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LIFE'S PATTERN

I am daily weaving
A pattern of life in my hand,
In light and shade I will unfold
My story simply, and true.
I have done my very best
To spread abroad a wealth of cheer,
More light than shadow will appear.
That little glow of light that shines
In just a little silver lining,
To do each day a kindly deed,
That little shadow over there
Beneath a heavy load of care,
And just beyond that speck of blue
That is some happier days in view.

Each day the seeds I'm sowing
And I know the pattern's growing,
Long to leave a record there
That I have eased life's load of care.
I may never see it again,
With active brain and loving heart,
But I know that somewhere
It is like a lovely tapestry.

MRS. HENRY ARMSTRONG,
Dorchester, Mass.

ABOUT TOWN NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hildebrand and their youngest daughter returned from a trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester and Syracuse, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright, of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. David Culp and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Miller, of Norristown, and Mr. and Mrs. William Renninger, of Conshohocken, spent the week end at Betterson, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson moved into their new home on Sixth avenue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Cornish, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, Mrs. Clarence McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rushong, of this borough; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Place and daughter Gertrude, Fairview Village; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis, of Trappe; Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Albrecht, of Spring Mount; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan C. Weber and son Harold, of Evansburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Detwiler, of York, motored to Smyrna, Delaware, Thursday evening for a sea food dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton, of Norristown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cassel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hildebrand, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with the Hildebrand brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hess went crabbing over the week end at Barnegat Bay, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gottschalk, of Norristown, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Gottschalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Urban, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bechtel and family.

Miss Betty Robinson, of Phoenixville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Wanner.

Miss Evelyn Wanner spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Spear in Roxboro.

Mrs. Ida Stierly spent the week end with her sister in Linfield.

Mr. David Ullman, of New Brunswick, N. J., is spending some time with his mother, Mrs. A. M. Ullman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rupp and son, of Royersford, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cornish returned to their home after spending a week at Rehoboth Beach, Del.

Mrs. C. E. McCormick and children are spending the week with Mr. McCormick at Allentown.

Mrs. Emma Hunsicker returned to her home after spending a week in Camden, N. J.

Mrs. Stella Meyer and Mrs. Anna Bennett and son, of Philadelphia, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Auchy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Belleville, of Norristown, moved to this borough in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson and family.

Mrs. Annie Longacre, of Phoenixville, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Mary Bertollet.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunsberger returned Sunday from their wedding tour, and the Doctor has resumed his attention to dentistry patrons.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hunsicker, of Germantown, and Mr. George Rahn, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Tyson and family, of Royersford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Auchy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simmons, Master Ralph Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Landis, of Trappe, were Sunday guests at Chippunk Cabin, near Indian Head Park, with Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Fenstermacher.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

It is quite important that all taxpayers of Collegeville make payment of 1928 county and state taxes on or before September 15, of school tax on or before October 1, and borough tax on or before January 1 in order to avoid five per cent penalty which will be added after the above dates.

H. P. TYSON, Collector.

FIRE COMPANY MEETING

A regular meeting of the Collegeville Fire Company will be held on Thursday evening, September 6, at 8 o'clock in the Fire hall. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of members.

CELEBRATES NINTH BIRTHDAY

Agnes L. Weand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Morris Weand, of Collegeville, entertained with a swimming party and picnic supper at Lake Side Park, Royersford, in honor of her 9th birthday, Friday afternoon. The guests included Margaret, Edna, Billy and Jimmy Deitrich, Lewis Schatz and Allen McGroarty, of Collegeville, with Mrs. Deitrich and Mrs. Weand as chaperones.

W. M. S. MEETING

The September meeting of the W. M. S. of Trinity Reformed church, Collegeville, has been postponed until Thursday, September 13, at 1:30 standard time.

THE DEATH ROLL

M. Le Roy Williams, son of Lemuel and Elsie Williams, of Lower Providence, died Monday morning, aged 21 years. The parents and five brothers and four sisters survive. Funeral on Thursday at 2 p. m., d. s. t., at the parlors of Undertaker J. L. Bechtel, Collegeville. Interment in Jeffersonville cemetery.

LIONS CLUB WILL SPONSOR
FRESHMEN'S TRIP TO
VALLEY FORGE

Dr. Cornish has appointed the following committee to function on Sunday, the 16th of September, for the trip that the Collegeville Lions Club is sponsoring for Ursinus College. The entire incoming freshman class is to be taken to Valley Forge on that afternoon, leaving Ursinus College at 2 o'clock, d. s. t. In order to make this trip it will be necessary to have more automobiles than on the Boys' Day at Philadelphia. O. C. Bearcraft, H. W. Mathieu, J. H. Brownback, Howard Rushong, C. W. Scheuren are the committee appointed. Citizens of Collegeville and Trappe and surrounding communities who may be disposed to furnish automobiles will please confer with any member of the committee at an early date. Forty cars will be required. The trip will consume about three hours.

URSINUS COLLEGE OPENING

President George L. Omwake, announces that Ursinus College will open for registration of students on September 18 and 19. Classes will start on Thursday morning, September 20. An innovation for this year is that the Freshmen arrive at the college on Saturday, September 15, several days ahead of the upper classes in order to give the newcomers a better chance for acclimation and for choice on the course of study to pursue. The football men will arrive on September 10 a week before registration and will start immediately on conditioning and preliminary drill under Coach Ronald C. Kichline.

THE FLOWER SHOW

The Boy Scouts have assisted the Flower Show committee by distributing fliers concerning entries for the Flower Show, to be held Friday, September 7, from 2 to 9 p. m. (d. s. t.), in Hendricks' Memorial Building. Even though the season may have been a bad one for the raising of flowers, the committee hopes that all the people of the town and community give this show their hearty support, by displaying whatever flowers they have and then attending the show. There will be a sale of such house plants and slips as people donate to help defray the expense of the show. Just a few rules to follow: All exhibits are to be sent in containers; no entries will be received after 1 o'clock; only one entry to a class; all flowers exhibited must be grown by the exhibitor.

REV. SCOTFIELD RECOVERING

In a letter to the editor Rev. C. F. Scotfield, rector of St. James church, Evansburg, says: "I came through the operation all right and am now steadily regaining strength. I will probably be able to return home next week." All of which will be good news to the rector's parishioners and friends.

REV. SCHMIDT SERIOUSLY ILL

Rev. N. F. Schmidt, of Schwenksville, is in a serious condition, following a surgical operation in the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia. His many friends in the Perkiomen valley and elsewhere unite in hoping for his recovery.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH

Rev. C. D. Yost will occupy the pulpit in Trinity Reformed church, Collegeville, next Sunday morning, service beginning at 9:30 a. m. All invited.

Harvest Home services will be held on Sunday morning, September 16, at 9:30 a. m. t.

COLLISION OF AUTOS

Saturday morning, the automobiles of Newton Godshall, of Collegeville, and Wilmer Allebach, of Trappe, collided at the intersection of Fifth avenue and Main street, Collegeville. Both cars were considerably damaged. The drivers escaped injury.

AT BETHANY ANNIVERSARY

Among the 15,000 at the 65th annual anniversary of the Bethany Orphans' Home of the Reformed church at Womelsdorf on Thursday were the following local people: Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Landes, Yerkies; Mr. and Mrs. George Dannehorst, Yerkies; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kriebel, Graterford; and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fenstermacher, Collegeville.

BENEFICIAL ASSOC'N MEETING

The meeting of the Collegeville Beneficial Association, which was to have been held on Monday evening, September 3, will be held on Monday evening, September 10, in Odd Fellows' hall, Collegeville.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U., of Collegeville, will meet at the home of Mrs. Esther Wanner, Fifth avenue, west, on Wednesday, September 12, at 1:30 a. m.

COUNTY PRISON OVERCROWDED

Tuesday morning there were 223 inmates in the county prison at Norristown, the largest number in the history of that penal institution.

An American Legion drum corps was formed at Phoenixville and Roy Beber was elected president.

RED AND GOLD CROWN

Collegeville High School

The 1928 vacation has gone the way of many previous ones. Doubtless there are many who are not yet ready for school to open. But be that as it may, the time has arrived to forget the yearnings of vacation and turn the mind towards the more serious things of life.

The number of pupils, registered on Thursday and Friday, came up to expectations. The grades and number of pupils registered are as follows: Grade 1, 22; grade 2, 13; grade 3, 14; grade 4, 19; grade 5, 12; grade 6, 13; grade 7, 17; grade 8, 16; total 127; grade 9, 62; grade 10, 42; grade 11, 26; grade 12, 17; total, 147; total in school 274.

