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## NEWARK BOY AS AUTHOR

Volume of Stories Full of Promise

Newark and the Class of 1910 of Delaware College has produced a budding author—and one of much promise—in Philip Gerhardt Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Armstrong of Coeh's Bridge.

The John C. Winston Company, Philadelphia, has just issued "Foreordained," a volume of short stories by Gerhardt Armstrong, who for some unaccountable reason has dropped the first part of his name.

The book of some 260 pages takes its title from the first of the eight stories to be found between its covers. Mr. Armstrong, though having barely reached his majority has seen much of the seamy, sordid side of life as a reporter on a Philadelphia newspaper, and he is frankly no apostle of joy. On the contrary all of the sketches have that sombre note so characteristic of the French masters in the short story art which Mr. Armstrong seems to have taken as models. His aim has been high and his achievement remarkable for one of his years. His friends are predicting for him a very successful career in literary fields.

### New Century Club News

There was no program for last Monday afternoon at the New Century Club meeting, the time being given to the reading of the reports of the different committees and the election of officers for the ensuing year. The result of the election was as follows: president, Mrs. C. B. Evans; first vice president, Mrs. Wm. H. Evans; second vice president, Mrs. E. W. Dawson; recording secretary, Mrs. Penny; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Whittingham; press correspondent, Miss Todd; chairman of library committee, Miss Alice Kerr; membership committee, Mrs. Neale; Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Hayward.

Next Monday, May 5th, will be the last meeting of the year when the new president will be installed and an entertaining program arranged for. This meeting will be open to invited guests.

### Library Calls In Penny Slips

The Town Library requests all those who have "mule of pennies" slips to return them within a week so that the accounts can be closed. So far nearly \$60 has been received in pennies from the slips in the hands of the library's friends, and more than thirty new books have been purchased, a list of which will be ready for The Post next week. More books will be added after all the slips have been returned.

### Social Notes

Prof. and Mrs. Whittier have had as their guests the mother and sister of the former, in whose honor Mrs. Whittier entertained at cards last Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Porter and their daughter, who has been spending the winter at the "Normandie" in Philadelphia, will open their residence on Newark Heights this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans leave on Friday for Atlantic City, where they expect to remain for two weeks. Mrs. Neill of Helena, Montana, will accompany them, and they will be at the Marlborough-Blenheim, while there.

Mrs. E. W. Coeh entertained the evening card club, last Thursday evening. A number of the members were unable to be present and there were only five tables. Mrs. C. B. Evans won the lady's prize, and Mr. Joseph Hossinger was the fortunate winner of the gentleman's prize.

The New Century Club expects to have Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, President of Delaware State Federation of Women's Clubs, as their guest on Monday, May 5th, which is the last meeting of the season.

### Committee Meeting

A meeting of the Carnival Fancy Work Committee will be held at the home of Mrs. E. C. Wilson next Monday evening.

## NEW SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

Little interest was displayed in the school election held in the High School building last Saturday. Two members to serve on the Board of Education were elected for a term of three years. There was no contest. Hon. Harvey Hoffecker and Prof. C. A. McCue were elected.

The new Board will meet for organization within a few days when applications from teachers and re-appointments will be considered.

### Nature Study In The School

Pupils of the Grammar School were delighted this week, when, in addition to their study of the wild flowers and birds, five beautiful moths emerged from cocoons which had been brought to the seventh grade room during the autumn and winter months.

One fine specimen of the Robin Moth, *Cecropia*, measured six inches from tip to tip.

The teacher and pupils are anxious to obtain cocoons of the exquisite Luna moth, but owing to the scarcity of oak trees in the vicinity of the town they have been unsuccessful so far.

"Moths of the Limberlost," a beautifully illustrated and interestingly written book, recently added to the town library, is much appreciated by the pupils and teachers.

### Former Foreman Visits Farm

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dutton of Caldwell, N. J., were week-end guests of Prof. and Hayward at the College Farm. Mr. Dutton will be remembered by many Newarkers as the first foreman at the State Farm. On May first he will accept the position of superintendent of the well and favorably known Meridale farms, at Meridale, Delaware Co., N. Y. This estate consists of 2000 acres and maintains a herd of 300 registered Jersey cattle.

## Ball Game Next Saturday

Aetna Meets Wilmington Gas Company

The Newark Base Ball Club will play the strong Gas Co. B. B. C. of Wilmington, this coming Saturday May 3rd. This will be Newark's first hard game, as the Gas Co. has one of the fastest ball clubs in the State.

Manager Everson is very fortunate in securing such an attraction for this date. Gas Co. will present such players as Flood, Greenwell, Dolan, Beatty Brothers, Prentiss, Johnson and others, all first class players. Newark will have to hustle to win this game. Game will be called promptly at 2.30 o'clock.

Owing to a meeting of the League to be held at Elkton, May 3rd, Manager Everson will be away once more unless he sends some one in his stead to represent Newark.

All clubs of the League must send in their list of players by May 1st. Newark's list will be practically the same as in 1912. That will be good enough.

Saturday, May 3rd—Newark vs. Gas Company.

Don't miss this game. Manager Zearloss of the Gas Co. says he will come down to win this game. IF!

This will be the last exhibition game, as the Tri-County Battle begins on May 10. Too bad the boys could get no practice last Saturday.

All of Newark's favorites will be on hand Saturday, so come out and root.

### Aetna Boys Express Thanks

Aetna Fire Company wishes to extend a vote of thanks to Mrs. M. Jane Murray and pupils of the High School who presented the play in the Opera House last week for the benefit of the local fire company. About fifty dollars was added to the Carnival fund as a result of the entertainment.

Port Deposit residents are arranging for a celebration of the town's centennial, on July 4.

## CHURCH NOTES

There will be Holy Communion at the Head of Christiana Presbyterian and at Christiana Presbyterian churches next Sunday. Let all members be at these services and be strengthened in their Christian life.

On Thursday evening of this week, May 1, the annual congregational meeting will be held in White Clay Creek Church. Every one connected with the church should be interested in this, and should endeavor, if possible, to be present. A new plan of finance will be discussed.

Mrs. Lowden gave an address on "Livingstone" two weeks ago, and the pastor has been asked to follow this with a map exercise, showing the different movements of this great missionary. This will be given next Sabbath, May 4, when an effort will be made to trace the different journeys of this hero of Dark Africa.

The State Sunday School Convention convenes at Dover Wednesday and Thursday of this week. We appointed our delegate to this gathering, but she will not be able to attend.

The Rev. F. W. Johnson, D. D., a prominent minister from Rahway, New Jersey, spent Thursday and Friday of last week at the Manse.

Ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a rummage sale sometime during May. Members of the congregation are requested to bear the fact in mind during their spring housecleaning.

A meeting was held last Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian church, Newark, to consider the introduction of the "Budget System" as the financial policy of the church. Since the attendance was not considered representative of the congregation no decision was made, but the subject was referred to the Board of Trustees.

In the absence of Rev. W. J. Rowan last Sunday, the pulpit in the Presbyterian Church was filled by Mr. Russell Paynter, Class 1915, Delaware College. Mr. Paynter is studying to enter the ministry of the Presbyterian Church, and he pleased his hearers both morning and evening, with earnest, practical and helpful talks.

Dr. Rowan was absent in fulfillment of the Presbyterian duty of supplying in the Makemie Memorial Chapel, Snow Hill, Md., it being a rule of the Presbytery that the pulpits of such vacant churches shall be filled in turn by the various ministers of the Presbytery.

Mr. Alfred Scott, another Delaware student preparing for the M. E. ministry, had charge of the services last Sunday at Ocean City, Md.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Friday, May 2d, at the home of Mrs. William Telfer at the College Farm.

## IDEAS ON THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

The Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters of New York, said at a banquet given Monday night in the Bellevue-Stratford by the General Society of the Daughters of the Revolution that a famine will be caused in this country and a revolution will break out if 75 per cent of the people in the United States continue to live in cities without reducing the cost of living.

"The cost of living is high because we have rapidly become a nation of cities," observed Dr. Peters, in speaking on the subject, "The High Cost of Living and How to Reduce it."

"Fifty-five per cent of our population today lives in cities and towns. Twenty-five per cent of our population lives in cities of 100,000 or more. In 1950 there will be 300,000,000 people in the United States and if the present drift continues 75 per cent of them will live in our cities; then we will have a famine and then a revolution. The high cost of living brought on the French Revolution."

"Our living is high because we are poor farmers. To reduce the high cost of living our farmers must be taught how to increase

## STATE FARM

Mr. Carl Christopher, instructor in Animal Husbandry at the College, and state leader in farm management investigations in the Bureau of Plant Industry of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, has resigned, his resignation to take effect July 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Christopher came from Illinois about the first of last November, and have made many friends in Newark. Mrs. Christopher's musical talents have been especially appreciated, and will be a distinct loss to this community.

