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## Examination Week In Schools

All Pupils From Grade 3 To High School Taking Tests; Fundamental Principles And Use Of Examinations

This week all the pupils in the Newark public schools, from the third grade through the High School, are taking examinations in their various courses and studies. Professor Brin-

in, speaking of examinations, said that it is an often misunderstood term and the significance and use of examinations is generally misunderstood. The following is, briefly, his outline of the fundamental principles and uses of examinations:

"The problem of examination is inherited from time immemorial. The vexatiousness and the perplexity have haunted parent, pupil and teacher alike. The sins of omission and the sins of commission have been many in all times, but there has been and is signs of progress. The attention of opponents to examinations, for no examinations, may safely be disregarded if we carry on necessary school exercise on the basis of principles known to parents, pupil and teachers alike."

"The first essential is to understand clearly what the examination is to determine. Examinations should determine at least three things: (1) how much a pupil understands. (2) how well a pupil can apply that which he remembers and that which he understands. (3) In some subjects we test the first, in others the second, in others the third—always a combination of all for all subjects having immediate and deferred values. Application of learning is always a test of understanding which is a test of association based upon memory—with this viewpoint examinations should be regarded not as 'impediments' to be avoided, but as teaching devices that indicate to both pupil, parent and teacher the place of emphases for further work. Examinations should be to be therefore 'inquisitions' that testing exercises which measure the school and the pupil."

"To achieve these aims presents problems: In all the testing of the understanding there is difficulty, and as such requires much time and study. To ask

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## Steal Car, Later Abandon It

Mr. Harvey Steele considers himself fortunate in quickly recovering a Buick Coupe, stolen from in front of the Opera House, Thursday evening, and recovered the next morning in Perryville, Maryland. Thursday evening Mr. Steele left his car parked in front of the Opera House while he attended to errands, assuming about half an hour. When he returned the car had disappeared. He notified the highway police, and Friday morning his car was reported found in Perryville. It had been left parked with the lights on full. Mr. Steele estimated that about 12 gallons of gas had been used, but there was still gas left in the tank. The thieves had apparently just wanted a quick fix and had driven the car hard, for the radiator was nearly dry. No clew has been discovered that would point to the identity of the thieves.

## DEPUTY TAX COLLECTORS ASSIGNED

U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue, Wallace S. Handy, has announced that D. Bender has been assigned to Newark to assist taxpayers in preparing their 1926 income tax returns to the Federal Government. Mr. Bender will be available for consultation on February 9 and 23 at the Newark Trust and Safe Deposit Company, and February 10 and 24 at the Farmers Trust Company. Other Deputy Collectors have been assigned to nearly all towns in the State. These collectors have also been assigned periods at some of the larger plants to assist employees in making their returns.

## INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Herman Cook, who lives near Milford Cross Roads, fell on the ice near her home yesterday and broke her right wrist. The fracture is doing well.

## "CAN SPRING BE FAR BEHIND"

Spring is almost upon us according to the humble caterpillar, who, many people believe a reliable prognosticator of change in seasons. These persons foretell the length of winter by the length of the black in the streak on the caterpillar's back. Caterpillars found recently have only one-third of the streak in black, which shades into brown, growing lighter as it approaches the end of the body. This forecasts an early spring.

## Mrs. Whittingham Died Thursday

Prominent Newark Resident Expires After Brief Illness

Mrs. Bessie Rutherford Whittingham, prominent in this town and in the State, died at her home, Linden Hall, just south of this town, last Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Whittingham suffered Sunday night from an abscess in the ear, which induced septic meningitis, the cause of her death.

Mrs. Whittingham, who would have been sixty years of age in March, was born in Washington, D. C., and was the daughter of Elizabeth King Rutherford and Colonel R. G. Rutherford. She is survived by her husband, Richard A. Whittingham, divisional engineer for the Pennsylvania Railroad, and an inventor of note; two daughters, Miss Bessie Whittingham, and Mrs. Frank Dean, wife of Lieutenant Dean of the United States Navy, and one son, Richard R. Whittingham, who is connected with the Vacuum Oil Company, New York City. There are four grandchildren.

Mrs. Dean, with her children, came to Newark two weeks ago from Long Beach, California, to visit her parents, and was with her mother at the time of her death. Lt. Dean is on his ship, the Idaho, which is stationed at Bremerton, State of Washington. Mrs. Whittingham has only one relative other than her immediate family, a brother, Lt. Col. R. G. Rutherford, Jr., of San Diego, California.

The Whittinghams lived in Wilmington for a short time, and with that exception, they have lived in Newark for twenty-seven years. Their home here is one of the most attractive in the town and the family has been known for a genial and charming hospitality. Mrs. Whittingham was a member of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church. She has been active in Republican politics, serving first as vice-chairman of the Pender-Hundred Republican committee and elected last September to the State Republican Committee.

A large gathering of friends attended the funeral services, which were conducted at the home on Monday afternoon, by Dr. R. B. Mathews, rector of St. Thomas' Church. Interment was private, in the Rutherford family burying ground, at St. Mark's cemetery, Cecil county, Maryland.

The pall-bearers were: Major Underwood, R. G. Ford, H. W. Davis, J. I. Dayett, J. P. Cann, J. P. Wilson, and H. E. Vinsinger, of Newark, and Harry Hayward, of Devon, Pennsylvania.

## Accident Saturday

Saturday afternoon, a machine driven by Ralph Davis, of Newark, was run into by another car driven by Mrs. E. W. MacElwee, of Eastburn Heights. The accident occurred on the Lincoln Highway beyond Cochran's garage.

Davis had a warrant sworn and served on Mrs. MacElwee, charging reckless driving. He claimed he was four feet to the right of the dividing line in the road when the other car, coming from the opposite direction, struck him. It was also alleged that Mrs. MacElwee had no operator's license. At a hearing, Monday night, in Judge Thompson's court, the case was continued.

## DR. SYPHERD SPEAKER AT MEN'S CLUB

At the monthly meeting of the St. Thomas P. E. Church Men's Club, held last Thursday night at the Parish House, Dr. W. Owen Sypherd was the speaker.

The subject of this address was Kipling's "Without Benefit of Clergy."

## Holstein-Friesian Asso. Here On Friday

Former Dean Hayward To Make Address; Professor Wing, Of Cornell, Will Speak

The winter meeting of the Delaware State Holstein-Friesian Association to be held at the University of Delaware, Friday, will bring to Newark two eminent authorities on dairy husbandry. The first, Professor Harry Hayward, formerly Dean of Agriculture at Delaware, will deliver an address under the title of "Some Thoughts on Selling Purebred Cattle." Professor Hayward is now manager of the agricultural division of N. W. Ayer and Son, regarded as the largest advertising agency in the world. The second, Professor Henry Hiram Wing, is head of the animal husbandry department at Cornell University. His subject will be "Experiences and Observations in South America, including Holsteins at the Santiago Dairy Show."

The program which has been arranged by the animal husbandry division of the University and Harry C. Clark, of Kenton, president of the association, will start with an inspection of the dairy herd at the college farm in the fore noon.

The visitors will be given luncheon at noon at the Commons and the afternoon meeting will be held in Wolf Hall. Besides the addresses by Professors Hayward and Wing, Mr. J. R. Danks, of Winterthur, secretary-treasurer of the Association, will show two films portraying better practices in dairy husbandry.

## Kiwanis Ag. Day Next Wednesday

Dean McCue Chairman; Dr. Benner to Speak

Next Wednesday will be Agricultural Day at the Wilmington Kiwanis Club and each member will bring as his guest, one Delaware farmer. There will be a luncheon at noon in the Du Barry room of the du Pont-Biltmore.

Dean McCue, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of Kiwanis will have charge of the day. Dr. Claude L. Benner will make an address on "The Economic Background of the Present Agricultural Depression."

While the major effort of Kiwanis is directed toward help to the underprivileged child; this year it is bending considerable effort toward developing a contact between urban and agrarian interests, and Agricultural Day is a medium for cementing that contact. Particularly in Delaware there is a large and fertile field for cooperative effort between the city man and the farmer, and it is this field that the Kiwanis Club is working in.

Dr. J. F. Adams, of the University, was today inducted into Kiwanis by Mr. A. G. Wilkinson, vice-president of Wilmington Kiwanis.

## PROF. CODE GIVES READING OF AMY LOWELL

Last Thursday evening Professor Grant Hyde Code gave another of his series of lectures to the Business and Professional Women's Club of Wilmington. On this occasion he read selections from the works of Amy Lowell to a large and appreciative audience of men and women gathered at the club room in the Du Pont building.

Professor Code is particularly fitted to interpret and reflect the feeling of Amy Lowell's cadenced verse, as he has written in the same vein himself. He was recently honored signally by having some of his verse included in the "Copeland Reader, an Anthology of American Prose and Poetry" selected by Charles Townsend Copeland, Boylston Professor of rhetoric and oratory at Harvard.

## NEWARK COMMITTEE TO EASTERN SHORE CONFERENCE

The Newark Chamber of Commerce has appointed the following committee to attend the inter-county conference of the Del-Mar-Va Eastern Shore Association, to be held tomorrow at 11:00 a. m., at the Chamber of Commerce, Wilmington:

Eben Frazer, chairman; J. P. Wright, R. C. Lewis, D. N. McClintock, Daniel Thompson, R. R. Lovett, J. K. Johnston and George W. Griffith.

## Dr. Hullihen Speaks At "College Hour"

Talks On New Responsibility Of Student; John Harper And Jean Middleton Tell Of Trip To Ann Harbor

Dr. Walter Hullihen, president of the University of Delaware, was the speaker at "College Hour," held at 11 o'clock this morning, in Wolf Hall. He shared the hour with John Harper and Jean Middleton, heads of the student governing bodies of Delaware College and the Women's College, respectively. They gave, briefly, their observations on their trip to the Student Council held at the University of Michigan in December.

Dr. Hullihen, whose address was based on the problems discussed at the Council at Ann Arbor, talked on the new attitude and responsibility of the college student to education and life and the problems that were developed by both. He pointed out that the students of this era must become thinkers and participants in the van of the new movements of thought, instead of mere followers. He said that the student should formulate a definite program and philosophy of life, determining, personally, what was worthwhile and bend all efforts toward securing an education and culture that would contribute to the realization of the ideals that that program and philosophy incorporated.

Dr. Hullihen called attention to the fact that the new freedom that young people have assumed has brought with it tremendous responsibilities. That when we break from old established and sanctioned conduct there must be something sound and sincere to take its place or we encounter disaster.

Throughout his address, Dr. Hullihen emphasized the fact that the student must reach his own conclusions and determine his own course of conduct in the light of what he finds after careful observation and thought.

## Farm Bureau Com. Meets Tomorrow

Executive Committee To Meet At Farmers Trust; Will Discuss Legislative Measure

Tomorrow at one o'clock, the executive committee of the New Castle Farm Bureau will hold a meeting in the directors' room of the Farmers Trust Company. H. C. Milliken, president of the Bureau, will preside, and H. Wallace Cook, secretary-treasurer, will record the proceedings. County Agent R. O. Bausman will also attend and make an informal address.

