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LOCAL BOY COURTS TO CELEBRATE HIS WEEK

29 Years Of
Scouting To
Be Marked In
United States

Responding to the theme "Scout Carries On American Ideals," more than a million and a quarter Scouts and adult leaders yesterday celebrated the anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, first incorporated in the District of Columbia on February 9, 1910, and later granted a federal charter by Congress.

Local Program Arranged
Since the earliest scouts were collected, a total of 8,400,000 boys and men have been members of the movement in this country and have participated in its constructive program of participating in citizenship activities, of which the current ones are typical.

Troop No. 55, of Newark, headed by Vernon C. Steel, Scoutmaster, will officially launch its celebration Saturday with a window display at Rhodes Drug Store. This exhibit will be based on the outdoor camp and articles of handicraft.

On Saturday evening, a troop camp will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank K. Simons, 53 Main Street. William Simons, chairman of the committee in charge, is being assisted by Henry Singer and Lynn Preston.

On Sunday, members of the troop will attend the ten o'clock mass at St. John's R. C. Church. The troop's annual dinner, preceded by Scout Preston, will be held Monday evening in the dining room of the Newark M. E. Church.

Service Awards
Five-year service stars will be awarded to Thomas Davy James, Robert Wideman, William H. Haneock, and William Haneock. A year award will be presented to Paul Lovett, while Robert Haneock will receive a nine-year award.

Albion bars for community service will be presented to James George Danby, Robert Wideman, William Haneock, Clyde Bayles, William Haneock, and Stephen Haneock.

Sumner W. Argo, Jr., will be presented with a special award in recognition of his saving a man from drowning at Dennis, Mass., last summer.

The committee in charge of the year consists of Robert Wideman, chairman, Robert Kennard, and Ward Crowe. On Tuesday evening, please turn to page 5.

Hidden Taxes
Mrs. Louis A. Stearns Named To Lead Local Women In Campaign

Mrs. Louis A. Stearns, 278 Orange Road, recently was named to lead the local women in the national drive of the National Consumer Tax Commission against "all necessary taxes that increase the cost of living."

Announcement of her appointment as chairman of the commission is to be followed among Newark residents by a letter from the national headquarters in Chicago, through Mrs. Kenneth Stearns, national president.

The commission is described as a national organization conducted by housewives of the country against hidden and direct taxes that add to the burden of the consumer. The drive is led in this city by Mrs. William H. Stearns, chairman, the commission's national committee members.

Educational Drive
Commission is glad to have parents among the leaders of the "educational movement," Mrs. Frazier said. Already hundreds of units in states are active in the educational drive on taxes that raise the cost of living for all of us.

People pay hidden taxes without knowing it and it's little family budgets are strained for example, the commission's research department finds taxes add 11 cents to a 20-cent loaf of bread, \$1.36 to a \$5 hat, and \$1.36 to a \$5 pair of shoes.

Many of the study programs will be arranged for members through to inform families here of tax burden, Mrs. Frazier said.

REPRESENTATIVE



Dr. George H. Ryden

At the forthcoming inauguration of Dr. Evald B. Lawson as the fourth president of Upsala College in East Orange, N. J., Dr. Ryden will represent the University of Delaware. Over 40 universities and colleges in 12 states will be represented at the ceremony.

ACP MAKES PAYMENTS

State Farmers
Receive Checks
For Compliance

Delaware farmers who participated in the 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program are receiving checks from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration for their compliance, reports R. O. Stelzer, state AAA executive officer.

"Payments totaling approximately \$500,000 will be made to Delaware farmers by the end of March," he said. "Many of the checks already have been mailed to New Castle and Kent County farmers and the remainder will be sent during February and March."

"It takes about a year to earn a payment," he pointed out. "Consequently the payments are spaced about a year apart. The regular procedure is as follows:

"The farmer attends AAA Committee meetings to learn what provisions of the program are applicable to his farm. 'He plants crops. His farm is measured—under supervision of his county committee—for compliance with requirements for payment. His application is filed for payment."

Checks Against Records
"His application is checked against county records in county and state disbursing offices. His check is mailed to him."

"About the time the farmer receives the payment earned on one crop he is preparing to plant the next one," Stelzer said. "Checks for participation in the 1939 conservation program are scheduled to go out in February, March, and April of 1940, or a year after receipt of 1938 payments."

Additional 1938 price adjustment payments on wheat are conditioned upon planting within 1939 farm acreage allotments. For winter wheat, compliance with the 1939 conservation program has been determined and the first checks are scheduled to go out this spring.

Stelzer also reported that the administration expenses incurred by the three county organizations in Delaware averaged 3.3 per cent of the total amount to be received and were lower than in any other states in the region.

FSA Loans Now Available For Purchase Of Supplies

Form Security Administration funds for loans to Delaware farmers available to obtain necessary credit from other sources for the purchase of livestock, equipment, feed, seed and other production goods are now available for the next crop year, it has been announced by B. C. Deputy, rural rehabilitation supervisor of FSA.

Interested farmers are urged to make their applications for these loans as soon as possible, at the office of Mr. Deputy, in the Park Building, South State Street, Dover, in order that all arrangements may be completed in time to meet spring planting requirements.

Plans Based On Estimates
"To provide for the best use of the loans, a farm plan based on estimated crop yields and livestock production is worked out by the borrower, with our cooperation," stated Mr. Deputy. "A home plan which provides for meeting most of the food needs on the farm is

CURTIS CONCERT THURSDAY

Program To Be
Presented In
Mitchell Hall

The second in the annual series of concerts by students of the Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia, Pa., will be held next Thursday evening at eight o'clock in Mitchell Hall.

These programs are presented under the sponsorship of the Newark Music Society which assumes the responsibility of their financial support, and are offered free to members of the community.

Artists To Appear
The artists scheduled to appear next week are: Robert Gay, baritone; Frederick Voglesang, violinist; and Eugene Bossart, accompanist.

Mr. Gay, whose home is in Chicago, is now soloist at the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pa. Last year, he made a successful appearance with the Philadelphia Orchestra as "Youth Concert" soloist with Eugene Ormandy conducting. Recently, Mr. Gay took part in "La Boheme," the first production of the newly-formed Philadelphia Opera Company.

Mr. Voglesang is concert master of the Curtis Symphony Orchestra, while Mr. Bossart concentrates in accompanying, and appears frequently as accompanist and as soloist.

**Women Fleece Local Man
Of Large Sum Of Money**
Police are investigating a complaint registered by R. J. Sergeant, 69 of 53 W. Delaware Ave., who claims to have been robbed of a large sum of money as he was walking near his home Wednesday afternoon.

Employed at the Continental-Diamond Fibre Company, Sergeant was enroute from work when a car, loaded with several women, pulled in at the curb beside him. The women, according to police, questioned him about his health and proceeded to "examine" him for rheumatism.

When they departed, Sergeant claims his wallet, containing a large sum of money, went with them. Officers Samuel Tibbitt and J. E. Morrison were assigned to the case.

**Dr. A. R. Shands Speaks
At Auxiliary Session**

Dr. A. R. Shands, director of the Nemours Foundation, spoke on "The Problem of the Crippled Child" at a meeting of the New Castle County units of the Department of Delaware, American Legion Auxiliary, here Monday night. Members of the auxiliary of J. Allison O'Daniel Post were hostesses to sixty persons from five county units.

Dr. Shands pointed out there are 750 crippled children under 16 years in Delaware who need attention. Mrs. Park W. Huntington, department first vice-president, presided. Mrs. Catherine Murphy, state president, was a guest at the session.

Among those making reports were: Mrs. Paul D. Lovett, National Defense Conference; Mrs. William Page, rehabilitation chairman; Mrs. C. M. Dillon on the recent child welfare conference.

Mrs. Fred Burton of Seaford, department historian, and Mrs. Charles Rogers, president of Nantuxton unit, were introduced. Dorothy Mars and Ella Jane Shaffer did tap and ballet dancing. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Orville Little and her committee.

**Beagle Club Auxiliary
Plans Party Saturday**
The Ladies' Auxiliary of the East-ern Beagle Club will hold a card party at the club house, Milford Cross Roads, on Saturday evening at eight-thirty o'clock.

Bridge, 500, and bingo will be played. Anne W. Bowman, chairman of the ways and means committee, is in charge of the party.

**"Soul" Is Subject Of
Sermon On Sunday**
"Soul" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Park Place and Van Buren Street, Wilmington, on Sunday.

Besides the eleven o'clock morning service, meetings are also held at eight o'clock Sunday evenings and on Wednesdays at 8:00 p. m.

TO HEAD DISCUSSION



G. Taggart Evans

**FACULTY
TO OFFER
FAVORITE**

**"Charley's Aunt"
To Be Presented
By School Heads**

"Charley's Aunt," a never-failing comedy favorite, will be presented by the members of one Newark High School faculty in the school auditorium Friday evening, March 3, at eight-thirty o'clock. Miss Ann Stauter, director of several faculty hits in former years, will be in charge of the production.

Following the presentation of "David Copperfield," "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," "Ladies of the Jury," and "Quality Street," all of which were directed by Miss Stauter, "Charley's Aunt" is expected to top all past performances as the actor-teachers go through their paces for the fifth annual production.

Applicable To Today
Although it was written many years ago by Brandon Thomas, "Charley's Aunt" embraces the same inherent principles so appropriately applicable to modern times. It is a farcical, hilarious, nonsensical comedy that should please the school following. A special matinee performance for students will be given on Thursday, March 2.

The leading role, that of Charley's Aunt, will be played by Stanley Gibbs. Disguised as a wealthy widow from Brazil, he finds himself chaperoning two attractive young ladies. Many situations arise, which are both embarrassing and compromising, to say the least.

Other characters will be portrayed by Robert Kern, Harvey Moore, Miss Minnie M. Smithers, Miss Rose Leary, Ralph O'Connell, W. K. Gillespie, F. T. Warrington, Miss Anna Gallaher, Miss Catherine Rittenhouse, Leon Buehler, and Miss Ann Chalmers.