The division of plant pathology of the Experiment Station has recently planted nearly half an acre of sweet peas, the object being to study the diseases to which sweet peas are subject. The funds for carrying on this work, as well as most of the seed, have been contributed by seedsmen and florists in all parts of the country. Last year this work produced some very satisfactory results. Hence, the reason for continuing it the present year.

Dr. Reed was called, last week, to post mortem two of the 12 horses that died on a farm near New Castle. He diagnosed the disease as cerebro spinal meningitis.

The Agricultural Department is having an unusual number of calls for consultation this spring. In nearly every case the farmer wishes a representative of the College to visit the farm in person and help in the solution of some specific problem. The Department is doing this part of the work under the provision of the extension fund.

## Good Music And A Merry Laugh

The entertainment given in the Opera House last evening under the auspices of the Senior Class of Delaware College, for pure fun and amusement afforded one of the best programs presented in the town during this season.

The first number, a rollicking tune strummed out on the old banjos by Colonel Booker and Captain Miller prepared the audience for the pleasant evening to follow. Round after round of laughter testified that Captain Miller had made good the promise of his introductory remarks: "if you allow me to prescribe I'll guarantee to cure the blues."

The special feature of the evening was the singing of the old plantation songs by the quartette of Virginia negroes, who rendered number after number to the delight of the audience. The laughable characteristics of the old negro were musically related time after time. The evening closed with the ever popular tune, "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

### Friends Give Linen Shower

Miss Marie V. Lynch of 418 N. 52nd St., Philadelphia, recently gave a linen shower for Miss Jane M. Lafferty, whose wedding will take place early in June.

## TRUST COMPANY ORGANIZES

In accordance with an Act passed at the recent session of the General Assembly, the incorporators of the Farmers' Trust Company of Newark met on Tuesday morning for organization.

The following officers were elected: President, J. Wilkins Coeh; Vice-President, A. A. Curtis; Secretary, J. H. Hossinger; Treasurer, H. E. Vinsinger.

No plans were made public.

### Plans For Commencement

With the date only seven weeks away, members of the Senior Class, Newark High School, are busy preparing for the commencement exercises.

The program will be more elaborate than in any previous year, including such innovations as baccalaureate Sunday and Class Day exercises. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. J. Rowan in the Presbyterian Church on the Sunday preceding the close of school. Class Day exercises will be held in Center Hall. The date has not yet been named.

The address at the Commencement proper will be delivered by Rev. U. Franklin Smiley of Wilmington.

### Lecture In High School

Prof. A. V. Vaughn of the Department of History, Delaware College, will address the High School pupils next Friday afternoon at 2.30, on the subject, "Delaware during the Revolution."

### Masons Entertain

Grand Master Walls and Grand Marshall Le Fevre, both of Smyrna paid an official visit to Hiram Lodge, No. 25, A. F. and A. M. on Monday evening.

Instructive and entertaining addresses were made by Grand Master Walls, Grand Marshall Le Fevre, Past Masters Rowan and Short.

Refreshments were served by Caterer Henry.

## K. A. Hop Attracts Visitors

New Dances Features of Evening

The town was filled with gay young visitors last Friday, who had come from all parts of the State to attend the annual dance given by the Beta Epsilon Chapter, Kappa Alpha Fraternity. The occasion was the ninth anniversary of the founding of the chapter.

Music was furnished by Jacobs' Orchestra. During the latter part of the evening new-fashioned dancing, formerly under ban in Newark, held full sway, the couples who were not indulging in the "turkey trot," "bunny hug," etc. being rare indeed.

The patronesses were: Mrs. George E. Dutton, Mrs. Charles B. Evans, Mrs. Samuel J. Wright, Mrs. Arthur S. Houchin, Mrs. Clarence A. Short, Mrs. Harold E. Tiffany, Mrs. J. Pearce Cann and Mrs. Charles L. Penny. There were 24 dances on the programme.

The members of the chapter are as follows: Allen Marshall Jones, George Franklin Kelley, Earle Currier, Sonder, Harry Mahood, Grievess, Harry Vandom Taylor, Harvey Chaplain Bounds, James Henry Salevan, Carlton David Pepper, Albert Allen White, Charles Ralph Dawson, George Frank Nasson, Jr., Warren Childs Newton, Edward Laurence Smith, George Elliott Dutton, Norris Nathan Wright, John Eugene Gonce, Jr., Arthur Sydney Houchin, Jr., Paul Raymond Dougherty, Alfred Coehran Connelley, Edwin Eareckson Shalleross, Samuel Miller Shalleross, Tobias Rudolph, William Ferris Cann and William Maitly Davis.

### WEDDING

SMITH-WILSON

Friends have received cards announcing the marriage of Miss Amanda Mae Smith to Mr. James G. Wilson of Philadelphia, on Saturday, April the twenty-sixth. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will reside at 911 South Conestoga street, Philadelphia.

## TOWN CLEAN-ING DAY

Plea for Health and Town Beautiful

Members of the Civic Committee of the New Century Club have arranged for the annual town cleaning day to be observed on Friday, May 9th. Teams will start from the eastern and western limits of town promptly at 9 a. m. All citizens are urged to co-operate with the ladies in making the town trim neat and beautiful. Rubbish that clutters the back yards of dwellings will be moved if the citizen does his part by placing the trash on the curb line in front of the property where it may be loaded in the wagons without the loss of time or inconvenience.

The following verses give an excellent description of the desired kind of cleaning day:

The microbes all are groaning.  
The parasites are moaning.  
The germs are packing up their grips to seek  
To some other destination.  
For they never could survive a clean-up week.

"Fill each marsh! Fill each hole!  
"With the ashes from your coal!  
"Sow grass seed on the bare spots on the lawn!  
"Paint the doors! Put up the screen!  
"We will have the city clean!  
"Friday, May the ninth will usher in the dawn

Of clean streets, of fewer flies  
(So the health director cries);  
We'll put doctors out of business, never fear!  
For the ashmen, every day,  
Have to cart the junk away,  
And the proof—will be quite evident next year.

For the glory of the nation  
Now depends on sanitation,  
And each citizen's efficiency depends  
On health and habits sound.  
So when clean-up day comes around  
The man with sense is he whose help he lends.

Whitewash every bit of cellar  
By yourself, or get some feller  
To do it as your proxy else instead;  
Reach the corners of the room  
With the cleaner or the broom,  
And get out the fuzzy stuff beneath the bed.

Then the microbes will be moaning  
And the parasites, too, groaning.  
The germs will quickly vanish, so to speak,  
And the town if not more wealthy,  
Will for certain be more healthy.  
So Hip! Hip! Hurrah! Hurrah!  
for Clean-up Day.

### Birthday Party

Little Miss Katherine Hoffecker played hostess to a number of her friends last Tuesday in honor of her seventh birthday. Those present were: Evelyn and Elizabeth Worrall, Eleanor Brooks, Helen Barnard, Edith Biddle, Mary Potts Dorothy Hoffecker and Master Robert Strahorn.

### Lodge Notice

All members of American Flag Council, No. 28, Jr. O. U. A. M., are requested to be present at the meeting in the Lodge rooms on Monday night, May 5, 1913. Important business will be transacted.

### Site For Women's College

Contrary to the interpretation of the Affiliated College bill as being reported in Newark today that the buildings must be within the town limits, the exact provisions plainly state that the buildings for the Women's College shall be "at Newark, Delaware," which in all reason would mean in any part of that territory of which Newark is considered the Post Office.

Confirming this view, in Section 4 of the bill, it says, "The Commission shall have full and free right and authority to enter upon any lands in New Castle County" and grants the Commission the right to purchase or through legal procedure condemn any such land for the erection of said buildings.



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## Board of Education

The election of members to serve on the School Board is of serious import. It is doubtful if the performance of any other civic duty is so full of possibilities or a neglect so pregnant of far-reaching evil results.

The election in Newark on Saturday was one of the quietest for years. This cannot be interpreted as lack of interest in our school affairs but the happy choice of candidates, against whom no opposition developed. In the election of Prof. McCue and Mr. Hoffecker to the Board, the public confidence has been wisely bestowed. They are citizens well worth while, keen to every idea of improvement. Although residents of Newark comparatively a short time, their interests and activities have proven them well worthy of this new honor and responsibility.

The management of a Public School System is of no small moment. In this day of change and seeking for practical and efficient methods for the training of our coming citizenship, the office of School Commissioner is one of serious and trying responsibility.

## The School

The following tables show for each Brand the guaranteed and the actual analysis expressed as percentages, also the money valuation of the ingredients both separate and combined.

The "Guaranteed Analysis" gives in order the Ammonia, Available Phosphoric Acid and Potash, except that in the case of untreated Bones the Total Phosphoric Acid is meant instead of the Available.