The members of the Executive Committee are as follows: L. C. Hoffecker, New Castle; Wilson Pierson, Hockessin; Charles P. Dickey, Stanton; Frank F. Yearsley, Marshallton; J. D. Reynolds, Middletown; Mrs. Mary E. Dickey, Stanton; Griffith Ellison, Kirkwood; J. C. Mitchell, Hockessin; Mrs. J. D. Reynolds, Middletown; Harry C. Dance, New Castle.

One of the points in the meeting will be a discussion of a bill to be presented to the Legislature, calling for the employment of a State Veterinarian to make tuberculin tests on accredited herds. This measure is important, for while milk may be sold in Delaware from untested cattle, it must be sold to stations having a pasteurizing plant. A great many of the larger cities, including Baltimore, Washington and New York, will accept milk from tested herds only.

## Ambulance Makes Three Trips

During the past week the Newark ambulance has been called three times to make trips to Wilmington hospitals.

There were two calls last Wednesday afternoon. Earl Miller of East Main street, was taken to the Delaware Hospital, and later Mrs. John Smith was taken to the same hospital, where she gave birth to a son. William Clancy and Bert Crowe were the drivers.

On Monday Mrs. John Pope was taken to the Homeopathic Hospital for an operation.

## Monsees Speaker At Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Thursday

Melody Boys to Furnish the Music

Carl Monsees will be the main speaker at the Annual Meeting and Banquet of the Newark Chamber of Commerce, to be held in Old College Hall, tomorrow evening at six o'clock. Mr. Monsees is the Director of Research and Extension for the Del-Mar-Va Eastern Shore Association and will probably speak on phases of the Del-Mar-Va Inventory Congress.

The nominating committee of the Chamber of Commerce has selected J. Irvin Dayett, E. B. Frazer, Daniel Thompson and E. C. Wilson to take the places of Dr. Walter Hullihen, J. K. Johnston, Dr. George W. Rhodes and I. N. Sheaffer, whose terms as Directors expire at this time. The officers of the Chamber are John K. Johnston, president; R. W. Heim, vice-president; Warren A. Singles, secretary, and D. A. McClintock, treasurer.

The music for the banquet will be furnished by the Melody Boys, a local orchestra, recently organized.

## J. F. Richards Wins \$1,700 Damages

John F. Richards, of Newark, was awarded \$1,700 damages from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, by a jury in Superior Court, Wilmington. The verdict was announced yesterday afternoon. Mr. Richards had brought suit for \$5,000 damages.

He alleged that the railroad company had failed to provide him with a crossing over the property between his farm and a 40-acre tract, thus causing him considerable financial loss. He was represented by Reuben Satterthwaite, Jr., and William H. Foulk.

John W. Huxley, Jr., counsel for the railroad, moved for a new trial, but Judge Harrington denied Mr. Huxley's motion for a non-suit.

## Recruits for Workhouse

Thursday was recruiting day for the Workhouse in Judge Thompson's court. Terrey Gregg, arrested by Chief of Police James Keeley, on a warrant sworn out by his step-father, T. J. Spogle, charging drunkenness, was fined \$10. In default of payment, he was committed to the Workhouse for 10 days.

John Freeman, no home, was brought to court on the same day by Captain Ward, of the P. R. R. detective force. He had been ejected from a Pennsylvania R. R. through train, at Newark. He was charged with being drunk, disorderly, pugnacious, panhandling on the train and not having a ticket. He was sent to Workhouse for 10 days in default of fine. Freeman, a cripple, boarded a Florida train at Wilmington without a ticket and started soliciting alms from passengers. When the conductor put him off at Newark, he threatened that official with his crutch.

## PROMINENT MASONS ENTERTAINED

William J. Holton entertained at dinner on Monday evening, in compliment to Dr. Richard W. Trapnell, rector of St. Andrews' Church, Wilmington. Dr. Trapnell, who is a Past Grand Chaplain of the Masonic Lodge of Delaware, was the speaker at the meeting of the Masonic Lodge here on Monday evening. The other guests were: Harry F. Newlin, of Wilmington, Past Grand Instructor, former State Senator James W. Robertson, of Wilmington, Edward W. Cochran, Past Grand Master of Delaware Masons, and William E. Holton, of this town.

## LEGISLATORS TO VISIT UNIVERSITY FEBRUARY 4

It was decided in a resolution adopted yesterday in both houses that the State Legislators pay their annual visit to the University of Delaware on Friday, February 4. Senators Kramer and David and Representatives Virden and Carrow were appointed a committee on arrangements. While no program has been drafted, it is probable that the assemblymen, after an inspection of the grounds and buildings, will be entertained at luncheon in the new dining hall at the Women's College.

## Coroner's Jury Holds P. R. R. Responsible

Declares Railroad Guilty In Death Of Three Men At Red Mill Crossing Friday

At a coroner's inquest held by Coroner Howard Green of Cecil county, in the Court House, Elkton, Monday night, the jury brought in a verdict placing responsibility on the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for the fatal grade crossing accident at Red Mill crossing, last Friday. They concluded that the accident was caused by the absence of a warning bell in the watchman's house.

This accident, which was due to the dense fog, resulted in the killing of three residents of Lakewood, N. J.: Dr. Lester Sparks, James Westall and Leon Westall. The gates at the crossing were lifted after the passage of a train and the car in which the three men were riding was struck by another train, whose approach the watchman had been unable to note because of the fog. The three men were killed instantly.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict as follows:

"We find that Dr. Lester Sparks, James Westall and Leon Westall, of Lakewood, N. J., came to their death by being struck by a Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad steam locomotive No. 114, engine No. 3744, at Red Mill crossing in Elkton, Md., on January 21, 1927, and that, "We, the jury, hold said company

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## Bridgeville Wins In Corn Judging

Bridgeville High School Team Takes Bankers Cup In Close Contest; Newark Third

The results of the Corn Judging Contest held at Middletown week before last in connection with the annual State Corn Show has just been announced by the official judges. The Bridgeville High School agricultural department placed first with a total average of 87.4; the Seaford High School agricultural department with a total average of 86.7; and the Newark High School agricultural department third, with an average of 86.3.

The Bridgeville team, coached by Lyle Mowlds, a University of Delaware graduate, was composed of Edw. McCauley, Leon McCauley and Wm. Hastings; the Seaford team, coached by C. R. Snyder, was composed of E. Cannon, Ralph Obler, and Jos. Williams; and the Newark team, coached by Thomas Mallin, was composed of Vincent Mayer, George Cook and Alec Zabenko.

This cup which was awarded two years ago by the State Bankers' Association, was won the first year by the Seaford High School. Last year the cup was won by the agricultural department of the Newark High School. The cup will be competed for each year at the State Corn Show. The school which first wins the cup three times (not necessarily in succession) receives the cup as its permanent property.

The highest individual score was 93, made by Leon McCauley of the agricultural department of the Bridgeville High School. The second highest score was 92.8 made by Jos. Williams of the Seaford agricultural department, and the third highest score was 92.5 made by Ford Hallis of the Greenwood High School.

The official presentation of the cup will be held at some subsequent date.

## ALUMNI BANQUET COMMITTEE MEETS

The banquet committee of the University of Delaware Alumni Association held a meeting last Wednesday at McConnell's restaurant, Wilmington. They met to discuss plans for the mid-winter banquet to be held February 19, at a place not yet decided upon.

Those present at the meeting were: Sanford W. Sawin, chairman; Professor George E. Dutton, dean of the University; Charles E. Grubb, president of the association; Alban P. Shaw, Harris Samonisky, W. T. Homewood, Roland Taylor, R. H. Morrow, Roger Cann, of Wilmington, and Harold W. Horsey, of Dover.







## Elkton

Elkton M. E. Church

Services at the Elkton M. E. Church will be as follows:  
 Sunday School, at 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.  
 Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.  
 Evangelistic services at 7:30.  
 Special music at all services. You will find a cordial welcome.

The last of the series of men's meetings will be held at 4 o'clock at the Church House, on Sunday. Mr. C. D. Garrison will be the speaker. There is a promise every one a treat. This is a demand for the continuance of these services and perhaps they will be continued, one service a month, until warm weather. Watch the notices for the announcement of the speakers.

Members of National Lodge, No. 37, I. O. O. F., of Elkton, will give a minstrel show in the New Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week. The cast is made up of home talent, with Messrs. "Bill" Gardner and "Pat" Mitchell as leading character men. Proceeds are for the Home conducted by the Odd Fellows.

Miss Priscilla Hancock of Baltimore recently has been appointed Home Demonstration Agent for Cecil county, with headquarters at Elkton, succeeding Miss Grimm, who resigned when she became the bride of Rodney Fraser. Miss Hancock is a native of New Jersey and a graduate of Maryland University, last year.

Dr. Delmar Smithers, Chesapeake City, Miss Grace Price, Elkton, and Abel Cameron, North East, have been elected new members of the board of managers of Union Hospital, Elkton.

The Citrus Chemical Company, of which Robert V. Criswell, superintendent of the Victory Sparkler Company, Elkton, resigned effective February 1, to become its president, has secured the Perkins Fruit Extract Factory building on Railroad avenue, in Elkton, for use of its proposed plant, to which it is removing its equipment from Baltimore.

The Pen-Mar Trapshooting League, reorganized for the season with Horace M. Dwyer, president; C. G. Armour, vice-president, and Joseph T.

Richards, secretary and treasurer, announces the following dates of its shoots: Oxford, Pa., February 5; Woodlawn, February 22; Rising Sun, March 5; Elkton, March 26; Oxford, April 9; Woodlawn, April 23; Rising Sun, May 7.

## Elkton Personals

Mrs. M. Alice Jaquette, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ella Witworth.

Mr. Andrews, of Cambridge, Md. is the guest of his son, S. Ralph Andrews.

Mrs. George T. Witworth and Miss Evelyn Sparklin, of Elmhurst, Del., spent the week-end with Mrs. John F. Sparklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cobb and children, of Clayton, Del., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Conaway, on Friday.

Mrs. Rebecca Mormon, of Wilmington, is spending sometime with Mrs. John F. Sparklin.

Mrs. Sterling Dunbar entertained at bridge last evening.

Miss Natalie Ayerst entertained at bridge last Friday.

T. M. Garrett, now of Miami, Florida, is here on a business trip.

## ROADSIDE TREES

Success in roadside tree planting, says the United States Department of Agriculture, depends on properly locating the plants along the highway, selecting suitable varieties, and adequately protecting them from thoughtless persons, roving stock, and insects and diseases.

The best effects in roadside planting are usually produced by giving the predominant place to the common plants of the neighborhood, using introduced plants in subordinate positions. Next in desirability are plants from regions having similar growing conditions either in this country or abroad. Oaks are more generally useful for roadside planting than any other kind of tree. There are species of this tree native to nearly all parts of the country.

Yonkers: Do you believe in fairies? Joisey: Naw! I takes the tube. It's quicker.