We had quite a heavy registration of beginners and freshmen. There are still quite a few of the upper classes to be heard from.

Unfortunately, there appear to be only about 55 or 60 boys in the high school, so that the prospects for the football season are very, very dim. There are more boys in the freshman class this year than last, but it takes time to learn football.

On the other hand the prospects for successful girls athletics are very bright. With an enrollment of about 100 girls there will be plenty of applicants for positions, and there is nothing that makes a person play harder or pay more attention to condition, than the realization that there is some one to take your place as soon as there is a let down. We shall look to the girls then to carry on the banners of C. H. S. while the boys have a breathing spell.

The teachers for the year 1928-29 are as follows, Miss Annie Smith, teacher of grades 1 and 2; Miss E. Lucille Blum, grades 3 and 4; Mr. Guy J. Meyer, grades 5 and 6; The high school faculty will consist of the following: Mrs. Harold Allebach, social sciences; Miss Grace Kauffman, Latin and French and boys and girls' glee clubs; Miss Helen M. Hoag, commercial subjects; Mr. Allen Glass, science and director of boys athletics; Miss Mabel Fritsch, mathematics and director of girls athletics; Miss Aurelia English, English and librarian; Howard B. Keyser, supervising principal.

PAL AT GRATERFORD PEN

One of the convicts at the new Graterford Barracks of the Eastern Penitentiary was seriously injured by being hit over the head with an iron pipe wielded by a fellow prisoner who suddenly became temporarily demented on Tuesday evening. One of the prisoners sleeping on the third floor of the old Landis farm house now used as a barracks when he suddenly jumped up in a crazed frenzy and began to "clean house". The other convicts who were playing cards or lounging around piled out in a hurry. Captain Elmer Leichter, warden in charge, heard the commotion and rushed out into the yard and took the pipe from the man and took him in charge. Several prisoners were struck but only one seriously hurt. The one who is in a serious condition was struck along the side of the head. Dr. Wright, of Skipack, administered first aid and the man was then rushed to the Philadelphia "Pen" where he remains in a very serious condition. The excitement took place a little before 10 o'clock. The deranged man after being quieted appeared sane again. He was sent back to the Philadelphia Pen for observation on Wednesday.

RAHNS NEWS

Charles Smith and family, of this place, and Paul Copenhaver and family, of Abington, made a week-end trip to Wysox, Pa., to visit Rev. Charles Smith, Jr., a family.

Alex D. Reed and family spent the week end in Atlantic City.

Wm. Cahill, Jr., of Norristown, and James Cahill, of Philadelphia, visited their mother last week.

J. F. Klein and family returned from their trip to Canada, where they spent several weeks visiting relatives. They also visited Niagara Falls, the Thousand Islands and other points of interest. John says "It is very interesting to make such a trip, but the finest part of it is, that you are always glad to get back home."

George Miller and family are spending the week with his mother in Philadelphia.

FIVE HURT IN CRASH OF

In a collision of autos, Monday forenoon, at the intersection of Evansburg road and Ridge pipe, five adults were injured and in infant child escaped injury. Joseph Heitzman's car, owned by him, was involved in the crash. The car in which the Heitzmans was struck and overturned (as it was passing another car by about a make a left hand turn) by a car driven by Harry McGill, of Wilmington. The injured, all of Philadelphia, were: Mr. and Mrs. Heitzman, William Toland, Margaret Spillman and Catharine Heitzman. Mrs. Heitzman was the most seriously injured, her collar bone being fractured. All received first aid treatment by Dr. W. Z. Anders before being taken to Montgomery Hospital, Norristown. McGill was arrested by a State patrolman and taken before "Squire Scheuren who imposed a fine of \$25 for reckless driving. The car in which the Heitzmans and Toland were riding was upset by the impact when McGill's heavy car crashed into the other two cars. McGill is a cripple having one hand cut off at the wrist and one foot being deformed. A six months' old baby being held by Mrs. Heitzman was thrown out on the road but not injured.

COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

The annual Montgomery County Teachers' Institute is in progress in the Eisenhower high school, Norristown, this week, with County Superintendent Kulp in charge. Prominent educators are listed for addresses throughout the four-day program.

Seven hundred and fifty Montgomery county teachers from 59 school districts are enrolled. 769 teachers are eligible. The Lower Merion district, 210 strong, will attend Thursday and Friday. Norristown and Pottstown districts are not included.

GRATERFORD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kraus and sons of Philadelphia spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kline and family. George Hafner was a guest on Labor Day with the Klines.

Perky League team beat the Lancaster Eighth Ward club 5-1 in a twilight game here on Friday evening.

The McClintie-Marshall Company, of Pottstown, was awarded the contract for the new bridge over the Reading tracks at Bridgeport.

PHILADELPHIA PICNICER IS

DROWNED AT SPRING MOUNT

While swimming in the Perkiomen creek at the Spring Mount dam Jack Rosen, aged 26 years, of Philadelphia, was drowned at 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon. Rosen with his wife and several Philadelphia friends were spending the day at Spring Mount. After eating lunch Rosen went in swimming several hundred feet above the dam breast while his wife and their friends looked on from the bank. When in the middle of the creek, which is about 100 feet wide, Rosen suddenly gave a call for help and sank. Other bathers and several boats in the vicinity immediately rushed to his rescue but he never came up again and his body could not be located. Sensing someone had gone under James Smith, of Spring Mount, who conducts a boat landing near the dam grabbed his grappling hook and rowed up to the spot where Rosen sank. Smith in a short time recovered the body with his hook and brought it to shore at the boat landing.

A pulmotor was immediately put on the unfortunate man and Doctors J. M. Markley and R. C. Moore, of Schwenksville, summoned. Both doctors arrived in a short time but all attempts at resuscitation proved futile. The body of Rosen was in the water about 20 minutes and a half hour before it was recovered. The water was over eight feet deep where Rosen, who was a fairly good swimmer, sank. It is thought he was attacked with a heart affection or cramps. A Philadelphia undertaker took charge of the body. Rosen's wife and friends could not swim and were forced to stand on the bank and watch the unfortunate man sink to his watery grave without being able to render assistance.

BARN BLAZE STARTED BY A

COW KICKING OVER LANTERN

A cow kicking over a lantern at 6 o'clock Thursday morning set fire to the large barn on the farm of Robert W. Errington along the Skipack creek in Skipack township. The entire stone and frame structure was destroyed along with the contents consisting of the season's crops and all the farming implements. The live stock was saved and two automobile trucks were driven before the fire reached the wagon house built on to the barn, which was also destroyed. The farm was formerly known as the Abram C. Detwiler farm.

Errington went to the barn early Thursday morning with a lantern to do the morning chores. After he had finished milking he set the lantern in the entry and proceeded to chase the cows out into the barn yard. The last cow to be loosened jumped over the stalls into the entry and kicked over the lantern. The next instant there was a blaze. Errington succeeded in getting the rest of the animals and horses out and then phoned for the fire companies. But due to the long run of over three miles neither the Skipack or Collegeville apparatus were put into action as the barn was a mass of ruins before the firemen arrived. The loss was about \$10,000 partly covered by insurance.

MANY ATTEND FAMOUS PICNIC

One of the largest crowds in history, estimated at over 5,000, attended the annual old Goshenhoppen Sunday School picnic in the grove adjoining the old Goshenhoppen church near Woxall on Saturday. The all-day picnic is the largest annual affair in the history of the Perkiomen valley and is known among the Pennsylvania Germans in that section as the "oyster picnic" because here the first oysters of the season are served. People in a radius of many miles make this annual pilgrimage to the historic old Goshenhoppen church. The Red Hill Band furnished music throughout the day. Over 16,000 oysters were served during the day in various styles. 1500 quarts of ice cream, 150 pounds of "hot dogs," 150 dozen rolls, a truck load of soft drinks and 35 gallons of coffee were consumed.

PERKIOMEN LEAGUE BASEBALL

Perkiomen League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Schwenksville	15	4	.789
Graterford	10	9	.526
Collegeville	9	8	.529
Skipack	6	11	.353
Trappe	4	13	.235

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Perky and Bux-Mont Champs Meet

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Specially Reported

ERECTION OF SCHOOL HOUSE

AT MONT CLARE POSTPONED

The Upper Providence school directors recently held a special meeting to go over the bids received for the new two room schoolhouse at Mont Clare. Considerable discussion took place in view of the fact that the bids received were considerably under the estimate of the architect, yet three members of the Board felt that the bids were entirely too high for what they were getting, and voted the proposition down. Suggestions were made that the Board try to purchase a second hand portable school building for the present, under the demand for room. Still another suggestion was that the Secretary be instructed to write to the authorities at Harrisburg and get the plans and specifications for a two room and a four room building, and get prices. However, the architects' fee for the building which the Board received bids on are over \$1100, which, if other action is taken, is thrown to the winds, and conditions at Mont Clare remain just the same.