Brands that fall below the guarantee in one constituent but that make up the deficiency by excess in any other, thus giving full value, are marked "FV" at the right of the table.

Nitrogen, in whatever form it may be present, is always reckoned as Ammonia. In the case of untreated Bones (Bone Meal, Ground Bones, etc.), and Bone Tankage, the Phosphoric acid given is the total, though printed in the column headed "Available," but marked with "T" in each case. "Fine" bone is such as will pass a sieve of fiftieth-inch mesh. "Coarse," such as will not pass. In Potash Fertilizers any chlorine present is reckoned as "Muriate" up to the limit of the Potash. In all of the Brands here reported Potash is counted as Muriate.

The Money valuations show first the separate value of the Ammonia, the Total Phosphoric Acid and the Potash and then their combined value, in a ton (2000 lbs.) of fertilizer. These values represent the retail cost of the constituents without allowance for expenses of manufacture, freight, commissions, profit, etc.

Hence the "Estimated Value per Ton" should be understood rather as for the purpose of comparison than as an indication of a fair selling price; the latter must vary with local conditions. The values are estimated from the prices used in most of the New England and Middle States. These prices, which have been determined by adding twenty per cent. to the wholesale price to represent the retail, are as follows: Ammonia in mixed fertilizers, "fine" bone and bone tankage, 15.0¢ per pound; in "coarse" bone, 12.4¢. In acidulated fertilizers, available phosphoric acid 4.25¢, and insoluble phosphoric acid 2¢. Total phosphoric acid in "fine" bone 4¢, in "coarse" 3.5¢. Potash as muriate 4.25¢, as sulphate 5.25¢.

The brand of ground bone No. 1377 was found to contain 46% of "fine" bone.

Copies of this bulletin may be obtained free of cost by applying to Delaware College, Department of Chemistry, Newark, Delaware.

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No.	Names of Manufacturers and Brands.	Where Sampled	Guar. Analysis.	Percentages Found.				Estimated Value Per Ton.			
				Ammonia.	Avail. Phos. Ac.	Insol. Phos. Ac.	Potash.	Ammonia.	Total Phos. Ac.	Potash.	Total Value.
AMERICAN AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL CO., New York.											
1243	Lazaretto Dissolved H. G. Bone Phos. and Potash.	Porter	0 — 12 — 3	1.27	12.79	0.87	3.02	\$3.96	\$11.23	\$2.57	\$13.80
1244	Williams' Special Fall Mixture	Selbyville	1 — 8 — 12		8.67	0.94	11.26		\$7.75	\$9.55	\$21.30 F
1387	H. G. Wheat and Grass Grower	Seaford	0 — 10 — 8		11.59	0.39	7.44		\$10.02	\$6.32	\$16.34 F
AMERICAN FERTILIZING CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1247	American Special Compound Guano	Seaford	1/2 — 7 — 3	0.90	7.36	1.38	3.48	\$2.81	\$6.81	\$2.96	\$12.58
ARMOUR FERTILIZER WORKS, Baltimore, Md.											
1258	Crop Grower	Harrington	1 — 8 — 2	1.26	8.10	0.74	2.94	\$3.93	\$7.19	\$2.50	\$13.62
1259	Acid Phosphate	Bridgeville	0 — 16 — 0		15.84	0.18			\$13.55		\$13.55
BAUGH & SONS CO., OF BALTIMORE CITY, Baltimore, Md.											
1274	Baugh's General Crop Grower	Laurel	1 — 8 — 1	1.23	8.12	0.74	1.01	\$3.84	\$7.20	\$0.86	\$11.90
1290	Baugh's 8 and 5 Spec. Alkaline Superphosphate	Nassau	0 — 8 — 5		9.91	1.68	5.04		\$9.09	\$4.28	\$13.37
1288	Baugh's 12 and 5 Phosphate and Potash.	Kenton	0 — 12 — 5		12.88	1.27	5.48		\$11.46	\$4.66	\$16.12
1308	Baugh's 10 and 8 Phosphate and Potash.	Nassau	0 — 10 — 8		11.13	1.06	8.46		\$9.88	\$7.19	\$17.07
COLUMBIA GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1512	Columbia Grass and Grain Grower	Cheswold	0 — 10 — 2		10.00	0.75	2.10		\$8.80	\$1.79	\$10.59
1513	Columbia Potash Compound	Cheswold	0 — 12 — 5		12.92	0.35	4.89		\$11.12	\$4.16	\$15.28 F
JAS. G. DOWNWARD & CO., Coatesville, Pa.											
1391	Corn, Wheat, and Grass Fertilizer	Hockessin	2 — 7 — 3 1/2	2.01	8.80	0.53	4.35	\$6.27	\$7.69	\$3.70	\$17.66
GRIFFITH & BOYD, Baltimore, Md.											
1314	Griffith & Boyd's Monarch Brand	Felton	0 — 8 — 5		9.47	2.40	2.66		\$9.01	\$2.26	\$11.27 F
1315	Griffith & Boyd's Special Grain Grower	Felton	0 — 10 — 2		10.05	2.47	2.54		\$9.54	\$2.16	\$11.70
M. P. HUBBARD & CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1326	Soluble Phosphate	Overbrook	0 — 14 — 0		15.16	0.90			\$13.25		\$13.25
1327	Maloney's Spec. Wheat and Grass Mixture	Bridgeville	2 — 0 — 5	2.43	9.10	0.83	5.77	\$7.58	\$8.07	\$4.90	\$20.55
1328	Hubbard's Harvest King for Wheat and Grass	Harrington	1 — 9 — 3	1.39	10.18	0.46	8.49	\$4.34	\$8.84	\$2.97	\$16.15
D. B. MARTIN CO., Philadelphia, Pa.											
1261	Martin's Potash and Soluble Phosphate	Georgetown	0 — 12 — 5		12.20	0.73	4.58		\$10.66	\$3.89	\$14.55 F
1376	Corn and Cereal Special	Thompson	2 — 8 — 2	2.00	10.45	2.11	2.29	\$6.24	\$9.72	\$1.95	\$17.91
1377	Pure Ground Bone	Thompson	3 — 22.0 — 0	3.34	28.10 T			\$9.26	\$20.98		\$30.24
1378	Special Mixture	Hartley	1/2 — 8 — 3	0.88	8.79	0.45	2.87	\$2.75	\$7.65	\$2.44	\$12.84 F
MEDICUS FERTILIZER CO., Newport, Del.											
1380	Acid Phosphate	Newport	0 — 16 — 0		17.41	0.23			\$14.80		\$14.80
MILTON FERTILIZER CO., Milton, Del.											
1392	12 and 5 Fertilizer	Milton	0 — 12 — 5		12.46	0.77	5.12		\$10.90	\$4.35	\$15.25
1402	Rock and Kainit	Milton	0 — 0 1/2 — 2 1/2		10.86	0.28	2.98		\$9.34	\$2.53	\$11.87
THE PERLESS FERTILIZER CO., Chestertown, Md.											
1399	Medder's Special	Felton	0 — 8 — 5		10.28	0.15	4.80		\$8.80	\$4.08	\$12.88 F
1400	Our Victor	Smyrna	1 — 8 — 3	1.08	9.83	0.49	3.12	\$3.37	\$8.56	\$2.05	\$14.58
1401	Pennington Mixture	Greenwood	1/2 — 8 — 3	0.67	9.93	0.29	3.34	\$2.09	\$8.56	\$2.84	\$13.49
PIEDMONT-MT. AIRY GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1363	Piedmont Economy	Millboro	1/4 — 10 — 2	0.66	11.29	0.44	2.11	\$2.03	\$9.78	\$1.79	\$13.60
LEWIS M. PRICE, Smyrna, Del.											
1425	Farmer's Standard	Hartley	1 1/2 — 8 1/2 — 4	1.54	9.86	0.70	4.14	\$4.80	\$8.66	\$3.52	\$16.98
1426	Price's 12 and 5	Hartley	0 — 12 — 5		12.01	0.81	4.27		\$10.53	\$3.63	\$14.16
1427	L and P Phosphate	Hartley	1 — 9 — 3	1.03	10.67	1.02	3.08	\$3.21	\$9.48	\$2.62	\$15.31
1428	Ten and Two	Smyrna	0 — 10 — 2		11.44	0.64	2.21		\$9.99	\$1.88	\$11.87
RASIN-MONUMENTAL CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1248	United Grain Grower	Wyoming	1 — 8 — 2	1.29	8.00	1.55	2.48	\$4.02	\$7.42	\$2.11	\$13.55
1385	Rasin's Wheat and Grass Producer	Bridgeville	1 1/2 — 8 — 3	1.27	8.15	1.61	3.10	\$3.96	\$7.57	\$2.64	\$14.17 F
1386	Rasin's Soluble Alkaline Bone	Townsend	0 — 12 — 3		12.55	1.33	2.61		\$11.20	\$2.22	\$13.42 F
F. S. ROYSTER GUANO CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1457	Royster's Peerless Grain and Grass Grower	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 2		12.40	0.94	2.01		\$10.92	\$1.71	\$12.63
1458	Royster's Harvest King	Laurel	2 — 8 — 2	2.24	8.89	1.29	2.86	\$6.99	\$8.08	\$2.43	\$17.50
1514	Royster's Universal Crop Grower	Dover	1 — 7 — 1	1.17	8.81	0.94	1.62	\$3.65	\$7.44	\$1.38	\$12.47
THE SCOTT FERTILIZER CO., Elkton, Md.											
1470	Scott's Sure Growth Superphosphate	Newark	2 — 8 — 3	2.10	11.00	0.45	3.62	\$6.55	\$9.61	\$3.08	\$19.24
1471	Scott's Tip Top and Potash	Cheswold	0 — 10 — 2		11.08	2.10	2.38		\$10.26	\$2.02	\$12.28
SWIFT & CO., Baltimore, Md.											
1382	Swift's Farmers' Home H. G. Phosphate and Potash	Cheswold	0 — 10 — 4		10.65	0.46	3.34		\$9.24	\$2.84	\$12.08
1383	Swift's Wheat Grower Phosphate and Potash.	Cheswold	0 — 10 — 2		10.64	0.59	2.04		\$9.29	\$1.73	\$11.02
1384	Swift's Special H. G. Phosphate and Potash.	Smyrna	0 — 12 — 5		12.41	0.43	4.30		\$10.72	\$3.69	\$14.38
I. P. THOMAS & SON CO., Philadelphia, Pa.											
1476	Pendular Special Fertilizer	Wyoming	0 — 12 — 5		13.09	0.96	4.83		\$11.27	\$4.11	\$15.38
1477	Special Alkaline Fertilizer	Wyoming	0 — 10 — 4		10.37	1.09	4.21		\$9.26	\$3.58	\$12.84
THE J. E. TYGERT CO., Philadelphia, Pa.											
1462	Tygert's Big Crop Grower	Smyrna	0 — 8 — 5		9.23	0.63	5.70		\$8.18	\$3.15	\$11.33
1492	Tygert's Soluble Phosphate and Potash	Smyrna	0 — 10 — 2		10.06	0.46	2.10		\$9.50	\$1.79	\$11.29
1493	Tygert's Victor Crop Grower	Smyrna	1 — 8 — 4	1.17	9.19	0.95	3.48	\$3.65	\$8.19	\$2.96	\$14.50
A. S. WOOLLEY CO., Seaford, Del.											
1519	Woolley's No. 3 Grain Fertilizer	Seaford	1 — 8 — 2	1.02	8.94	0.33	2.20	\$3.18	\$7.73	\$1.87	\$12.78
1520	Woolley's No. 2 Bone Fertilizer	Seaford	2 1/2 — 8 — 5	2.51	9.60	0.97	5.64	\$7.83	\$8.55	\$4.79	\$21.17