**Delegates To Congress
Are Elected By D. A. R.**

Mrs. J. Irvin Dayett, agent of the Cooch's Bridge Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was one of the two delegates chosen at the Saturday meeting of the chapter to attend the Continental Congress of the organization to be held in Washington in April. Mrs. Alex D. Cobb is second delegate, and Mrs. Robert T. Jones, Mrs. J. Pilling Wright, Mrs. Edward W. Cooch and Mrs. Ruth McKinsey are alternates.

Jean Lewis, Helen Eastman and Marian Jones represented the Robert Kiekwood Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, at the session. Mrs. Robert T. Jones and Miss Katherine Steel were hostesses. Following the business session a social hour and tea was held at which Mrs. Ernest Frazer and Mrs. Ruth McKinsey presided.

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DRAMATIC MEETING SATURDAY

A. C. Cloetingh
To Give Address
At Session

With all arrangements completed, the third University Dramatic Conference will be held at Mitchell Hall, University of Delaware, on Saturday under the sponsorship of the University Dramatic Center, a group established last year to give technical assistance and encouragement to dramatic groups throughout the state, in cooperation with the Delaware Dramatic Association.

Prof. Arthur C. Cloetingh, head of the division of dramatics at Pennsylvania State College and the Dramatic Extension Service of that college, will speak on "Play Selection."

Dr. Kase To Preside
Professor Cloetingh will be the principal speaker at a general meeting from 1:25 to 2:15 p. m. in the auditorium of Mitchell Hall over which Dr. C. Robert Kase, member of the English faculty and director of University of Delaware dramatics, will preside.

William P. Frank, of the Journal-Every Evening, will speak at the conference luncheon, planned from 12 to 1:15 p. m. at the Commons, Old College, and visitors participating in conferences and group discussions during the day will be headed by Paul Randall, director of dramatics at Temple University, and Benjamin Rothberg, assistant director of the Cultural Olympics at the University of Pennsylvania.

Committee chairman for the conference are: Program, Miss Barbara Bell; local arrangements, Mrs. Harry Gabriel, assisted by Miss Janet Grobb and Russell Willard; publicity, John N. McDowell, assisted by Miss Margaret Smith; special issue of the Review, Jacob Kresholt; exhibits, Miss Jane Trent; luncheon, Miss Catherine Ort.

Officers of the Delaware Dramatic Association are: President, George Henry; vice-president, Dr. Elliott Field; treasurer, Miss Helen Comstock; corresponding secretary, G. Taggart Evans, and recording secretary, Miss C. Louise Jackson.

Discussions Are Listed
The program includes: 10 a. m.-noon, consultation of individual problems of stagecraft, acting, and directing with Dr. C. R. Kase and staff members of the E 32 Players.

10:45-11:45 a. m. Section A, Mrs. Joseph Patonovic, St. John's Dramatic Club, chairman. Teyots, Auditorium, Mitchell Hall. Paul Randall; Section B, George R. Cheney, Jr., New Castle High School, chairman. Publicizing Dramatic productions, Miss Margaret Smith, in charge of publicity for the E 32 Players.

A panel discussion participated in by William P. Frank, John Skinner, extension editor of the university; Jacob Kresholt, editor of Delaware College Review, and Miss Sylvia Phelps, co-chairman of publicity for the E 32 Players.

2:15-2:45 p. m. General meeting—Auditorium, Mitchell Hall. Dr. C. R. Kase, chairman. Greetings from the president of the university, Dr. Walter Hullahen. Greetings from the State Board of Education, Dr. H. C. Holloway.

2:45-3:15 p. m. Business meeting. Delaware Dramatic Association, Auditorium, Mitchell Hall. 3:15-4:15 p. m. Section A—Acting and directing, G. Taggart Evans, University Drama Group, chairman. The technique of rehearsal, Paul Randall. Demonstration of voice recording and public address machine, J. L. Halligan, representative. President, Recording Machine Company. Round table for directors.

Stagecraft Is Topic
2:50-4:15 p. m. Section B—Stagecraft—Joseph O'Keefe, Wilmington Drama League, chairman. Discussion, "Producing Plays With Limited Equipment," Benjamin Rothberg. Demonstration of improvised lighting equipment—Auditorium, Mitchell Hall. Dr. C. R. Kase and staff of E 32 Players. Demonstration: Cases in point for scene painting, Auditorium, Mitchell Hall—Miss Janet Grobb, chairman of scene painting staff of E 32 Players. Demonstration: Sound effect apparatus—Auditorium, Mitchell Hall—Dr. C. R. Kase and staff of E 32 Players.

4:15 p. m. performance, scene from play with cast chosen from morning tryouts. Auditorium, Mitchell Hall. Paul Randall, director, "Saturday's Children," one act version of play by Maxwell Anderson. Auditorium, Mitchell Hall; presentation of Puppets and Footlights Clubs. University of Delaware, Miss Blanche Lee, director. Following.

Prominent Army Guests
In addition to guests from Delaware prominent army officers from New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Washington are expected.

Council Approves Annexation Act; Will Go Before Assembly

Resolution Asks
State Gas Levy
For Street Work

Two measures to be presented to the current session of the General Assembly for consideration were approved by the Council of Newark at the February meeting Monday night.

The first proposal is in the form of an act to empower the Council to enlarge and extend the boundaries of the town, while the second, a resolution introduced by Councilman C. E. Johnson, asked the State to retain the present levy on gasoline and motor fuels, while effecting a schedule of dividing the returns with incorporated towns for street maintenance.

Under the proposed act, the Council will be empowered to annex areas immediately adjacent to the boundaries of the town, providing the application is signed by 25 per cent of the free-holders of real property in any area specified.

Calls For Referendum
Drawn by John Pearce Cann, attorney for the Council, the act directs that a careful survey of land proposed to be added to the town, and a plot made of the same.

Upon completion of the survey, the Council shall then proceed to submit by referendum the question of the proposed change to the free-holders of the land proposed to be added to the town, and to the free-holders of the town.

Two forms of ballots, "For the Addition" and "Against the Addition," are stipulated in the bill. Each free-holder of the town shall have the right to cast one vote for each dollar of town taxes paid for the current year, and each free-holder of the land to be added shall have the right to cast one vote for each dollar of county taxes paid for the current year of the referendum.

A duly appointed official or representative of any corporations involved, either as town or county taxpayers, will be permitted to vote on the same basis as free-holders.

One Provision Noted
One provision is made in the bill for an unanimous request for annexation. No referendum will be required in cases where the written consent of the owners of all the real property to be annexed has been obtained, and approval by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Council.

In introducing his resolution concerning gasoline tax being collected by the State, Councilman Johnson revealed some unofficial figures relative to sales in Newark.

"Close to a million gallons of gasoline are sold here every year," he said. "The State collects all the money, yet we maintain our streets—important sections of the state highway system—without any direct benefit from local gasoline sales."

"Instead of reducing the tax, as proposed by the Associated Petroleum Industries of Delaware, I think the present level should be maintained."

Return Probably \$10,000
"Should the State agree to return one cent a gallon to Newark, our street fund would be enriched by \$10,000 a year. Even a half a cent a gallon would give us \$5,000 and since Newark people pay the greater amount collected in gasoline taxes locally, I think they should receive some direct benefit from their expenditures."

"Every incorporated town in Delaware should benefit from the gasoline tax, provided the money is used for maintenance of streets, especially where state highways are of the winter season."

Twenty-Seven Signers
Signers of the petition were: C. P. Donovan for the Community Stores, Inc.; R. G. Buckingham, Jr., Free's, Shorty Tweed, S. L. Cornog, Raughley's Market, Maud B. Wallaston, R. S. Jarnon, William Moore, C. E. Reynolds May Morgan, R. B. Davis, John F. Richards, William H. Cook, R. R. Lovett, John (Please Turn To Page 8)

**Gov. McMullen To Attend
Officers' Ball Feb. 16**
The Officers Club of the Delaware National Guard will entertain Governor and Mrs. Richard C. McMullen at a reception and dance in the State Armory, Tenth and DuPont Streets, Wilmington, on Thursday, February 16.

Extensive arrangements are being made by the officers of the Delaware National Guard to make the affair one of the outstanding events of the winter season.

State and city officials and prominent residents from all parts of Delaware will be entertained at the affair provided by the club, which consists of members of the state staff, the 19th Coast Artillery Regiment, and the 26th Coast Artillery Battalion, with armories in Wilmington, Newark, New Castle, Dover, Milford, Laurel, and a battery in Georgetown.

Prominent Army Guests
In addition to guests from Delaware prominent army officers from New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Washington are expected.

BUSINESS ON UPTURN; ACTS ARE PRESENTED

Purnell Bill
Would Provide
Retirement For
State Teachers

Business was on the upturn as the 107th General Assembly embarked on the sixth week of the current session at Dover Monday. New bills were presented in both houses, the passage of some bills was completed, committees were reporting on other bills, and the joint legislative budget committee continued to hear requests for appropriations.

The first bill passed by the two branches of the legislature was Speaker Frank R. Zebley's measure to authorize the Delaware State Teachers' Association to increase by 1 1/2 per cent the "take" on money bet on races at Delaware Park. The Senate approved the bill by unanimous vote on Monday. It was passed by the House last week.

Speaker Zebley specified that the extra money shall be used to liquidate the association's indebtedness, improve the park, and increase purses. By enlarging the purses it is thought that the best horses in the country will be attracted to the park.

Should Improve Conditions
Larger fields will be made possible for the entire meet and attendance should increase accordingly. All of which would increase the state's income in taxes. The bill has been placed before Governor R. C. McMullen for his consideration.

Another racing measure, changing from December 30 and June 30 to March 15 and September 15 the time for the Delaware State Commission to turn over the money it received from the association, was voted down in the Senate on Monday.

It was introduced by Senator Earl Sylvester, Kent County Democrat, who stated that money sometimes lies idle while the state is in urgent need for funds.

Among the new bills introduced in the Senate were: Wildlife restoration act to comply with a Congressional measure; Senator Benjamin F. Simmons; Senator H. W. T. Purnell's routine appropriation bill for funds for the State Welfare Home, Smyrna, and a bill making the Delaware Liquor Commission a four-member body, introduced by Senator William Jennings Poore.