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RAMBLING AT RANDOM

BY JAY HOWARD

Sunday morning we gave some serious thought to the rumor about "a hard winter coming."

The famous "oyster stew" at the Goshenhoppen picnic went great on Saturday in the cool weather.

The question is, "Did one continuous rain reign this summer was it a reign of continuous rains?"

The Perkiomen valley resort business was hit hard over the Labor Day holidays by the cool weather and rain.

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E. S. MOSER, Editor and Proprietor.

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HELL IN PHILADELPHIA!

There are two, and only two, opposing potentialities involved in the processes of Nature. These potentialities are CONSTRUCTIVE and DESTRUCTIVE. They are distinctly revealed in life growth and development; in the life and death of every human being. The same potentialities determine all that is relatively good and relatively evil as manifested by the multifarious activities of mankind everywhere, and everywhere includes Philadelphia—the Quaker city, the loudly and justly proclaimed birthplace of constitutional human liberty.

The constructive potentiality is clearly evidenced in all human acts and deeds revealing goodness, usefulness, helpfulness, and all other benign influences exerted by human conduct, as expressed by the individual units of society, and by society as a whole. Society is never better nor never worse than the combined influence of the units of its citizenry.

The destructive potentiality is clearly evidenced in all human acts and deeds comprehending every form of human wickedness; in every dereliction that augurs against the physical and moral well-being of the individual and of society, as a whole. Every crime, whether detected or not, is a destructive influence, every act of dishonesty, every wilful lie, every act of hypocrisy, of deceit, or any act of moral laxity arising from the relationships of human existence are destructive in character. All acts of injustice, all acts of bigoted intolerance, under whatever righteous (?) guise are destructive.

As they concern the activities of mankind the CONSTRUCTIVE potentiality reveals HEAVEN on earth. The DESTRUCTIVE potentiality reveals HELL on earth. If the time ever arrives when there will be more of hell than of heaven on earth, the "when" will be brief, because civilizations will go upon the rocks and perish!

In this year of 1928, Philadelphia is one of the numerous centers of hell on earth. Its good citizens represent a very large majority. They—a relatively few of them—are fighting hell; facing a whirlwind of human depravity. Prior to Prohibition and Volsteadism, surely Philadelphia was sufficiently wicked to indicate its full share of depravity. With its corrupt partisan politics, with its laxity and extravagance and dishonesty in public life, with its election frauds borne of its loyalty to partisan political bosses and crooks, with its voters either remaining at home cussing boss politics or going to the polls and supporting the powers of hell, for the ostensible purpose of saving the Union from "too-low-a-tariff; with—but why go further: Philadelphia had its ample share of hell before—Prohibition. Now its cohorts of hell have multiplied. A crime creating law attracted the special attention and undivided interest of the "underworld" where crimes are hatched and full-fledged criminals saunter forth from the depths of iniquity, and shock the sensibilities of Philadelphia's remaining decent citizenry—who, of course, represent a very large majority of the city's population. However, the lethargy of majorities and the tyrannies of minorities (including those making loud claims in behalf of righteousness) are notorious in a land of constitutional freedom and liberty.

The war upon the "underworld" section of Philadelphia is on. The populace, generally speaking, is on tip-toe wondering what is going to happen! One Judge Lewis, a District Attorney with the rear cognomen Monaghan, and Davis, a Director of Public Safety, are the prime movers against the logical sequences of causative Volsteadism. Judge Lewis, from the bench, rightfully anathematized the criminals grouped in their hellish machination for self-enrichment; grouped in their control of the making, distribution and sale of alcohol; in the control of sufficient policemen for the protection of the law-breaking villains reaping rich harvests of ill-gotten gains. District Attorney Monaghan, heeding the special call to arms has started Napoleonic hostilities against the higher-up, middle-up, and lower-down violators of the Volstead law. Fine work—in the direction of redeeming, in part, Philadelphia from hell! The revelations of the hell of "the underworld" in the Quaker city, as pictured by Judge Lewis, are astounding, if not surprising. The revelations characterize a phase of a "noble experiment." Evidently District Attorney Monaghan is a courageous and determined prosecuting officer. He is not purchasable. He is not afraid. Judge Lewis will "fix" the "feet" of every "underworld" and upper-world criminal—grafter or other—found guilty in his court. The violators of even a crime-breeding law should be dealt with according to law—the only plan whereby to finally and ultimately determine the worth or the worthlessness of limiting by legal procedures the personal habits of mankind. The extirpation or extinguishment of a hell's quarter in Philadelphia may establish a marvelous precedent in support of a "noble experiment." Meanwhile, perchance, there may appear reasons, sufficient to even a Volsteadian, to at least indicate that nowhere can hell be permanently subdued by laws creating hell. Nevertheless, every effort should be exerted to enforce all laws and minimize hell.

WASHINGTON REBUKED BIGOTRY.

Observing the attempts, here and there, of parsons and others, to frighten electors, it would appear timely to refer to a letter in the library of Congress written by George Washington, about 1795, to the members of the New Church in Baltimore, a Baptist congregation, in which he declared:

We have abundant reason to rejoice that in this land the light of truth and reason has triumphed over the power of bigotry and superstition (sic), and that every person may here worship God according to the dictates of his own heart. In this enlightened age and in this land of equal liberty it is our boast that a man's religious tenets will not forfeit the protection of the laws, nor deprive him of the right of attaining and holding the highest offices that are known in the United States.

If the power of the people of the United States is so weak as to preclude the election of any honest and capable man to the Presidency, regardless of his religious beliefs, or non-religious beliefs, then this "government of, for, and by the people" might as well collapse.

PRAYER SHOULD WORK BOTH WAYS.

Rev. Dr. Straton, the pestiferous wind artist of New York city, claimed the rain, which marred the Smith acceptance ceremony was in direct answer to his prayers. Noting Straton's ridiculous claim, some Connecticut vacationists requested him to turn the rain off again. Inflated blatherskites, of the Straton type, must have their innings.

FROM Rutger's Chanticleer: Voice over Telephone: "John, come home right away. I've mixed the plugs in some way; the radio is all covered with frost and the electric ice box is singing 'Schultz is Back Again!'"

TRAIN HIT AUTO—THREE

MEMBERS OF FAMILY KILLED

Three members of a Norristown family of four were killed at 5:30 a. m. Saturday when their automobile was struck by a Philadelphia-bound freight train near Egg Harbor, N. J. The fourth member of the family was critically injured, as were the parents of the mother of the family. The dead: Albert M. Herrschaft, 36; Elizabeth, his wife, aged 34, and a daughter, Eleanor, 8. The injured: Marion, 5, youngest daughter of the couple, and Mr. and Mrs. John Daly, aged 55 and 57, parents of Mrs. Herrschaft.

The injured were rushed to the Atlantic City Hospital where no hope is held for the older persons and very slight hope held for the recovery of the little girl. The party was on route from their home to Wildwood, N. J., to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Daly, uncle and aunt of the dead couple.

SIGNAL UNHEEDED—FOUR DIE

WHEN TRAIN STRUCK AUTO

Stroudsburg, September 2, 1928.—Four persons, three of them members of one family, were killed at the Gravel Place, near here, late last night when their automobile was struck by a Lackawanna train. They were Paul Phillips, 44; his two daughters, Elizabeth, 8, and Anna, 6, of Brushy Mountain, and A. Victor Thoma, 40, of Stroudsburg. The auto was until recently was a watchman at the crossing. He had been visiting at the Phillips home and was returning to Stroudsburg. Edwin Hoffman, present watchman at the crossing, said he attempted to warn Phillips, who was driving the car, of the approaching train, but that apparently he had not seen his signals. The auto was carried nearly 150 yards on the front of the locomotive before the train was stopped.

LUTHERAN ORPHANAGE

GARDEN PARTY

The Young People's Auxiliary of the Lutheran Orphanage will give a garden party on Saturday, September 8, on the grounds of the institution, 6950 Germantown avenue, Philadelphia. This organization recently erected the baby house of Pennsylvanian and Republican leader of Montgomery county, will be dedicated Wednesday, September 12, with President Judge J. Burnett Holland, of the Orphans Court, as orator of the occasion. Those present will include prominent state and county officers. The State Hospital Band will render a concert prior to the formal ceremonies.