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There is a town in Florida of 2500 inhabitants with a Secretary of the Board of Trade receiving \$2500 per year salary.

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"Peace, peace, break thee off, here it comes again."  
Ah, cut it out, it's only another Jap scare.

"Sweet are the uses of adversity," they say. Well, there is one good thing about that Japanese affair in California. Bryan admitted he didn't know what he was talking about.

Hoffecker on the School Board. Good. You can't scare him with trouble.

A mile of pennies well invested will yield lots of sense.

No one seems to have any trouble in the spelling of Levy Court, but there is some dispute hereabouts just how to pronounce L-e-v-y. Is the "e" to be long or short?

## Serving The Community

Among interesting experiments along educational lines tried out in American cities during the last decade is the

Of the glad some Xmas Day. Then his Father softly whispered And called his soul away.

He was a faithful husband. A father kind and brave. Duty was his only watchword And that word led to the grave. For thirty years and over He had toiled upon the track. And to the call of duty He had never turned his back.

Amid the Heavenly Portals, Where bright robes angels sing, He wears a crown of jewels And sits beside his King. But, oh, the hearts that mourn him On this dreary earth below, The tears they shed in secret Does but God in Heaven know.

In silent resignation They wonder, as they pray, Why he, their loving helpmate, Was so quickly called away. But in the misty future When all secrets will be known, They will join him with the angels, Upon the heavenly throne.

The Elkton team of the Tri-County Base Ball League opened the season at Elkton Ball Park on Saturday with an exhibition game played with the Pennsylvania team of Wilmington. The visitors excelled at the bat and won by a score of 6 to 3.

264 votes were registered in Elkton last Monday for the coming town election on May 19.

## PROPOSALS

## Want Advertisements

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Annie M. Cooch of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Harriet Curtis.

Frederick C. Clark, formerly of Newark, but now of the Bureau of Standards at Washington, and his brother Cautwell Clark of Baltimore, greeted their friends here Saturday. They attended the Sigma Phi Fraternity reunion Saturday night.

Miss Nina Cooch of Berlin, N. C., with her nephew Theodore Wolf, Jr., spent several days here this week with relatives.

Miss Emma Blandy of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Fannie Shapleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conner and son James of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of G. Eader and family.

Mr. Robert Potts is undergoing treatment at the Will's Eye Hospital, Philadelphia.

Professor Alva Agee, director of Agricultural extension work at the New Jersey Agricultural College was a visitor at the State farm today.

Mrs. James Morris is spending sometime at Fairview as the guest of Mrs. Sarah Worrell.

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Mr. Corney Griffith of Wilmington, each they know will cure from experience.)

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Miss Bella L. Carpenter of Port Penn spent the week-end with Mr. Jas. H. Little and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cloud and daughter Louise, spent Sunday with New London relatives.

## Here and There

150 of J. Frank Turner's fine spring chickens were killed by a weasel on his poultry farm at Lincoln, near Milford, on Friday night.

James H. Buckson, of Townsend, former member of the New Castle County Levy Court, will raise pigeons on a large scale and will erect houses on his farm for several thousand birds.

Growers in the Seaford section, who examined their orchards and strawberry beds after the frosts early last week, report that while many of the buds were killed there is a good prospect for a paying crop of fruit, barring coming mishaps.

Rats are preying upon newly hatched chickens at Lewes, Jacob Marshall losing 70, one night last

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CHARLES R. MILLER,  
PRESIDENT OF COMMISSION.

## The Summer School for Teachers at Delaware College

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

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

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Banking House	16,000.00
Due from Banks	39,930.47
Cash on hand	26,533.32
	\$533,407.72

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	59,048.84
Circulation	31,900.00
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## My Experience at Delaware Hospital and Results

Very many people have mistaken ideas about hospitals. I was one of that number until I was a patient at Delaware Hospital last fall where I met with more than one pleasant surprise.

I had been an invalid for over fourteen years, not able to wait upon myself, and had not walked alone for over seven years.

Last spring my symptoms became very much worse, and we sent for a local doctor who gently convinced me that there was a possibility of my getting to Delaware Hospital and being cured by surgery. He seemed to understand my personality well enough to direct my mind to the success of surgery without blasting all hopes of recovery from medical treatment or mother nature, or divine Power; but he was frank with me and I finally realized that unless I could be benefited by surgery, I would likely have frequent attacks of dreadful suffering the remainder of my life, and I felt that if I did not survive the ordeal, it would be better than to continue to suffer both physically and also from my treacherous nerves. (Nervous suffering meets with less sympathy and consideration than any other disease, and I warn those who have not experienced it, to be very careful about forming opinions and not criticize unless they have a remedy to give which they know will cure from experience.)

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I must not forget to tell how they saved my poor nerves in preparing for the operation. I did not know what day it would be until about fifteen minutes before I was taken down to the ether room.

Convalescents should not talk or think too much about the details of the hospital, but take the results rounded up with all of the pleasant part, to make up that period of their life history. We should center our minds on the genial current of life—find repose. Later on perhaps, we can take up the strenuous life. It has taken a great deal of will power for me to get the use of my muscles; it was so painful, for my limbs were out of use so many years. They got me started at the hospital. I took it all graciously except when one nurse caused me to sit out on the roof too long one day and I almost collapsed. I don't love that nurse. I try to forgive her, but she spoiled my visit.

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### Board of Education

The election of members to serve on the School Board is of serious import. It is doubtful if the performance of any other civic duty is so full of possibilities or a neglect so pregnant of far reaching evil results.

The election in Newark on Saturday was one of the quietest for years. This cannot be interpreted as lack of interest in our school affairs but the happy choice of candidates, against whom no opposition developed. In the election of Prof. McCue and Mr. Hoffecker to the Board, the public confidence has been wisely bestowed. They are citizens well worth while, keen to every idea of improvement. Although residents of Newark comparatively a short time, their interests and activities have proven them well worthy of this new honor and responsibility.

