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JURY PRONOUNCES RAIL-ROAD COMPANY NEGLIGENT

Engineer and Firemen Unconscious of Accident

The engineer's jury in Wilmington last Friday, after hearing evidence in connection with the accident at the B. & O. crossing, Newark, on Sunday, May 18, concluded that William Johnston came to his death from injuries received from being struck by an engine of the B. & O. railroad "due to negligence on the part of the company in not having a competent gate tender stationed at that crossing." The jury was composed of Robert T. Jones, foreman; Charles G. Guyer, secretary; Samuel Allen, John T. Spring, Jr., Maris Wingate and John W. Cameron.

Charles D. Christ, colored, the gate tender at the crossing the night the accident occurred, in the course of his story stated that he had been employed in that position only about one month, and had had but two week's experience with those particular gates. On the night in question he had turned out the lights in the station and was returning to the watch box when he heard the train coming. He began to run but was unable to get to the gates before the train reached the crossing.

The train hit the wagon and threw the horse about 50 feet, according to his testimony, and threw both the occupants of the carriage quite a distance. He picked up Atwood Johnston, brother of the dead man, but did not see the man that was killed, though he heard him groaning.

In examination Christ said that his foreman had given him orders to turn out the lights at the station and had not ordered him to lower the gates while he did it. He said the train that had hit the wagon was a special and that he had had no notice that a special was following the last regular train. He declared that at the time of the accident the train was going about 50 or 60 miles an hour. He further declared that a warning was given in that the bell at the crossing was ringing as the train approached. He admitted that the gates were up at the time of the accident.

William L. Hilton of 1805 Covington street, Baltimore, Md., the engineer of the train that struck

the team, was called upon to tell his story. He said:

"We passed the crossing about 10:52 and I did not know that I had struck the team until I reached Camden Station, in Baltimore, and was handed this telegram: please advise your knowledge of hitting team at Newark killing horse, killing one of the occupants an injuring other." After I had run by engine to the yards I examined it carefully, and the pilot showed signs of hitting something. A couple of spokes were broken. I notified the dispatcher. That is all I know about the accident."

In reply to questions, Mr. Hilton said the train was going 42 miles an hour, as shown by the indicator. He said that it was a special he had charge of that night. He was put through a rigid examination, which he stood without confusion.

"Do you know whether the gates were up or down?" he was asked.

"I did not see them at all. I was looking straight ahead for the signal."

"Did anything happen to call your attention to the fact that you were passing through Newark?"

"No."

"How do you know that you were going at 42 miles an hour?"

"The indicator showed 42 miles."

Mr. Hilton said that his last stop before Newark was Wilmington and that he did not stop again until he reached Baltimore. He was asked how fast he was allowed to go through stations, and he replied that through some stations they were not allowed to go faster than 20 miles an hour and that through others there was no speed limit, except that no passenger trains were allowed to go faster than 60 miles an hour at any time or under any circumstances. Asked why he did not notice anything at Newark he said he was looking for the signal and that when the engineer is looking up for the signal he cannot see anything on the track before him.

Other testimony was given by John Morgan, Frank Jefferson, Charles Anderson, colored, eyewitnesses of the scene. John W. Fisher, an employee of the Newark Creamery and Thomas B. Simpson, the fireman on the train.

Veterans At Memorial Service

Reynolds Post, No. 23, G. A. R., attended the Memorial service in the Ebenezer Church last Sunday. District Superintendent Hoffecker was present and assisted in the service. A strong sermon was preached by Rev. Edgar Prettyman, pastor of Ebenezer Church.

Memorial Day Exercises

J. B. Lutton, of Reynolds Post, G. A. R., has completed arrangements for the annual Memorial Day exercises to be held next Friday, May 30.

Three large automobiles have been engaged which will carry school children with their garlands and flowers to the local cemeteries to mark the soldiers' graves. The machines will leave the public school building promptly at nine o'clock. After a ride to the eastern limit of town they will proceed to the M. E. Cemetery where there will be speaking and the singing of patriotic songs by the children. Rev. L. E. Poole will make an address. The public is cordially invited to these exercises.

The children after leaving the M. E. Cemetery will visit the Head of Christiansburg Cemetery.

A new and impressive feature of the National Memorial Day will be observed this year—the custom inaugurated in Philadelphia last year known as "Five Minutes for Memory." The bells of the town will toll from 12:00 to 12:05, in honor of our nation's heroes.

Hopes For Recovery

Atwood Johnston, who was seriously injured in the railroad accident at the B. & O. in which his brother, William Johnston, was killed, is improving. Although he is not yet out of danger, the physician in charge hopes for his recovery.

DEDICATION OF FRAZER FIELD

Program Adopted By Athletic Council

The joint committee representing the students and the Athletic Council of Delaware College completed its work last night of making up the official program for the dedication of the new athletic field known as the Joe Frazer Field, on Wednesday afternoon of Commencement week which will be June 18th. The program decided on is as follows:

1. Battalion Assembly at 2 p. m.
2. Escort to honor Eben B. Frazer and Stanley Frazer, donors of the field and Governor Charles R. Miller, from the home of the former to the field by the battalion.
3. Band selection at 2:30 o'clock.
4. Presentation of field by L. Irving handy on behalf of Eben B. Frazer and Stanley Frazer.
5. Band Selection.
6. Acceptance of the field by Dr. George A. Harter, president of the college on behalf of the trustees.
7. Acceptance of the field by Thomas J. McLoughry on behalf of the students.
8. Raising of the National flag.
9. Singing of the Star Spangled Banner.
10. Raising of Delaware College flag.
11. Singing of Alma Mater.
12. Raising of Joe Frazer Field flag.
13. Delaware College yell.
14. Address by Governor Charles R. Miller on athletics.
15. Band Concert.

From 8 to 9 o'clock that evening there will be fireworks display on the field and at 9 o'clock the farewell hop.

Graduates From Musical Academy

A party from Newark attended the Commencement of the Philadelphia Academy of Music, held in Musical Fund Hall, Philadelphia, last Saturday evening. An excellent musical programme was rendered by the class of 1913. Miss Nellie B. Wilson of Newark was among the graduates.