## Mermaid

HARMONY GRANGE

Harmony Grange met on Monday evening with a good attendance. The regular routine of business was dispensed with. Quotations having been received a lengthy discussion of the clover seed order took place. This order will be closed as shortly as possible, due to the rapid rise in clover seed prices. Announcement was made of a meeting of the Lecturers' Conference to be held in Dover, a week from next Thursday.

The lecturer's program consisted of questions asked by the ladies and answered by the men, piano and vocal selections and recitations. Excerpts from the proceedings of the last National Grange Meeting were read. A social hour followed the program.

Several members of the grange are reported ill, some convalescing. Mrs. Leonard Eastburn is quite ill. Two families are quarantined with scarlet fever.

The wedding of Miss Martha Gregg, of Marshallton, to Egbert Klair, took place in the home of the bride, on Tuesday evening.

Next Tuesday evening the Young People's Society of White Clay Creek Church will hold a poverty social at the home of Miss Belle Chambers, Milltown.

The five members of White Clay Creek Church chosen to attend the evangelical meeting in connection with Presbytery, in Dover, are: Mr. and Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. Nathaniel Richards, Mrs. B. L. Dickey, Harry Othosen, and Clifford Lynam.

McClellandsville

P.T. A. MEETING

Many members and friends were present at the McClellandsville P.T. A., January 13. After the business meeting the names were drawn for Valentines to be given at the next meeting, February 10. A splendid entertainment was given by the children and grown-up members of the association. Games were played, refreshments served and arrangements made for a play to be given in the school-house on Thursday evening, January 27, at 8 o'clock, "A Poor Married Man." Admission 25 and 15 cents.

## STORY CONTEST FOR LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

Local high school girls are to be given an opportunity to win a university scholarship through competition in a national meat story contest, according to formal announcement of the event which has just been sent out to home economics teachers by the National Live Stock and Meat Board. Several scholarships are being offered, it is said. It is the fourth annual contest to be sponsored by this institution of research and education.

To compete, a student must write a story or theme on some phase of the subject of meat or the live stock industry. The stories are to be judged by a committee of home economics authorities. Dr. Louise Stanley, chief of the bureau of home economics, United States Department of Agriculture, who has been chairman of the judging committee for the three previous contests, will again serve in this capacity, it is said.

The Board gives as the reason for this annual competition for scholarships a desire to stimulate a greater interest in the study of home economics, a subject which is considered of great importance to the coming generations of housewives. It is pointed out that today education is playing a most important part in the solution of the housewife's many problems. More than 10,000 girls competed last year, it is said, and the contest directors express the belief that even more will enroll for the present contest which will come to a close on March 15.

The contest has been most successful due to the fact that teachers have found it especially valuable as a class project, says the Board's statement.

## McClellandsville SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Perfect attendance—Edwin Greenplate, Edward Comly, William Greenplate, Raymond Thompson, Louisa Willis, Helen Thompson, Grace Ferguson.

Good attendance—George Hobson, Vernon Comly, Thomas Frame, Leonard Hobson, Eugene Smith, John Frame, Rachel Greenplate, Katherine Neilson, Mollie Cleaves.

Half the failures in life come from pulling one's horse when he is leaping.—Thomas Hood.

## CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopal Church  
Rev. Frank Herson, Minister

Services for Sunday, January 30.  
 10:00 a. m., Session of the Church School. Lesson topic: "Overcoming Temptation."

11:00 a. m., Morning worship and sermon. Subject: "A Song in the Night."

6:45 p. m., Devotional meeting of the Epworth League.

7:30 p. m., Evening worship and sermon. Subject: "Prejudice and its cure."

On Sunday morning, February 6th, the District Superintendent, Dr. James W. Colona will preach.

Ebenezer Church

Gilbert T. Gehman, Minister

Church School, 10:00. Sermon, 11:00. Catechism class 12:10. Epworth League 7:30. Sermon 8:10.

The following are the trustees for 1927: J. H. Little, H. J. Davis, Herman Cook, Elwood Sheldon, Harley Mousley, C. W. Whiteman, John Kirk, George Knotts, Arthur Atwell.

White Clay Creek  
 Presbyterian Church

Samuel L. Irvine, Pastor

10:00 a. m., Sunday School.  
 11:00 a. m., Preaching.

A poverty social will be held by the Young People's Society at the home of Mr. Edwin Ball, Tuesday evening, February 1st.

Holiness Christian Church  
 Rev. W. F. Hopkins, Pastor.

Prayer meeting Tuesday evening, 7:45 p. m.

Cottage prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:45, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collison, Cleveland avenue.

Class meeting, Friday evening, 7:45.

Sunday Services

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.; Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The Rev. G. B. Deitrich, of Greir City, Pa., will be present for Sunday services. A special service will be held this Sunday at 2:30 p. m., at which time the church ordinances will be observed.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference business meeting will be held in the

church Monday evening, January 31, at 7:45 o'clock. A delegate to the annual Conference will be elected.

## Strickersville

Miss Frances Singles, who has been spending the past two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Singles, has returned to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Herbert Lee, Mary Ella and Andy Lee are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Singles, of Drexel Hill, Pa.

Mr. H. I. Garrett has been drawn on the jury, from this district.

Miss Jeannette Jones entertained the Flint Hill Literary, Saturday evening.

The Willing Workers of Flint Hill M. E. Church met with Miss Anna George last Thursday.

"THE UNKNOWN CAVALIER"  
 AT THE HANARK.

"The Vigilantes will help us!" was the cry of the threatened or oppressed in the West after gold was discovered in California in 1849, and in the "rush" to Sacramento and San Francisco cities grew so fast that the agencies of the law could not quite keep pace with the lawless element which threatened to take the upper hand.

How the Vigilantes were organized and how they worked is thrillingly shown in "The Unknown Cavalier," the Ken Maynard picture at the Hanark Theatre on Saturday.

David Torrence is seen as the leader of the Vigilantes, and Maynard as a young man who joins them, and through a curious but logical combination of circumstances, himself falls under suspicion of being the masked bandit who is laying waste the country-side. There is a girl, too, to furnish an added motive for clearing himself, charmingly portrayed by Kathleen Collins. Otis Harlan and T. Roy Barnes furnish ample "comedy relief."

## FOR FLOWERS

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## Draperies and Fabrics

Our entire stock of Cretonnes, Damasks and Brocades, many of them guaranteed sunfast, reduced 10%.

A lot of discontinued Cretonnes, all good patterns, at just 1/2 the regular prices.

A few pairs of Damask Portiers. Colors: taupe and mulberry, and brown and green, regular price \$18.00 per pair, now \$12.00.

1 pair Double-Faced Blue Chenille Draperies, were \$35.00, now \$25.00.

## Glass Curtains

Panel Curtains, very special at \$2.50 per pair. Cluny Curtains at \$3.00.

Fancy colored Net Curtains, very attractive where a little color is desired. We are closing this out at \$9.00 a pair—just one-half of the regular price. Many other offerings of short lots.

## Desks

We are offering this special lot of Writing Desks, only one of each type—

Lady's Writing Desk, regularly \$35.00, sale \$28.50

Guest Room Desk, regularly \$30.00, sale \$15.00

Spanish Desk, regularly \$70.00, sale \$55.00

Writing Table, regularly \$70.00, sale \$55.00

Spinnet Desk, large, regularly \$80.00, sale \$65.00

Spinnet Desk, regularly \$35.00, sale \$30.00

Special Governor Winthrop Desk, with automatic slides, \$98.00.

## Windsor Chairs

All Windsor Chairs reduced at least 20%. All of the most desirable types now in stock. A few rockers, some Windsors with rush seats. Prices start at \$7.50.

## Upholstered Furniture

All upholstered Furniture in permanent covers reduced at least 20%.

Many specials at a greater reduction.

3 Chaise Lounges, covered in Glazed Chintz, now \$95.50, \$100.00 and \$135.00. These are all high-grade pieces.

## Lamps and Shades

Japanese Vase Boudoir Lamps, special combinations with Silk Shades at \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.25. Large Vase Lamps, bases only, at \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$12.00.

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Some large Silk Shades, been used as samples, perhaps a little shop-worn, at just 1/2 the former price.

## Martha Washington Sewing Stands

A fine collection of different types of Sewing Tables. Prices start at \$20.00.

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A few of the better kind of Utility Boxes, Matting Covered, some with trays. Selling at just one-half price to close them out. Prices start at \$2.65.

## Dining-Room Suite

One ten-piece Dining-Room Suite in walnut, very desirable style. Greatly reduced, \$350.00.

## Sundry Items

Summer Rugs, 1-5 off.

"Tuckaway" style Tables, \$7.50.

Tea Wagons, 1-10 off.

2 Mirror Cloaks, \$15.00 each.

1 Decorated Octagonal Table, \$35.00.

Costumers, with special suit and shoe holders, \$6.00.

Mahogany Finished Candlesticks, 25c per pair.

8-in Candles, in rose, orange, blue, pink or green, at 5c.

Jap. Ash Trays, set of four, for \$1.00, card designs.

Silhouette Ash Trays, 5c each.

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Short lengths of Upholstery Fabrics.

Many small items suitable for Bridge Prizes and Gifts.

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Everybody."**—OUR MOTTO.

JANUARY 26, 1927

"Have you ever rightly considered what the mere ability to read means? That it is the key which admits us to the whole world of thought and fancy and imagination? to the company of saint and sage, of the wisest and wittiest at their wisest and wittiest moments? That it enables us to see with the keenest eyes, hear with the finest ears, and listen to the sweetest voices of all time? More than that, it annihilates time and space for us."—Lowell.

## Notice To Navigation Interests, C. & D. Canal

The attention of navigation interests is invited to notices issued on September 22 and November 3, 1926, advising that the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal will be closed completely as a lock canal at midnight, January 31, 1927. No vessels whatever, except those pertaining to the work of this district will be permitted to enter the canal after that hour. All vessels within the canal at that hour, except those engaged upon the work, will be required to depart from it at once, and must be entirely without the canal by six o'clock a. m., February 1, at which time the operation of lowering the canal to sea level will begin. It is expected that this operation will be completed, and the new sea-level channel made continuous and provisionally opened to traffic at sea level for a draft of 9 to 10 feet by February 14. No commercial use of the sea-level canal will be permitted prior to that date.

On February 15, the canal will be provisionally opened to commercial traffic at sea level, subject to the exigencies of the work, until March 1, when it will be regularly declared open to commercial use to the full extent permissible under the project which authorized a channel depth of 12 feet at mean low water and a width of 90 feet at the bottom.

The two weeks' time allotted for provisional use of the sea level canal before final opening is to allow for the removal from the channel of the wrecked barge "Bailey" and of a

ledge of stone obstructing the south half of the new channel at a point 1,600 yards east of Bethel ferry near Goose Point. The north half of the channel here (45 feet wide) is complete to full depth and will be available for traffic while the ledge is being removed.

There are also indications that a slide 500 feet long will develop in the deep cut one mile west of Summit Bridge as soon as the water is lowered, but dredges of sufficient capacity to remove it in one week's time will be available. Other slides not now anticipated may develop, but public notice of them will be given at once and their removal should not require time beyond March 1.