Statewide Retirement System
Among the most important pieces of legislation introduced during the week was Senator Purnell's act to provide a statewide retirement (Please Turn To Page 8)

Federal Tax
Senator Steele Wants Congress To Repeal "Gas" Levy

Immediate repeal of the federal tax on gasoline would help to solve the pressing problem of tax duplication now confronting Congress, it is stated by W. Purves Taylor, secretary of Associated Petroleum Industries of Delaware.

"Senator Steele has introduced a resolution for the Delaware legislature to memorialize Congress asking for the immediate repeal of the federal duplicating gasoline tax," Mr. Taylor stated. "This is a step in the right direction, for tax experts, including members of the administration, are fully aware of the desirability of removing existing duplications in federal and state taxes. Senator Steele's resolution clearly indicates that Delaware legislators are alive to the situation."

Duplicates State Levy
"The federal gasoline tax, imposed as an 'emergency' measure in 1932, duplicates gasoline taxes levied by the state. It takes a large sum out of the state each year which should be spent in regular channels of trade."

"The federal gasoline tax violates the principle of taxing gasoline to finance highways. It was imposed, not to pay for roads, but to help the federal government in an emergency. Its unfairness has been acknowledged by tax experts, members of Congress, as well as Congressional committees. Its abolition has been recommended again. It is obvious years is long enough posed purely as a measure. Motor this state are a 40 per A hip less"

Officers On Committee
The committee in charge consists of Lieutenant-Colonel S. E. I. Duncan, executive officer, 19th Coast Artillery; Major Harry B. Von Selver, state staff; Captain John J. Dugan, adjutant, 19th Coast Artillery; Captain James L. Whaley, Battery C, 19th Coast Artillery, and First Lieutenants J. G. Maloney and Francis J. V. Haggerty. Music will be furnished by George Madden's orchestra.

Captain David A. Benson, Battery D, 19th Coast Artillery, heads the decoration committee, consisting of the following: (Please Turn To Page 8)

Improved SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for February 12

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PETER HEALS A LAME MAN

LESSON TEXT—Acts 3:1-8; 4:1-12. GOLDEN TEXT—Then Peter said: Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I to thee—Acts 3:6.

Is Christianity an ideal? Answers would differ, depending on varying points of view. As a Christian, I am not in a position to say that it is or is not. It is the only ideal that we have. It is also certain that the true Christian faith is not an ideal. Even the liberal and so-called moderate leaders confess that it is the only faith that has proved itself in the annals of daily experience.

There is a sense, however, in which Christianity as a whole is an ideal. The Church which professes to represent Christ on earth has failed miserably at so many points that the world is looking at it with the same cold suspicion with which the Church was viewed in the time of Peter. The question which one can feel on every hand, even though it is not asked in words, is: "What have you that will meet the unprecedented need of the individual—the social order—the whole of humanity?" There is a sufficient and a satisfying answer, but it is not found so much in the temporal realm as in the spiritual. We have something to offer that is better than silver or gold—the salvation which is found in none other than Jesus Christ, our Lord.

I. Better Than Silver and Gold (3:1-8).

The lame man had long since abandoned hope of anything more than the coins that he could beg as he sat at the temple gate. He is typical of our hardened and cynical age which is interested only in what it can get in cash, and in what that money will buy. Even Christian people seem to have forgotten that "a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth" (Luke 12:15).

God has for us things far better than silver and gold—deliverance from the power and penalty of sin, glad liberation from the limitations of spirit which hold us down and make us content with the paltry alms of men. Where are these things to be found? In Christ. How are they to be secured? Through His faithful help. Peter and John were the men who, though busy, had time to pray (v. 1). If you know men or women like that, cultivate their friendship, look intently to them in faith (vv. 4, 5), receive their help (v. 7), and above all, believe in their Christ (v. 12), and you will receive that which is better than silver and gold.

God healed this man's body, but what is more important, He healed his spirit (v. 8). We need that kind of healing for the spiritual cripples of our day. The weak-kneed, lame-ankled, and spirit-darkened individuals in our churches and communities need the touch of God. Perhaps you may be used to bring them His message of deliverance and power.

II. Wonder and Amazement (3:9, 10).

It has been suggested that one of the weak points in the ministry of the modern church is the lack of such miraculous deliverances from sin as those which caused the unbelievers of a generation or two ago to look with wonder on the ministry of the Word. After all there is no testimony just like that of a redeemed and transformed life. Men may argue with our philosophy, question our theology, but a redeemed life is a walking testimony in a community that no sinner can refute.

There are two reactions recorded in the context of our lesson which reveal the possible attitudes of men toward such experiences. Some were amazed and believed in Christ (4:4). Others hated the cause of Christ (4:16, 17) and they cast the preachers into prison (4:1-3). Did this discourage them? No, indeed. They knew that they owed allegiance to God rather than man (4:19, 20), and consequently used their very trial as an opportunity to proclaim

III. The Pre-eminent Saviour (4:8-12).

Note here again that the speaker was a Spirit-filled man. That is the absolute prerequisite to effective proclamation of the truth. Observe also the care with which Peter makes known that he and John are to have no personal credit or glory. They "have something there" that might well be applied to present-day religious activity when many men must either have all the glory, or go off and start a new work where they can have it.

Let us make much of the clear teaching concerning the person and work of Christ which is found in these verses, particularly stressing His place of absolute pre-eminence as the one and only, and at the same time, the all-sufficient Saviour of mankind. Let us not forget that "there is none other name whereby we must be saved" (v. 12).

READ THE POST



Behind The Wall At W. C. D. By Mary Lee

In Business

Miss Edna Lee from the Katharine Gibbs Secretarial School, New York City, spoke in Chapel last Thursday. Her subject was "The College Woman in Business". She gave the girls some very good suggestions. First she listed six advantages which college women have over the ordinary run of women: (1) Her education. (2) Her ability to do more than most. (3) Her ability to take interest and give up her position quickly. (4) A college graduate has a better cultural background. (5) Her advanced academic background is partly responsible for promotion. (6) And college women, as a rule, dress and act better than the "society" girls, the high school girls.

Miss Lee mentioned merchandising, advertising, banking, and investments as the most promising fields for college women. She concluded her very interesting speech by saying "College women definitely have something to sell. Know what you have to sell and where you want to go. There is nothing more satisfying and satisfying than having the right job."

Guest Speaker

Miss Grace Humphreys will speak on "Poland and Her Six Neighbors" next Wednesday at the open meeting of Forum which will be held in the Hilarium of Residence Hall at 4:10.

About Economics

Through the efforts and work of Dr. J. S. Gould, professor of economics, it is now possible for a Women's College student to major in the Department of Economics.

Before this semester there was no major offered in this department; in fact, only few courses were offered in economics on the lower campus.

By means of co-educational classes in the advanced subjects, a W. C. D. girl may major in economics by including in her schedule: Principles of Economics; Public Finance; Money, Credit, and Banking; Corporation Finance; International

School News

Reported By

DOROTHY DAUGHERTY and ELIA MAE MACLARY

Student Council

Tuesday, January 31, a Student Council meeting was held at Colingdale High School, Colingdale, Pa. William Hancock, student council president, Jane Larson, secretary of the student council, and Mr. William K. Gillespie, Senior High School principal, attended from Newark.

Another Student Council meeting was held at Alexis I. duPont School Monday evening. Representing Newark were: Bill Hancock, Robert Weiner, and Marian Fletcher.

Faculty Adjustments

Mr. George P. Nickle, who was formerly employed as a commercial teacher in Cape May, N. J., has begun his work here in the commercial department. He is replacing Mr. Oscar Suttles, who is now employed by an insurance company.

Miss Florence Yetter from the Women's College, University of Delaware, has taken up her duties as a practice teacher in the Home Economics Department. She is under the supervision of Mrs. Josephine Hancock.

Assembly Programs

Mr. E. Paul Burkholder, supervisor of rural schools of Kent County, was the speaker in the High School assembly Wednesday. Miss May Strough's fourth grade

DELEGATE



Marian Fletcher

presented the elementary assembly last week. A Greek play was presented by a few members of the group.

BOOK SHELF

Publishers' Weekly has arrived with its annual summary number and so we can give you some statistics on scholarly publishing during 1938. Of the 243 publishers who issued five or more books in 1938, 17 were American university presses. These 17 published 427 of the 8,225 books brought out by the 243 publishers. This was 5.2% of all the books. The average number of books published by all publishers was 34; by the university presses, 25. Among the 42 publishers (including reprint houses) who issued 50 or more books were three university presses: The University Presses and the number of books they published lineup in this order: Columbia, 70; Harvard, 68; Chicago, 64; Yale, 47; North Carolina, 25; Johns Hopkins and Princeton, 24 each; Stanford, 19; Pennsylvania, 17; California, 16; Minnesota, 14; Duke and Michigan, 8 each; Oklahoma, 7; Rutgers, 6; Iowa and Pittsburgh, 5 each.

BOOK SHELF
Television is just around the corner by now there must be quite a crowd around that one corner people always talk about. Experiments are being made with facsimile newspapers to be sent out by television and printed in your home as the latest news comes tripping out of the tubes. We hereby propose that some publisher begin thinking

of a television-facsimile-book-of-the-month-club. It should be able to start in a few years. Citizens of 1949 who don't want to miss the coming best seller of the moment will set the machinery before retiring on, say, the 15th of every month. When they arise on the 15th the book-of-the-month will be all ready for them—having come in over the television set during the night and so hot off the press our mythical citizen won't be able to tell whether it or the bacon is sizzling.

BOOK SHELF
The last issue of the volume (and of the current series) of the Colophon is out. The Ordinary Season, making his usual sharp-eyed observations in the Crow's Nest, looks back over the 1938 volume and finds several highlights. One of them is Charles Anderson's "absorbing story of his own adventures while doing research on Melville." We can add to this statement that the results of the research are also absorbing. We know, because we have read the manuscript of it which is to be published this spring as MELVILLE IN THE SOUTH SEAS. Oglethorpe University, which stands for "good minds, good morals and good manners" is also the home of the Crypt of Civilization (appropriate phrase in these days of ap-

FOOD for THOUGHT

By CHARLOTTE SPENCER
Nutritionist, State Board of Health

Every mother can pack a good lunch for her child to carry to school. This is very important since many children can not go home for lunch and since many of our rural schools are not provided with a cafeteria.