Congratulations

Those interested in education in Delaware may well be proud of the selection of Mrs. Harry Hayward as chairman of the Education Committee of the Federated Clubs of Delaware. With keen appreciation of the work done by Mrs. A. D. Warner, the retiring chairman, the Newark Club may congratulate itself in being able to supply a worthy successor.

CHURCH NOTES

The Women's Missionary Society of the Newark Presbyterian Church will hold a strawberry festival on the lawn on Friday afternoon and evening, May 30th. Tickets for ice cream and strawberries are being sold. Cake and candy will be for sale, the proceeds for the candy to go to the young Ladies Mission Circle.

The Ladies Guild of St. Thomas' Church will hold a strawberry festival on the lawn on Wednesday evening, June 4th. If stormy, the following evening.

The Ladies Aid Society of Christiana Presbyterian Church will give a strawberry festival in Webber's Store building on Monday evening, June 9th.

The ladies of Head of Christiansburg Church will hold a strawberry festival in the church on Thursday evening, June 19. Cake, candy, etc. will be for sale.

Attractive programs are being prepared by members of the M. E. and Presbyterian Sunday Schools of the town for the Children's Day exercises which will be held in the respective churches on Sunday, June 8th.

Children's Day exercises will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Christiana Village on this coming Sunday evening, June 1st.

Senior Class Presents Shield

On Sunday, June 8th, the twenty-five members of the graduating class, Newark High School, with the teachers of the schools, will attend the Presbyterian Church of Newark, when a baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. J. Rowan.

On Thursday, June 12, Class Day exercises will be held at 2:30 in Center Hall Knowles Bowen of the Junior class will preside. Music will be furnished by the High School Orchestra.

The Senior Class will present to the school a brass shield, upon which are engraved the names of the Class of 1913.

The theses of the graduates are now in the hands of a committee of the New Century Club which has offered a prize for the best essay. Their decision will be announced on Commencement night.

Rev. W. F. Smiley of Central Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, will deliver the address to the graduates. Members of the class who will read their essays have not yet been selected.

SUPT. RITZ RETURNS

Suffers From Result Of Fall

Frederick Ritz, superintendent of the paper department of the local plant of the American Vulcanized Fibre Company, who was taken ill here about a month ago and went to his home in Pittsfield, Mass., returned to Newark Monday night. For about two weeks he was in a hospital at Pittsfield and for some time his case baffled the physicians there. It was not until the X Rays had been used that the trouble was finally located and the patient who had been suffering extreme pain was given relief. His entire body from under his arms to his hips is now enclosed in a plaster paris cast which he will have to wear indefinitely to give the injury near the base of the spine time to knit.

The case is an unusual one in several respects. Mr. Ritz nearly five weeks ago had an attack of what he thought at the time was rheumatism. As his ailment continued to grow worse, on May 2nd, he gave up work here and left for his home. After arriving in Pittsfield he was advised to go to a hospital. His condition remained unchanged, however, and, in fact he continued to suffer more each day. The case puzzled the physicians to such an extent after trying several treatments without success, that eventually they decided on the X Rays. Several pictures were taken and it was then that the trouble was located near the base of the spine. One of the pictures showed an opening between bones that was causing them to scrape together in a manner which accounted for so much pain. Having discovered the injury the physician soon relieved the pain and then the plaster paris cast was decided on and made especially for the patient. It will probably weigh 10 pounds and while uncomfortable at times, there is no more pain.

Mr. Ritz at first could not account for such an injury but later remembered that last winter while walking over some paper rolls at the plant one of his feet slipped between two rolls and it is supposed that in this way the injury was caused. Although he was sore for a couple of days, after applying some liniment the soreness left and apparently there was no bad effect.

It was some weeks later that he was compelled to return to his home. Because of the plaster paris cast and the nature of the injury he has been told to be very careful at work until entirely cured.

Animal Husbandry Class

The class in Animal Husbandry, Delaware College, will attend the Devon Horse Show on Thursday. Some members of the class will stay over and go to the famous Jersey cattle sale the following day at Coopersburg, Pa.

Prof. Hayward has been invited to judge at a Horse Show to be held at Smith School of Agriculture on May 29, at Northampton, Mass.

SCOUTS PREPARE FOR FIELD DAY

1500 Scouts will Contest For Prizes

Twenty-five of the Newark Scouts will take part in the Third Annual Field Days and Encampment at Cobb's Creek on May 30 and 31 in the vicinity of Philadelphia.

The troop will leave Newark on the 5:59 a. m. train Friday on the Pennsylvania R. R. From Wilmington the trip will be made on the Wilson Line Boat, leaving 7:30 a. m. The return trip will be made on the boat to Wilmington and from there over the B. & O. leaving Wilmington 9:09 p. m. Saturday.

In order to make the train Friday morning the scouts will assemble at their headquarters before 5:30 a. m. and promptly at this time leave for the depot. Those making the trip will deposit the expenses, \$1.50 Thursday evening with the committee in charge of transportation and supplies.

On account of possible difficulty in getting baggage transferred Memorial Day, all baggage will be packed Thursday morning and forwarded before noon. The headquarters has sent notice that straw will be distributed for bedding accommodation. Each boy will take one heavy woolen blanket, a waterproof canvas or oil cloth to lie on, a woolen or flannel garment for sleeping, comb, tooth brush, soap, towel, also an inexpensive knife and fork. Spoons and tin cups have been provided.

A lunch will be taken by each boy for breakfast on the boat. Other rations will be provided by the committee in charge.

A meeting tonight (Wednesday) for all taking the trip is called at headquarters for further instructions.

Notice has been received that 1500 scouts have entered the different contests.

DELINQUENT SCHOOL TAX CONSIDERED

Lecture Course In Prospect

The collection of delinquent school taxes was discussed at some length at the meeting of the Board of Education last night. There is considerable tax outstanding and the board is anxious to get it in. Dr. Joel S. Gilfillan, secretary of the board and also collector of the school taxes was instructed to collect the delinquent taxes by law if necessary. He has the authority to either have attachment issued against wages or seize property for the school taxes.

