ecliptic, that is, the inclination of the earth's equator to the plane of revolution about the sun; the eccentricity of the earth's orbit, how far it is from being circular; measured the distance of the moon, roughly, and discovered the precision of the sun's motion, that the sun's place among the stars at times of equal day and night constantly tends eastward. This last discovery of Hipparchus waited 2,000 years for its explanation.

### Grossome Objects in Room of Archeologist

No more fearful and wonderful objects exist than those astounding turquoise skulls, some of which I saw in Mexico, which are real human skulls solidly paved with turquoise chieftain obsidian and other stones.

And that reminds me of one of the most amazing men I ever knew—Eugene Boban, who did more than any other man to show us the wonders of Mexico.

Skulls are dreary things at the best, even if studded with gems, but to Boban, so saturated in archeology that I have no doubt he thought, when he saw a pretty woman, what a beautiful skeleton she would one day make—Boban a skull was merely an interesting ornament for a room.

I shall never forget my first visit to his home, where I went to see a wonderful sacred painting depicting gems, the marriage of Joseph and Mary, in life size, which he had unearthed for me from an ancient Mexican church. Boban's room! A tiny cot placed between two unmuffled women which he had dug out of the walls of that same church, and at the foot of the bed, that he might, on retiring and rising, contemplate its never-ending archeological wonders, the head of a man, which, during burial, had been transformed into adipocere, a sort of natural hard soap.—Dr. George Kunz in the Saturday Evening Post

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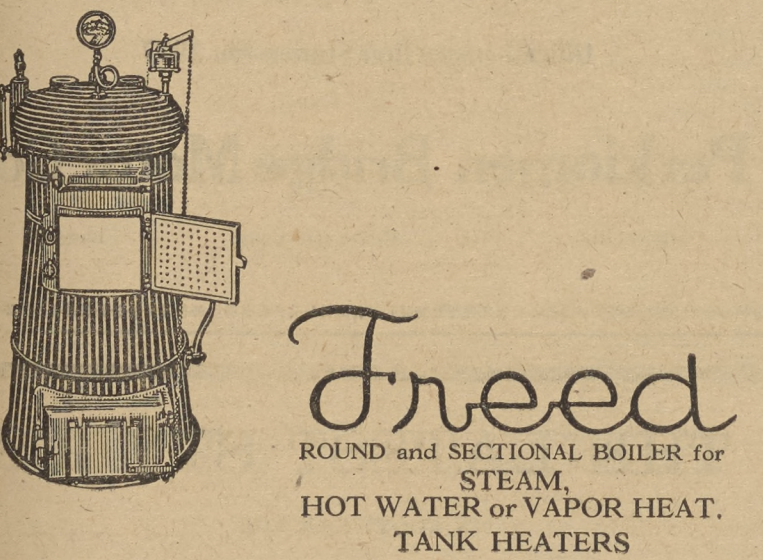
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NEWS FROM OAKS

The following were elected delegates to attend the Montgomery County Sunday School Association meeting held in the First Baptist church, Conshohocken, on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Benham and son, Junior are spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cumane and son, of Philadelphia, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Lewis.

Mr. Thomas Lukens, of Spring City, is doing some papering for Mrs. Frank Weaver this week.

Mrs. Benjamin Famous, of Green Tree, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Isaac Dettra.

The following women from the Oaks Auxiliary to the Phoenixville Hospital attended the annual luncheon and meeting of the Home Auxiliary on Thursday at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Richard and son, of Schwenksville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Grant Keyser on Wednesday.

At a meeting of the Upper Providence School Board, held at Mont Clare, the old teachers were re-elected at Oaks for next year.

An illustrated travel lecture was held on Monday evening in the Green Tree Brethren church, on Europe and Peace, by J. Maurice Henry, Ph. D.

Mr. Joseph Replogle, of Philadelphia, returned to his home after attending service in the Green Tree Brethren church and a visit to the parsonage.