CHARLES JOHNSON COTTAGE

AT STATE HOSPITAL

Dedication of the Charles Johnson cottage, at Norristown State Hospital, named in honor of the present Secretary of Commerce, of Pennsylvania and Republican leader of Montgomery county, will be dedicated Wednesday, September 12, with President Judge J. Burnett Holland, of the Orphans Court, as orator of the occasion. Those present will include prominent state and county officers. The State Hospital Band will render a concert prior to the formal ceremonies.

WORKER INSTANTLY KILLED

BY EXPLODING DYNAMITE

Stepping forward to investigate the failure of a stick of dynamite to explode in the quarry of Weinman Company, Henderson Station, John Lipchik, aged 33, of Swedeland, met a horrible death, Saturday afternoon. His head was torn open, and his body was otherwise mutilated by the flying fragments of the delayed explosion. He is survived by his wife and three children. Lipchik was bending over the stick investigating why it had not gone off when it suddenly exploded.

POTTSTOWN COMPANY WON BIG

MOTOR CONTRACT

The Light Manufacturing & Foundry Company, of Pottstown, has been awarded the contract for 600 six-cylinder radial type airplane motors for an American-French concern in New York. The contract will total between \$400,000 and \$500,000 and will keep the plant in operation at top speed for at least 18 months. Employment will be given to about 60 additional men.

KILLED IN FALL FROM BEAM

David Eckman, thirty-one, Penn Square, died at Montgomery Hospital at 10 o'clock Thursday night from injuries sustained during the afternoon when he fell twenty-five feet and landed upon his head at the plant of the Diamond State Fibre Company at Bridgeport. At the hospital it was found that Eckman had fractured his skull. He never regained consciousness. The wife and eight children survive. Eckman, a structural steel worker, was walking out on a beam on a new building operation, when he lost his footing.

FARM CALENDAR

Silage a Good Feed.—Corn silage is the best and most economical form of succulence for winter feeding in this state. It also provides an economical feed when pastures dry up in late summer. Silage can be handled more easily and economically at this time than silencing crops can.

Ventilate for Health.—Good ventilation of barns helps to maintain more uniform temperature, keep stock healthier, and eliminate the frost nuisance. Provide it now so good conditions will be available for the coming winter.

Save Wheat from Moth.—Wheat should not be allowed to lie unthreshed in the mow. An extended period of hot weather will result in great damage from moths.

Feed the Flowers.—Dahlias are the show flowers for this month. Water the plants freely and fertilize well to produce strong roots and perfect flowers.

Continue Spraying.—Do not stop spraying potatoes now or the late blight will soon shorten the growing period. Many farmers find that the yield is increased 25 bushels an acre each week in which growth can be extended at this time of the year. Increased profits are the result of consistent spraying.

"TEN COMMANDMENTS" FOR

HAPPY HUSBAND AND WIFE

On the fortieth anniversary of his marriage, Superior Court Judge Sabath, who is known as the "Solomon of Chicago divorce courts," has laid down two sets of marital "Ten Commandments."

Suggestion to the wife:

1. Do not let yourself be treated as a weak dependent little thing.
2. Do not be afraid to soil your hands.
3. Do not be afraid of the big thing in life—motherhood.
4. Do not make fun and tease your husband by idle flirtation, for you do not realize that you are stirring a fire which may eventually destroy you, and that your home is built upon shifting sands.
5. Show your husband that you love him and that he has your undivided affection—that he is the one man in your life.
6. Make your husband assume the responsibilities of your home life, in co-operation with you, beyond financing it.
7. Avoid relatives' interference.
8. Give careful and personal attention to your husband's breakfast and meet him in the evening with a kiss.
9. Do not hold him to a strict accounting of all the promises he made as a lover, nor sing to him the praises of other women's husbands, suggesting how much more generous they are than he.
10. Do not treat your husband as if he were a trespasser in his own home.

Suggestions to the husband:

1. Be faithful and kind to your wife.
 2. Make her a real partner and pal.
 3. Take her into your confidence and be a good fellow in every phase of your relationship with her.
 4. Discuss all your problems, good or bad, with her, and bear in mind that she is not petty nor small.
 5. Show her that you actually love her.
 6. Permit no other lover to come between you and your wife.
 7. Avoid relatives' interference.
 8. Respect your wife's father and mother.
 9. Supply her with sufficient funds to run the home comfortably.
 10. Do not commit indiscretions that will lay you open to the suspicion of graver things.
- "I am still on my honeymoon," declared the Judge with a smile.

FEED COWS SOME GRAIN TO

HELP SHORT PASTURE

Cows that go into winter quarters in a thin condition cannot be expected to do full duty at the milk pail. It will also cost more to bring them back into flesh than if they had received grain during the pasture season, says County Agent R. G. Waltz. Dairy cows that have not been getting grain this summer will do better if they are fed extra grain at this time. This is especially true of cows that do not freshen until winter or next spring. When cows become reduced in flesh it is practically impossible to bring them back into production. Supplementing short pasture with extra feed is profitable to the dairyman.

WEEKLY HEALTH TALK

"In the great desire of officials to protect the health welfare of the child, that of the parents is sometimes overlooked. And nothing emphasizes this fact more than the general solicitation that everyone has for the children's vacation," says Dr. Theodore B. Appel, Secretary of Health.

"However much the youngsters require wholesome recreation and change during the vacation period, grown-ups must realize that they too are in need of diversion and rest. Recently, a man who has steadily worked for two years, bought a ticket for Europe and gave it to his twenty-four year old daughter to use. Father continues at his desk!"

Now the motive in this particular case was perfectly fine, but those parents who "live for their children" in some instances would be better off, and in the end would do much more for their children, if they would live a little bit for themselves.

"Sacrifice is a parental instinct. However, when it is carried to the point of depriving one of a needed rest in order that the younger people in the family may get it all, then such sacrifice is no longer logical or sensible.

"Older people owe it to themselves to get away from the daily grind of office, factory or housework. And quite as much as the children are apt to need rest, fresh air and a severance from exacting routine.

"Therefore, if you are among the hundreds of parents, who during the past summer have deprived themselves of a vacation in order that the children might have one, consider this question carefully. If necessary, make a little more sacrifice and take a vacation yourself. The chances are that you need one for your own sake, for your children's sake and your health's sake.

"With the best vacation days of the year yet to come, plan now to get your due."

Pastures Need Care—Permanent

pastures need manure, lime, and fertilizer to keep them in a highly productive state, according to farm crop specialists of the Pennsylvania State College.

Culling Young Stock.—Sell as broilers all pullets that are now developing as well as the average of the flock. These small weak birds are the first to contract a disease and never do make profitable producers.

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FARM CALENDAR

Control Wheat Smut.—Stinking smut is the worst disease of wheat in this state. Last year it destroyed 1,400,000 bushels of grain for Pennsylvania farmers, besides inflicting losses through dockage of smutty wheat. Two and one-half ounces of copper carbonate dust will treat a bushel of seed. It is better to control than to pay smut toll.

Take Care of Eggs.—Keep the nests clean and on rainy days do not allow the birds to run out of doors until late in the afternoon. Provide one nest for every four hens. Market the eggs at least twice a week.