The management of a Public School System is of no small moment. In this day of change and seeking for practical and efficient methods for the training of our coming citizenship, the office of School Commissioner is one of serious and trying responsibility.

Public Schools and methods of training are just now very much in the line light. Rigid investigation has brought out the weakness of the system and need for change, tending toward economy and higher efficiency. It is now generally conceded by the authorities that our public schools are not getting proper results in consideration of the amount of money spent. Again, the courses of study are being very carefully scrutinized. When we consider 97 per cent of High School girls taking Latin and only 3 per cent receiving instruction in the duties of home keeping, we at least begin to question. When a country boy with no hope for College advantages is compelled to analyze a Latin sentence or work on stocks and bonds instead of catching the spirit of English and American masters of literature or chemical analysis of the soil, his up-to-date tax paying father begins to question the wisdom of his investment.

These and other such questions are before the people. Taxpayers as well as educators are discussing them. The farmer as well as the townsman is demanding value received for money invested. The same decision of these questions can best be made by the teachers and commissioners in co-operation with the men and women who foot the bill. That the Public School here as elsewhere, has not reached its best, is generally admitted.

What is needed is a closer relationship and freer discussion. A suggestion or criticism is far too often resented as personal reflection or interference.

What we should like to see is that our Public School Building become the civic center where suggestions would be gratefully received in fact as in word and a hearty co-operation with determination of making Newark Public Schools models of excellence and practical worth.

This is a day of publicity and it is hoped the Board of Education will give and ask for publicity in all its workings.

The possibilities and responsibilities are great and the Board can serve us well, Newark and the rural districts are interested in our schools and any action on the part of the Board tending toward closer relationship will redound to its credit, the taxpayers' interest, and the children's welfare.

### Neglected Opportunities

50,000 children in New York City crowded out of school rooms—and churches open to them for Sunday School one hour a week.

Waste of money in building, waste of money in maintaining, false consecration—if they do not open the doors and display a practical Christianity.

Let's open our churches more. Here in Newark, light 'em up and enter competition for the entertainment and training of our boys and girls. It means better and healthier citizenship. And better citizenship means economy, means efficiency—yes, and it means Christianity.

### "As It is See Us"

A certain professor in commenting on the weather and the universe in general and the proper method of regulation thereof, made this striking observation—"I say, now, old man, did you ever notice that a Sussex Countian, however much information he absorbs or however much experience or travel he enjoys, never really broadens out or is benefited thereby. He never really (really, mind you) acquires those niceties of speech or elegance of action required in the gentleman of today."

Honestly but shamefully, as an old Sussex Countian, we were stumped and we looked up (or was it merely at) to our guest and admitted his wisdom. Yet down in our heart, we felt like saying that the pure Anglo-Saxon as found only in Sussex County can never quite learn, nor does he so desire, to speak real Parisian French. But he's a man for a' that.

## PEOPLES' COLUMN

### A Word To Cruel Women

Editor of The Post:

Oh woman, thy name is cruelty, one is almost tempted to say at sight of aigrettes borne proudly aloft on the headgear of the young girls and women of our land.

But there is much cause for rejoicing for the practice is said to be passing and too much praise can not be given to the Audubon Societies throughout the country, to President Wilson, to that arch-traitor, Col. Roosevelt, for their part in the crusade against the wholesale slaughter of innocent birds. Indeed women would long ago have refused to buy or wear aigrettes had they known that the plumes are torn from the live mother bird in the nesting season, and the little ones are thus left to starve.

One of the plume hunters of a southern state writes:

"The natives do practically all the hunting for feathers. I have seen them pull the plumes from the wounded birds, leaving them crippled, to die of starvation, unable to respond to the cries for food of their young in the nests above. I have known these people to tie and prop up wounded egrets on the marsh where they would attract other birds flying by. These decoys are kept in this position until they die of their wounds, or from the attacks of insects. I have seen the terrible red ants actually eating out the eyes of these maimed birds. No tender hearted woman (above all, no mother) will consent to wear aigrettes or certain furs once she has learned of the unspeakable horrors that attend their procuring. Ostrich feathers are humanely obtained and may be worn with a clear conscience. Laws will no doubt be passed which will forbid the sale of aigrettes—in the meantime women with hearts inside them will refuse to wear or countenance the wearing of aigrettes.

A Mere Man.

### Facts And Fancies

Town Cleaning Day.

WANTED AT ONCE—An up-to-date Ice Plant and Steam Laundry.

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How many young men will send their names to The Post signifying their willingness to co-operate in organizing a Y. M. C. A.? Let's get at this, ready for a Fall opening.

It is reported that the Wilmington Gas Company will come to Newark to play baseball. Well, if they play baseball like they do politics—look out, Aetna, they will steal bases, sure as fate.

American social evolution.—Stately Minuet—Virginia Reel—Lancers—Waltz—German—Two Step—Turkey Trot—Boston Dip—Bunny Hug—Kitchen Sink—Greek Let 'er Flip."

Oh, you Fraternity Rag!

Only four votes cast at School election—Peace of Nations and Brotherhood of Man at last.

The reason Fraternity Houses are exempt from taxes is because they are social welfare institutions.

There is a town in Florida of 2500 inhabitants with a Secretary of the Board of Trade receiving \$2500 per year salary.

Public School Buildings promise to be the social and civic centers in the better America. Going back to the old New England Town Meeting with the School House as the meeting place, we may well look for better things.

"Peace, peace, break thee off, here it comes again."

Ah, cut it out, it's only another Jap scare.

"Sweet are the uses of adversity," they say. Well, there is one good thing about that Japanese affair in California, Bryan admitted he didn't know what he was talking about.

Hoffecker on the School Board. Good. You can't scare him with trouble.

A mile of pennies well invested will yield lots of sense.

No one seems to have any trouble in the spelling of Levy Court, but there is some dispute hereabouts just how to pronounce L-e-v-y. Is the "e" to be long or short?

### Serving The Community

Among interesting experiments along educational lines tried out in American cities during the last decade is the plan tested in Newark, N. J., of organizing a city library, which will provide magazines and literature giving the experience of the civic organizations of the country. The plan is founded on the idea that the world knows how to run a city, but no one man knows it and no one city knows it,—that somewhere in this or other lands, some mayor, fire or police commissioner, health officer, school supervisor or what not is running his particular department better than it was ever done before, more easily, more cheaply, more agreeably to the public. "The best in every line" is the motto of the league.

The library building has been open for public use every day in eleven years save about 25. While the building was thus open, the people of the city held in the spare rooms, in eleven years, about 6000 meetings, by and for nearly 700 different organizations, with a total attendance of about 180,000. These meetings ranged from boys' debating clubs to the Board of Trade, and covered such subjects as city planning, charity, hospitals, pedagogy, tuberculosis, philosophy, languages and the world's peace. As long as there was a room unused, any public welfare educational movement, not looking for money profits to any individual, could find free of charge for its orderly meetings a warm, well-lighted and properly janitorized room in the library building.

Another phase of the work which has proved very popular is the department which has a supply of a half million pictures to be loaned to schools and organizations covering that line of study. Teachers need pictures in this pictorial age and they have only to visit the library to find 500,000 arranged under subjects like a huge pictorial dictionary, conveniently mounted and displayed, besides 800 big colored pictures ready for decorating the walls and to illustrate the subjects studied.

The smaller ones are borrowed by tens of thousands and the larger by scores. The development of these plans has removed the idea far beyond the experimental stage and is suggestive of lines of civic work that might be undertaken in any community.

### In Memoriam

In memory of Henry Cage, brother of Mr. J. L. Cage of Newark, who was killed while on duty on the B. and O. road last December.

"Twas the morning of the 24th, The snow was falling fast, The day was dark and dreary And the sky was overcast, Mr. Henry Cage, the foreman At Van Bibber, B. and O., Went forth to clean the switches From the soft and clinging snow.

It was the month of December And the next was Xmas Day, He would spend it with his family And be happy, bright and gay, Never thinking once of danger As he took his dinner pail, But an awful fate was pending For this hero of the rail.

He was cleaning out the west-bound switch That had got clogged with snow, And never heard old 89 Her danger signal blow, He was thinking of the morrow,

Of the glad some Xmas Day, Then his Father softly whispered And called his soul away.

He was a faithful husband, A father kind and brave, Duty was his only watchword And that word led to the grave, For thirty years and over He had toiled upon the track, And to the end of duty He had never turned his back.

Amid the Heavenly Portals, Where bright robed angels sing, He wears a crown of jewels And sits beside his King, But, oh, the hearts that mourn him On this dreary earth below, The tears they shed in secret Does but God in Heaven know.