A representative of the Coit Lyceum Bureau of Philadelphia was before the board with a proposition for the board to select a course of five entertainments to be made up of high class talent and to be given during the next school year. The course would consist of music, literary and lectures. The board took the matter under consideration and may likely interest the Athletic Association of the schools in it.

President Edward L. Richards announced the appointment of the following committees for the ensuing year:

Teachers and Discipline—McCue and Gilfillan.

Finance—Hoffecker and Gallaher. School Property—Gallaher and Hoffecker.

Text Books—Gilfillan and McCue. Visiting and Inspection—McCue and Gilfillan.

Supplies—Gallaher and Hoffecker. R. F. Friedel, principal of the schools announced that Rev. Wm. J. Rowan would preach the baccalaureate sermon the Sunday before the High School Commencement and invited the members of the board to attend in a body with the teachers.

Pet Dog Frightens Burglars

Burglars were frightened from the home of Mr. John Burnite last Sunday night, by the barking of Trix, the pet dog, who was tied in the kitchen. The furious barking of the dog awakened the family who went to investigate and found the outside door standing wide open. The dog's reception had evidently caused the intruders to make a hasty exit.

Improving North College Avenue

Much interest has centered for the past week in the work under way on North College Avenue, under the direction of W. J. Bernard. The large trees that lined the walk have been removed during the last five days, the trees, roots and all, being pulled out by a traction engine.

The lumber is being removed today after which work will begin immediately on widening the street macadamizing, and laying the curb.

The street when finished will be thirty feet from curb to curb. The town will macadamize from Main street to Delaware Avenue and the property owners will provide cement gutter and curbing. Although there has been much regret expressed at parting with the beautiful old trees, it is the general opinion that the finished work will greatly improve that section of the town.

Purchases Milk Route

Chester Ewing, for several years the popular assistant in the ticket office at the B. & O., has resigned his position with that company and purchased the milk route of Mr. John McKeon.

Mr. Ewing will assume charge of his new business the first of June.

New Lieutenant For Co. E

Frank H. Clark, who last week established a State record on the target range, has been elected to the second lieutenantcy at the recent election held by Company E.

Lieut. Clark was chosen for the position by the men a few weeks ago. He was obliged to undergo an officers' examination, given by members of the general staff in Wilmington, a test which the candidate has successfully passed, giving Company E a second lieutenant.

Delawarean Leads Class At Naval Academy

The results of the final term's work at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis make it practically certain that first honors in the graduating class this year will be taken by William H. P. Blandy, midshipman, of Delaware. Second honors probably will go to Evett L. Gayhart, midshipman of Ohio.

Mr. Blandy is a resident of Newark, and was recommended for appointment by Senator duPont. He has been at the fore in his classes since entering the Academy and for awhile was cadet commander, the highest rank for a student at the academy.

OBITUARY

JAMES HARGIS
James Hargis, the originator of the plan to establish the Red Men's Home near Newark, died in that institution on Wednesday, May 21, at 9:30 o'clock. The deceased, who was 68 years of age, for the last year has been suffering from internal trouble which caused his decline to a rapid one. Funeral services were held from the residence of a daughter, Mrs. Clarence Dickey, Wilmington, on Sunday, May 25. Interment in Silverbrook Cemetery.

Mr. Hargis has for years been prominent in Red Men's circles of Delaware. Previous to his admission to the Home, December 6, 1911 he had worked earnestly to effect the establishment of the institution. He offered the resolution to start the fund for the purpose October 30, 1895, and donated the first nickel toward the fund which made the Home possible. Throughout the campaign to gain the necessary money Mr. Hargis was one of the most active workers, and received the general commendation of members of the order throughout the State. He was a painter and for years was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Mr. Hargis was considered an authority on historical questions affecting Wilmington during the last generation and for a long time contributed a series of special articles for the Sunday Star.

Two sisters, one brother and four daughters survive.

SOCIAL PROBLEMS CONSIDERED BY WOMEN'S CLUBS

Much Work Accomplished During the Year

After voting to go to Milford such an objectionable feature of so next year in response to an invitation of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Marshall, Tal square dances of the past, and former State President of the Delaware Federation of Women's Clubs elected the following new officers:

President, Mrs. Samuel J. Reynolds, Smyrna; first vice-president, Mrs. Brashears, Delmar; second vice-president, Mrs. A. T. Neale, Newark; third vice-president, Mrs. J. Lynn Pratt, Milford; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles Hastings, Laurel; corresponding secretary, Miss Anna Hough, Smyrna; General Federation secretary, Mrs. J. C. Robinson, Wilmington; treasurer, Mrs. Madison Willin, Seaford; auditor, Mrs. Cecil C. Fulton, Dover.

REPORT FROM NEWARK CLUB

Reports were read, during the first days session, from all the clubs in the State, Mrs. C. B. Evans telling of the activities of the Newark Club.

"Figures are not very interesting, but they seem the only way to tell what we have accomplished during the year. We have given \$10 to the Boy Scouts. We have increased our building fund \$314.78. For the town sprinkler we have collected \$301.97, and for our library we raised about \$280. As there are several other matters pending just now before the taxpayers, it does not seem feasible to establish a free library at present."

"Our club has added thirteen new members to the roll this year. Through our educational committee we have offered to the pupils of the public schools (in the grades from third to eighth, inclusive) prizes amounting to \$10 for good spelling. This committee has also made several attempts to have a woman on the School Board, but has not succeeded so far. However, as the result of these efforts, we have been asked to appoint a committee of three to visit the schools and report to the board. We have also aroused considerable interest in a parent-teachers' association and hope soon to be able to establish one."

"Our civic committee has had a town cleaning day; has had the street rubbish cans painted; had several objectionable signs removed, and has asked the trustees of the Academy to reserve the rear campus for a public play ground, the club to act with the trustees in fitting up and caring for the same."

GENERAL DIRECTOR PRESENT

Mrs. W. E. Andrews of Washington, D. C., director in general of the Federation of Women's Clubs, was an active official visitor who was frequently called upon to advise with the Delaware women on the procedure and in the movements for the uplift of women and children, the education and betterment of the people and the improvement of civic conditions.