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Flakewhite Shortening carton 17c

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DUZ "Does It" big pkg 19c
3 small pkgs 20c

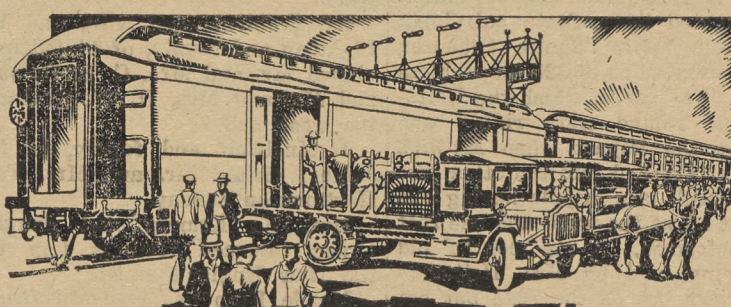
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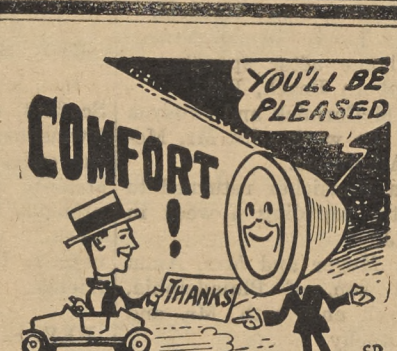
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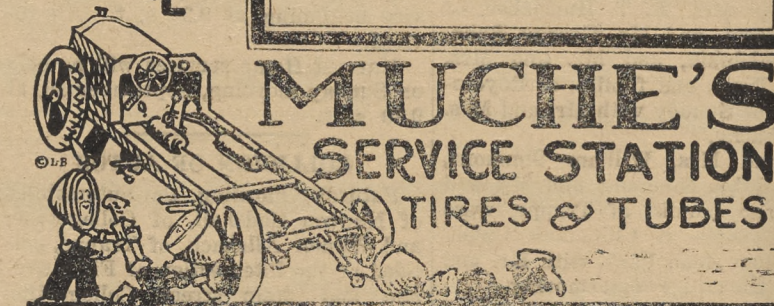


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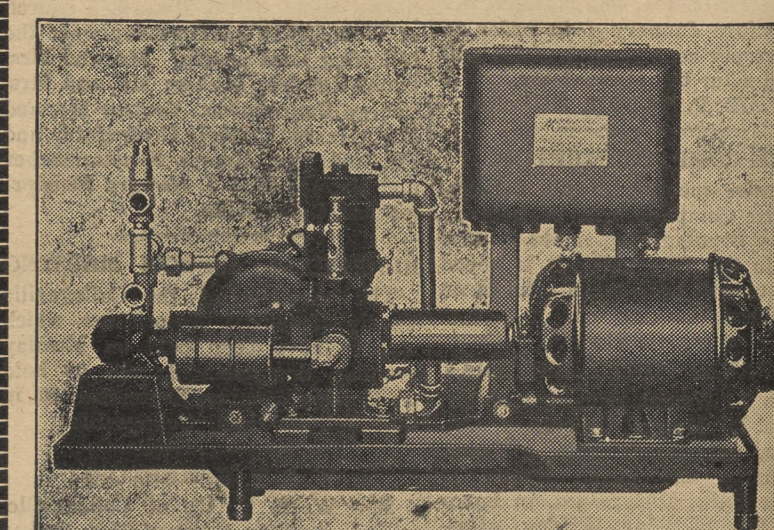
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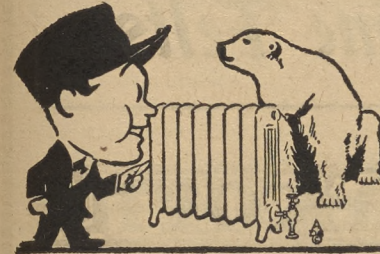
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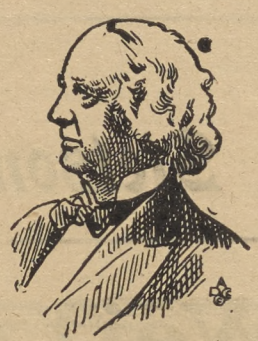
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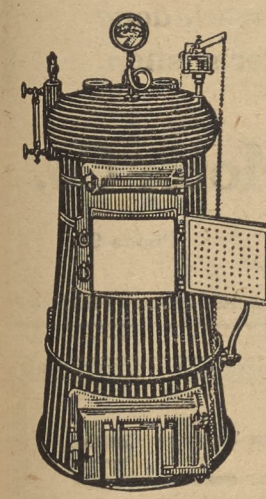


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MARTHA'S MENDING BASKET

MARTHA WELLS thrust her hand into a sock, scrutinized the holes revealed and resolutely set to work upon them with her darning needle. Mrs. Fancher, her next-door neighbor, watched Martha thoughtfully.

"I don't believe in all the years I have known you ever saw your hands idle—except when they had to be in church," she said.

"Well, I've had something to do to bring up my family," Martha replied. "I used to think of a Saturday night when I sat down with my mending basket. It was as hot as the sun."

"You remember that old story we used to love when we went to school? Many a Sunday came near catching me with a needle in my hand." She laughed softly. "But now it is different. Jack has a wife to darn his stockings. Lella darns her own, and Lloyd won't wear darned stockings, anyway. Complaints his feet are tender. So I have only my Warren's and my own."

"I hate to darn stockings," said Mrs. Fancher.

Martha clipped off a thread expertly. "Well, I've hated a good many things I have had to do. Still, hating doesn't give you an excuse for not doing them." She proceeded to put a beautiful darn in her youngest son's sock.

After Mrs. Fancher had returned home Martha sat thinking about the past as she emptied her work-basket.

She had married at seventeen to escape from her father's new wife, a harsh, coarse woman, who, in addition to her newly acquired family, had three children of her own. Warren Wells had loved her and though he had been poor he gave her a peaceful shelter and protection. In time she had learned to love him dearly. He had died when her oldest son was twelve.

There had been four children and little enough to support them. Until Jack was eighteen she had known great poverty, but because she had the wit that turns even a cheap soupbone into a porthouse and mushroom meal her children had not suffered nor her neighbors suspected.

Her children had that same wit inherited from her, and soon Jack and Lella and Lloyd were doing for themselves and helping her a bit with Warren, the youngest. Now she and Warren were alone and they were both living comfortably on Warren's salary.

A slender woman with white hair, in her black hair, direct-gazing dark eyes and thin red lips was Martha. Life had faded her, repressed her, numbed her impulses and cooled her ambitions.

"May be I would do better if I had it all to do over again—and may be I wouldn't do so well," she summed up.

She was stirring up biscuit for supper when Warren came home a bit earlier than usual. Warren was twenty-two, a fine, handsome young fellow. He leaned against the kitchen cabinet and watched his mother reflectively.

Martha looked up at him, reading his face with her keen mother eyes. "What is it, son? Out with it," Warren flushed.

"I'm engaged to Helen Dodge," he said.

For an instant Martha's motions were arrested. The biscuit-cutter dropped from her capable fingers. Warren engaged! Her baby boy! Well, it was natural, and Helen was a nice girl. Jack had married at the same age. Lella and Lloyd, the twins, had been gone a long time in the city where they lived single lives in the business world, Lella as private secretary, Lloyd as a business manager. They did not need her. But Warren did; that is, he had. She smiled to hide the quiver of her lips.

"I congratulate you, son. When shall you bring her home?"

"We're going to be married soon. I can't wait long for Helen. You don't mind, mother? It will be just the same for you after she comes, you know, except that we'll be happier."

"Sure," Martha reached up her face. He kissed her, fondled her a bit. "Now run away. You're holding up the process of supper-getting."

Helen was coming soon! Warren did not know what that would mean to his mother. Helen would be mistress of the house. She would simply have to step down and out. She glanced about the neat kitchen. Of course, Warren had supplied the house and everything in it. She really was only his housekeeper until Helen arrived.

She whistled all the time the biscuits were baking and the steak broiling. She was a good cook, none better. But she knew that Helen had been particularly well trained. Helen wouldn't need to learn from her. Oh, well! She could always go visiting. Wasn't that what old women always did when they were no longer useful at home—go visiting?

"But I am not an old woman yet," her heart shrieked fiercely.

After supper Warren went to spend the evening with his fiancée and Mrs. Fancher came in for her second visit that day. Being an old friend as well as a next-door neighbor, Mrs. Fancher came whenever she pleased, always sure of hearty welcome.

"I hear Warren and Helen are engaged," she said. "Helen's mother just hinted it to me over the telephone. She is very much pleased. She looked at Martha closely.

"I'm pleased, too," Martha returned, diving into her mending basket, still full of Warren's socks. Naturally Helen would want to darn his socks herself. Without doubt Warren would no longer need her tender mothering.

"I suppose you'll all live together?" Mrs. Fancher queried.

"Oh, yes! Of course it will give me a chance to do some visiting. I shall go to see Jack and my twins."

"Oh, visiting!" said Mrs. Fancher. "I know what that is. I tried it after my husband died—visiting round on my children. But I was mighty glad I had kept my old home for myself."

Martha smiled. Mrs. Fancher had money. She had none.

Again Mrs. Fancher returned home and Martha was left alone with her mending basket. Tears began to roll down her face. She wiped them away with Warren's sock. Suddenly she hid her face in the thing.

"I'm afraid I am started on a regular boo-hoo!" she told herself.

She heard somebody fumbling at the doorknob and started erect. She wiped her eyes hastily and was ready with her smile when the door

opened and her visitor entered.