The mother's problem in packing a lunch is simplified in those schools where the teacher supervises the preparation of one hot dish every day. There are many simple and nourishing recipes which can be prepared at school. These children are indeed fortunate who have a teacher sufficiently interested to add the preparation of their lunch hot dish to her other duties.

Ready Prepared Food

Some schools have found it more convenient to have the children bring their food already prepared in a small covered jar such as those in which salad dressing is purchased. These jars can be easily heated in a pan of hot water. Cooked cereals, hot soups such as tomato, potato, carrot, vegetable, spinach, pea or bean, creamed vegetables or meat stews are some of the things which may be taken to be reheated at school.

Children should be encouraged to take milk for their school lunch. The packing is easy if the mother has a half pint milk bottle and a supply of bottle caps. Straws, like those at a soda fountain, are cheap to buy and may be an added incentive to carry milk. Of course, a glass jar is the most unexpensive container for milk.

Fruit Or Vegetables

Some kind of fruit or vegetables should be included in every lunch. Right now apples, oranges, bananas, dried prunes, dried apricots, dried peaches, raisins, cabbage, raw carrots, raw turnips, or tomato juice are all low priced and offer quite a variety from which to choose.

There is the ever present problem of what kind of sandwiches to make. Here are a few suggestions for sandwich fillings which may interest you.

Chopped or grated carrots with chopped cabbage.
Grated carrots with raisins or nuts.
Shredded lettuce and onion.
Watercress in season.
Chopped celery and green pepper.
Celery and bacon.
Baked beans with onion or chopped celery.

Baked beans mashed with tomato relish.
Peanut butter and shredded carrots.
Peanut butter and raisins.
Ground peanuts with salad dressing.
Ground raisins, prunes, nuts or apricots.

Prune pulp and mashed cottage cheese.
Jelly and cottage cheese.
Corned beef, chopped egg and minced onion.
Salmon.
Tuna fish.

Sandwiches with hard cooked eggs—few drops vinegar.
Hard cooked egg.
Chopped liver meat, hard cooked egg and celery.
Grated cheese and apple and mayonnaise.
Grated cheese and dried fruit.
Cottage cheese and dried fruit.

peasement when the lam's begs for a chance to lie down with the lion! You must have read about this Crypt, in which are to be buried those things which are to tell the people of 8112 (if any) about the civilization (if any) of 1939. We mention this now because we are informed that Victor Hollis PHILANTHROPIC FOUNDATIONS AND HIGHER EDUCATION is to be put in the Crypt on microfilm.

BOOK SHELF
This book will show our descendants—how we poured out money to extend knowledge and hence to make the world a wiser, healthier and happier place to live. It would seem only right that the Crypt should also contain the STATISTICAL YEAR BOOK OF THE TRADE IN ARMS AND AMMUNITION, which will show our descendants how at the same time, we poured out money to make the world impossible to live in. We should worry if they think we were crazy.

BOOK SHELF
Thomas Fuller's seven maxims about books, as taken from the facsimile of the 1642 edition of THE HOLY STATE AND THE PROPHANE STATE, edited by Maximilian Graff-Wallen: "1. It is a vanity to persuade the world one hath much learning by getting a great library. 2. Few books well selected are best. 3. Some books are only cursorily to be tasted of. 4. The genius of the author is commonly discovered in the dedicatory epistle. 5. Proportion an hour's meditation to an hour's reading of a staple author. 6. Learning hath gained most by those books by which the printers have lost. 7. Whereas foolish pamphlets prove most beneficial to the printers."

GILDA GAY

COULDN'T I TEACH YOU TO LOVE ME, GILDA?
YOUR'E A DARLING, TOM, BUT NO, I COULD NEVER LEARN.

-- I'VE TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS IN THE BANK, YOU KNOW --

REALLY?--WELL--PERHAPS YOU COULD GIVE ME ANOTHER LESSON.

ANY GIRL CAN TAME THE MAN, IF SHE'S CAGEY ENOUGH

Cottage cheese and chopped vegetables.
Vitamins In Dark Bread
The fillings which are starred are especially good on whole wheat bread. Every day some of the sandwiches should be made with whole wheat or rye bread. The process of refining whole wheat into white flour removes valuable minerals and vitamins. It is fairly easy to convince many of us that we need the extra vitamins of commercial yeast preparations when at the same time we do not think we need those same extra vitamins in something as simple and inexpensive as dark cereals and bread.

It is difficult for a mother to send her child to school with as satisfactory a lunch as the best he could purchase in a good school cafeteria. The very difficulty should present a challenge since by careful attention it can be overcome. The child who carries his lunch should and can receive an appetizing and nourishing meal which will supply its share of the daily food needs.

Sun Not Only Factor In Fading Curtains

Miss L. B. Whitecomb, University Specialist, Gives Timely Advice

If you've wondered what made your window curtains wear out so fast, it's not entirely the action of sunlight, though that is hard on draperies according to Miss Louise B. Whitecomb, home management specialist at the University of Delaware. Perhaps most of us have never considered the possibility that the draperies have been affected by absorption of gases from the air in the house. Sulphur in gases from coal-burning stoves and furnaces, and in illuminating gas, is destructive to all kinds of fabrics. Even when the familiar sulphur or coal-gas smell is not present, there may be some sulphur fumes which combine with moisture to make strong acids. These are often more destructive than the normal wear on curtains, rugs, and draperies, Miss Whitecomb points out.

Simple Treatment
There is a simple way to protect your household textiles from the gases and at the same time make them more fire-resisting. The treatment does not affect the appearance of most fabrics. You simply dip the fabrics in a solution made of 2 ounces of boric acid dissolved in 2 quarts of water. In treating water-resistant fabrics enough soap is added to the solution to form a suds. Laundered articles have usually lost their sizing, so soap is not needed.

There are other good fire-resisting and gasproofing formulas, but everyone is familiar with borax and boric acid and every drug store sells them for a small sum, so it is not difficult to make the solution at home. This borate treatment does not furnish protection against sunlight, but treated curtains suffer no more than untreated ones. Articles laundered or exposed to the weather must have the fire-resistant dip after each laundering or wetting.

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PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL

At the cross roads in the valley Stands a school house built of stone. And in the long vacation time It seems forsaken and alone.

But when vacation's over And the children come once more, Bringing minds refreshed by waiting For the school's wide open door;

One can hear their talk and laughter, Hear the baseball hit the bat, And see a big boy running With a little fellow's hat.

And then the game of chaser Swims a favorite with all, For all the children can play this, Boys and girls, both large and small.

Some years ago the children Just came to school by day, But now they come in the evenings same For we have a P-T-A.

The P-T-A is a meeting For the parents and children too, And visitors come sometimes to see Just what the children do.

First there's a business meeting That opens with a song, And every one is happy If it doesn't last too long.

After the business meeting The kiddies do their bit, By singing, speaking or acting And trying to make a hit.

When Miss Schwartz plays the piano And Mrs. Savin starts to sing, These little folks both large and small Just make the music ring.

And when they speak their pieces, You'd scarce believe them on your life, For once a girl got up and said She was Santa Claus' wife.

Sometimes they'll have a little play, And it's as funny as can be, To see those kiddies all dressed up To look like you and me.

And when the program's over (Just for our stomach's sake), The ladies pass big waiters Just piled up high with cake.

And sometimes we have something else, When the weather's cold you know, It's something that will warm us up.

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Daffey Ditties

I've got a daffey gold; I'd zeems do be all id by 'ead. I cad ged by breath ad by dose is stobbed ub, Ad by eyes are both swolled ad red.

I've dried everything thad I dow; Frob quiddie do bepperbit dea; Iv you see adything, (the smellin' zalts, bleas.) Thad is good, w'de you zend id do be?

I always ged golds id by 'ead, With the virst side of widdie, by jig! Ad stiffe, ad stulle ad talgt thik ad wheeze-- 'Dil the rebids redurd id the Spring.

Mrs. Stewart's good copod. Now if you want enjoyment Here is a splendid rule, If you'd spend a pleasant evening Come to Pleasant Valley School!

"To Pleasant Valley School! What for?" some folks might say, Come down to Pleasant Valley And join the P-T-A.

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TOWN OF NEWPORT IMPROVED

Audit Shows Advancement; Revenue Added

By Miss Emma S. Maclary
Newport, Feb. 8.—The Town of Newport has made an excellent record in conducting affairs for the past year, according to the contents of the audit prepared by accountants. The town of Newport has increased its revenue by the amount of \$147 during the year ended December 31, 1938. This increase in revenue results almost entirely from a decrease in the operating and maintenance expense of the town. Cash revenue for the year totaled \$13,548.37, while cash disbursements amounted to \$11,177. The net decrease in disbursements when compared to the previous year totaled \$3,648.47, after deducting the payment of borrowed money in the amount of \$1,000, which indebtedness was incurred to January 1, 1939, and recouped of bonds of \$3,000.

Rapid Strides Taken
The Board has made rapid strides in reducing town expenses by saving bonds, etc., thereby saving items, and expenditures being watched very carefully, and the affairs of the town on a strictly business basis.

The town maintains its own water system, is sewerage, has garbage collection, and many improvements being made by much larger towns, but at very little cost to residents, due to low rate of taxation. The town is well lighted and has paved streets.

Kindergarten facilities are being added here with the Krebs elementary school in the town, and the new High School nearby. The town has also been enlarged and improved. The town has large manufacturing plants and enjoys an exceptional freight business through the Newport freight station of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Shipping facilities are also available by water along the Christina River.

Any new homes have recently been erected in this section and are now under way to extend town limits for approximately 100 blocks west of the town.

Scout Officers Elected
The Newport Girl Scout Troop recently organized here met Wednesday evening in the fire house; the membership now stands at 36. Officers elected were: President, Virg Spencer; scribe, Norma Jean King; treasurer, Elizabeth Gold-

rs. Louisa Ruth, age 77, who has been suffering from an infected condition of the foot, had her leg amputated on Friday.

Mr. J. Perkins Groome who fell from his home on October 15, broke his leg, and who has been a patient at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, since that time, is now home, his condition is reported much improved.

Scout Boy Scout Troop No. 73 held an evening service in the Newport M. E. Church, February 12, celebration of the 25th anniversary of scouting. At the Sunday school session on Feb. 12, Mrs. J. McCoy's class of girls will present a play "Three Candles are lit."