VISIT DOVER HIGH SCHOOL
The visitors were invited to visit the Dover High School during the afternoon and inspect the new Manual Training Department of the school. A number of the delegates from Newark found this an especially interesting feature apropos of the discussion in connection with the offer from the DuPont School, to co-operate in the engagement of teachers to carry on this work.

The exhibit included a library table, clothes tree, porch swing, knife boxes, roller towel racks, book racks and other articles, all well made and most useful. There is also an interesting exhibit of cardboard work by the younger girls.

STRONG FOR REFORM

Many subjects of interest were discussed and acted upon at the Wednesday session. Mrs. Harry Hayward of the Newark Club deplored the extremes in both dancing and dressing, which prevail in the modern community.

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She spoke of the chief problems of educators in numerous parts of the country as being the over-elaborate dress of young school girls. To a great degree she placed the blame upon the mothers whose care less training of their daughters was responsible for present conditions. Protests, she said, were coming from all over the country, against the modern dress of women and girls. "If one is judged by such costumes," said she, "can you wonder if a like estimate is placed upon one's character?"

In like manner she deplored the modern dances which have become

continuity of a newspaper makes it important—it is in your home every day, and should be as wholesome as your bread; it is your daily historian; history is in the making day by day, only we don't realize it.

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"Every class of readers is considered by a newspaper. Because only a small percentage of the 1,600 club women of Delaware are here, reports of the State Federation are published, that those who remain at home may know almost immediately what is being done here. In this manner and for the same reason all the interests of a newspaper's patrons are considered—every man and woman is served with his or her own particular news.

"Readers seldom realize how responsible they are, on occasions, for the news of the day. If you are president or secretary of a society, it is to you that the reporter goes for information, and it is for you to be accurate and definite in your statements. Granted that reporters are occasionally careless, and the hurry of newspaper writing sometimes causes mistakes, it is nevertheless a fact well known to those on the inside that definite information is often hard to obtain.

"As to gaudy colored comic supplements—they are going out of fashion, due undoubtedly to the movement among women's clubs and other organizations against them. A few reputable newspapers

still cling to them, but the lurid red and yellow sheet with so-called comic characters is rapidly disappearing, and we hope not even a copy will be saved for a museum of the next century.

"To conclude: in newspapers, as in many other things, we get what we seek; therefore, why not let along the unworthy sheet and read the paper giving us the news of today—local, national and world-wide—with a supplement that provides fiction, humor and verse that are well worth reading."

THE CITY BEAUTIFUL

J. J. Levison, the Brooklyn City Forester, gave many helpful suggestions about the "Care of Shade Trees in the City." Previous to his address Mr. Levison was taken around Dover in an automobile and examined a number of the shade trees and many practical suggestions were given by him.

He suggested that the Federation see that Delaware adopts a "Tree Ordinance," and leave a tree warden in every city and town in Delaware, whose special work would be the care of the shade trees.

Ex-minister Honored By Bolivian Government

Horace G. Knowles, who recently resigned as U. S. Minister to Bolivia, has been commissioned by that government to pick out a site and arrange for the Bolivia building at the Panama Exposition in California. This commission is due to the respect and esteem in which former Minister Knowles is held by the government.

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The Summer School for Teachers at Delaware College

Will begin Tuesday, June 24, 1913, and will be open five weeks.

Monday June 23 is registration day and all are urged to be present on that date so that arrangements may be made to begin work on Tuesday morning. A bulletin will be published as soon as the courses are arranged, giving full particulars of courses, instructors, text-books, board, accommodations, etc. Tuition is free to all students.

Geo. A. Harter, Director of Summer School, President of Delaware College



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The 261-acre C. Skinner, Inc. has been sold to Middletown, Delaware.

E. Kirk Brumley sold for the V. G. and V. W. Neck, fronting on the Neck, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The post office discontinued serving the stage running between Lewisville and New Castle, living convenience.

The funeral of a well-known man on the French Elton and Glenton Cemetery, Wednesday evening, June 2, 1913, was attended by his son, Frank, and Miss Alice Butterworth of Charles J. Brumley, that town, surveyor.

Subscription chase of an auto fire company Friday last toted.

The wedding of Andrew, daughter of Charles A. Ley, Harford Daniel Brattan, a member of the Elton, Wednesday, June 2, 1913, at Maryland.

June 2-7 week in Elkton opening of June 9.

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Memorial Day observed in C. exercises field Post, G. at Rosebank Grant Post at L. McNichol's address at the A. H. O'Brien, the latter gathering at Elkton with business at no.

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HERE AND THERE

The 200 acre farm of Miss Anne C. Skinner, located near Glasgow, has been sold by E. H. Beck, agent of Middletown, to J. Wirt Willis of Wilmington, for \$6,000.

E. Kirk Brown of Elkton, has sold for the owners, C. B. Montgomery and William Richardson, the 16-acre farm in upper Elk Neck, fronting on Elk River, formerly owned by the late Dr. H. H. Blithell to Harvey B. Stewart of Philadelphia, for \$5,000.

The post office at Fair Hill will be discontinued. Patrons will be served by the Star Route mail stage running between Elkton and Lewisville and will set up mail boxes along the route, most of them living convenient thereto.

The funeral of George W. Hutton, a well-known farmer residing on the Frenchtown pike, between Elkton and Glasgow, was held on Wednesday with interment in Elkton Cemetery. He died on the previous Sunday after a prolonged illness at his home where he lived all his life, aged 67 years. His wife, a son, Frank, and three daughters, Miss Alice Hutton, Mrs. Benjamin Butterworth of Newark, and Mrs. Charles J. Bryson, residing near that town, survive him.

Subscriptions toward the purchase of an auto truck for Singly Fire Company of Elkton, up to Friday last totalled \$472.20.

The wedding of Miss Mary A. Andrew, daughter of State Senator Charles A. Andrew, of Berkeley, Hartford county, and Dr. Daniel Bratton, a popular young dentist of Elkton, is set for noon today (Wednesday) in Harmony Presbyterian church, near Darlington, Maryland.