It was Lella, her daughter! Lella, slim and chic, in black and white, carrying an smart over-shoulder bag.

"I ran away," Lella said. "I just had to get down here to see you. Besides, Lloyd wanted me to come. Mother, we've made up our minds that we need you just as much as Warren does. It isn't fair for him to have you all the while. You ought to be ours part of the time."

"What do you mean?" Martha asked. They hadn't heard then that Warren was going to be married.

"Lloyd is sick of boarding and I am tired of the room-bath-and-kitchen-expense. And, anyway, the girl I have been sharing with is going to be married. So Lloyd and I think we'd like a real home—a nice apartment of about four rooms. That is, if we can get you to keep house for us. Let Warren board for a while; it won't hurt him to learn to appreciate you as much as we have."

She stopped. For Martha's face was working horribly as she tried to control her surprise, her joy, her gratitude. She held out her arms and Lella went into them just as if she were a little girl kneeling beside her mother's chair.

Clinging thus to each other they talked everything over.

"And mother," Lella said earnestly in conclusion, "don't fail to bring this old mending basket. I've got a whole drawerful of rag doll heads that are simply shouting for your darning needle."

Getting Her Education From Electric Signs

The child lived on the tenth floor of a downtown apartment building. She had no show playmates and so few opportunities for playing that she made what she could see through the tenth-story window her companions.

Birds, with big black wings, swooping across the sky; occasionally an airplane, which, for many months, she regarded as a giant bird; the tops of trees away down below; the fairy clouds of pink and gold, and, as the twilight hour drew on, the bright electric signs.

She learned her letters on the signs that flashed out with the setting of the sun. She could spell rubber, theater and a brand of chewing gum before she could spell cat or dog. Not all the letters of the alphabet are flashed on the sky at night, so that she is growing up with an alphabet which is much restricted. She is being educated in a manner not possible for a child in many cities.—New York Sun

FEED PASTURE FIELDS TO KEEP THEM FERTILE

Pasture fields, like those producing crops, decrease in fertility from year to year unless the plant food elements removed are returned to the soil, declares County Agent R. G. Walz.

Every farmer knows that without manure or the turning under of clover sods and fertilizing the cultivated crops with proper chemical fertilizer, the maximum returns in both yields and profits cannot be expected. Although few realize it, the same thing is true of permanent pastures but in a somewhat less degree.

A dairy cow uses the lime and phosphorus in the grass and clover for milk production and for replenishing the deficiency of these elements in her body. The young growing animal uses the same elements for bone development. All animals make use of the protein for flesh building or milk.

As a result permanent pastures in time become depleted of lime and phosphorus as well as nitrogen. As these elements become depleted in the soil the vegetation changes from desirable grazing plants to poverty grass and useless weeds.

The best permanent grazing plants are Kentucky blue grass and white clover. Both of these stand close grazing and the ordinary tramping while grazed. Their disappearance in a pasture in Pennsylvania in practically every instance is due to the soil conditions becoming unfavorable for their growth and not because of the tramping or heavy grazing. Blue grass in practically all sections of Pennsylvania comes in as a weed where soil conditions are favorable. Abundant proof of this is shown in the difficulty in keeping an alfalfa field over a number of years on account of the blue grass coming in and crowding it out. Wherever conditions are favorable for blue grass white clover also comes in. These two plants are valuable for pasture not only because they withstand severe grazing and tramping but also because of their high percentage of protein, lime, and phosphorus.

Any good blue grass and white clover pasture can be maintained indefinitely if limed occasionally and top-dressed with 300 to 400 pounds of acid phosphate per acre. The value of this treatment has been amply demonstrated in a large number of pasture demonstrations throughout the State. How often the lime and fertilizer should be applied is not definitely known. Probably a ton of lime every five years and an application of 300 or 400 pounds of acid phosphate or a mixture of acid phosphate and potash is not far out of the way.

Top-dressing with manure also gives excellent returns and at times when there is no field on the farm ready to receive the manure, no farmer should hesitate to manure the pasture field. The manure may be applied at any time during the year. The same is true with the lime and fertilizer.

COUNTIES THAT LED IN 1927

Montgomery had the highest yield of potatoes per acre.

Adams produced the most apples.

Berks produced the most oats and led in the production of rye.

Bradford raised the most buckwheat and produced the most honey.

Bucks produced the most peaches.

Chester secured the highest yield of oats per acre.

Delaware produced the most hay per acre.

Franklin produced the most peaches.

Greene led in the number of sheep and amount of wool produced.

Lancaster led in 1927 in total production of corn, wheat, tobacco and hay; in acre yield of corn; in number of milk cows and total produced; in number of chickens on farms and eggs produced and in number of horses.

Lehigh produced the most potatoes.

Philadelphia county produced the most wheat per acre.

Potter secured the highest yield of rye per acre.

York had the most wine.

HALF DOLLARS WILL PASS OUT WITHIN A FEW YEARS

Half dollars, like silver dollars, will be unknown within a few years, according to Robert J. Grant, "boss" of the United States Mints.

The smaller paper dollar bill in the country in circulation, will accelerate the exit of the silver dollar, and, according to Grant, people would rather have two quarters than one fifty cent piece.

"No half dollars have been coined in the east in the last six years," said Grant. "The coinage of silver dollars has almost stopped too."

"Two years ago we tried to popularize the use of silver dollars in the East. We put 10 million silver dollars in circulation but they were all back in the banks in a few weeks. The people just won't use them, and now half dollars are seldom seen in the east although you will see a few in the west."

"We tried to popularize the silver dollar because it costs the government less to keep silver money in circulation than it does paper money. It costs three cents a year to keep every paper dollar bill in the country in circulation whereas it costs less than one cent to coin a silver dollar and a silver dollar won't wear out and need replacing as a paper dollar will."

UTILITY COMPANY BOOKLET

Ten thousand employees of Philadelphia Suburban-Cities Gas and Electric Company have received a booklet, "Telephone Courtesy"—issued by the company to promote courteous, prompt and efficient service over the telephone to its more than 200,000 customers.

Wm. H. Taylor, president, with the booklet, issued a statement calling attention of the executives, department and division heads to the importance of telephone contact with the customers and the necessity of efficient and courteous service at all times and in all circumstances. While the number of complaints from customers has been relatively few in view of the large number of telephone calls, the purpose of the booklet is to improve the service to every customer by furnishing to every customer the very best service possible. It is an excellent and helpful publication.

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ARGUMENT OVER FISH

Clarence Hillegas and Richard Schantz, both of Allentown, while fishing along the Perkiomen, near Oaks, got into an argument as to who had caught the largest fish. According to Hillegas, now suffering with a fractured skull in Montgomery Hospital, he was struck on the head with a club by Schantz, who, it is thought took the afternoon train for Allentown. The police of that city were requested to locate and arrest Schantz. Hillegas is in a serious condition.

SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE AT VALLEY FORGE

The Washington Memorial chapel choir of Valley Forge will present a special service of music on Sunday evening, September 9, at 7 o'clock s. t., preceded by a half hour recital on the National Peace Chimes by Saville King. A short sacred cantata by T. Fred. Candlyn entitled "The Four Horsemen" will be supplemented by Martin's Gladdening Light and Noble's "Souls of the Righteous." Harold P. Weand is tenor soloist and R. Maude Shenkle contralto soloist. The choir is under the direction of Marion G. Spangler and Eckel Riedel, the retiring organist, will be at the organ.

HELD AFTER CRASH

AS DRUNKEN DRIVER

After a collision of two automobiles on Ridge Pike, between Joshua road and Spring Mill road, in which one driver was seriously injured, the other operator was arrested by a member of the State Highway Patrol on a charge of driving an auto while under the influence of liquor.

Walter Hershey, Lafayette Hill, operator of the one car, sustained lacerations, contusions and internal injuries. The other driver, Karl Sorenson, of Philadelphia, was arrested by a State Highway patrolman and arraigned before Magistrate Clarence W. Scheuren, of Collegeville, on a charge of operating an auto while intoxicated. Squire Scheuren committed Sorenson to prison for the next term of court. Later Sorenson was released on \$2,500 bail. The accident happened on Sunday.

FLORIST CAPTURES 2,000,000

BEE TLAS AT JENKINTOWN
More than 2,000,000 Japanese beetles were caught in a month in a truck garden of the Reckless Farm, Jenkintown, in twenty traps improvised by Harold Frisell, florist on the farm, to which the insects were attracted by the smell of a solution recommended by the Department of Agriculture.