A three-act play entitled "A Poor Married Man" will be given in the Oaks Fire Hall on Saturday evening, May 26, by the members of Lower Providence Presbyterian church for benefit of the Oaks Fire Company's apparatus fund.

Mrs. Enos Deery and daughter Miss Thelma Deery spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Francis, Sr.

Next Monday, May 28, the Oaks Building and Loan Association will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Oaks Fire hall at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kopenhaver entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Kopenhaver and son Harold, of Abington; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Black and daughter Marjory Ann, of Carlisle.

Mrs. Black and daughter will remain this week with her parents, and Mr. Francis L. Kiskadden, of Norristown.

In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Detwiler and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Smoyer, all of Phoenixville, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Detwiler and daughter, of Norristown, called at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bechtel, who spent the week with their daughter returned to their home in this place Sunday afternoon, much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Custer and family, spent a day in Ironides, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Ullman.

Mrs. E. W. Bortman visited friends and relatives in Norristown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brower, of Phoenixville, spent Thursday with relatives at the Brower home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brower and son Mr. James Brower and Mrs. Mattie Hopson motored to Allentown on business, Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson had as guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hatthorn, of Royersford, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and family, of Coatesville.

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

Will give a public address on leadership conference. The public is invited.

Rev. Arthur C. Ohl, and elders C. A. Wismer and A. D. Gotwals are attending the annual meeting of Philadelphia Classis from Monday to Wednesday in the Heidelberg church, in Philadelphia.

The regular service of worship will be held at 10 o'clock next Sunday. The Sunday School session will be held in the church auditorium at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan King, of Mont Clare.

Mrs. Frank Crist and children on Sunday returned to her home here after spending some time at her former home, Timberville, Va., recovering her health.

Mrs. Horace Smith and Mrs. Rebecca Griffin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Griffin, of Mont Clare.

Mr. John Wenger has a cow suffering with milk fever.

Harold A. Smith was honor guest at a delightful birthday party, arranged by his wife, Mrs. Harold A. Smith, at their home, Germantown pike and Evansburg road.

Miss Betty Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, of Germantown pike, entertained a number of schoolmates at an enjoyable outdoor party held on the lawn of the Smith residence.

The Adult Bible classes of the Lower Providence Baptist Sunday school held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Strover Weber.

Plans were made for a supper to be held in June. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, Mrs. Margaret Saylor, Miss Elizabeth Anderson, Mr. John Reese, Mr. and Mrs. William Risher, Mrs. H. Barber, Miss Ethel Clark, Mrs. George Pennington, Mrs. Elmer Eicholtz, Miss Emma Jones, Mrs. John Moorehead, Mrs. John Clark and Harry Clark.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the Evansburg M. E. church was held at the home of Mrs. Clayton Swartzell on Evansburg road.

The sum of \$60 was cleared at the recent supper held by the aid. A "chat social" will be a feature at the June meeting of the society to be held at the home of Mrs. Elinor Gouldy in Collegeville.

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Wednesday, May 30—Breakfast on steamer. Ar. Norfolk, Va., 7.00 a. m. Leave Norfolk, Va., via tug-boat about 8.00 a. m. for the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

Friday, June 1—Breakfast on steamer. Ar. Baltimore, Md., 7.15 a. m. Morning bus trip to Washington, D. C., 7.30 a. m., arriving Mt. Vernon about 10.00 a. m.

Saturday, June 2—Breakfast and luncheon at hotel in Washington. Morning bus trip to Washington.

Sunday, June 3—Breakfast and luncheon at hotel in Washington. Morning bus trip to Washington.

Monday, June 4—Breakfast and luncheon at hotel in Washington. Morning bus trip to Washington.

Tuesday, June 5—Breakfast and luncheon at hotel in Washington. Morning bus trip to Washington.

Wednesday, June 6—Breakfast and luncheon at hotel in Washington. Morning bus trip to Washington.

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