June 27 will be "Clean Up Week" in Elkton preparatory to the opening of the Chautauqua on June 9.

William T. Warburton of Elkton, will, it is reported, seek the nomination for State Senator from Cecil county at the coming Republican primaries. He was a member of the last House of Delegates and Republican floor leader.

Memorial Day will be generally observed in Cecil county, and special exercises will be held by Garfield Post, G. A. R., of Rising Sun, at Rosedale Cemetery; Calvert, Grant Post at Cherry Hill; Rev. C. L. McNichol will give the principal address at the former and Rev. T. A. H. O'Brien of Port Deposit, at the latter gathering. Business men of Elkton will close their places of business at noon.

Hill School of Pottstown, Pa., and Tongue School of Port Deposit, lined up on the former's diamond on Saturday and Tongue lost by a score of 5 to 0.

Delaware City Council has refused all appeals from the recent town assessment.

Towns in lower Delaware have arranged for fitting observance of Memorial Day.

The Delaware Automobile Association, owing to last week's heavy rains postponed the average time run to Dover and return until Saturday, May 31.

Georgetown authorities have decided upon rigid observance of Sunday regulations, and stores of all kinds will be closed.

New Castle Grange, P. of H., has admitted 16 new members and now has a total of 66.

A general inspection of fire escapes on factory buildings and public schools in Wilmington is to be made at the instance of the Consumers' League of that city.

Clayton's new State Bank was opened for business on May 20.

New Castle's new dancing pavilion in Battery Park will be dedicated tomorrow (Memorial Day).

Sussex canneries are now at work on the English pea pack.

The permit has been granted for the erection of the new duPont Theatre in Wilmington at a cost of \$10,000.

Pigs are dying in the Georgetown section from an unknown disease.

Owing to shortage of county funds, Sussex tax collectors are urged to get busy and make prompt returns.

Mrs. Eliza P. Cook of Milford, has contributed \$1500 to the Wilmington M. E. Conference fund for support of aged and retired ministers for which Melville Gambrell of Wilmington, has promised \$5000 provided \$20,000 can be raised from other sources.

Mr. S. Scarborough of Elk Mills, has repurchased from Lawrence Keir, the former's general store at Leeds. Keir had enjoined Scarborough from opening a store at Elk Mills. Contrary to their agreement, Scarborough who failed to heed the Courts order, was fined for contempt.

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If Typhoid Fever should enter your home between now and Saturday—HOW WOULD YOU VOTE?

That's a reasonable, a pertinent question; it's a possible condition.

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Would you question the manner or method of installation as proposed and advised by reliable expert engineering advice—a man by wide training and experience considered an authority—would you quibble over minor details in the bill? Honestly now, if Typhoid should enter your home—HOW WOULD YOU VOTE?

Typhoid has been the alarming and far too often the fatal verdict in many of our homes.

It may be yours next!

HOW WILL YOU VOTE?

Remember, we are living under different conditions demanding improvements. Remember the population has doubled in the last ten years—a point worthy of consideration by citizens living here twenty-five years ago.

The best information suggests the Sewer as a precaution. All advice and authority agree on this. No physician or health expert has differed on this point.

Present conditions existing here were predicted ten years ago.

HOW WILL YOU VOTE?

To aid in protecting a neighbor's home—if not that—to do your part toward protecting your own home, is the opportunity presented.

HOW WILL YOU VOTE?

Civic pride, progress of the town, are arguments but they pale into nothingness when you say "Suppose Typhoid enters my home." The question is not alone the duty of intelligent citizenship but of moral responsibility. Dare you shirk it?

Before choosing your ballot, ask yourself this strong, stern question, "What if Typhoid should enter my home; How shall I vote?"

HOW WILL YOU VOTE?

Greatest Commencement In History Planned

Plans for Delaware College Commencement week are about complete, and indicate the greatest Commencement the institution has ever known. This pleasing prediction is founded on the part taken by the Alumni Association which has planned a two-days reunion for Tuesday and Wednesday, June 17 and 18.

The program proper will open on Sunday morning, June 15, with the annual address to the Young Men's Christian Association by Rev. J. S. Gilligan of Newark.

In the evening Rev. William H. Laird, rector of Christ Church, Greenville, Del., will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class.

Monday, June 16, will be the annual Farmers' Day at the College Farm, a feature of Commencement week which has grown in popularity with each passing year. All visitors will be given an opportunity to make an inspection of the farm. Members of the Experiment Station Staff will be on hand to act as guides to the guests and explain in detail the various experiments that are being carried on in the interest of Delaware products. At noon luncheon will be served to all visitors on the lawn, the number last year reaching 3500. Concerts will be given by the College Band and an exhibition drill by the College Cadets.

Governor Charles R. Miller will be present and address the gathering following the luncheon. Dr. Willis Moore, formerly chief of the weather bureau at Washington, will also speak. The program affords a pleasing combination of profit and pleasure. Seats are erected in the shade of the fine old trees on the lawn and friends from all parts of the State look forward to this day at the State Farm.

Prof. Alva Agee of Rutgers College, Dr. Wm. Hart Dexter, representing the Secretary of Agriculture,

In the evening various Alumni classes will hold meetings, when the proposition of raising a \$250,000 endowment fund will be the principal topic of discussion.

Frank Collins of White River Junction, Vermont, president of the Alumni Association will come to Newark for the reunion. At noon Wednesday will be held the annual Alumni luncheon followed by the annual meeting after which they will participate in the dedication of Frazer Field.

The Commencement exercises for the graduating class, which will number between 20 and 25 will be held at 10:30 Wednesday morning in the Oratory. The address to the graduates will be made by former Attorney-General Robert H. Richards. The graduate orators will be Elmer G. Brown of Wilmington; William F. O'Brien of Philadelphia, and Arthur F. Walker of Benson, Vt. Luncheon will be served to visitors at 12 o'clock.

PEOPLES' COLUMN

Heed The Warning

Editor of The Post,

Dear Sir:

As the date set for voting on the proposal of placing an up-to-date sewerage system in this town of Newark, is near at hand, it would seem that the present outbreak of typhoid fever in that section of the town, supposed to be drained—that is, West Main street—should serve as a solemn warning to every property owner, as well as every resident of the community, to give this question most serious consideration.