Some additional work is being undertaken at the bridge of the Pennsylvania Railroad (Delaware Division) due to the settlement of a pier. This work is scheduled to be completed by February 14. In case it is not so completed there will, nevertheless, be a vertical clearance underneath the bridge of 50 feet at mean low water available for use during the two weeks of provisional opening.

Attention is invited to the fact that the present Delaware River entrance will temporarily be not available for use as a sea level canal for vessels of more than 3 feet draft. Such vessels must use the new entrance provided, entering the Delaware River at Reedy Point, one mile below Delaware City.

Tidal currents of about two knots per hour may be expected in the sea level canal.

## T. H. Ford Returns From Florida

Mr. T. H. Ford, manager of the local A. & P. Store, who started January 3 on a motor trip to Florida, returned Tuesday.

Mr. Ford, who took the trip primarily to recuperate from an attack of pneumonia, came back fit and full of health. He said that they took four days going down, but came back in easy stages, making side trips so the return journey consumed seven days.

Florida, according to Mr. Ford, is suffering severely from the reaction of the "boom" period and living expenses and certain amusements ridiculously low. However, business is at a standstill and there is no money to be made in Florida. Mr. Ford spent some time with his sister, who is living in Miami. He found the weather, while he was there too chilly for bathing.

## MAYOR FRAZER PRESIDES AT MD. SOCIETY MEETING

Mayor Eben Frazer, president of the Maryland Society of Delaware, presided at a meeting of the executive committee, held last night at the Du Pont-Biltmore.

The executive session was called to lay plans for the annual business meeting of the society to be held Friday, at the Du Pont-Biltmore, and annual dinner meeting in February. The annual election of officers will be held at the meeting Friday. Several prominent speakers were planned for the annual dinner.

## K. G. E. MEETING SATURDAY

Ivy Castle, No. 23, Knights of the Golden Eagle, will hold a big meeting on Saturday evening at Fraternal Hall. Grand Chief of Delaware, W. V. Heavell, and staff will install the officers. Visitors will be cordially welcomed from 8:45 on.

## FIRES IN FORESTS

Both the number of fires and the fire losses were materially lower in 1925 than in 1924. This was due partly to a somewhat more favorable season, but chiefly to greater educational efforts and the increased effectiveness of the fire-control organizations. During 1925, 86,000 fires burned over nearly 26,000,000 acres of Federal, State, and private lands, and caused a loss of timber and improvements to the value of \$28,000,000. Slightly in excess of 90 per cent of the total number of fires were man caused. Incendiarism was again responsible for the greater number of fires, followed in order by brush burning, smokers, railroads, lightning, campers, and lumbering.

Airplanes were used in California, Oregon, Washington, northern Idaho, and western Montana. Five bases were used during the season—Mather Field and Glendale Park in California; Eugene in Oregon, and Vancouver and Spokane in Washington. The airplanes were furnished by the Air Service of the Army, and the pilots and mechanics were employed by the Forest Service.

The number of flights made for fire protection, exclusive of test flights, engine-change trips, and transfer of planes, was 429, and the aggregate flying time was 905 hours. This considerable amount of flying was done without accident to personnel, although four of the planes were put out of commission temporarily by forced landings and landings on rough ground.

The Secretary of War has indicated the inability of the War Department to furnish airplanes for the work of fire patrol next year.

"Tongues in trees, books in running brooks, Sermons in stones, and good in everything."

## The Emma Worrell Library

A very fine compliment was made to Miss Emma Worrell, of Wilmington, and a very fine gift to Women's College, when a library of two hundred volumes was presented to the new dormitory, New Castle Hall, last Saturday afternoon by the members of the New Century Club of Wilmington. The gift was inspired by a desire to celebrate Miss Worrell's ninety-third birthday in a manner that would best please her.

The presentation speech was made by Mrs. David A. Ward, president of the Wilmington Club, at a tea held in New Castle Hall, the gift was accepted by Miss Adelia Jefferson, student head of the new dormitory. Other informal speeches were made by Dean Robinson and by Mrs. A. D. Warner, of Wilmington.

Miss Worrell, who has been the teacher of many well-known Wilmingtonians, is still keenly interested in educational affairs and is a charming and intellectual talker. She attended the tea at Women's College on Saturday afternoon and was the center of an admiring group of old and new friends.

A further addition to the new library has already been made. Mrs. William T. Mendenhall has contributed one hundred dollars to buy books, and Mrs. William P. Bancroft, a member of the advisory council of Women's College, will give the necessary book cases.

Among the Wilmington clubwomen who attended the celebration were: Mrs. A. D. Warner, Mrs. David A. Ward, Mrs. Benjamin Nields, Mrs. William P. Bancroft, Mrs. A. E. Kruse, Mrs. Carrie A. Nutter, Mrs. J. A. Colby, Miss Miriam Webb, Miss Helen Garrett, Mrs. Carlton Bridgman, Mrs. Gertrude Pyle, Mrs. J. J. Satterthwaite, Mrs. J. W. Pennell, Miss Rachel Howland, Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Clarence Fraim, Mrs. Frederick Robinson, Miss Mary De Vou and Miss Eleanor Colby.

Mrs. J. A. Barkley, wife of Professor Barkley of the University, is chairman arranging for the library collection.

## SCARLET FEVER INCREASES

Several new cases of scarlet fever have been reported this week to Dr. J. R. Downes, president of the local Board of Health. All of the cases are in a light form. Jean Danby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Danby; Anna Barbara Coover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coover; Margaret Devonshire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Devonshire, all of this town; William Thorpe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorpe; Paul David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis David, both of Christiana, and Louise and Emily Rhoades, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Rhoades, near town, are the cases which have been reported this week. Mrs. Frank Porter is much better.

Local physicians are meeting with decided success in the use of the two varieties of serum—the prophylactic and the therapeutic. The former dose is used with patients who are known as "contact" cases, to prevent their taking the fever; the latter method is used after contraction, and is thought to be the reason for the light cases. These serums have only recently been released for the use of the average physician, who have found it a great aid in combating the trouble.

## TIMES HAVE CHANGED

We quote from "Harper's," 1872: "But long after the introduction of coaches (in England) it was considered effeminate and disgraceful for men to use them. Like other improvements, coaches were vehemently attacked, on the ground that they promoted effeminate luxury. Taylor, the water-poet, declares 'that house-keeping never decayed till coaches came into England'; and much later, in 1872, a Mr. John Cresset wrote a pamphlet urging the abolition of stage-coaches between London and the interior. Among other grave reasons for their suppression, he urged that 'such stage-coaches make gentlemen come to London on every small occasion, which otherwise they would not do but upon urgent necessity; nay, the convenience of the passage makes their wives often come up, who, rather than come such long journeys on horseback would stay at home. Then, when they come to town, they must presently be in the mode, get fine clothes, go to plays and treats, and by these means get such a habit of idleness and love of pleasure as make them uneasy ever after.'"

## First Editorial of The Post

(January 26, 1910)

**"Good Roads, Flowers, Parks, Better Schools, Trees, Pure Water, Fresh Air, Sunshine and Work for Everybody—These Things, to Me, Are Religion."**—Robert Collyer.

**"I want to so live that when I die they who knew me best will say, 'He planted a rose and plucked a thorn wherever he thought a rose would grow.'"**

—Lincoln.

about Good Roads, Flowers, Parks, Better Schools, Trees, Pure Water, Fresh Air and Sunshine for somebody and Work for somebody, then I shall have won—I shall have led a fairly religious life.

Another thing, besides what little benefit I hope this paper to be, I want it to be a financial success. It must be to be of any use. Nothing is truly worth while that does not pay its way. A newspaper that is run to further some cause or some individual's interest seldom yields much influence for the public good.

I have no special cause to further, no theories to explode. I simply want to have some fun, make SOME money and make good. I expect to do this, with the help of my friends. You can not expect much real help from your enemies. I want "To do my work and be kind."

I am more or less of a stranger to you. I am a product of Sussex county, before the day of good crops. I was for four years (1895-1899) somewhat of a student at the college (I hope you will not hold the Faculty responsible for my English), and have been around here more or less all these years. I am not ashamed of being from Sussex county. I was when I came to college, though I never told it. But not now. Things have changed. Sussex has forged to the front since then. I have been around a bit and know of no better place to be born than in Sussex county.

And New Castle is a very good place to live in. The sun shines very brightly on these hills of White Clay and Pencader to us who live here. And so I ask to be one of you. If there is anything I can do, set the task.

I am interested in the town, her churches and schools, her business men and industries, her social organizations and government. She has possibilities that I do not believe we realize. We need more industries—not so many that it will prove a detriment as a place to live. Some have said that more manufacturers would spoil the educational atmosphere. They urge keeping Newark the educational center of the State.

Factories will not do that. The smokestack has its place in making Newark a better place to live as well as the steeple or the college dome. And the factory whistle is calling at six o'clock just as good men to their work as they who dress hastily to answer the call to their studies at nine o'clock. The boy on the farm who is up and has his cows milked before the boy at college is up, is not any better, but just as good as the college boy who has not seen the sun rise during the college year.

No, factories and more honest working-men would be an advantage to our educational atmosphere. Let Newark be the center of learning in the State and also let it be a place where good work is well done.

I am interested in the traditions of Newark—they are noble—but not to the extent of retarding progress. We must give the future some traditions to represent what we have done. We can't live on our ancestors, altogether. Napoleon, on being asked who his ancestors were replied—"I am an Ancestor."

Do not think this paper expects to accomplish all this. It hopes only to be the medium in which you may discuss publicly, the ways and means of making a better Newark and to give the news of its progress.

The columns of this paper are open to you to say what you will. I hope you will use it.

Personally, I shall try to keep as quiet as possible. The days of editorials by country editors on the ways and means of saving the State and Nation are over. I do ask, however, that you give me the same privilege as I have accorded you—to let me say my say, realizing and asking you to recognize that it is only one man's opinion.

I shall try to be consistent in each issue. Further than that, I cannot say. I shall try to take the advice of Emerson, and speak "what I think today, in words as hard as cannon balls, and tomorrow speak—what tomorrow thinks in hard words again," though they contradict every word I said today. Let me record day by day my honest thoughts without prospect or retrospect. And for this I ask no apology. The policy of this paper is dictated by no man, class, sect, institution, party or creed. But it is open to all.

When in doubt, I shall try to mind my own business. I shall fail many times but want to conduct this paper according to the ideal and hope "to so live that when I die they who knew me best will say: 'He planted a rose and plucked a thorn wherever he thought a rose would grow'."

EVERETT C. JOHNSON.

Note—Hereafter I suppose this page will assume and be conducted by the Editorial "We."

## PROF. MATTHEWS LECTURES TO BUSINESS WOMEN

Last night Professor W. E. Matthews of the English Department of the University delivered a lecture to the Professional and Business Women's Club of Wilmington.

Last night's lecture was the last of a series Professor Matthews had delivered on current novels. He covered Samuel Hopkins Adams' "Revelry" and "The Plutocrat" by Booth Tarkenton.