Speaker At Church
The guest speaker at the Newport M. E. Church Sunday morning was Paul McCoy, a student at Drew, the son of the pastor, the Rev. McCoy. At the evening service the pastor spoke on "Follow Christ."

A meeting held Thursday evening in the Krebs School, Herman Walker of Tuxedo Park, was elected a trustee, to fill the unexpired term of D. C. Hall, who has removed from the community.

Newport M. E. Sunday school will serve a turkey supper on Friday evening in the assembly room.

Newport Branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Florence Blansfield, George L. Biddle, president, in charge and Mrs. J. C. McCoy in charge of devotions. A charter member of the organization who passed away during the year was Mrs. Elizabeth D. Hall, director of Child Welfare of the State W. C. T. U. who was very interesting talk on "The Frances Willard." The next meeting of the Newport W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Blansfield on March 1.

Services were held on Friday afternoon for little Ida Schenck of Newport, victim of a fire which occurred at her home in Newport while playing with papers. The kitchen stove with her and her sisters while the mother left the home on an errand. Mrs. John Hitchens, who was severely burned, was also severely burned. Another child seven-months old was burned. Inquest was held at St. James P. E. Cemetery.

When he was hungry and cold, McKee was smothered in a store in Chicago. He spoiled his life when he was arrested and sent for malicious mischief.

Notice Being Sent With All Applications For Operators License



Envelopes, containing applications being sent by the Motor Vehicle Department to the 80,000 holders of operators and chauffeurs licenses in the state, include appeals from the Delaware Safety Council for care in driving.

200 Attend Red Men's Reception

Mrs. Elsie Widenius Is Honored At Affair; Class Adoption Held

Over 200 members of the Degree of Pocahontas of New Castle County gathered at the home of Mrs. Elsie Widenius Saturday night at a class adoption reception at the Fraternal Hall. The degree team of Leola Council No. 14 of Union. The principal dress was made by the Rev. Irv Inley of North East, Md., who stated that directors have new lasted because they carried with themselves the poison which would destroy them.

He said that the members of the Red Men and the Degree of Pocahontas stood for men and women without fear.

Great Chiefs Intruded
W. Vaughn Heavell was master of ceremonies and introduced the other great chiefs: Edward McIntyre, George Marshall Ralph Hill, Charles Rhodes, Benjamin Cooper, Frank Balling, and George Lee Brown.

Mrs. Bertha McCullough, Wilmington, who is the mother of the local council, said that she instituted the

organization fourteen years ago.

Mrs. Ella Hill, first deputy of rural New Castle County, spoke as well as Mrs. Cora Littleton, of Milford; Mrs. Lida Lindell, of Magnolia; and Mrs. Emma Crawford, of Wilmington. Music was furnished by the Delawareans, students of the University of Delaware.

Mrs. Ada Sparks and Mrs. Mary Jane Brown gave an impersonation of two women "Hanging Out the Wash." Other entertainment was furnished by Evelyn Miller, Elda Harrington, Ray Morrison, Buddy Cataldi, Verna May Miller, and two pupils of Mrs. Edna James.

Safety Hints

Jaywalk in haste and repent in leisure. No suicide squad of any army in the world ever marched in the face of the enemy with more aplomb than the jaywalker. You can see them every day. They dash out from the curb, looking neither to the right nor to the left, whether the light be red, green, or amber. Do they get away with it.

No! The Delaware Safety Council says that in most cities pedestrians make two thirds of the traffic toll. Do these careless pedestrians save time? The average time a pedestrian has to wait for a light to change is 15 seconds. To gain these 15 seconds, jaywalkers risk

weeks in the hospital, perhaps death.

Immediate First Aid

But, if you are the first person at the scene of the accident, you have to think fast. Resist the temptation to rush the injured off to the hospital. The Council reports that many times it is better to administer first aid immediately—to apply artificial respiration, to stop severe bleeding, or to apply a splint. There are times when the injured should not be moved until a doctor comes, especially in cases of spine injuries, for fear of making the injury worse. And above all, remember that it is easier on the injured to have a safe and smooth ride to the hospital than to have a wild, hectic and nerve-wrecking trip.

The Delaware Safety Council also suggests that it is wise to be prepared for emergencies by learning the principles of first aid. It may be the means of saving a life.

Son Of Late University Professor Dies In Fall

Mrs. Elisha Conover, W. Main St., has received word from Mrs. G. Harold Powell, now residing in California, of the death of the latter's son, Clark Powell, 37. According to Mrs. Conover, Mr. Powell, who was located in South Africa, fractured his skull in a fall that resulted in his death.

His late father, Professor G. Harold Powell, taught horticulture and entomology at Delaware College from 1896 to 1901.

The better class of people in India drink elephant milk.

CLEAN-UP DAYS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

AND

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

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CIVIL SERVICE POSTS

March 6 Set As Deadline For Filing

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced that it will accept applications not later than March 6 for the following positions:

Consultant in employee-employer relations—\$5,600 a year, Office of Education, Department of Interior. Applicants must not have passed their fifty-third birthday.

Mediator and principal, senior, and associate mediators, \$3,200 to \$5,600 a year, National Mediation Board and Maritime Labor Board. Applicants for the associate grade must not have passed their forty-fifth, and for the other grades must not have passed their fifty-third birthday.

Other Posts Open

Industrial economist (labor economics), \$3,800 a year, also senior grade, \$4,600 a year, and principal grade, \$5,600 a year, Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor. Associate industrial economist (minimum wage laws), \$3,200 a

year, also assistant grade, \$2,600 a year, Minimum Wage Division, Women's Bureau, Department of Labor. Applicants for the three grades of industrial economist must not have passed their fifty-third birthday; for the associate grade (minimum wage laws), they must not have passed their forty-fifth birthday, and for the assistant grade (minimum wage laws) they must not have passed their fortieth birthday.

Full information may be obtained from C. S. Crompton, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners at the Newark postoffice, or from the secretary of the U. S.

Civil Service Board of Examiners at any first or second class post office.

A gigantic reproduction of a cash register mounted on a tall building is to record and display continuously in large figures the daily attendance at the New York World's Fair.

Nervous, Weak, Ankles Swollen?

Much nervousness is caused by an excess of acids and poisons due to functional kidney and bladder disorders which may also cause itching of the skin, burning passages, swollen joints, backache, dizziness, headache, excess acidity, loss of appetite and blood with cystitis. Usually the very first dose starts helping your kidneys clean out excess acids and this soon makes you feel like new. Cystex must satisfy you completely or money back is guaranteed. Get Cystex (also in) today. It costs only 25¢ a dose at druggists and the guarantee protects you.



NO JOKE



A cough due to a cold is no joke. Get Smith Brothers Cough Drops. (Black or Menthol.) Cost only 5¢—yet they're a real cough medicine. Smith Bros. Cough Drops are the only drops containing VITAMIN A. This is the vitamin that raises the resistance of the mucous membranes of the nose and throat to cold infections.

Notice to the Taxables Of New Castle County

For the Fiscal Year, July 1, 1939, to June 30, 1940

Copies of assessment of Real and Personal Property in New Castle County have been placed in the following election districts, to remain until February 16, 1939.

Brandywine Hundred

First Election District—Walbert Brothers' Restaurant, Claymont.
Second Election District—Concord Food Market, Talleyville.
Third Election District—Brown's Drug Store, Phila. Pike, Penny Hill.
Fourth Election District—Peco's Store, 4400 Market Street.
Fifth Election District—Claymont Trust Co., Claymont.
Sixth Election District—Haines Ave. Service Station, Hillcrest.
Seventh Election District—Frank C. Biesinger's Store, Philadelphia Pike and Holly Oak Road.

Christiana Hundred

First Election District—A. M. Craig's Store, Newport.
Second Election District—J. H. Ford's Store, Marshallton.
Third Election District—Shields' Lumber Co. Office, Greenville.
Fourth Election District—Smith's Store, Centreville.
Fifth Election District—Makinson's Service Station, Lancaster Pike and DuPont Road.
Sixth Election District—H. G. Terrell's Store, Richardson Park.
Seventh Election District—Elsmere Meat Market, Elsmere.
Eighth Election District—Fred Corrao's Store, Maryland Ave. and DuPont Road.
Ninth Election District—Squire Bogart's Office, Elmhurst.
Tenth Election District—Mrs. Leigh's Store, 2700 Lancaster Avenue, Colonial Heights.

Mill Creek Hundred

First Election District—Oakley Stradley's Feed Store, Marshallton.
Second Election District—Fred E. Gebhart's Store, Hockessin.
Third Election District—Ezekiel S. Cockran's Store, Pike Creek and Lincoln Highway.
Fourth Election District—Stanton Garage, Stanton.
Fifth Election District—David A. Wenstock's Store, Cedars.

White Clay Creek Hundred

First Election District—Squire Thompson's Office, Newark.
Second Election District—Rhodes' Drug Store, Newark.
Third Election District—Currinder's Store, Christiana.

New Castle Hundred

First Election District—Mayor's Office, New Castle.
Second Election District—Clayton's Store, New Castle.
Third Election District—Daniel McGinn's Store, New Castle.
Fourth Election District—John T. Stoops' Store, New Castle.
Fifth Election District—William Harrington's Store, Bear.
Sixth Election District—Barlow's Store, Hamilton Park.
Seventh Election District—Minquadales Community Market, DuPont Boulevard, Minquadales.

Pencader Hundred

First Election District—Jarmen's Store, So. College Ave., Newark.
Second Election District—Summit Bridge Garage, Summit Bridge.

Red Lion Hundred

First Election District—Reybold's Store, Delaware City.
Second Election District—Frederick B. Sutton's Store, St. Georges.

St. Georges Hundred

First Election District—George W. Davis' Store, Odessa.
Second Election District—Postoffice, Port Penn.
Third Election District—Town Office, Middletown.
Fourth Election District—W. S. Leatherbury's Store, Middletown.

Appoquinimink Hundred

First Election District—Hart's Office, Townsend.
Second Election District—Ethelwyn J. Maloney's Store, Townsend.