In silent resignation They wonder, as they pray, Why he, their loving helpmate, Was so quickly called away, But in the misty future When all secrets will be known, They will join him with the angels, Upon the heavenly throne.

The Elkton team of the Tri-County Base Ball League opened the season at Elkton Ball Park on Saturday with an exhibition game played with the Pennsylvania team of Wilmington. The visitors excelled at the bat and won by a score of 6 to 3.

264 votes were registered in Elkton last Monday for the coming town election on May 19.

### PROPOSALS.

BOARD OF STATE SUPPLIES  
DOVER, DELAWARE

Sealed proposals addressed as above and endorsed "Proposals for printing and supplies," for printing Corporation Laws, School Laws, Constitution, Election and Registration Laws, Report of Auditor of Accounts, Adjutant General's Report, State Treasurer's Report, Transactions of the Delaware Agricultural Society, Report of State Board of Health, Insurance Commissioner's Report, Insurance and Banking Laws, and other printing, stationery and supplies for the use of the Secretary of State, State Treasurer, Insurance Commissioner, Auditor of Accounts, Chancellor, State Board of Education, Superintendent of Schools for Kent County, Superintendent of Schools for Sussex County, County School Commission of Kent County, State Board of Agriculture, Clerk of the Peace of New Castle County, Registers for Registration officers and books of Registered Voters, will be received until 1:30 o'clock p. m. on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1913.

Specifications and blank proposals may be obtained at office of Secretary of State on or after May 12, 1913.

Samples of proposed printing and supplies, when specifications refer to samples, may be seen at office of Secretary of State.

The proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per centum of the amount of bid payable to Secretary of said Board.

Only those proposals made upon the blanks furnished by said Board will be entertained.

Right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

THOMAS W. MILLER,  
Secretary of Board of State Supplies,  
Dover, Delaware,  
April 24, 1913. 4-30.11

Estate of EDWARD WILSON, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration cum testamento annexo upon the Estate of Edward Wilson, late of White Clay Creek Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Edward Clifford Wilson and Waldo C. Wilson on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1913 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administrators C. T. A. without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administrators C. T. A. on or before the 18th day of March, A. D. 1914, or abide by the law in this behalf.

CHARLES B. EVANS, Esq., Atty.

EDWARD CLIFFORD WILSON,  
WALDO C. WILSON,  
Administrators, C. T. A.

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FOR SALE—Six-room frame dwelling on Corbit street; a good 12 per cent investment. S. M. DONNELL, agent, Newark, Del. 4-16.1f

FOR RENT—5-room house. Moderate rent. Apply R. S. Gallaher. 3-19.1

FOR SALE OR RENT—House and buildings on Denot Road. Apply to H. J. Watson, Newark. 2-26.1f

FOR RENT—Farm, 33 acres; suitable buildings; near Iron Hill. Post Office at Newark. Apply 3-19.2f

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A copy of Newark Post of date March 12, 1913.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR A MOTORCYCLE—Small 1906 Graham, in good running order. Wm. M. Hammond, Post Office Box, Newark, Del. 4-23.3f

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WANTED—Copies of Newark Post, issue of February 26, 1913.

FOR SALE—One rookery golden-crested whistling thrush. Chester Livingston, Brookbrook. 3-26.1

WANTED—Chicken and eggs. Apply to T. T. Newark Post. 4-9.1

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Annie M. Cooch of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Harriet Curtis.

Frederick C. Clark, formerly of Newark, but now of the Bureau of Standards at Washington, and his brother Cantwell Clark of Baltimore, greeted their friends here Saturday. They attended the Igma Phi Fraternity reunion Saturday night.

Miss Nina Cooch of Berlin, N. H., with her nephew Theodore Wolf, Jr., spent several days here this week with relatives.

Miss Emma Blandy of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Fannie Shapleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conner and son James of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of G. Fader and family.

Mr. Robert Potts is undergoing treatment at the Will's Eye Hospital, Philadelphia.

Professor Alva Agee, director of Agricultural extension work at the New Jersey Agricultural College was a visitor at the State farm today.

Mrs. James Morris is spending sometime at Fairview as the guest of Mrs. Sarah Worrell.

Mrs. Robert Potts and son, Master R. Curtis Potts, spent Sunday with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. Corney Griffith of Wilmington spent last week with his sister, Mrs. George Kelly.

Mr. Edward Cooch is suffering with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Rebecca Wilson was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. K. S. Landreth, Philadelphia.

Prof. and Mrs. A. V. Vaughn spent several days in Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. E. S. Avis visited Newark friends last Thursday.

Messrs. George Bieking, Chester Ewing and Delbert Smith spent Sunday with friends in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

## KEMBLESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Evan W. Crossan of Wilmington, Del., visited relatives in our village the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sydney and son William spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Maclary, Harmony, Del.

Mr. George Wilkinson and family motored to Wilmington on Saturday evening and on the return trip had the misfortune to run short of gasoline at the foot of the lane, but with the help of a \$32 horse managed to get the auto home.

Messrs. J. N. Good and Evan W. Crossan attended the races at Havre de Grace, Md., on Friday.

The Kemblesville Literary Society meets with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fell on Wednesday evening, May seventh.

The Sunday School Board met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pratt on Thursday evening and the following officers were elected for the coming year: superintendent, S. C. Kennedy; assistant superintendent, W. L. Fell; secretary, Nellie M. Batting; assistant secretary, Helen Westendorf; librarian, C. T. Richards; assistant librarian, Wm. Stein; organist, Mrs. A. L. Batting; assistant organist, Mrs. W. L. Fell; cornetist, W. L. Fell; violinist, Nellie M. Batting; chorister, Chas. T. Richards.

Mrs. A. C. F. Otte accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Fell, took her young son to the Methodist Hospital for an examination on Monday.

## PLEASANT HILL

Preparations are under way for the annual pie social of the Ladies Aid Society of Ebenezer M. E. Church Thursday evening, May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eastburn and son Rodney of Red Mills were the Sunday guests of J. T. Moore and family.

Mr. Lester Brenington of Wilmington was the recent guest of John E. Buckingham.

Mr. Edgar Hitchen and family of Milford Cross Roads spent Sunday with F. H. Buckingham and family.

Miss Emma Welsh of Mermaid is spending a few days with Miss Catharine Mousley.

Miss Alice Moore entertained the Misses Annie Herlihy and Madeline Sullivan of Wilmington a few days last week.

Miss Elizabeth Armstrong has returned to her home here after visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. H. I. Eastburn of Union.

Miss Mary McDaniel of Wilmington was a recent guest of Miss Anna Little of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Comly of Harmony spent Sunday with Mr. Joseph Worrall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Whiteman were Wilmington visitors on Sunday.

Fairview School has been closed for the summer vacation and Miss Elizabeth Weber, the teacher, has returned to her home, Lower Providence, Pa.

Mrs. W. P. Stinson spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Eastburn of Red Mills.

Miss Bella L. Carpenter of Port Penn spent the week-end with Mr. Jas. H. Little and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cloud and daughter Louise, spent Sunday with New London relatives.

## Here and There

150 of J. Frank Turner's fine spring chickens were killed by a weasel on his poultry farm at Lincoln, near Milford, on Friday night.

James H. Buckson, of Townsend, former member of the New Castle County Levy Court, will raise pigeons on a large scale and will erect houses on his farm for several thousand birds.

Growers in the Seaford section, who examined their orchards and strawberry beds after the frosts early last week, report that while many of the buds were killed there is a good prospect for a paying crop of fruit, barring coming mishaps.

Rats are preying upon newly hatched chickens at Lewes, Jacob Marshall losing 70, one night last week.

To meet the cost of improving Kent county's general assessment for the coming year has been raised 5 per cent.

Frederica, long without adequate means for protection, has arranged for fire-fighting equipment.

Officers of the Organized Militia of Delaware and of the New Jersey National Guard, will join in a camp of instruction at Sea Girt, June 2-7. Regimental and General Staff officers, including the medical and quartermaster's departments will participate.

Capt. John P. LeFevre of Dover, after Civil Service examination, has been Chief Fish and Game Warden for the State.

Donald Rodney Evans of Lewes having passed examinations, has been admitted as a cadet midshipman at the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Mrs. Lulu Jackson Boldt of New Castle has purchased the Avenue Theatre in Wilmington from the David M. Hess estate of Philadelphia, for \$80,000.

Lewes residents are enjoying soft shell crabs, which have appeared there this year earlier than usual.

The Maryland State Road Commission has plans completed for building 210 miles of public highway this year.

Miss Lydia Terrell, teacher of music in the Elkton High School, underwent an operation for goitre at a Baltimore hospital on Saturday which, it is thought, will relieve her trouble.

John Hatfield of Rising Sun, Cecil county, is threatened with blood poisoning from a spider bite on one arm.