## VESTRY MEETING

A meeting of the Vestry of St. Thomas P. E. Church, was held in the rectory last night.

## MRS. HEIM ADDRESSES MIDDLETOWN CLUBWOMEN

Mrs. R. W. Heim, first vice-president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, attended the meeting of the Middletown New Century Club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Heim made an address on club work to the members of the club. Mrs. Frank Biggs, president, entertained Mrs. Heim and the officers of the Middletown Club at luncheon at the Betty Lou Tea House.

## ROTARY FORUM

Dr. R. W. Heim, leader of group 4 of the Wilmington Rotary Forum, led the second meeting of the group last night at the home of Dr. William C. Speakman, 1201, Delaware avenue, Wilmington. The subject for discussion was "The Philosophy of Rotary."

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CLUB AND  
SOCIAL NEWS

The Week In Review

MEETINGS  
PERSONAL NOTES

Miss Gladys M. Berry, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William I. Berry, Sunny Slope Farm.

Mrs. J. Pearce Cann will entertain the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club next week.

Mrs. Charles Henry Keyes and Clarence Keyes, of Farmington, spent the week-end with Mrs. Jennie Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keyes, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at the Campbell home.

Mrs. Raymond Coran and children, Eleanor and Robert, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Coran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gaerthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson will leave today to attend the Conference of Memorial Craftsmen of Delaware, Maryland, and Pennsylvania, which will meet at York, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. William J. Holton left today for an extended visit with her son, Charles R. Holton, at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Walter Layfield, who is a patient at the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, is much better, and hopes to be home in a few days.

Miss Ona Singles spent the week-end in Philadelphia with her cousin, Mrs. Raymond Crossan, and family.

Mrs. A. T. Neale spent last week-end at the home of Mrs. Caleb Sheppard, in Wilmington.

Mrs. C. A. Owens is visiting in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Wright entertained at dinner last Friday evening. The guests were: Mrs. Donald Horsey, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Durant, and Dr. Syphert.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pearce Cann entertained at dinner on Saturday evening.

Mrs. F. E. Nelson returned on Monday from a short visit in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Thomas Ingham entertained the Monday Evening Bridge Club at supper and cards at her home on Park Place Monday evening. The prizes were won by Miss Marian Skewis and Miss Ruth King.

Miss Margaret Anderson, who has been ill with grippe, is able to be out.

Misses Evelyn and Elizabeth Worrell attended the Golden College Dance in Wilmington last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Dayett and Dr. C. C. Palmer attended the Automobile Show in Philadelphia last week.

Miss Edna Rettew, of Wilmington, spent last week-end here with Miss Alice Charsha.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Armstrong spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Sparks in Media.

Mr. William H. Jones, of Memphis, Tennessee, has been visiting at the home of his brother, J. L. Jones, on S. College avenue. He is now in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Steedle left Saturday for Atlantic City, where they will spend the week.

Mrs. Carl Rankin spent last week-end at Princeton with her aunt, Mrs. Ellen Bliss.

Gray Carter, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with friends here.

Armand Durant spent three days last week in New York City.

Mrs. A. S. Eastman is ill with grippe.

Mrs. James C. Hastings and daughter, Rachel Jane, left yesterday to spend the week with Mrs. Hastings' aunt, Mrs. Mary C. Bennett.

Mrs. Donald Horsey and three children will return tomorrow to their home in Lansdowne, after a stay of several weeks with Mrs. Hannah Pilling. Mrs. Pilling and her sister, Mrs. Daniel Thompson, will leave Thursday to spend the week-end with friends in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mayer, of Dover, spent Sunday here with their daughter, Miss Mary Louise Mayer, at Women's College.

Mr. and Mrs. Merris Stayton and daughter, Katharine, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Taiman and daughter, Lillian, of Greenwood, Mrs. Lee Cahall, of Lewes, Wilson Stayton, of Milford, and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stayton, of Wilmington, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carlisle.

Greetings have been received by friends here from Dr. O. W. Mosher, Jr., formerly of the faculty of the University of Delaware, now of the Women's College of Mississippi, at Columbus, Mississippi.

Mrs. Ellen Lomax is ill at the home of her son, Gray Lomax.

Mrs. R. A. Pusey, of Clayton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hauber this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hauber and their guest motored to Reading on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horsey spent last week-end with relatives in Dover.

Mrs. H. Warner McNeal spent last week-end in Abington with her son, D. R. McNeal and family.

Miss Elsie Mote, of West Chester, spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Geist.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ingham, Mrs. Walter Ritz, Miss Marian Pixley and Miss Anne Ritz spent Saturday in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown, of Selbyville, spent last week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Holden.

Misses Margaret and Elizabeth Brady spent last week-end with relatives in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

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Mrs. J. Harvey Dickey, of Newark, Miss Laura Colmery and Mrs. Clifton Colmery, of Elsmere, spent the past week-end at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Bowen returned on Sunday from a twelve days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horn at Rehoboth.

Mrs. George L. Townsend, Jr., will entertain two tables at bridge this afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. Baldwin has returned home from a visit in Boston and in New York City.

Mrs. David Lewis Medill, after a delightful stay of four months at Colorado Springs, Colorado, has returned to her home here, stopping enroute at Chicago, where she was the guest of Mrs. Charles R. Johnson.

Herbert Hitchens, of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, visited Mr. and Mrs. John E. Frazier Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pauline Moore, of Selbyville, visited relatives here last week-end.

Artisan Smith, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end here with his parents, Colonel and Mrs. S. J. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams and family, of Galena, spent Sunday with Mr. Williams' brother, Howard P. Williams.

THE SICK

Johnnie Whittemore, son of Captain and Mrs. Kenneth Whittemore, is home from the P. and S. Hospital, Wilmington, where he has been a patient for several weeks, suffering with diphtheria. Mrs. Whittemore, who has been at the Flower Hospital here, is also able to be at home.

Mrs. John R. Fulton, who is a patient at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, is much improved.

Mrs. John Pope, of Main street, was operated on at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, last night. Mrs. Pope is recovering satisfactorily.

CARD PARTY

The Ways and Means Committee, Mrs. George Rhodes, chairman, has arranged for a card party to be given for the benefit of the Newark New Century Club in the Club Room on the evening of February first, beginning at eight o'clock. Bridge and five hundred will be played.

Thirty-six prizes, for ladies and gentlemen, will be given. Tickets have been mailed to the club members but will also be available at the door. The price, seventy-five cents, will cover also the cost of refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dougherty and Miss Bertha Gamble spent Sunday in Newport with Mrs. Thomas Hannah.

Mrs. George L. Townsend, Jr., and Dean Robinson will go to Dover tomorrow to attend a meeting of the executive board of the State Y. W. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Williams, of near Newark, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice E. Williams to Mr. Lewis C. Stafford, of Stanton. The marriage will take place in the spring.

BIRTHS

Casho—To Mr. and Mrs. Blair Casho, a son, born Saturday, January 15.

Cornell—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cornell, near Appleton, a daughter, born Friday, January 21.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Delaware Lovett, last Saturday.

A son was born to Mrs. John Smith of Christiana, last Wednesday.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Mary Doordan entertained a number of school friends last Saturday evening at her home on North Chapel street. Saturday was the date of Miss Doordan's sixteenth birthday. The guests were: Misses Willa Dawson, Margaret Wilkinson, Dorothy Wheelless, Isobel Hutchison, Helen Fisher, Alice McCormick, Harriet Ferguson, Margaret Burke, Elizabeth Chaytor, Helen Wilson, Melissa Egan and Eleanor Vansant; Messrs. Curtis Potts, John L. Holloway, Jr., Frank Myers, Edward Davis, Victor Widdoes, Water Crewe, Harry Draper, William Doordan, Joseph Doordan, and William Moeller.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

Friends here have received the announcement of the engagement of C. Rulon Dare, of Jamesburg, New Jersey, to Miss Mary T. Richardson, of Princeton. Mr. Dare is the son of Mrs. J. Rulon Dare and the late Dr. J. Rulon Dare, formerly of this town.

APPLETON WOMEN'S CLUB

The program committee of the Appleton Women's Club met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Blackson of this town yesterday afternoon, to arrange the club program for the year 1927. Those in charge of this work are: Mrs. A. Baus, Mrs. Pryor, Mrs. Charles Burton, Mrs. I. McDonald, Mrs. C. M. Blackson, Mrs. Nowland, Mrs. Evan Robinson, and Mrs. S. M. Vincent. The programs will be ready for distribution at the next meeting, February 16.

OBITUARY

ALICE ARMITAGE LEWIS

Miss Alice Armitage Lewis died after a lingering illness, last Wednesday at the home of her parents in New Castle. She was in her 18th year. Services were held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Immanuel P. E. Church and interment was at Head of Christiana Cemetery. Miss Lewis is well known in Newark, having frequently visited the home of her uncle, Albert Lewis. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lewis, and a brother, Willard.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. R. Janie Armstrong celebrated her eighty-sixth birthday anniversary last Friday at her home on East Main street by giving a birthday dinner, at which four generations of her family were represented. The guests were: Mrs. Elsie Armstrong and daughters, Harvey Armstrong and son, Miss Dorothy Armstrong, her brother Alfred G. Brooks, and Mrs. Brooks, all of Newark; Mrs. Jennie Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Maloney and Francis Maloney, of Chester; Mrs. May Anderson and Master Billy Anderson, of Wilmington; Mrs. Nellie Whiteman, of Drexel Hill; Mrs. Anna Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thompson, of New Castle. Mrs. Armstrong received a postal shower, a number of gifts, a well-

filled purse, and the hearty congratulations of the guests.

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Iona Sauerkraut 12c

Plain Queen Olives 25c

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White House Evap. Milk 11c

A&P Chili Sauce 23c

Pure Grape Juice 19c

Presto Cake Flour 15c

Horse Shoe Salmon 25c

Fancy Tiny Peas 23c

Heinz Spaghetti 9c

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## Delaware Trims St. Johns, 31 To 12

With Switch In Varsity Rating, Delaware Shows Increased Prowess; Freshmen Beat Harrison

Last night the University of Delaware basketball team entertained for a change on their own court, and easily defeated St. John's by a score of 31 to 12. Coach Forstburg gave the varsity honors to the "pony ballet," reducing the former first string to the rear rank, and the little fellows proved they were deserving.

The new varsity opened the game and showed a speed, accuracy and brilliance that has been so lacking in Delaware's recent showings. The Maryland crew scored first, but Holt saw that and raised it one immediately, and before long Delaware was leading by 100 per cent.

Coach Forstburg sent in his heavy team, but they didn't contrast well with the new first string so the second half saw the "ponies" on the floor again.

Milne was the scoring star for Delaware with 14 points, while Hugh Holt and Taylor presented an impenetrable defense.