It is almost universally conceded that open drains and cess pools, as now exist in our town, are a menace to the health of the community. The proposed sewer will do away with this, and reduce to a very considerable extent the danger from the typhoid epidemic that now confronts us.

It does seem that no tax-payer having the best interest and good name of our attractive little town at heart, could for a moment think of voting against this proposal from any selfish motive, such as the additional expense that they may be put to in paying their share toward this public improvement. Surely, Mr. Editor, our human life is of more importance than the question of any expense that may be placed upon any property holder, as their share for this project.

As a resident of Newark for a number of years, I am deeply interested in anything that tends for improvement in the moral and physical condition of the town; and especially at this time, the important question of adopting some measure that will reduce typhoid fever or any other epidemics that may be due to an antiquated system of drainage.

Now is the time to settle this important question once and for all; and to give the town officials authority to proceed without delay to bringing to pass this consummation, devoutly to be wished for—A MODERN SEWERAGE SYSTEM FOR NEWARK.

PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Levy Court of New Castle County until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, June 3rd, 1913, and then publicly opened for furnishing Fee Books for Justices of the Peace and County Constable.

Bidders will submit price for furnishing either 50 or 75 books and furnish style and quality of binding proposed to be used. Also submit price for 2500 additional sheets unbound.

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Address proposals to THOMAS F. FOURACRE, Chairman of Printing Committee, Levy Court.

NOTICE

A special meeting of the Shareholders of The National Bank of Newark will be held in the Directors' Room at the Banking House on Main street in the Town of Newark, Delaware, on Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, A. D. 1913, between the hours of 10:30 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock M. for the purpose of voting for or against the question of surrendering the National Charter of said Bank and placing it in voluntary liquidation, under the provisions of Section 5220 and 5221 of the United States Revised Statutes and all other Sections thereof supplemental thereto, and upon such other matters pertaining thereto, and to the taking over of the business and assets of said Bank by the Farmers' Trust Company of Newark, corporation of the State of Delaware, as shall come before said meeting.

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PERSON

Mrs. J. R. Clark home of her sister, Baltimore.

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Monday evening.

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Resolutions

At a regular Castle, No. 23, King Eagle, the fo was adopted:

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Resolver, Whil plor the loss of er, we tender our to the bereaved t mend them to the Father, whose we understand, but wh lasting.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. J. N. Chapman is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fororan, Baltimore.

Mr. Robert Coverdale of the Harman and Bailey Circus is suffering with pneumonia in the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

Miss Eleanor Pilling of Westover Preaching School spent the weekend at her home in Newark.

Mrs. Edward Percy left this week for an extended visit with relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. William Hoffman of Philadelphia is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Davis at Coopers Bridge.

Miss Emma Elsor of West Arlingon, Baltimore, is the guest of Newark friends.

Miss Florence Butler is spending some time at Atlantic City.

Miss Elizabeth Jarmon is visiting relatives at Berlin.

Henry Torrell of the Cecil Whig, Elton, paid The Post a visit on Monday evening.

SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Charles C. Herman, Jr. has issued invitations for a luncheon and cards on Saturday, May 31st, at 12:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittingham and family motored to Valley Forge on Sunday, returning by way of Philadelphia. The trip was delightful and the roads good, with a few exceptions. Upon reaching home the speedometer showed 114 miles covered on the trip.

The Newark New Century Club is this year honored in the State Federation with the office of second vice-president. She has been favored with the chairmanship of the State Educational Committee. So she has good reason to feel proud.

The Newark Club extended the invitation to entertain the Federation next year, but in view of the fact that there would be more of interest to show to visitors and the affiliated Colleges a reality in 1915 she graciously yielded in favor of her sister club at Milford, for 1914.

Miss C. H. Evans, with a party of friends, motored to West Grove, Pa., on Sunday.

Resolutions Of Respect

At a regular meeting of Ivy Castle, No. 23, Knights of the Golden Eagle, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, who, in his infinite wisdom, has seen fit to remove from our midst our Brother, W. B. Johnston, therefore be it

Resolved, While we deeply deplore the loss of our beloved Brother, we tender our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family and commend them to the care of an Allwise Father, whose ways we cannot understand, but whose mercy is everlasting.

Resolved, That as a token of respect our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Castle and a copy be sent to the family of our deceased Brother, also to the Newark Post and Delaware Ledger.

C. E. Guthrie,
Robt. J. Crow,
A. C. Howell,
Committee.

Returns To Home

Miss Lillie Miller has returned to her home, West Main street, after undergoing treatment for several months at a private hospital in Philadelphia.

Miss Miller has been in poor health for some time and her friends rejoice with her that she has returned a well woman.

Poor B. & O. Service

Changes in schedule were made by both the B. & O. and the Pennsylvania railroads on Sunday and as usual with the first named road, the changes are generally for the worse. In the first place the 11:02 north-bound fast express in the morning no longer stops here and the morning express from Philadelphia to Washington, formerly stopping here at 9:09, no longer stops, its place being taken by an accommodation train from Wilmington to Baltimore, reaching here at 8:52 a. m. The train that left Wilmington at 8 a. m. and got here at 8:27 generally carrying a car load of students to the College no longer runs and so every day from forty to fifty students will have to miss chapel exercises and be late for their first recitations. It is a serious matter to the Faculty and students and it will probably result in Wilmington students using the "Pomona" train reaching Newark Center at 8:08.

Under the new Pennsylvania

schedule the north-bound trains from Newark Center will back down to the Newark station and take on passengers there and then continue north. Trains arriving at Newark Center from the north will stop first at the Newark station before coming to Newark Center. The 12:20 Center train for Philadelphia now leaves at 12:10 p. m. There are many other minor changes, mostly for the better.

New Base Ball Manager

On account of the rain, the game between Newark and Aberdeen, last Saturday was called off.

Owing to not being able to devote more attention to the baseball club, Manager Everson has resigned and "Billy" Johnson has taken up the reins in his place. "Billy" should make a very capable manager as he knows the game from A to Z.