Frisell, a graduate of a Swedish horticultural college, made the traps out of empty white lead tins, placing two tins end to end with an inverted cone fitted into the top tin, the hole at the end of the cone leading into the lower tin.

"In one day, July 17, I caught seventy-four pounds of beetles in my traps," said Frisell. "I set them out on July 13, and kept count of the daily catch for about a month. During that time I caught approximately 500 pounds of beetles. I am convinced the traps vastly lessened the damage to the garden."

TWO DIE FROM POISON RUM

AT SCRANTON AFTER PICNIC
Scranton, Pa., Sept. 4.—Discovery by boys in Old Forge that a freight car on a siding contained "good alcohol," and the subsequent theft and sale of the wet goods in the town tonight has resulted in two deaths, with several other persons seriously ill, and almost 100 under care of doctors.

The "good alcohol" was nothing more than nonfreezing mixture for use in auto radiators. The boys took some of the alcohol, showed it to some men who promptly decided it was "good stuff." Then followed the theft of a good-sized amount, and the sale for from 25 to 50 cents a quart. General drinking of the poisonous liquor soon followed. Most of the victims drank it while at a firemen's picnic on Labor Day.

ELEVEN COWS DIE AFTER

EATING POISONED GRASS

Benjamin Malvis, a farmer near Haycock Run, lost eleven of a herd of fourteen cows. The cows died from the poisoning which they got, it is believed, on a neighboring farm, which is unoccupied. The owner of the unoccupied farm placed a poisonous chemical around the buildings and driveway to destroy weeds, and it is believed that the Malvis cattle wandered on the place and ate the poisoned grass. Malvis estimates his loss at \$2000.

ONE BLAST DISLODGED 85,000

TONS OF STONE

More than six tons of dynamite were used in a blast at the quarries of the Stowe Traprock Company on Friday. It is estimated that 85,000 tons of stone were moved by the blast, but so well calculated was the explosion that spectators stood at points of vantage nearby and were in no danger from flying fragments.

TELLS HOW TO KILL HARDY

TREE STUMPS

Harrisburg, September 1, 1928.—"How can I prevent Carolina poplar stumps from sprouting?" is a question frequently asked the Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters.

Experiments have proven that the following formula is effective: Arsenic, 1 pound; washing soda, 1 pound and water, 4 gallons. To prepare this solution, dissolve the soda in a convenient amount of water. Then add the arsenic previously made into a thin paste, with the remainder of the water. Bore several holes into the stump, six to eight inches in depth, and pour the solution into the holes and around the base of the stump. This will invariably destroy the entire root growth.

Where it is the desire to remove the entire stump when on a lawn or near a pavement so as to cause as little damage as possible, an effective method is to bore a hole in the center of the stump about 18 inches deep and 1 1/2 inches in diameter, in the fall, pour in about 2 ounces of salt petre and fill the hole with water; then plug it up tight. In the spring take out the plug and pour in 8 to 10 ounces of petroleum, ignite, and the stump will smoulder, but not blaze, to the extremity of the roots.

NEWS FROM TRAPPE

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rommel spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William C. Rommel and daughter at Ocean City.

Harry Hoyer, who is a patient in the Pottstown Hospital, is slowly improving.

Miss Grace Hefelinger visited Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bradford, of Telford, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwager and Mr. William Schwager, of Phoenixville, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beitel and family, of Aldham, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heany and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bucher and daughter visited Rev. and Mrs. N. L. Bechtel, of Telford, on Saturday.

The Trappe public school will open on Monday, September 10. The principal to succeed Mr. William M. Andrews is Mr. Roy Hagenbuch, of Stroudsburg. The newly elected primary teacher is Miss Verna Slonecker, of Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford West and daughter Phyllis, of Bethlehem, spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. Arthur C. Ohl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Rambo and Mr. Joseph Cole spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Josiah B. Schlottner, of Zieglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Geyer and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood M. Geyer, of Fairview, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Tyson.

Mrs. George Peterman and children of Douglassville, spent the week end with Mrs. Peterman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Tyson.

United Evangelical Church
Preaching service will be held in the United Evangelical church on Sunday, September 9, at 2.30 p. m.; Sunday School at 1.30 p. m. C. E. on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Augustus Lutheran Church
The festival of the Harvest will be celebrated in Augustus Lutheran church on Sunday, September 9, at 10.15 a. m.

The vestry will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, September 6, at 7.30 p. m.

The Pastor's Aid Society of Augustus Lutheran church will meet on Saturday, September 8, at 2 p. m. The Mission Study topic will be conducted by Mrs. W. C. Price.

Augustus Lutheran Sunday School was represented at the annual Sunday School convention of the Norristown Conference, which was held in Trinity Lutheran church, Perkasie, the Rev. Norman Y. Ritter, pastor, on Labor Day by Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Fegely, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Steinbach and Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Horn.

St. Luke's Reformed Church
Regular services will be held in St. Luke's Reformed church on Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 9 a. m.; church service 10 a. m.; evening service 7.30 p. m.

TRAPPE A. C. WINS TWO GAMES
The Trappe A. C. kept up their winning streak over the Labor Day holidays by defeating the strong 9th Ward Cardinals of Norristown on Saturday 8-2 on the Trappe school diamond. Toby Hefelinger pitched a fine game for Trappe. He allowed but five scattered hits. In the third inning with the bases loaded three severe muffs and none out. Toby pitched himself out of a big hole by fanning the fourth man up and forcing the fifth man to hit into an easy double play. Jim Mignogna's spectacular one hand catch and Ohl's fine playing at third were also highlights in the game.

On Labor Day the Trappe team won their 10th victory out of the last 14 games by trimming the Buick Service team, Pottstown, 7-3 at home on the Trappe diamond. The game was a pitchers' battle throughout between Reds Musselman and Shorty Rhoads, both former Perky League left-handers. Altho allowing but four hits Rhoads was forced to drop the decision to Musselman because of four costly errors and several inopportune walks. Musselman hurled a fine game for Trappe and fielded his position well executing five assists and scoring two runs. Reds allowed but five hits and held the Pottstown team to one lone run until he eased up in the ninth. A spectacular assist by Pud Poley in center field and the fine all around play of Toby Hefelinger on first featured for Trappe.

On Saturday, September 8, the Trappe club will play the Silk Sox of Phoenixville on the Trappe school diamond at 3 o'clock a. m. On Sunday they will play the Norristown Cardinals at Norristown in the second game of the series.

TRAPPE A. C.
ABRHOAE
Ohl, 3b..... 5 2 2 2 1 0
Poley, 1b..... 5 0 1 1 1 0
Rhoads, 1b..... 5 0 1 1 1 0
T. Hefelinger, p..... 5 0 1 1 1 0
Mignogna, ss..... 4 0 1 1 2 0
Heany, c..... 4 0 0 4 0 0
Tyson, rf..... 3 2 2 1 1 1
Miller, 2b..... 3 2 2 1 1 1
Hatfield, cf..... 3 0 0 1 0 0
Musselman, cf..... 0 0 0 1 0 0
Totals..... 37 8 10 27 6 4

9TH WARD CARDINALS
ABRHOAE
Di Angelo, ss..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
Curly, 1b..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
Gambore, cf..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
Babylon, 2b..... 4 0 1 1 1 2
Marty, 1b..... 4 0 1 1 1 2
Durante, 2b..... 3 0 2 1 1 2
Da Basso, lf..... 3 0 1 2 0 0
Gallup, rf..... 3 0 1 2 0 0
Genard, p..... 1 0 0 0 1 0
Piazza, p..... 2 0 1 1 3 0
Totals..... 31 2 5 24 6 4

TRAPPE A. C.
ABRHOAE
M. Ohl, 3b..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
F. Poley, cf..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
Musselman, p..... 4 1 0 8 0 0
T. Hefelinger, 1b..... 4 0 1 1 1 2
Mignogna, ss..... 4 0 1 1 2 0
Tyson, rf..... 3 0 2 1 1 2
Heany, c..... 3 0 0 4 0 0
Miller, 2b..... 3 2 2 1 1 1
F. Miller, 2b..... 3 1 0 2 0 0
Totals..... 33 7 4 27 11 2

BUICK SERVICE
ABRHOAE
Scheidt, 1b..... 4 0 0 9 0 0
Roth, 2b..... 4 2 1 1 2 0
Rhoads, p..... 4 0 1 1 3 1
Mozer, cf..... 4 0 1 1 3 1
Yerk, cf..... 3 0 1 2 0 1
Morringer, 2b..... 3 0 0 2 1 1
A. Ohl, rf..... 1 1 1 3 0 0
Totals..... 30 3 5 24 7 4

TRAPPE A. C.
ABRHOAE
Trappe A. C. 0 0 1 0 2 1 1 1
Buick Service 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

Let Hogs Harvest Corn—The practice of hogging off small fields of corn is considered a good one in most sections. Where small field of sweet corn have been planted early they are a big help in furnishing feed for the hogs from one to three weeks before the regular planting of dent corn are ready for feed.