Blackbird Hundred

First Election District—John D. Steller's Store, Taylor's Bridge.
Second Election District—Royden Caulk's Store, Blackbird.
The County Assessment for the City of Wilmington and rural New Castle County may be seen at the office of the Board of Assessment, Public Building, Wilmington, during the months of February, March and April, 1939.

The Board of Assessment respectfully requests the taxables examine the assessment of their property. For the purpose of making corrections, noting omissions and hearing appeals, the Board of Assessment will sit in the respective hundreds as follows:

Blackbird Hundred, March 1—Caulk's Store, Blackbird.
Appoquinimink Hundred, March 2—Hart's Office, Townsend.
St. Georges Hundred, March 3—Town Office, Middletown.
Red Lion Hundred, March 6—Reybold's Store, Delaware City.
Pencader Hundred, March 7—McElwee's Garage, Glasgow.
New Castle Hundred, March 8—Mayor's Office, New Castle.
White Clay Creek Hundred, March 9—Deer Park Hotel, Newark.
Mill Creek Hundred, March 10—Gebhart's Store, Hockessin.
Christiana Hundred, March 13—Smith's Store, Centreville.
Brandywine Hundred, March 14—Claymont Trust Co., Claymont.
City of Wilmington, March 4, March 11, March 16 to April 30, 1939, inclusive—Public Building, Wilmington, Delaware.

Appeals must be filed with the Board of Assessment of New Castle County, Public Buildings, Wilmington, Del., not later than April 30, 1939.

Social Events Around Newark

Recent Bride Of Delaware Graduate



Mrs. H. Kent Preston, Jr., the former Miss Elizabeth Gerber, of Bellevue Avenue, Trenton, N. J., whose marriage to H. Kent Preston, Jr., son of Professor and Mrs. H. Kent Preston, Orchard Road, took place recently at the Prospect Street Presbyterian Church, Trenton. Upon their return from a wedding trip, the couple will reside on Maple Avenue, Trenton.—Photo courtesy of the TRENTON STATE GAZETTE.

ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ingham, W. Park Place, during the week.

Miss Betty Sargeant, W. Main St., spent the week end in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Joseph Crowe, Hanover, Pa., was a guest over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hauber, Jr., Capitol Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Curtis, W. Park Place, were dinner guests of Mrs. Walter H. Steel, Amstel Ave., on Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Ralph, W. Delaware Ave., who is connected with the State Tax Department, has been transferred from the Wilmington office to Dover.

Mrs. George L. Townsend, Jr., Wilmington, entertained her bridge club on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Roberta Leak, E. Main St., is a patient at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington.

Mrs. Nora Bryan, Elton Rd., who was burned recently when boiling coffee spilled over her leg, has shown rapid improvement.

Mrs. Harry L. Bonham, Amstel Ave., has returned after spending several days in Summit, N. J.

Miss Isabel Ashbridge, Philadelphia, spent the week end with her parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Donald Ashbridge, S. College Ave.

Mrs. P. R. Roberts, Cooch's Bridge, has returned from a week's stay with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roberts, Kenil, N. J. Mr. J. B. Roberts has recently been promoted to first assistant supervisor in the dynamite division of the Hercules Powder Company in Kenil.

Mr. Alfred Curtis, W. Main St., left this week for West Palm Beach, Fla., where he will spend the balance of the season.

Mrs. Earl Ramsey, Capital Trail, entertained her bridge club Monday evening.

Thomas S. Ingham, Jr., a student at Cornell University, is visiting.

Calendar

Thursday, February 9
7:45 p. m.—Meeting of Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society in lecture room of First Presbyterian Church of Newark.

7:30 p. m.—Meeting of dairymen at State Road Chapel (near Royal Oak Hotel) under sponsorship of Eastern States Farmers' Exchange.

Friday, February 10
8:00 p. m.—Organization of Delaware engineers at meeting of National Society of Professional Engineers at Hotel du Pont, Wilmington.
Valentine party in Fraternal Hall under sponsorship of Friendship Temple No. 6, Pythian Sisters.

Saturday, February 11
6:30 p. m.—Card and bingo party under sponsorship of Eastern Beagle Club at club house.

Sunday, February 12
11:00 a. m.—"Soul" subject of service at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Park Place and Van Buren St., Wilmington.

Monday, February 13
7:00 p. m.—English reading by Dr. C. L. Day in Hilarium, Women's College, University of Delaware.

Thursday, February 16
5:00 p. m.—Chicken and oyster supper in basement of Glasgow M. E. Church for benefit of Ladies' Bible Class.

Curtis Concert at Mitchell Hall under sponsorship of Newark Music Society.

Friday, February 17
8:30 p. m.—University Drama Group fancy dress ball at Newark Country Club.

9:00 p. m.—Valentine dance at Elkton armory, sponsored by Co. "E" Club. Dan Gregory and his orchestra.

Wednesday, February 22
10:30 a. m.—Annual conference of Delaware Daughters of the American Revolution at Hotel duPont, Wilmington.

Friday, February 24
Silver tea sponsored by the Ladies of the Presbyterian Church at the home of Mrs. J. P. Cann.

Friday, March 3
8:15 p. m.—"Charley's Aunt" to be presented in school auditorium by Newark High School faculty.

OBITUARY

Elizabeth T. Naudain
Elizabeth T. Naudain, who has lived here for about 40 years, died at her home, East Main Street, on Sunday, February 5. She was 88 years of age.

Services, conducted by the Rev. H. Everett Hallman, were held on Wednesday, February 8, from her late home. Interment was in Red Clay Creek Cemetery.

Norman J. Worth
Norman J. Worth, of near Kemblesville, Pa., died at his home on Sunday, February 5, at the age of 48.

Services, conducted by the Rev. Davidson, of West Grove, Pa., were held on Wednesday, February 8, from the R. T. Jones funeral parlor. Interment was in St. John's Cemetery, Concordville, Pa.

A wife and two children survive.

Josephine J. Downey
Josephine J. Downey, 90, died at her home on Capital Trail on Wednesday, February 1. Services were held from the home of her son, George D. Downey, 617 North Van Buren Street, Wilmington, on Monday, February 6. Interment was in the Presbyterian cemetery at New Castle.

Mary M. Newcomb
Mrs. Mary Matilda Newcomb, a resident of Newark for ten years, died at her residence, 90 East Main Street, on Wednesday, February 8. A native of Gilead, Conn., she was 83 years of age.

Services, conducted by the Rev. Leonard White, will be held at the funeral home of Ira C. Shellender, 254 West Main Street, on Friday.

Miss Mary Wilson, 52 Kells Ave., entered Bascom's College, Wilmington, Monday.

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butter cookies is given below.
1½ cups flour ½ cup granulated sugar
1 tsp. baking powder 1 egg
¼ tsp. salt ½ tsp. vanilla
¾ cup butter 2 tbsp. milk

Cookies may be shaped in various ways—there are rolled cookies, drop cookies, sliced or ice-box cookies and cookies which are spread in a pan and cut after baking. The flavor may be varied by the addition of chocolate or other flavorings and all sorts of decorations can be applied with nuts or candied fruits to add flavor. The pastry tube can be

used to add delicate trimmings. Good cookie makers know that if certain rules are followed they are sure to have a good product. Cream butter thoroughly before adding other ingredients; have ingredients cold and combine them quickly; chill the dough for at least ½ hour before rolling it; work with about ¼ of the dough at a time and on a cold board with little flour; dip cookie cutter in flour each time before using and deposit cookie on baking sheet. Bake in a fairly hot oven or a lightly buttered baking sheet.

Boy Scouts

(Continued From Page 1)

ning, a member of the troop will speak at the annual dinner meeting of the Lions Club of Newark.

The scout birthday yesterday was, according to tradition, the time when former and active scouts repudiated themselves to the scout promise as a demonstration of the way scouting seeks to supplement and support the influence of the American home. It is expected that important national broadcasts will be made during the celebration.

Appropriate programs have been arranged for each day of the celebration which have been named as follows: Friday—Scout Brotherhood Day; Saturday—Scout Service Day; Sunday—Scout Church Day; Monday—Scout Dedication Day; Tuesday—Scout Fun Day.

Drama Meeting

(Continued From Page 1)

the play there will be a discussion of production and performance problems on the stage.

A feature of the conference will be an exhibit in the lobby of Mitchell Hall which will include selection of the best books on various aspects of dramatic production, makeup materials, costume paints, costumes, improvised lighting equipment, books in play lending library, catalogs of play publishers and dealers in all kinds of stage equipment and materials, pictures of stage sets, theatrical periodicals, low-priced fabrics for costumes, curtains, draperies, etc.

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morning, February 17, at ten o'clock. Interment will take place at Gilead on Saturday.

A daughter, Jane Newcomb, survives.

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Representatives Chosen By D. A. R. At Session

The recent meeting of the Cooch's Bridge Chapter, D. A. R., was held at the home of Mrs. Robert T. Jones West Main Street, with Miss Catherine Steel as hostess. The following were appointed to represent the chapter at the 48th Continental Congress, N. S. D. A. R., to be held in Constitutional Hall, Washington, D. C., for three days opening April 19: Mrs. J. Irvin Dayett, regent; Mrs. Alex Cobb, delegate, with the alternates Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Edward W. Cooch, Miss Ruth McKinney, Miss Gertrude McDonald, and Mrs. J. Pilling Wright. Following the business meeting a social hour and tea were held. Mrs. Ernest Frazer and Miss Ruth McKinney poured. The Misses Marion Jones, Helen Eastman and Jean Lewis represented the C. A. R. at the session. The next meeting will be held April 1.

For 52 years Henry M. Thomas of Evening Shade, Ark., has paid his yearly subscription to a newspaper with a load of wood.

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"You bid no one a last farewell
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Your living heart had ceased to beat
Your stay on earth was done
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But many a silent tear is shed
While others are asleep
Sadly missed by Wife and Brothers.

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Flashes

By Bill Fletcher

MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE Basketball Squad are brushing their teeth three times a day, shining their shoes, brushing their hair and polishing their general behavior on all fronts with the New Trip scheduled for Friday, and every player will be from the first substitute down to Paul (I'm a Polliwog) Bruno entertaining a faint hope of taking the journey.