In a preliminary contest the Delaware Freshmen won from Harrison Street Church team by a score of 25 to 23. The scores:

DELAWARE	
Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Dijoseph, forward	0 0 0
R. Holt, forward	2 2 6
Barton, forward	0 1 1
Hill, forward	2 0 4
Harris, center	0 0 0
Jaquette, guard	0 0 0
Milne, guard	5 4 14
Creamer, guard	0 1 1
Taylor, guard	0 1 1
LeCarpenter, guard	1 0 2
H. Holt, guard	1 0 2
Totals	11 9 31

ST. JOHN'S

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
De Valle	0 0 0
Caratelli	0 0 0
Zuck	2 2 6
Lus	1 0 2
Dugan	0 0 0
Baird	0 0 0
Rice	1 0 2
Williams	1 0 2
Totals	5 2 12

Referee—Newlin.

FRESHMEN

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Riggin	1 4 6
Reynard	0 0 0
Squillace	2 2 6
Powell	2 2 6
Maloney	1 1 3
Ryan	1 2 4
Wilgus	0 0 0
Totals	7 11 25

HARRISON

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Martin	0 1 1
Cunningham	1 1 3
Foxwell	2 1 5
Pruitt	2 1 5
Worrall	3 1 7
John Martin	2 0 4
Totals	9 5 23

Referee—Whitney.

SIGMA NU OUT

OF MAIDEN CLASS

The Sigma Nu basketball team won their first game in the Pan-Hellenic League last Thursday evening, nosing out Sigma Tau Phi by a score of 21 to 17.

Hill was on the floor again for the "Snakes" and contributed 4 from the field. The score:

Sigma Nu	
Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Fleetwood, forward	1 0 2
Roser, forward	0 3 3
Mendenhall, forward	0 2 2
Adkins, center	2 1 5
Hill, guard	4 0 8
Edwards, guard	0 1 1
Totals	7 7 21

Sigma Tau Phi

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Shamer, forward	1 1 3
Morkowitz, forward	0 0 0
Planzer, forward	2 1 5
Spiegler, center	2 2 6
Ableman, guard	1 1 3
Bockstein, guard	0 0 0
Totals	6 5 17

Referee—Lichenstein.

## Aetna Bowling League Competes for Prizes

The alley committee of the Aetna Bowling League at the meeting last night decided to give two prizes each night during the season, one for the individual high score, and the other a consolation prize, for the lowest individual score. It was also voted to close the season with a banquet. The first prizes to be awarded, were won last night by E. B. Wright, high man, with 178, and B. Proud, low man, with 95.

At Friday night's session of pin smashing, no changes were made in the league standing, as the Fire Company and Business Men split even on games and the Continental versus Curtis-National did likewise. E. B. Wright was individual high score on Friday night with 180 pins for one game, while the Continental had high team score for one game, with 816.

Friday scores:

Fire Company	
Sprogel	135 137-272
L. Hill	111 111
Tasker	116 158-274
B. Crow	172 117-289
Ellison	126 152-278
Sheaffer	136 136
Totals	660 700-1360

Business Men

Powell	138 133-271
Rhodes	127 123-250
P. Ewing	120 140-260
Jackson	112 112
Mote	140 170-310
Stoll	151 151
Totals	637 717-1354

Continental

Ramsey	146 167-313
Wright	146 180-326
Jackson	149 169-318
W. Hill	144 144
Fulton	135 144-279
Messick	136 136
Totals	600 816-1476

Curtis-National

H. Hill	137 178-315
Eisner	114 145-259
Cornog	140 144-284
Little	162 144-306
Durnall	160 148-308
Totals	713 768-1481

Last night the National and Curtis trimmed the Business Men, 2 to 0, while Continental took the Fire Company into camp with the same score.

Continental had high team score with 780 pins for one game.

Tuesday scores:

National-Curtis	
Steele	135 136-271
H. Hill	125 164-289
Eisner	165 171-336
Cornog	163 127-290
Durnall	133 156-289
Totals	721 754-1475

Business Men

Mote	120 120
Powell	152 149-301
P. Ewing	156 153-309
Jackson	153 142-295
M. Ewing	123 112-235
Herdman	148 148
Totals	704 704-1408

Continental

Ramsey	135 135
E. Wright	178 169-347
Jackson	163 158-321
Hopkins	167 151-318
Cannon	137 137
H. Bonham	163 163
B. Proud	95 95
Totals	780 736-1516

Fire Company

Sprogel	152 134-286
Tasker	115 133-248
Crow	144 138-282
Shellender	138 103-241
Ellison	158 155-313
Totals	707 663-1370

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## Newark Wins From Elkton, 26 To 10

Full Squad In Game; Second Team Makes Half The Score; Elkton Substitutes For Smyrna

Last Friday night, Elkton High School filled in a date left vacant because of the quarantine of the Smyrna schools, and Newark treated them to a first class beating. The second string played the greatest part of the game and contributed just half of the scoring.

Coach Malin was confined to his home with illness so Horace Nunn handled the squad. He sent the second string on the floor first, though the varsity got into the last part of the period. The half closed 19 to 3 in behalf of Newark.

The second string started the second half and played two-thirds of it before the first string relieved them.

The second team, besides adding up half of the total, played faster, if not more finished basketball, than the varsity, who never appeared to get properly warmed up. For the subs, Holloway and Eubanks shone with 7 and 6 points respectively. Paul Jaquette, captain, did some pretty floor work, getting two from the field and a foul. Newark was guilty of too many personal fouls.

For Elkton, Corriden, roving guard, played a pretty brand of basketball and scored 5 points.

The next game will be with Dover at Dover, Friday.

The score:

Newark High

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Doordan, R. F.	0 0 0
Williamson, R. F.	0 0 0
Eubanks, L. F.	2 2 6
Morris, L. F.	2 0 4
A. Jaquette, L. F.	0 0 0
Johnson, C.	0 0 0
Riley, C.	2 0 4
Holloway, R. G.	2 3 7
P. Jaquette, Capt., R. G.	2 1 5
Cook, L. G.	0 0 0
Vansant, L. G.	0 0 0
Mayer, L. G.	0 0 0
Totals	10 6 26

Elkton High

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Kay, F. F.	0 0 0
Marcus, R. F.	0 0 0
Haberman, L. F.	1 0 2
Warburton, Capt., C.	0 1 1
Corriden, R. G.	2 1 5
Lawrence, L. G.	0 0 0
Totals	3 2 8

Referee: Gallagher, New Castle.

MISS HULLIHEN SETS A

MARK TO SHOOT AT

Miss Frances Hullihen, captain of the Wilmington Friends School basketball team has set a mark, which as far as we can discover is a record for this part of the country. Last Thursday, in a game against Goldey College, Miss Hullihen shot 31 field goals and a foul for a total of 63 points. Wilmington Friends won by a score of 79 to 29.

Wife: May I go out for the evening?

Husband: Yes, please.

## Delaware "Frosh" Lose To Tome, 23 to 19

Last Thursday evening, at Port Deposit, the University of Delaware Freshman basketball team, dropped a close, fast game to Tome by a score of 23 to 19.

Delaware put a fast, fighting squad on the floor, but the finished teamwork and accurate shooting of the Port Deposit boys was a little better than they could combat and Tome clinched the contest in the last few minutes of play.

Richards, of Tome, and Harris, of Delaware, shared scoring honors with 9 tallies each. "Shorty" Chalmers was one of the Tome luminaries with 6 points to his credit.

The score:

Tome	
Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Richards, forward	4 1 9
Chalmers, forward	2 2 6
Shields, center	3 0 6
Bezdeck, guard	1 0 2
Sapper, guard	0 0 0
Frankel, guard	0 0 0
Brannon, guard	0 0 0
Totals	10 3 23

Delaware Freshmen

Goals—	Field Foul Pts.
Hill, forward	1 1 3
Harris, forward	4 1 9
Milne, center	1 1 3
Schagrin, guard	1 1 3
Ryan, guard	0 0 0
Squillon, guard	0 1 1
Totals	7 5 19

Referee—Kline.

Barrows Opens New

Shop and Beauty Parlor

After many weeks of impatient waiting, Ralph Barrow moved, Monday, into his new barber shop and beauty parlor in the east end of the remodeled Washington House. Barrow, in keeping with other new and proposed town improvements, gives Newark barber service and beauty culture that will be lacking in no detail.

The barber shop which is furnished with complete new equipment, has chairs upholstered in green leather, with individual wash bowls, sterilizers, and all that goes with the most advanced barbering practice. A boot-black stand will be a feature of the shop.

Adjoining the shop is the beauty parlor, which will be operated by Mrs. Elizabeth Auger, experienced operator from Springfield, Mass., and Mrs. Barrow. Mrs. Auger has operated her own establishments in several cities and has had a thorough experience in all the branches of beauty culture. For the present, the beauty parlor will confine itself to marcelling, waving, facials, trimming, cutting, bobbing, arrangement of hair and skin and hair treatments. In the spring, apparatus will be installed for permanent waving.

Wife: May I go out for the evening?

Husband: Yes, please.

## Delaware Loses To Drexel, 23-21

Poor Form Of Blue And Gold Responsible For Defeat; Second Team Plays Well

Playing a game of basketball far below their usual brand, the University of Delaware team lost a close, fast contest to Drexel Institute, Saturday night. The game was played in Philadelphia.

A poorly constructed gym had something to do with the defeat, but the fact remains that Delaware had many tries at the basket that they failed to make. Johnny LeCarpentier was without his usual shooting eye, for he missed a number; which is extremely unusual for Johnny.

Drexel's two stars, Hey and Foley, did their stuff in fine shape. Hey scored five from the field and four fouls for a total of 14, while Foley

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### Thirty-Four Makes Of Cars Will Be Exhibited At Wilmington Show To Be Held In DuPont- Biltmore

Thirty-four of the finest makes of automobiles from the low-priced cars to the high-priced limousine will be exhibited by 21 local dealers at the annual auto show opening January 21 at the du Pont-Biltmore, Wilmington. It is expected to be the largest auto show ever staged in Wilmington.

Several of the makes have never before been shown in Wilmington. Exhibition of these new makes will prove one of the many surprises in store for the auto-loving public.

The exhibitions will be open for the view of the visitors afternoon and night until the night of February 5.

Arrangements for the exhibition are in charge of a committee appointed by the Wilmington Auto Trade Association, of which Frank E. Patterson is president. Daniel P. Buckley is chairman of the committee. Henry White is in charge of advertising and publicity and floor plans and decorations come under the supervision of George Bacher. Correspondence and funds of the committee are being handled by Frank W. Diver.

Palms, ferns and flowers will form the background of the decorative scheme in the ballroom. There will be plenty of music day and night.

The committee has planned to award a series of prizes on the closing night of the show to visitors.

All those connected with arrangements for the exhibitions of the local dealers are striving to make the show the largest and most successful ever held in Wilmington.

Present indications are that the following dealers will exhibit:

Auto Sales Company of Wilmington, Pierce Arrow; Buckley Motor Company, Ford; Cahill and Company, Dodge; Delaware Motor Sales Company, Cadillac; Donohue Motor Company, Oldsmobile; Harris, LeRoy and Clark, Franklin; Howard Holzer, Star; Thomas Hughes, Inc., Willys-Knight and Overland.