Charles Beattie has been signed to play third base for the local team. This will strengthen the team considerably as Beattie is considered one of the best utility men in the game.

Weather permitting (and we hope it will), Newark will open the season here on Decoration Day with Aberdeen.

Post Baseball X.

Minstrel Band At Ball Game

DeRue Bros. Big Minstrels will give a performance in the Newark Opera House on Friday evening, May 30th.

The company's band will be at the base ball game in the afternoon when the Tri-county team will play the boys from Aberdeen, and furnish music for the occasion.

Squibs

FIVE MINUTES FOR MEMORY

In honor of the heroic dead who gave their last full measure of devotion, that we might the better live—let us stop the whirl of this work-a-day world and give FIVE MINUTES TO MEMORY and reconsecrate ourselves with the resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain.

What is the feminine of Bull Moose?

Failing to blow his horn in Dover, Capt. Mitchell was fined last week. This neglect seems to be growing on him since the last conviction.

Well—Horace Greely Knowles is home and from reportd interviews he is a Delawarean still.

To say he is the silver-tongued orator of Delaware is trite, but Be George it's true.

Newark invites him out to his old stamping round.

Tell me what a girl reads, and I'll tell you whether she can do the tango! tell how a man votes on the Sewer and with a public micrometer I can give you his measure.

When you set yourself up to criticise the proposed Sewer System as planned by the authority of the East, Engineer Hatton, be sure you have the reputation of business judgement.

Here's a good one handed to us by one of our good friends:

"Don't worry, old man, what they say. Always remember when walking through the woods that it is the *dead* twigs that fly up and hit you."

That is about true, any man or institution trying to do anything is criticised—mostly by the dead ones.

At the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, Newark made the report, that, due to the increased burden of taxes, it was advisable to attempt the Free Library idea.

We should like to see the Wilmington City officials, Chamber of Commerce and citizens-at-large invited to attend the Commencement this year.

The B. & O. is a railroad which passes through Newark with occasional stops.

Miss Shew Entertains

Miss Ethel Shew entertained a number of friends last Saturday evening at her home on Delaware Avenue. Those present included: Misses Elsie Sutton, Elizabeth Pierson, Hannah Marsey, Edna Thomas, Jennie Moore, Isabella Sweet, Bessie Shaw; Messrs. Del Smith, Thomas Murray, George Bickling, Wm. Gregg, Rufus Roberts, Chester Ewing, Clarence Jester and Guy Gray.

"The Blue Hen" Just Out

If you live in Newark—that's sufficient. Whether you are a College man or not, you will appreciate the D. C. Annual "The Blue Hen" just out today under the editorship of the wonderful Class of

1914 which promises to exceed the reported glories of old '96.

The copy comes to us just before we go to press and we cannot give you even a faint hint of its tone, quality and striking features. Suffice just now to say that it is not only a College Year Book but a piece of Art that rightfully belongs on every Library table in Newark.

Bound in Limp Leather, color blue, stamped in Gold,—that's just suggestive of the inside. Get one and look for the views, the cartoons (or are they actual photographs?)

They are at Rhodes' Drug Store for sale for Two Wilson Dollars, and guaranteed. They are worth the price all right.

Next week buy The Post for a review.

Just now, congratulations to Delaware, Newark, the Juniors and the Star Printing Company, the worthy artists.

Miss Reed Improving

Presumably by mistake, Lizzie Reed, daughter of Robert Reed, employed at the home of Dr. Kollock, swallowed a dose of formaldehyde, last Sunday evening.

Her groans aroused Dr. Kollock who found the young woman suffering from the results of poisoning.

Drs. Steel and Blake were immediately summoned when medical assistance relieved the patient.

Miss Reed has been removed to the home of her parents on Delaware Avenue, and while seriously ill is improving daily and her recovery is expected.

Farm Prospects

Farmers are getting anxious over weather conditions. The cool weather that has prevailed for the last two weeks has greatly handicapped work on the farm. The recent rains have stopped corn planting and reports of the necessity of replanting are increasing daily.

Crop conditions are not especially favorable just now. Late frosts killed lots of the tomato plants, making a late crop.

Hay and wheat are looking fair and a normal crop in these grains is predicted.

The berry crop in this section will probably be short due to late frosts and cold rainy weather.

Asparagus is not up to its usual standard and all local gardeners report a late season in truck.

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¶ It has come to our knowledge that some one is traveling round Newark and vicinity, claiming to represent the Millard F. Davis, Optical Department, taking orders and cash when he can.

¶ WE HAVE NOT AND NEVER HAVE had anyone going from house to house or town to town, soliciting trade, representing us and anyone doing so is a fraud and imposter, besides violating THE OPTOMETRY LAW OF DELAWARE.

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From Avondale 11.45 a.m.
6.30 p.m.
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Safe-guarding the Delaware Records

An interesting feature of the meeting of the club women of the State, held in Dover last week, was the visit to the Hall of Records in the State House where the visitors were received by members of the State Archives Commission.

Members of the Commission have been busy since the action of the last legislature in awarding \$1000 for the carrying forward of the work of safeguarding the old and valuable records of the little commonwealth.

Fireproof partitions and floor have been put in and the place is also burglar proof, and proof of all the ills that can befall records.

On a table was spread out the original grant of land from Charles II to the Duke of York, which has been in safe deposit in Wilmington and was brought down Wednesday by J. Ernest Smith. This is our most valuable document, also the most splendid, with its pen and ink portrait of King Charles and its rich embellishments of armorial design. The documents of the twelve metal circlets are in the glass case in the safe, and around the walls are the mahogany cases (also containing papers) that were made for the Jamestown exposition, but were not sent. These contain a vast quantity of historical papers classified in their arrangement. One case is devoted to Caesar Rodney and another to William Penn.

The safe is the latest and best of its kind and was purchased by ex-governor Pennewill and J. Ernest Smith. Besides it is a steel filing case, containing a great many catalogued papers.

INDEPENDENCE BELL

The bell that rang out independence for Delaware is in the hall of records, suspended on a Flemish oak stand, made by Mrs. William S. Hillier. When the mansard roof was put on the State House in the '70's the original tower and its bell were removed, and now that the reproduction of the tower is on the State House, the commission hope to reinstate it in the belfry.