TARDY CANDIDATES—The appearance and the court early in an effort to get to the coach their change while those who heretofore have been around the gymnasium, the manner of a may carry-over-dollar bet are displayed of a longshot that we overlook.

COACHES—The coach smiles craftily—by are called, but few are said only ten men will be to take the trip.

FANS OF 1939—have a pleasant time watching the gridiron, at least on the weather's cooperative. The look into the little crystal ball of the four Saturdays in "let's see" "pleasant, fair, cool."

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DELAWARE SHOOTERS COP THREE

P. M. C., Penn State, N. Y. U. Are Victims

By Mark S. Mann
Firing their first match under National Rifle Association rules, the University of Delaware rifle team outshot Pennsylvania Military College in a shoulder-to-shoulder match at Chester, Pa., on Saturday by a score of 1,199-1,175.

Unsettled by firing with a sling, required by association regulations, the Delaware team was outdistanced in the standing position but came through in the prone and kneeling shots to win by a comfortable margin.

Phil Derickson, newly-elected captain to succeed Tommy Leach, was high man for the match with a total of 247.

Record Improved
During the week ending February 4, the Blue and Gold squad turned in postal victories over Penn State and New York University, bringing Delaware's total of wins up to six against five losses.

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High School Faculty			
Gibbs	170	171	167
Brown	160	161	158
Trinity	141	142	138
Keen	132	133	129
C. Pie	129	130	126
S. Carr	123	124	120
Totals	812	813	806

Wilson's Service Station			
J. Wilson	143	144	140
Berry	121	122	118
C. Wilson	121	122	118
Pennington	123	124	120
N. Timko	120	121	117
A. Timko	120	121	117
Totals	628	629	616

Hopkins Brothers			
J. Barrett	177	178	173
M. Hopkins	167	168	164
Yonkers	152	153	149
Tavner	171	172	167
Tolomeo	138	139	134
Totals	685	686	667

Moms Club			
Drewner	160	161	157
Spaul	127	128	123
Stevens	133	134	129
Stata	130	131	126
T. A. Baker	143	144	139
Fader	130	131	126
Totals	623	624	600

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25 YEARS AGO IN REVIEW

February 11, 1914

OBITUARY

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Ziegler
Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Ziegler died last Thursday in her 75th year and was buried in the Methodist cemetery here on Sunday. Mrs. Ziegler was the widow of Nathan Ziegler, who for many years kept a store in the building now occupied by William Gamble.

Mary S. Bradley
Mary S., wife of the late David Bradley, aged 76 years, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Tolbert Cole, Newark, on Tuesday, February 10. Funeral services will be held from Mr. Cole's residence on Saturday, February 14, at 11 a. m. Interment, Fernwood Cemetery.

Engagement Announced
John Nivin, well-known granger living north of town, is receiving congratulations upon the announcement of his engagement to Miss Hattie Townsend of Newark. N. J., daughter of the late Solomon Townsend of Stricklandville, Pa. Reports declare the wedding day near at hand.

Social Notes
Mrs. Raymond Reed was hostess at Auction last Thursday afternoon. The guests were, Mrs. Hossinger, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Herman, Mrs. Cann, Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Dutton, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. Cooch, Miss Harter, Miss Brewer, Mrs. J. P. Wilson, Mrs. C. B. Evans, Mrs. Preston, Mrs. Whittier, and Mrs. W. H. Evans.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson entertained two tables of Auction on Friday afternoon at "Oaklands." Those who played were Mrs. Whittingham, Miss Maxwell, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Hossinger, Mrs. C. B. Evans, Mrs. E. W. Cooch, and Mrs. J. H. Hossinger.

Miss Maxwell entertained two tables of Auction on Tuesday afternoon.

Lieut. C. C. Hermann and family, having been spending a week at Ridley Park, the guests of Mrs. Hermann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pomero.

The Cooch's Bridge Chapter, D. A. R., was entertained on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Harry Hayward at the College Farm.

Personals
Miss McGuire of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Victor Willis.

H. R. Tyson left Tuesday for a business trip south as far as Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Ruby Young of Wilson, N. C., has been the guest of Miss Marion Campbell.

Miss Eliza B. Messick of Bridgeville, Miss Alice Morgan of Seaford, are the guests of Mrs. H. H. Morgan, West Main Street.

Leonard Lilley of St. Davids, Pa., spent the week-end with his aunt, Miss Emma Lilley.

Joseph Derriksen of Milltown, who has been spending the winter in Florida as has been his custom for several years, is seriously ill in Miami. William Derriksen, his brother, is now with him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Martin of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with Prof. and Mrs. C. L. Penny.

Mr. Martin, an alumnus of Delaware College, is now pay-director in the navy department, Washington.

Miss Elizabeth Smithers of Wilmington was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Short on Monday.

Miss Robt Storey of New London, Pa., was the recent guest of the Misses Wilson.

Miss Elizabeth Wright of Bryn Mawr, spent the week-end at her home in Newark.

Miss Marian Harrington and Mrs. William Murphy of Farmington are the guests of Mrs. H. L. Bonham.

Amateur Theatrical
Two plays, "A Love of a Bonnet" and "Six Cups of Chocolate," will be given in Institute Hall, Christians, on Thursday evening for the benefit of the Christiana Presbyterian Sunday School. Among those who will take part in the plays are, Mrs. Thomas Appleby, Miss Elsie Webber, Mrs. F. B. Eastburn, Mrs. Oliver Rothwell, Miss Sara Appleby, Mrs. J. B. Eastburn, Miss Elizabeth Stroud, Miss Marion Lee, Miss Dorothy Greet and Miss Jeanette Durand.

Boys Truck Farm
M. B. Seydell, a large fruit and truck grower of Milford has purchased the farm of Forrest Lovett near McClellandville. Mrs. Seydell will take possession about the first of March. He will devote his time to fruit and truck exclusively. The deal was handled by S. M. Donnell. Consideration not made public. Mr. Seydell came to Delaware several years ago from the West.

Lecture On Walt Whitman
The second in the series of public lectures given by members of the faculty of Delaware College will be given in the Oration next Tuesday evening, February 24, by Mr. George Dutton. His subject will be "Walt Whitman."

Seeking New Rector
At a special meeting of the vestry of St. Thomas Episcopal church Monday night, the following committee was named to consider the matter of a new rector to succeed the Rev. Mr. Phelps: Alfred A. Curtis, senior warden; Dr. George A. Harter, junior warden; David C. Rose and Harlow H. Curtis.

Membership Applications Considered By Juniors
American Flag Council No. 28, Jr. O. U. M., considered fourteen applications for membership at the organization's regular meeting Monday night. Guests were present from Wilmington, New Castle, and Middletown, Pa.

STATE OF DELAWARE LACKS ONE FEATURE

Women's Clubs Want Bird Approved By Assembly

Delaware is a very fine state—it has an excellent governor, a fine group of legislators, roads that leave little to be desired, beautiful wooded sections, rolling hills, quaint and lovely towns, rich fertile soil, and merrily singing streams, but there is one thing missing.

Give Us The Bird

Delaware does not have an authorized, canafied, certified, and legalized state bird.

And this is the oversight which the Delaware Y. W. C. A. is striving to correct. With such a large song, game, marsh, and shore bird population in the state, this organization maintains that Delaware should be represented by one of our fine feathered friends. All of which should make our representative Hen very blue indeed.

In an effort to place a joint resolution before the current General Assembly, by February 15, the Y. W. C. A. is soliciting support of the bill calling for the adoption of the chosen state bird. A conservation committee on state bird recognition will be appointed, composed of a member of the Natural History Society, Audubon Society, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Garden Club, New Century Club, Boy Scouts, school children, Girl Scouts, Delaware Game and Fish Protective Association, Farmer Sportsmen Association, 4-H Club, Future Farmers of America, D. A. R., and other representatives.

Hen To Be Replaced
In voting for a feathered inhabitant to rule the roost held so long and nobly by the Blue Hen, Miss Marjorie Starkweather, secretary of the District of Delaware, Y. W. C. A., of Dover, recommends that you bear the following questions in mind before making your selection:

"Is the bird a resident of Delaware most of the year?" "Is it found in all parts of the state?" "Is it a native of this country?" "Does it now exist in the state and what of its future?" "Does it have historical background and traditional representation in the state?" "Is it known to the majority of young people?"

All of these points must be considered, so get out your pencils and notebooks and take an interviewing trip throughout the state. Question them with all the care a fond parent would who is about to give his daughter's hand in marriage.

If you should meet a Cardinal, who has a running start on other species by virtue of the State Federation of Women's Clubs' selection, he might treat you a bit disdainfully because of the apparent security of his position. If he condescends to answer your queries, he'll tell you in a haughty manner (he's proud of his beauty) that he is especially attracted by the geographical appearance of Sussex County and that he is very popular indeed with most people because of his gliding beauty.

White Is Candidate
Bob White won't be hard to find unless you're carrying a gun. In fact, he'll probably whistle for you when you get within earshot. He'll tell you he was here when the first settlers came to Delaware, that he likes every corner of the state except the northern section of New Castle County and that he likes it all year round and intends to stay here. Beneficial to farmers, he'll poll a landslide vote from the tillers of the soil and nature students.

If you aren't afraid of getting your feet wet, you'll probably meet the Black Duck, the Wood Duck, a Great Blue Heron or an Osprey, other aspirants to the state bird post.

Black Duck, who has been gaining quite a few friends, especially among hunters, is a familiar figure to most people and despite his ability to travel, choose to reside in the state twelve months of the year. He doesn't even go south for the Christmas holidays, and being a friendly kind of bird, would probably invite you to his government home at Bombay Hook. He will also tell you, with pardonable pride in his quack, that he is under the sponsorship of the Biological Survey, which isn't advocating birth control to his clan either.

Always willing to oblige, he'll probably introduce you to Wood Duck, a friend who has been away for a long time but who is now reappearing under national protection. He's also proud of his looks, but doesn't expect to gain much headway at the polls because of a scarcity of lockers.

Haughty Politician
If you make an appointment through his agents, the Natural History Society and the Audubon Society, you'll probably be permitted to interview Great Blue Heron at his New Castle sanctuary. A majestic bird, slate blue, with long legs and bill, he'll probably answer none of your questions, but depend upon his regal appearance to poll a landslide vote.