Keil-Nash Company, Nash; Harry B. Locke, Paige; Packard Motor Company, of Wilmington; Packard; Porter Motor Company, Ford and Lincoln; Ronick Motor Company, Chrysler; Salomon Motor Company, Hupmobile and Star; Studebaker Sales Corporation, Studebaker and Erskine; F. O. Taylor, Flint; Union Park Garage, Oakland and Pontiac; White Brothers Motor Company.

## AN ORGAN RECITAL BY LOUIS VIERNE

The World-Wide Famous French Organist

Louis Vierne, the famous French organist, and titular organist of Notre Dame Cathedral of Paris, who is making his first American tour this season, will give a recital on the great organ in the Grand Court in the Wanamaker store of Philadelphia on Wednesday evening, February 9th.

M. Vierne is one of the most distinguished of the world's organists and has also won a high position as a composer and improvisateur. He was born in 1870, and was a pupil not only of Cesar Franck, the most distinguished French composer of the last century, but also of Widor and Guilmant. Vierne is the logical successor of these great French masters of the organ and composers for that instrument. He won the first prize in organ playing at the Conservatory at the age of twenty-four years, becoming then assistant to Guilmant in his organ classes at the Conservatory.

Vierne became Titular Organist of Notre Dame in 1900, perhaps the most coveted organ position in France, and one which entitles the recipient to a life tenure. Although forced by ill health to relinquish this duty some time ago, M. Vierne has recently returned to it with his health fully restored, and as the height of his musical powers. Numerous concert tours all over Europe have established his fame as one of the greatest organists of his time, and one of the leading exponents of the newly revived art of improvisation. As a composer for the organ, M. Vierne takes equally high rank with his fame as a performer. Among his works in the larger forms are five symphonies for organ; it is expected that at his coming recital on the great organ in the Wanamaker store, M. Vierne will play some of his own most important compositions as well as a fine selection of the works of other masters of organ composition.

## NEWARK NEW CENTURY CLUB

The Newark New Century Club met in the club room January the twenty-fourth with the first vice-president, Mrs. R. W. Heim, in the chair. Mrs. C. A. McCue is chairman of the ticket committee for the benefit party to be held at the club house the evening of February first. Tickets will be mailed to each member. Mrs. Heim stated that the merchants were responding to the request for prizes but she needed many more and would deeply appreciate gifts from club members or friends. There will be prizes for both men and women and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Manns, the chairman of the Education Committee, urged the need of funds to carry on the splendid work of furnishing milk for the primary grades in the public school of the town. The Red Cross and individuals have helped, but there is a deficit of eleven dollars each three weeks—and they can not go much farther without incurring a great expense. This is a wonderful club work and the benefit is quickly seen when the children are weighed. Therefore in order to help, money must be given for a share in the glory of building these little bodies a wee bit stronger. However, the club voted money at this meeting to help in this work, and the Education Committee will continue to do this during the spring term.

The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. J. O. G. Duffy. She selected George Ade's play, "The Mayor and the Manicure," which Mrs. C. O. Houghton read so well. Mrs. Houghton portrayed the scenes and made the four characters stand out very clearly by her voice inflections. Such a good presentation of the gruff mayor and the shrewd little manicure delighted the interested audience.

Mrs. James C. Hastings, Secretary.

## GILDA GRAY GLORIFIES HULA-HULA IN "ALOMA"

Bob Holden, a young English hero, reported dead, returns from the world war to find his pal, Van Templeton, has married Sylvia, the girl they both loved. Not knowing Templeton tricked Sylvia, Bob goes to the South Seas with Sylvia's uncle. There he dissipates and stirs up so much trouble that the uncle sends him to a hut in the jungle. Aloma, a beautiful native girl dancer who loves him, goes as housekeeper.

Nuitane, native lover of Aloma, kills any white man who wants to harm Aloma, but Bob treats her with respect. Aloma uses all her charms to win Bob. She does the dances for which she is famous. But being too square to take her love, he says he will marry her. Before the marriage, his sweetheart Sylvia, comes to the island and discovers him alive. Her husband, being a rotter, tries to make

love to Aloma. Nuitane solves the tangled love problem by taking the husband out in a boat during a storm. The sharks get him, Bob wins Sylvia and Nuitane persuades Aloma that he, a native, is the proper husband for her.

That, in brief, is the story Gilda Gray has been endowed with as her first Paramount starring vehicle. "Aloma of the South Seas" plays at the Newark Opera House tomorrow and Friday. Warner Baxter, Percy Marmont, Julianne Johnston and William Powell are featured in a Maurice Tourneur production.

## Bobbed Hair the Mode In 1889

According to Anne Walter Cohn, of the Cohn Studio, Wilmington, the credit for starting the original bobbed hair craze cannot be given to Irene Castle McLaughlin; for the original craze started in 1889 and raged for full seven years before it became modified with banks, curls and pompadours, and finally lost favor.

However, the bobbed hair period of 1889 and that of the present time are not a result of the same fundamental spirit. The style in 1889 came about purely as a style innovation and had the same short life of a transient type of gown. The bobbed head of today is a true reflection of the new feminine freedom which includes not only dress and style, but freedom in all activities.

According to Mrs. Cohn, the bob is no longer a gamble, as it is here to stay as long as women have suffrage and freedom, and the expert hairdresser can scientifically determine whether or not a bobbed head will be becoming to any particular woman. With the wide variety of styles in bobs, there are very few types that cannot have a becoming bob.

Mrs. Cohn, herself, was a belated personal convert to the bob, as it was only recently that she sacrificed her own heavy head of hair. In so doing she was obliged to pay a forfeit of \$25 to the Whisper Club of Philadelphia, as she had made a wager with the members that she would not have her hair cut.

## BOSTON SYMPHONY IN WILMINGTON, MONDAY

For the first time in the history of music in Wilmington, the Boston Symphony Orchestra will give a recital, Monday night in the Playhouse. The Boston Symphony, conducted by Serge Koussevitsky, carries 108 musicians. They will give the following program:

Bach's Concerto for Orchestra in D major; Berlioz's Roman Carnival Overture; "Forest Murmurs" from Wagner's Siegfried; and Prelude to his "Mastersingers"; and Tchaikovsky's Fourth Symphony in F minor.

"You can't uplift a person by sitting on him."

## DIETETIC IMPORTANCE OF CANNED PINEAPPLE

With almost seven million cases of canned pineapple exported annually from Hawaii, an increased interest is being shown by the scientists and physicians in the role which pineapple plays in dietetics.

Canned pineapple, rather than the fresh fruit, is the subject of a great deal of scientific investigation, since the fresh pineapple which we get in this country has been picked green, and therefore contains less food value than the canned product which has been picked at maturity.

Experiments at the Hawaiian Agricultural Experiment Station have shown that during the growth of the fruit relatively small amounts of sugar are stored in it, but within the short period of normal ripening there is a rapid accumulation of sugar. Therefore pineapples gathered green do not develop a normal sugar content.

Vitamins A, B, and C, are found to a marked extent in pineapple, these investigations showed, and further experiments made at Columbia University, New York City, proved that all three of these vitamins were retained in the process of canning. Besides being a rich source of vitamins, canned pineapple contains thirty-six per cent of carbohydrate and several of the most important mineral salts. Its juice contains "bromelin," a highly digestive juice, which is especially beneficial in aiding the digestion of meats.

Physicians, realizing the value of these elements contained in pineapple, have found certain specific uses for it, notably in diphtheria cases where the juices have proved very soothing to the throat. Owing to the digestive properties in pineapple, it is also used in many hospitals for invalids and convalescents. It not only aids in the digestion of other foods, but is a spur to the appetite.

Certain grades of "crushed" pineapple and a small quantity of sliced are packed especially for diabetic patients without sugar. With the exception of these few cases packed for medicinal purposes, all other pineapple contains the rich syrup made from refined pineapple juice and pure cane sugar.

Housewives who are using the largest part of the seven million cases of pineapple exported every year from Hawaii, will find in this product not only the delicious tropical tang which lends itself to a variety of uses in the meal, but valuable nutritive and digestive qualities which should give it a regular place in the daily menu.

## "THE MUSIC MASTER"

Tomorrow and Friday the Hanark theatre will show the picturized version of the long standing dramatic success, "The Music Master." Alec B. Francis was chosen to recreate the role that made David Warfield famous in the original Belasco production on the stage. He is supported by Lois Moran, Neil Hamilton and Norman Trevor.

## Legal Notice

Estate of Mary B. Donnell, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Mary B. Donnell, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Charles B. Evans on the Seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1926, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executor without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executor on or before the Seventeenth day of November, A. D. 1927, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Address  
CHARLES B. EVANS,  
Executor.  
Ford Building,  
Wilmington, Delaware.  
11,24,10t

## LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of Annie O. Churchman, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Annie O. Churchman, late of Christiana, Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Rebecca P. Churchman and Sarah B. Churchman on the Seventeenth day of December, A. D. 1926, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executrices without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executrices on or before the Seventeenth day of December, A. D. 1927, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Address  
CHARLES B. EVANS, Atty-at-Law,  
Ford Building, Wilmington, Del.  
REBECCA P. CHURCHMAN,  
SARAH B. CHURCHMAN,  
Executrices.  
12,22,10t.

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## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department, at its office, Dover, Delaware, until 2 o'clock p. m., February 2, 1927, and at that place and time publicly opened for contracts involving the following approximate quantities:

Contract 76  
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3,000 Cu. Yds. Borrow  
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400 Lin. Ft. Transverse Expansion Joint  
600 Tons Amiesite  
10 Cu. Yds. Class "A" Concrete  
100 Lbs. Reinforcement  
20 Lin. Ft. 24 in. Corrugated Metal Pipe

Contract 77  
Dover-Cheswold, Widening 3.87 Miles  
2,025 Cu. Yds. Excavation  
2,025 Cu. Yds. Cement Concrete Pavement  
1,200 Lin. Ft. Transverse Expansion Joint

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Armstrong's Cor.-Blackbird, Widening 3.22 Miles  
1,700 Cu. Yds. Excavation  
1,700 Cu. Yds. Cement Concrete Pavement  
1,000 Lin. Ft. Transverse Expansion Joint  
1,200 Sq. Yds. Class "A" Concrete Gutter.

Performance of contract shall commence within ten (10) days after execution of the contract and be completed as specified.  
Monthly payments will be made for 90 per cent of the construction completed each month.