Rev. Henry S. Thompson, a former pastor of Elkton M. E. Church and a veteran member of Wilmington Conference, has retired from the ministry after fifty-five years service.

"Talents" called for last Tuesday totalled \$201.33 for the fund for the new manse of the Presbyterian church in Chesapeake City.

Irwin G. Griffith, President of the Cecil County Commissioners has returned to his home, near Chesapeake City, after undergoing an operation for a glandular growth upon his neck, performed at the Jones Sanitarium in Wilmington.

Forty-five Rocky Mountain Thomas McKenny, tenant on Herbert Paul's farm at Frenchtown, on Elk River, was kicked by a horse on Wednesday and was taken to Union Hospital, Elkton, where it was found that his leg was broken.

Calvert, Md., Farm School pupils realized \$43 for Commencement expenses from a recent bazaar.

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CHARLES R. MILLER,  
PRESIDENT OF COMMISSION.

## The Summer School for Teachers

at Delaware College

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

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

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Banking House	16,000.00
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Cash on hand	26,533.32

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LIABILITIES	
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## Extending the Use of The Public School

To transform our public schoolhouse into a common center for political deliberation and expression, as well as to make them the elevating center of the social life of the community is a suggestion as to the merit of which serious minded workers are practically agreed.

President Wilson, in a Labor Day address, delivered last September, in speaking of the subject said:

"The public schoolhouse is the great melting pot of democracy. Why should not our whole life center in this place where we learn the fundamentals of our life? Why should not the schoolhouses be the constant, year-in and year-out places of assembly, where tidings are said which nobody dare ignore? If we have not had our way in this country it has been because we have not been able to get at the ear of those who were conducting our government, and if there is any man in Buffalo or anywhere else in the United States who objects to using the schoolhouses that way, may be sure that there is something that he does not want to have discussed."

At the same time that President Wilson was urging the adult use of the public schoolhouse as centers of democratic understanding and civic expression, the practical methods by which "we shall have a clear air in which we shall see our way to every kind of social betterment," Colonel Roosevelt, speaking at Hartford, Conn., upon means by which "voters may get more control over their machinery than at present," said:

"One of the ways in which I would see that done is by having greater use made of the schoolhouses. For example, the polling places ought to be necessary for the parties to hire buildings in which their candidates are to speak. We have schoolhouses in which they can speak. We can make each schoolhouse a senate chamber of the people. Think how this would reduce the expenses of the campaigns."

Nor is this agreement that the public schoolhouse should be made the common center of political deliberation and expression limited to the Democratic and Progressive party leaders. Three days before Governor Wilson, and Colonel Roosevelt united in endorsement of this plan, Helen Varick Boswell, chairman of the department of women's work of the Republican National Committee, issued a statement in which she quoted the words of Justice Charles E. Hughes regarding this use of the public schoolhouse, spoken three years ago when he was the Republican Governor of New York State: "I am more interested in what you are doing and what it stands for than in anything else in the world. You are buttressing the foundations of democracy." In this statement, issued by Miss Boswell from the National Republican headquarters, she says:

"Let us, in this development of a common ground of civic friendliness, unite to get it done now. My word to the women of America is: Let us join with men to open this neighborhood room for citizens to come together to discuss and understand and so decide as neighbors and friends, laying at heart, under all differences of opinion, a desire for the common good in solving the problems which confront us."

Everywhere a strong factor is the influence of women. Not only in the states where women vote, and those in which the extension of the franchise is now under consideration, but generally throughout the country, suffragists and anti-suffragists are uniting in the statement that, whether women should vote or not, at any rate the place of citizenship assembling for deliberation and for decision should be fit for the use of women—otherwise it is not worthy the use of men. And the leaders of the several parties, and women as they come to participate in public affairs, are recognizing the fact upon which the National Education Association based its endorsement of this movement—that when the public schoolhouse is made the common place of adult civic expression it becomes a more efficient place of the youth's civic training, and as the school principal becomes the active secretary of the present electorate he becomes a more efficient teacher of the coming citizenship.

### Delaware's Part In The Perry Celebration

Among the interesting addresses delivered at the Convention of the United States Society, Daughters of 1812, was the description of the proposed expedition of the Con-

stoga wagon to leave Wilmington about June 2nd to take part in the celebration of Perry's victory on Lake Erie, which begins on July 4th, the Lake States, Kentucky, Rhode Island and the national government bearing the expense.

The wagon is an original Conestoga, hand made, with hickory axles, hardware of hand wrought iron, and although it will not carry its capacity of six tons, it is still equal to the load. Like the duPont wagon, which carried the powder to Perry to be used in his victorious battle, this wagon will be drawn by nine horses, and be escorted by seven men, in the 1812 uniforms—one non-commissioned officer and six privates, just as pictured by Howard Pyle in the painting in the hotel lobby. An escort that was necessary in those days will merely be picturesque in these days.

The wagon will go over the route of the old pioneer trail known as the Forbes road, part of it having been surveyed by George Washington. The road proceeds westward to Pittsburg and then northward to Put-in-Bay, and in 1813 was the only means of progress from Wilmington to Lake Erie, a rough, dangerous and toilsome journey.

Undoubtedly big cities and small villages along the route will be attracted by the wagon, the escort and the horses wearing bells on their harness, according to the old custom.

The War of 1812 was the first for which the duPont Company provided powder for the United

States government, their firm having been founded in 1802, on the banks of the Brandywine. They have continued ever since to supply powder and explosives to the government and have served their country, sometimes at a financial loss. It is with a patriotic spirit that they participate in the Perry Centenary, believing that in this country of rapid changes, we need impressive reminders of the deeds of our forefathers in order to meet the same measure of enduring growth in the next century that was achieved in the last.

### Interest On Farm Loans

Farmers of the United States paid an average of 7.75 per cent interest on three to six month's loan during 1912, an inquiry made by the Department of Agriculture discloses.

In March nearly 3,000 letters were sent by the department to country banks, inquiring the rates paid by farmers. About 90 per cent of the bankers replied, and their answers indicate the rate was slightly less than in 1911, when 7.79 per cent was paid. In the North Atlantic States the rate was 5.96 per cent, South Atlantic 7.36 per cent, Northern Central States east of the Mississippi 6.38 per cent, Northern Central States west of the Mississippi 8.05 per cent, Southern Central States west of the Mississippi 8.05 per cent, Southern Central States east of the Mississippi 8.55 per cent.

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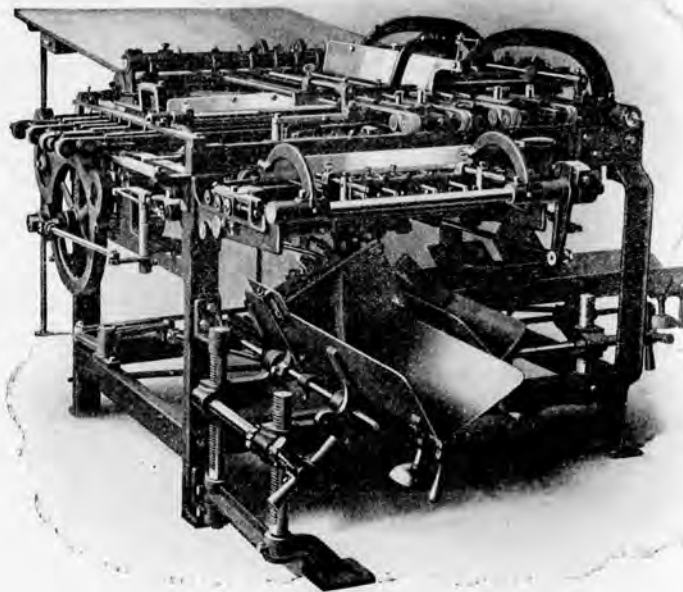
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Work of this kind has been car-  
 ried on by the western fairs for  
 many years, and it resulted in so  
 much good that the department at  
 Washington appointed active men  
 and women in each community to  
 organize clubs and aid the boys and  
 girls in their practical work. Many  
 girls in this manner are earning  
 their own spending money, for  
 there is always a ready market for  
 their wares.

Aside from the financial value of  
 the clubs there is a social side to  
 work of this kind which should not  
 be and is not overlooked. The club  
 meetings of the children are al-  
 ways presided over by some one  
 who comes prepared to entertain  
 as well as to instruct. The efforts  
 of the clubs will find expression in  
 the exhibits at the coming fair and  
 there will be much rivalry among  
 the children for the prizes offered.

Mrs. Frederick C. Snyder, New-  
 port; Mrs. Newton Grubb, Grubbs,  
 and J. W. Killen of Felton, are all  
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The school tickets which are being  
 sent into all parts of the state are  
 doing much to increase the inter-  
 est of the children, and almost  
 every rural school has been sup-  
 plied with tickets. The fair asso-  
 ciation hopes that any of the  
 schools which so far have not been  
 heard from will send the number  
 of pupils in the school, so that  
 tickets may be forwarded before  
 the close of the present term.