RAMBLING AT RANDOM

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that Reading is a production center, that its people are busy shoveling coal into those furnaces and being paid for it, that the dinner pails are well packed and when the rent comes due the old pay envelope is there to greet it. The magnificent epic and span residential sections are all right for the old codgers who have made their money and want to get out on Easy street but all this prosperity talk one hears so much about nowadays hinges in the smoky, noisy, production center.

It is not WHAT you know but the ability to APPLY your knowledge (or some one else's) that counts. Some very learned men are not even able to enjoy their own lives. Compare the salary of a well educated college professor with other vocations in life and see who is paid the best in the rewards of this life? This reminds us that Lawrence Lowell, president of Harvard University, was swindled out of \$70,000 in a real estate fraud recently. You ask what chance has a poor widow seeking to increase her small inheritance when the president of Harvard gets roped in for \$70,000? It all depends upon the individual application of knowledge or of some one else's knowledge. For instance if Dr. Lowell had consulted several good, reliable bankers the land frauds wouldn't have had a chance.

Only 23, and the mother of 13 children! Such is the proud distinction of Mrs. Lista Corona, of Redlands, California. Large families are becoming so rare, that all newspapers are printing the item, even though the subject of the news story lives ever so far away. The feature of this most remarkable story is that the young mother was deserted by her husband a few weeks ago, but she is hoping he will come back, for she wants more children. Du hewer zushund! — From the Boyertown Democrat.

Don't worry "Mr. Washington Square" Mr. Corona is only taking a much needed vacation. Remember the old maxim: "They always come back for more."

An Autobiography
1. Why did Lochinvar swim the Ersk river?—He had no Ford. 2. In what condition were both steed and rider?—Peerless. 3. If his horse had refused to swim the river, what would he have had to do?—Whippet. 4. How would he have proceeded if there had been no river?—Overland. 5. Who held his horse while he was in the hall?—A Paige. 6. What was the bride's father's nationality?—Saxon. 7. What rank did the bride's father hold?—Knight. 8. What might Lochinvar have done if the bride's father had drawn his sword?—Dodge. 9. What goddess had Lochinvar under her special care that night?—Diana. 10. In what robe did he wrap his bride while they were riding?—Wolverine. 11. Who first tried to block their escape?—A Gardner (guard near). 12. What weapons did the pursuers use?—Pierce-Arrows. 13. What aided the lovers in their getaway?—Moon. 15. What was the hardest thing the horse's hoof struck?—Flint. 16. What occurred frequently during the ride?—Kissel. Suggest a possible name for the bride.—Mercedes. 18. What business man of the bride's father was active in the pursuit?—Chandler. 19. What would her father do when he knew they had escaped?—(g)Nash his teeth. 20. What was the color of the bride's hair?—Auburn. 21. What kind of a horse was Lochinvar rode?—Spark Plug.—Selected.

FAMILY TYPHOID IS SUBJECT OF WARNING
Harrisburg, September 1, 1928.—A warning was issued to-day relative to a so-called family typhoid fever by Dr. Harold B. Wood, one of the experts of the State Health Department in control of epidemics.

"A number of such cases are now under investigation," said Dr. Wood. "Frequently, it is possible to locate a carrier within the family group but just as often it is difficult to discover the particular member who is the infecting source. The administration of anti-typhoid vaccine will make it practically impossible for others in the family to become infected. This treatment is recommended where typhoid fever is found in more than one member of the family, and an outside source of contamination has not been located."

TWELVE-FOOT APPLE PIES
Orleans county, in New York, is proud of its apples. It wanted the country at large to know how good they are. So it baked the world's largest apple pie a monster affair that measured 12 feet across and weighed more than two tons—for exhibition at the Orleans county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Hampton, of Pughtown, celebrated their twenty-sixth wedding anniversary.

FARM CALENDAR
Balance Farm Crops—Where a proper balance between cultivated, legume, and small grain crops is maintained, a real crop rotation results. This will aid in the maintenance of a productive soil.

Testing Tells Story—Wasteful feeding too often follows lack of information on production. The good producing cow does not get enough and the poor milkster gets to much feed for profitable production. Testing tells the story of production related to feed requirements.

Know Your Lime—Be sure that you know the difference between the various kinds of lime on the market. The law requires that the analysis of each kind be made public. Ask the county agent to help you to determine what you are getting for your money. It is a question of interpreting the analysis in terms of the actual active agent in the form of lime purchased.

Keep Pullets Clean—To prevent pullets from becoming infested with worms, place the birds in a clean laying house away from the bare contaminated range. Satisfactory results cannot be expected from worm treatment unless the birds are taken away from the ground where there is infestation.

Improve Fruit Trees—One of the important methods used to improve fruit trees is called budding. This is the time of the year when the work should be done.

BLACK ROCK AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunsberger, Mrs. A. C. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leathman attended the funeral of Levi Jones, of Green Lane, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jackson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at Walnut Farm with Mr. and Mrs. John Long-acre.

Mrs. F. J. Fell and Mr. William Fell and Miss Mary Fell are spending some time with Mrs. Fell's sister in Toronto, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jones and Miss Esther Latschaw, of Philadelphia, spent Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill and sons, Billy and Robert, of Philadelphia, and Miss Bertha Smith spent the week end in New York city.

Mr. Lynnwood Wenger entered the Phoenixville high school on Tuesday.

COMPLETE DISPERSAL SALE OF

30 Registered Holsteins

ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1928, on the road leading from Palm to Clayton, 30 Registered Holstein cows, heifers and bulls. All but six of the herd raised here on the farm. Herd under State and Federal supervision for several years. Passed clean test in July. Good high testing bunch of 25 cows. Average test for year—3.60 per cent. If interested write for catalogue. Also a few pieces of farm machinery. Sale at 12 o'clock standard time.

HARTMAN & WEINBERGER,
Col. Ambrose Kulp, auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE OF

China ware, Stoneware, Glassware, Etc.

PRIZES AWARDED
Will be sold at public sale on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1928, on the premises of the undersigned on the Wm. Penn Highway near the upper borough line of Trappe, a large assortment of new china-ware, stoneware, glassware, tinware, galvanized ware, enamel ware, paints, enamel, varnish, cutlery, alarm clocks, lamps, watches, electric supplies, gas heaters, window shades, &c., &c. Coupons will be given with every 25c purchase and prizes will be awarded as follows: 1—electric seating pad; 2—lamp; 3—overseas flash light; 4—electric curling iron; 5—pocket knife. The contest of a series of sales. Sale to commence at 11 o'clock, a. m., d. s. W. M. PEARSON, Manager For Mrs. Susan Herbert and Howard S. Howe.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, 3 ton capacity, with all the latest improvements, 1926 model, in first class condition. Apply to E. F. SCHLICHTER, Trappe, Pa. 9/6/28

FOR SALE—Three piece living room suite in condition of new. Also an electric floor lamp for \$7.00. MRS. JOHN B. NTCE, Collegeville, Pa. 9/6/28

FOR SALE—40 bushels of wheat and 100 bushels of oats. WILLIAM H. GREEN, Trappe, Pa. 9/30/28

CIDER MAKING at Arcola every Wednesday. Jugs, kegs and barrels for sale. E. F. WILLIAMS. 9/30/28

FARMER'S ATTENTION—Are you attending to the treating of your seed wheat? We have a new method of treating wheat without treating you take a gamble on your crop. We have no wheat to sell but do have a new method of treating wheat for our customers. You can have your wheat treated at Schwenksville siding September 18 at cost of 4c per bushel. Get particulars from R. G. Waite, County Agent, Phone 926 Norristown. COLLEGEVILLE MILLS. 9/30/28

WANTED—Electrical repair work: cords of irons, sweaters, etc.; bells, radio sets, small motors, etc., repaired. G. B. National Electric Supply, 1910 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa. 9/6/28

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has been mutually dissolved and the partnership will be taken up by W. W. Keeler, of Spring Mount, Pa., and Robert G. Keeler, of Schwenksville, Pa. All outstanding accounts must be paid to R. G. Keeler, Schwenksville. 9/6/28

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