Bidders must submit proposals upon forms provided by the Department. Each proposal must be accompanied by a surety bond, certified check, or money to the amount of at least ten (10) per centum of the total amount of the proposal.  
The envelope containing the proposal must be marked "Proposal for the construction of State Highway Contract No. ...."  
The Contract will be awarded or rejected within twenty (20) days from the date of opening proposals.  
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Detailed plans may be seen and index plans and specifications may be obtained upon receipt of two dollars (\$2.00) which amount will not be refunded.  
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## NOTICE

Newark, Delaware.  
Regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Mutual Building and Loan Association will be held on February 8, 1927, at 7:30 p. m., at the Farmers Trust Company building, for the election of three Directors for a term of three years and such other proper business that may be brought before the meeting.  
(Signed) J. E. DOUGHERTY,  
Secretary.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of John J. Stewart, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of John J. Stewart late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Farmers Trust Company of Newark on the Thirtieth day of November, A. D. 1926 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executor without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executor on or before the Thirtieth day of November, A. D. 1927, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Address  
FARMERS TRUST COMPANY  
OF NEWARK  
Executor.  
12,15,10t Newark, Delaware.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Estate of Isabel P. Wright, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Isabel P. Wright, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto John Pilling Wright, Norris N. Wright and Ernest B. Wright on the Second day of December, A. D. 1926, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payments to the Administrators without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrators on or before the Second day of December, A. D. 1927, or abide by the law in this behalf.

Address  
JOHN PILLING WRIGHT,  
NORRIS N. WRIGHT,  
ERNEST B. WRIGHT,  
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## Women's College Notes

College last week was the gift of a library of two hundred volumes to New Castle Hall, by the Wilmington New Century Club, in honor of the ninety-third birthday of Miss Emma Worrell. The presentation was made at a tea given on Saturday afternoon in the Common Room of New Castle Hall. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Ward, president of the Wilmington Century Club. Adelia Jefferson, student head of the Hall made the formal acceptance. Miss Worrell was present and was the center of interest and admiration. The library is not only the pride of the girls in New Castle Hall, but of the whole college.

An especially interesting meeting of Forum was held in the Hilarium last Thursday afternoon when Warden Leach, of the New Castle County Workhouse spoke to the girls and members of the faculty about the administration and results of the system which obtains in the institution. Mr. Leach told of the honor system which is worked by the prisoners, who guard themselves, who draft rules, and punish those men who disobey. The success of this honor system has caused the New Castle County Workhouse to be recognized by students of prison methods, as one of the finest of such institutions. It is to be regretted, however, that there is not yet available a separate prison for women, who are desperately in need of the aid of such work and inspiration as a separate building and suitable equipment would give them.

Professor Barkley, acting head of the history department of the University of Delaware teaches classes of both men and women at the Workhouse in American History and American citizenship. The response to these courses is very gratifying. Louise McBride was hostess, assisted by Marian McCabe, Ethel Merritt and Anne Walker. There will be no further meeting of Forum until after mid-years.

A meeting of the Press Club was held on Wednesday at eleven o'clock. There was a discussion of papers that had been written by members of the club. Miss Richardson, Miss Keely and Professor Barkley, of the faculty, were present.

The cafeteria, which has been conducted by seniors of the Home Economics Department, will be discontinued after today. This feature has been very popular with commuters, who have been able to secure delicious luncheon dishes at cost. They have petitioned for the continuance of the cafeteria, but the schedule of work planned for the senior group next semester, will not allow time for the necessary work.

An informal dinner was served by the students in the Sophomore Home Economics class last Thursday evening. The guests were Miss Allen, Miss Ehlers and Miss Spencer. The class which did the cooking and serving included: Virginia Smith, Ruth Melson, Alice Sparks, Virginia Swain, Rachel Boyd and Myrtle Simpler.

Virginia Smith led vespers service on Sunday evening. The program was entirely musical, the numbers being given by Wilmington friends, as follows: Vocal solo, Mrs. Eleanor Gorton Kemmerly; violin solo, Miss Sabina Kawalski; vocal solo, Mr. Frank Ford Palmer; piano duets, Miss Mabel Haley and Miss Eleanor Edge.

The Freshman Dance date will be February 26, and the dance will be held in Old College.

Last evening, in the sewing laboratory, under the direction of Miss Kelly, a shadowgraph program was given by the class of home economics students who are studying the history of costumes. The evolution of dress from the time of the Egyptians until the present was shown. The models included the following: Rosalie Steel, Egyptian; Rachel Boyd, Roman and Grecian; Virginia Swain, twelfth century; Christine Baker, thirteenth century; Marie Moore and Ruth Melson, eighteenth century; Helen Holt, nineteenth century; Katherine Ady, Marie Antoinette; Virginia Smith, 1913; Jane Warner, 1922, and Edna Timmis, 1927.

There was a conference on Saturday in which Dean Robinson, the class presidents and the president of the student self-government association took part. The subject of the conference was the coming of Miss Florence Jackson, who will spend the week February 6 to February 12, at Women's College. Miss Jackson is an expert vocational guide, and will aid the students in choosing and planning their life-work.

At chapel on Monday an amendment to the athletic rules was passed, making it the privilege of any girl winning 2000 points in athletics to wear a blue blazer, with a college "D"

thereon. 1000 points in athletics entitles the winner to wear a big "D" and has heretofore been the highest distinction necessary to be made. But we have now a student, a junior and a Newark girl, who has walked (or played) away from that mark. Bonnie Walker has made honor teams in basketball, baseball and volleyball every year since she has been in college, has already the 2000 points, and is going steadily onward.

Miss Mary Gillespie, instructor in music, will chaperone a group of students who will attend the Boston Symphony Orchestra Concert which will be given on Monday evening, January 31, at the Shubert Playhouse, Wilmington.

The present members of the Student Self-Government Association and those who have served on that board last year are now entitled to wear a pin, by which they may be recognized. The pins have just arrived. They are of dull gold, in the shape of an owl, holding a book of knowledge, on which is inscribed a "D" in blue enamel.

Mid-year examinations start today and will be concluded by Friday of next week, after which there will be a week-end recess.

The group of Juniors in Home Economics who have been living at the Practice House this semester will finish the course of work there this evening. At the beginning of the next semester, February 7, a new group will live at the Practice House. The new group includes: Deborah Walton, Margaret Reese, Jane Warner, Christine Baker and Norma Russell.

### MELODY BOYS DANCE

The Melody Boys Orchestra, all local musicians, will give the first dance, under their own auspices, on Saturday night at the Armory. Dancing from 9 to 12.

This orchestra, which has been organized a little over a month, has already made a local name for itself for peppy jazz and persuasive harmony at the dances for which it has played. The dance Friday night is the first of a series they will give themselves. The orchestra is of six pieces, played as follows: Stewart Pryor, piano; Charles Sweeney, saxophone; Orville Little, cornet; Robert Connell, violin; R. V. Buckingham, trombone, and Clarence Denney, traps. R. V. Buckingham acts as manager.

## Examination Week In Schools

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questions which demand solutions to situations in which the pupil needs to accumulate and apply facts is excellent procedure and commendable."

To test these three phases: Memory (association) understanding and application requires a broad field of stimuli to furnish the opportunity for the desired response.

The principles then for consideration for construction of examinations follow:

1. The content of the examination should agree with: (a) The work emphasized throughout the semester—and which work has been reviewed and summarized by comprehensive questions covering each period or unit; (2) recognized principles of the subject together with recognized educational objectives of which the pupils have been informed.

2. The examination should be broadly conceived as representative of a semester's work—it should be the gleanings of that which has immediate social and propaedeutic value as well.

Mr. Thomas Malin, who was confined for over a week with illness, has returned to duty at the High School. In his absence Horace Nunn, formerly instructor in agriculture and coach at the High School, coached the basketball team.

Miss Frances Medill is confined with grippe.

### MAJOR AUBREY INSPECTS U. OF D. R. O. T. C.

Last Friday, Major Aubrey, U. S. A., attached to headquarters, Third Corps Area, Governor's Island, came to Newark to inspect the R. O. T. C. unit of the University of Delaware. This inspection was to determine whether or not the University of Delaware unit will compete in the spring at the annual inspection, for the honor of being designated as one of the distinguished colleges in this R. O. T. C. Corps Area.

Previous to last year, Delaware won this honor three consecutive years. Confined to his home by a diphtheria quarantine, Captain Whittemore was unable to attend the inspection. Sergeant Green is temporarily in charge of Captain Whittemore's classes.

## Lodge Celebrates Its 30th Birthday

The American Flag Council, No. 28, Jr. O. U. A. M., observed its thirtieth anniversary in their lodge room in Odd Fellows' Hall this evening and the following officers were installed: Councilor, W. W. Dempsey; vice-councilor, Leslie Hall; recording secretary, Henry F. Mote; assistant recording secretary, William Todd; financial secretary, Raymond McMullen; treasurer, C. W. Colmery; conductor, Ralph Whiteman; warden, George Morrison, outside sentinel, A. Norton; inside sentinel, C. Richards; junior past councilor, F. Knotts; trustee, R. S. Gallaher; chaplain, Joseph Brown; representative to state council, Earl Mote; alternate to state council, Kinsey Whiteman; representative D. B. A., Henry F. Mote; alternate representative, D. B. A., Joseph Brown.

The installation of officers was made by Deputy State Councilor Hare, of Wilmington. Visitors were present from New Castle, Kent, and Sussex Counties. After the installation the local lodge entertained the visitors with a very entertaining program and served refreshments.

### DELAWARE D. A. R. NEWS

At a recent meeting of the executive board of Delaware D. A. R. held at the home of the State Regent, Mrs. J. Pearce Cann, plans were made for the State Convention, to be held at the Hotel du Pont-Biltmore, on February 24. The meeting will be an all-day session of business and entertainment. Mrs. Alfred Brosseau, of Greenwich, Connecticut, president-general, D. A. R., and Mrs. William Magna, of Holyoke, Massachusetts, one of the national vice-presidents, are expected to attend the conference.

On February 7, Mrs. Cann will go to Washington to represent the Delaware D. A. R. at a two-days' session of the National Society. On Thursday of that week, Mrs. Cann will attend a meeting arranged by the Patriotic Women's Council and in the evening she will be a guest at a dinner given at the New Willard by Mrs. Brosseau. On Friday, she will be a guest at a luncheon which will be given in honor of Mrs. Brosseau at the Memorial Continental Hall.

## Coroner's Jury Holds P. R. R. Responsible

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responsible and negligent for not having a bell in the watchman's box to notify the watchman when the train was in the block, so he would know when to raise and lower gates for the safety of the traveling public."

The court room was filled when Coroner Howard W. Green called the inquest to order. Warren W. Boulden was made foreman of the jury. About fifteen witnesses were examined, including the two watchmen, Arthur M. Barnes, the regular watchman, and Henry Bordley, an assistant watchman, who had been sent to the crossing on account of the fog. All witnesses testified as to the extreme density of the fog. Barnes testified that he could not see a train 300 feet in front of him, on account of its density. He testified, as did Bordley, that he had just lowered the gates for a southbound train, and that when it had passed through, he raised them again, because the traffic was piling up. He said he did not hear or see the train coming until it was too late to stop the Lakewood machine from crossing the track.

R. E. Adkins, the engineer of the train, testified that he was going about 58 or 60 miles an hour and that he had whistled once before entering the block and twice just before reaching the crossing. He said the fog was so dense that he could see nothing on the track and that he did not see the car until he was on top of it. The watchmen were not questioned as to whether they observed the schedule of the passenger trains crossing.

**NEW FLOORING FOR CANDY KITCHEN**  
Mr. R. R. Lovett has just completed

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