Some special features will be ar-  
 ranged for the amusement of the  
 visitors and the whole program of  
 the fair will be most attractive to  
 the little ones as well as to the  
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 police protection which the fair al-  
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Children and  
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The two special premiums for  
 the children's work will no doubt  
 make the competition very keen.  
 The gold medal given by Mrs. Al-  
 fred J. duPont for the greatest num-  
 ber of blue ribbons in the sewing  
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 ber of blue ribbons in the arts and  
 crafts open in competition to both  
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 to the pupils to show their school  
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Patriotism

"One night, at a banquet of poli-  
 ticians, I was seated beside a man  
 who had grown rich by unswerving  
 loyalty to a corrupt ring—the  
 party organization he would call  
 it—which had done more perma-  
 nent harm to his country than a  
 European army could do in two  
 wars. He was not a politician, but  
 a business man, not a boodler, but  
 the backer of boodlers; and his con-  
 versation was a defence of 'poor  
 human nature,' till the orchestra  
 struck up a patriotic air. That  
 moved him deeply.

"Isn't it beautiful!" he ex-  
 claimed; and when the boodlers  
 joined in the chorus, he murmured,  
 'Beautiful, beautiful!' then lean-  
 ed over and with tears in his eyes  
 said:

"Ah, but the tune for me, the  
 song I love, is 'My Country 'Tis  
 of Thee.'"

"I believe this man thinks he is  
 patriotic. They all are, according  
 to their light, honorable men and  
 patriotic citizens. They simply do  
 not know what patriotism is. They  
 know what treason is in war—it is  
 going over to the enemy, like Ben-  
 edict Arnold; but fighting in the  
 open and in secret to seize not forts  
 but cities and states, and destroy  
 not buildings and men, but the  
 fundamental institutions of your  
 country and the saving character  
 of American manhood—that is not  
 treason. That is politics, and poli-  
 tics is business, and business, you  
 know, is business."

—Lincoln Steffens.

The Death of Dickens'

"Little Dorritt"

Mary Ann Cooper, the original  
 of Little Dorritt in Dickens' fa-  
 mous story, has passed away at the  
 age of 100. The novelist and she  
 were playmates together in their  
 childhood at Somerstown.

When "Little Dorritt" was is-  
 sued serially in 1855 to 1857 the  
 readers eagerly awaited the ap-  
 pearance of each installment, and  
 the description of William Dorritt's  
 protracted captivity in the Marsh-  
 elsea prison through the indigna-

tion it evoked had an effect that  
 was far-reaching in bringing about  
 prison reform. But it must have  
 been beyond the wildest dreams of  
 Dickens' little playmate that the  
 boy who skated, rolled a hoop or en-  
 tered with zest into a game of blind  
 man's bluff would one day confer  
 upon her a literary immortality  
 comparable with that which has  
 been the portion of Dante's Be-  
 atrice or Petrarch's Laura or Burns'  
 Jean. The poet speaks proudly of  
 his verse that "immortalizes whom  
 it sings," and this woman, other-  
 wise unknown to fame, has inher-  
 ited imperishable renown in the per-  
 son of her literary counterpart.

How easy it would have been for  
 Mary Ann Cooper to remain for-  
 ever among "the forgotten mill-  
 ions." What was she among so  
 many in the same street, village,  
 parish or kingdom? Yet by proxy  
 she is known around the world,  
 wherever an English book is read  
 and the tongue of Milton and  
 Shakespeare is spoken. She takes  
 her place forever among a gallery  
 of types who are more real than  
 living people. Her fame shall not  
 fail, nor her glory fade as long as  
 David Copperfield and Little Nell,

Pickwick and Sairy Gamp and  
 Nicholas Nickleby shall live. A re-  
 nown not of her seeking shall keep  
 the memory green of the little girl  
 who was the playmate of Charles  
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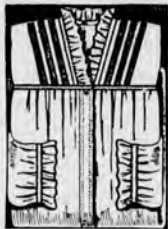
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## Here and There

(continued from page 5)

Goats have been turned loose on the D. F. Morgan farm near Rock Springs, Cecil County, to clear it of brush, briars and other rank growth.

Ira Neal, aged 22 years, a son of George Neal of North East, who had been working in a brickyard at Stenmer's Run, Baltimore county, was killed on the B. & O. R. R. at Rossville, on Wednesday night. While walking to his boarding house along the tracks he was run down by a train.

Young people of Rock Church, Fair Hill, have raised funds from entertainments to add a kitchen to the session house adjoining the church.

Plint Hill M. E. Church Literary Society will hold a shad supper at J. C. Vassant's, Strickersville, tomorrow (Thursday) evening. Supper, 25 cents.

Rev. H. T. Quigg preached a special sermon in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening to members of National Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Elkton.

Mr. Lyman A. Spence of Singersville, and Miss Ada Witworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Witworth of Elkton, were married on Wednesday evening in Rock Church, Fair Hill, by Rev. B. J. Brinkema.

J. T. Eastman, tenant on the Hamburg Cove farm, located between New Castle and Delaware City, has been put in sore straits by the loss of twelve horses from meningitis. Charles W. Hill, a neighbor, has lost one of his horses from the same causes, and three others are affected with the disease. Farmers of the neighborhood fear the spread of the trouble.

Yesterday was the hundredth anniversary of the burning by the British in the War of 1812 of Frenchtown, a then thriving village on Elk River, three miles below Elkton.

Pupils of Kembleville School will hold a social and entertainment in the K. of P. Hall, Lewisville, this (Wednesday) evening,

with music by the Kembleville Band. Ice cream, cake and candy will be on sale. Admission, 20 and 10 cents.

Mr. Hugh T. Stephenson of Deposit, and Miss Grace W. Strickland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Strickland of Elkton, were married at the bride's home on West High street on Saturday evening.

Singerly Fire Company of Elkton is moving for the purchase of an auto truck and has already received a number of subscriptions for \$10 and \$5 or less amounts.

Attorney General Wolcott has given his opinion that marriage licenses issued under the old law cannot be used after May 1, when the new law takes effect. All magistrates must secure new licenses from Clerks of the Peace hereafter and not from the Secretary of State as heretofore.

Lightning on Thursday morning destroyed the large barn, roofed and covered with corrugated iron on the Luther Marvel farm near Hazletville, in West Dover hundred. The fire did not spread, and adjoining buildings escaped, but about twenty tons of hay and other contents of the structure were consumed. Another barn on the same site was destroyed in like manner some years ago.

Fire of unknown origin on Thursday morning destroyed the stables and barn on Charles G. Rupert's farm, at Sedgely, near Wilmington. The stock vehicles and harness with the coachman's household effects were saved. The loss is put at from \$6,000 to \$7,000 and is covered by insurance.

Calvin Oakes, aged five years, of 828 West Seventeenth street, Wilmington, was burned about the head, face and chest on Thursday, when his clothing was set ablaze by a fire which he and several comrades had kindled on a vacant lot while playing "Indians."

Edward Hearn, a well-known lawyer of Georgetown, Democratic nominee for Congress in 1904, has been appointed an auditor in the State Department at Washington by President Wilson.

Judge Churchman in the City Court at Wilmington, last week, adjudged Isaac S. Horn, an officer of the East End German Democratic Club guilty of selling liquor without a license and imposed a fine of \$50 and costs. The Judge ruled that the clubs could not sell liquor even to members. Other defendants were discharged but members of all clubs were warned that the law would be strictly enforced. There are, it is said, 70 clubs in Wilmington with a membership of probably 6,000, who will find no use hereafter for sideboards, as there is no law permitting clubs to obtain liquor licenses.

In the Kent County Court of General Sessions last Tuesday, Isaiah Vincent, Charles Burton and Harry Stevenson, three negroes, were found guilty of violating the Hazel anti-liquor shipping law and were fined \$500 each with a year in the work house, in default of payment. Chief Justice Pennell defined "local option territory" in the meaning of the Act, as territory wherein the manufacture and sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors is unlawful, and that Kent county is such territory. On Wednesday, Daniel O. Hastings, counsel for W. J. Kennedy of Wilmington, charged with bringing two gallons of whiskey into Kent county, the local option territory, asked leave to file a demurrer to the indictment.

and was given until Monday to file the same, with argument to follow later in the week. It is supposed to attack the Hazel law's validity and have the Supreme Court pass upon it at its next term.

### The Cost Of Horses

Reports have been received from about 10,000 correspondents of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture upon the cost of raising colts on farms to the age of three years. The average for the United States is found to be \$104.06; or, deducting the value of work done by the horse before he has passed his third year, namely \$7.52, the net cost is \$96.54; this is 70.9 per cent of the selling value of such horses, \$136.17.

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