Five Empire chairs used in the early days of the republic by Delaware legislators and one old table have been restored by the commission for use in the depository. The electric light chandeliers were made by Mr. Tatnall from old gas fixtures found in the building and he also made the black letters over the arch entrance, designating the room as "Hall of Records."

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7.30 p.m.*

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The Archives Commission feel that a dream has been realized in the accomplishment of a safe place for the records of this commonwealth, which for years was careless of its valuable documents and failed to provide a safe depository for them.

Grape Culture Growing Industry In Delaware

The grape industry has developed rapidly in Kent county, Delaware, during the last few years. The introduction of this branch of fruit growing is due to several growers from the Niagara and New York grape districts who experimented a few years ago in Delaware. These are agreed that the Delaware soil is even better adapted to grape culture than that of New York State. Prior to this the growing of grapes was limited to three or four families in Kent county. There is now hardly a district in Kent but that has several acres of grapes planted, which in some instances have already reaped much benefit from the crop. The number of vineyards in the county exceeds 150, ranging in acreage from 35 to 5 acres.

From the J. Frank Moore grape vineyards, just on the outskirts of the state capital, over five tons to the acre were produced last year, he being in the lead in Delaware, having been an extensive grower in New York for many years. With his large yield, he could not begin to fill the demand for his grapes.

A. G. Massey, a smaller grower near Dover, sold his grapes last year at \$20 a ton at the Dover station, and is said to have cleared over \$100.

John W. Davis, another near Dover grower, states that after paying for his help and baskets, he cleared over \$900 last year from five acres.

Between Cheswold and Wyoming a distance of about 10 miles, there are fully 50 vineyards just coming into bearing, and will yield immensely this year if not interfered with by insects.

Historic Wagon To Repeat Famous Trip

Many are looking forward with interest to the appearance in Wilmington of the Conestoga wagon, more than a century old, which the E. I. duPont de Nemours Powder Co. is to send loaded with powder from Wilmington to Lake Erie, in connection with the Commodore Perry celebration. The wagon was scheduled to reach Wilmington today.

Sunday School Reorganizes

Ott's Sunday School has elected the following officers:

Superintendent (honorary) G. A. Blake; assistant superintendent, Wm. B. Walton, Adelbert L. Peel; secretary, Mamie McCormick; treasurer, Charles F. Walton; organists, Gladys Walton, Florence Walton; teachers, Wm. B. Walton, A. L. Peel, Mrs. S. C. Lomax, W. H. Conner, Olive Peel.

A desire having been expressed that the history of the school be written, W. H. Conner was selected as Historian.

The Children's Days service will be observed Sunday afternoon, June 1st. The annual strawberry festival will be held on Tuesday evening, June 3rd.

Charles Moore of Lewisville, who

several months ago shot William Kerr, a neighbor, when warned off the latter's property and was awaiting trial at West Chester for the assault, has been committed to the insane asylum at Embreeville.

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AROUND HOCKESSIN

Hockessin Grange met in Odd Fellows' Hall last Monday evening and was largely attended. An interesting program was presented. Mr. S. Frank Ewart, Mrs. Ferris Yearsley, Mrs. Irvin Gregg and Miss Elizabeth Jordan attended the meeting of Chester County Pomona Grange held at Media last week, and gave interesting reports from there.

Referred questions were answered by Messrs. Guthrie, Atwell and Gregg. Mrs. Ida Woodward conducted the Budget Box. Percy Highfield gave a reading. The dialogue "The Man from Arizona" was presented by Ellen and Joe Mitchell of Harmony Grange and two members of Hockessin Grange. Lemonade and cake was served.

The Pomona of New Castle county will be held at Union in Red Men's Hall on Thursday, June 5th. An interesting program is being planned.

North Star School will close this coming Friday with an entertainment to which the parents and friends are invited. Miss Staats, the present teacher, will return next year.

Emilie and Paul Mitchell of George School recently entertained six of their school-friends at their home near Hockessin.

Miss Sarah Eastburn pleasantly entertained a number of friends at cards last week.

PLEASANT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mousley entertained on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Croft and Miss Ada Mitchell of near Union.

Mrs. F. H. Buckingham and Mrs. A. T. Buckingham and son, Ralph, visited Mrs. Tamar McCormick of near Salem Tuesday of last week.

Messrs. Lewis Lee of Strickerville, Pa., and Kemper Pierson of Hockessin visited Thomas Vansant on Sunday.

Mr. Calvin Eastburn and family and Miss Emma Walsh of Mermaid were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. I. Eastburn.

Mr. F. H. Buckingham and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Little of Fairview.

Mrs. Charles Croft spent a few days recently with relatives at Pleasant Hill, Maryland.

Mrs. Mary E. Moore and daughter, Mrs. D. R. Eastburn and son Rodney, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Moore at Farnhurst.

Mrs. Ella Baldwin and son William spent the weekend with relatives at Embreesville, Pa.

Miss Elizabeth Walton entertained on Sunday, Miss Mary Paterson of Thompson, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lamborn were entertained over the weekend at the home of their son, Lester Lamborn and family of Rosedale, Pa.

Thomas Harkness of Wilmington spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. R. Harkness.

Miss Elva Dempsey has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dempsey of Mermaid.

Mr. R. Griffin Miller recently visited his family at Mt. Holly Springs, Pa.

Ten members of Reynolds Post, No. 9, G. A. R. accompanied by several members of Washington Camp No. 20, P. O. S. of A. attended memorial services in Ebenezer M. E. Church on Sunday.

Mr. George Miller visited his brother in Philadelphia on Sunday.

APPLETON

Miss Pearl Douglas and friend, Miss Myrtle Panies of York, Pa., has been spending some time with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Niimrod Minner.

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SOME COLOR SCHEME

To effect a striking color scheme seems to be the determined effort of the Post Office Department. Just before the close of the last administration, Post Master General Hitchcock issued an order authorizing all mail boxes on rural routes and all rural delivery wagons to be painted "red"—with capital R.

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