If you happen to engage in a conversation with a Mourning Dove, he'll probably cry all over your shoulder about how hard times are, but despite his sorrowful appearance, he has many friends attracted by his grace and charm.

Osprey will invite you over for a fish dinner, tell you nothing, and if you ask too many questions, will inform you he doesn't like this political racket anyhow and tell you to sell your papers.

If you want to take a trip to Robin's southern home, this suave politician will probably greet you with a warm friendliness, but frankly tell you the public fears his power. He already has carried Michigan, Virginia, and Wisconsin, surpassed only by Western Meadowlark, who rules Wyoming, South Dakota, Oregon, North Dakota, Nebraska, Montana, and Kansas, and Cardinal who pulls the political strings in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, and Ohio, and is leading the field in Delaware. Robin'll make an appointment to see you in the spring.

Other entries, given outside chances to gain the throne are: Marsh Hawk, Jail Bird, Bittern, Bronx Bird, Blue Jay, and Red Shoulder Hawk.

Independent Aspirant
Slated to run on an independent ticket is Sparrow, who, despite the fact that he is a year-round resident of the State, is scheduled for a big disappointment on election day. Reports to the effect that Sparrow has such a large family and great number of friends that his court would be overwhelmed with attacks, thus disturbing the tranquility of the budget, have greatly undermined his chances for election.

His greatest support is expected to come from the animal kingdom which, it is reported, is smacking the lips at the prospects of the greater increase in this delicacy which would come through state authorization of Sparrow as ruler of the roost.

May the best bird win!

ALMANAC



"It is sure to be dark if you shut your eyes."

- FEBRUARY**
- 12—Abraham Lincoln, the rail-splitter president born, 1809.
 - 13—First passenger train in New Mexico made short run, 1879.
 - 14—Valentine's Day.
 - 15—The battleship Maine was sunk at Havana, 1898.
 - 16—King Tutankhamen's tomb was opened, 1922.
 - 17—First ship passed through the Suez Canal, 1867.
 - 18—Martin Luther, leader of German Reformation died, 1546.

General Assembly

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system for teachers in the public schools.

Regulations of the system, defining membership therein, benefits payable, provision of funds, investment, contributions, protection against fraud and similar clauses are incorporated into the act.

Seven bills introduced in the House by Floorleader Elmer E. Benson were: An act to permit bonds to be made against oyster beds, an act to decrease the rate per gallon on all motor fuels, an amendment to the act relating to number plates on motor vehicles, authorization of the sale of the State Armory and Arsenal Building in Milford, an appropriation bill to the State Military Board for the erection of a suitable building at the State Rifle Range, near New Castle, and act referring to the registration of motor vehicles, and an appropriation bill for the Delaware Children's Home Society.

Other New Bills
Representative Norman A. Draper entered an appropriation measure for the Vocational Rehabilitation and Placement of Physically Disabled Persons, and an act to force all motor vehicles to come to a full stop when a school bus is loading or discharging passengers.

Funds for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and provisions for the semi-monthly payment of salaries of state officers were incorporated in two bills introduced by Representative Elwood S. Leach.

Representative Henry M. Canby proposed the abolishment of the present statute that forbids the sale of alcoholic liquors to University of Delaware students within two miles of the campus, but he would increase the state's regulation regarding the sale of fermented malt beverages in bottles, cans, or other containers.

An act was introduced by Representative Abner Woodward making it a misdemeanor for any railroad company to blow a locomotive whistle while passing through the limits of any incorporated town in the state.

Pythian Sisters To Hold Valentine Party Saturday
Friendship Temple No. 6, Pythian Sisters, will stage a Valentine party on Friday evening in Fraternal Hall. The affair, scheduled to start at eight o'clock, is being arranged by the social committee. All members are requested to be present.

When Pierre Legniere of Paris boasted that he had wives in 30 towns, Mrs. Legniere secured evidence that won her a divorce.

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SOCIETY OFFICERS ELECTED

Mrs. Talley President Of Ladies' Aid

By Miss Emma S. MacLary
Stanton, Feb. 8—The Ladies Aid Society of the Stanton M. E. Church at its meeting this week elected officers, resulting as follows: President, Mrs. Talley; vice-president, Mrs. Grace Hale; secretary, Mrs. Anna Downey; treasurer, Mrs. Mattie Downey. The society made plans for its annual chicken supper which will be served in the church on March 16.

The Young Women's Class of the Stanton M. E. Church met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Helen Marsh. Plans were made for the presentation of a three act comedy "Getting Ira Married" to be given on Feb. 10 in the Odd Fellow's Hall, Stanton, by members of the Red Lion Dramatic Club.

Bingo Party
Friendship Lodge No. 4, Shepherds of Bethlehem will hold a bingo party on Tuesday evening, February 14, in Odd Fellow's Hall, Stanton.

Services in the Stanton M. E. Church on Sunday were in charge of the Rev. E. H. Collins, pastor, who spoke on the topic "In Remembrance of Me," which sermon was followed by the administration of the Lord's Supper. On Sunday evening, Elwood Othson, a trustee of the church, was the speaker. His subject was "The Value of Youth in the Church and Community, and how to hold their interest."

Mrs. Alice M. Logan, teacher of the fourth grade of the Stanton School, presented the culminating activity of their Greek unit at the school on Friday.

Mrs. Phyllis Heck, supervisor, visited the Stanton school Friday, to observe methods of instruction. Diamond State Grange of Stanton at its meeting Wednesday evening initiated two candidates in the first and second degrees. Plans were made for the chicken supper to be held on February 15 by the Grange and the Stanton Library Committee of the New Castle County Free Library. The supper will be served in the basement of the Stanton M. E. Church. Ernest Lacey, master of the Grange, and Mrs. Lulu Chambers are in charge of arrangements.

Dr. Cyrus L. Day To Speak On Program
Dr. Cyrus L. Day will present the next reading under the sponsorship of the English department at the University of Delaware, on Monday evening, in the Hilarium of the Women's College. His subject will be "The Sword in the Stone," a humorous treatment of the early life of King Arthur. Everyone is invited to attend.

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Missionary Society To Meet Monday Evening
The regular monthly meeting of the Young Women's Home Missionary Society of the Newark M. E. Church will be held Monday evening at eight o'clock at the home of Mrs. Edna Reed, 125 E. Delaware Avenue. Mrs. Reed will be assisted by Mrs. Iva Mumford and Mrs. Helen Jernee.

Officers' Ball
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ing of first and second lieutenants in the Wilmington units. Colorful decorations will be hung in the huge drill hall of the armory. Captain Benson's assistants on the decorations committee are: First Lieutenants Roger H. Holt, Ralph E. Buckalew, Frank T. Lynch, Walter L. Tindall, Herbert O. Wardell, and William Lewis, and Second Lieutenants Edwin C. Jeffers, Samuel R. Wharry, Allen Kempke, Daniel P. Lee, Harry T. Wilson, Charles R. Jeffers, 3rd, William F. Belen, and Paul I. Donnelly.

Trade Act
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M. Singles, J. H. Dennison, A. S. Geist, T. R. Claringbold, L. W. Walbridge, G. F. Jackson, J. D. Lebo, M. Plinick, C. W. Sparks, Sol Wilson, National 5 and 10c to \$3 Stores, Inc., and the Newark Department Store.

Other advocates of the bill are urging its passage from various parts of the state, while opponents of the measure are adding to the House mail with requests for its downfall.

Following the recess for lunch on Tuesday, Speaker Zebley received fifty telegrams from opponents of the bill.

Annexation Act
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a part of the local arteries," he concluded.

Councilman Johnson's resolution received an unanimous vote of approval. It will probably be presented to the House of Representatives, in conjunction with the Annexation Act, by Dr. G. W. Rhodes, local representative, next week.

Firmen Ask Increase
With Mayor Frank Collins presiding, the complete body attended the February session, including: Councilmen C. C. Hubert, G. E.

Ramsey, John F. Richards, Herman Wollaston, G. F. Ferguson, and Johnson. Engineer George C. Price and Secretary C. Vernon Steele were present also.

W. C. Waples, A. B. Eastman, and J. E. Dougherty, directors of the Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company, appealed to the Council for an increase in appropriation from \$500 a year to \$1,500.

Mayor Collins recommended that a financial statement be drawn and that it be filed with the request with the new Council to be elected in April.

Robert Morrison, representing residents of North Chapel Street, complained of overnight parking conditions in the neighborhood. He also appealed for action against property owners who have failed to lay sidewalks in compliance with the town laws. "Every measure of safety should be applied in view of the ever increasing amount of automobile traffic," Mr. Morrison urged.

Asks Audit Bids
Mayor Collins designated February 15 and 16 as "clean up days" for the collection of rubbish. Magistrate Benjamin Eubanks reported \$151 collected in fines for January.

George L. Martin, 37 Elkon Road, applying for a permit to operate a local taxicab service; was referred to the State.

Charles L. Cole, local accountant who audited the town books last year, placed a bid of \$200 to do the job again. Requests for the privilege of doing the work were filed by Councilman Wollaston on behalf of Paul Jaquette and Albert Clark.

The requests were automatically denied, however, when it was decided to ask bids from certified public accounting firms. Mayor Collins and Mr. Steele were empowered to award the contract.

Traffic Light Approved
A request from the Newark Chamber of Commerce to use the Council office for meetings on the second Monday night of every month was granted.

A brief discussion centered on the collection of delinquent water accounts and back taxes. Mr. Steele was instructed to carry out the law in forcing payment.

An additional fog light and a two-and-a-half-gallon fire extinguisher were ordered purchased for the new police car.

Due to increasing traffic on South College Avenue and the added hazard of the brick wall recently constructed along a portion of the University of Delaware campus, Council ordered the erection of a traffic intersection at the Delaware Avenue intersection.

New Charter Filed
Councilman Ramsey submitted to the General Assembly a petition to grant the Council town charter, but the petition failed to receive consideration.

Chief of Police William Cunningham reported that in January, five offenders were arrested for reckless driving, and issuing worthless checks, and operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor, one arrest for each.

Water consumption has decreased 23 per cent in same month last year. Price reported. The cost for January was \$12,402.80 or a daily average of \$401.06.

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