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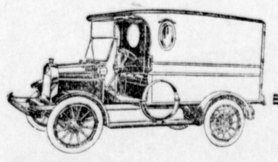

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PUBLIC CONTROL OF THE MILK SUPPLY

In an exhaustive report prepared by experts on milk production in Maryland, Pennsylvania and Delaware, the important recommendation is made "that all milk distributors and milk distributive plants be hereafter regarded as quasi-public businesses and subject to regulations the same as are other quasi-public concerns."

This recommendation is urged in order to secure greater economies and thereby secure milk at less cost. Among the economies possible are pasteurizing, including the investment for plant and operating expenses, in bottling, route service, motor-truck distribution, buying and sterilizing of bottles, handling milk at creamery and receiving stations, by advertising, laboratory work and overhead charges.

The price for all milk depends largely upon the economy in production and milk distribution. Milk is a food that is absolutely requisite for babies and growing children.

Cost of Production

In addition to evidence regarding cost of production of milk at these hearings the commission obtained data from experts and through correspondence. The commission points to the great fluctuations in the items entering into cost of production per cow per annum, barns, lands, etc., from $3 to $53; depreciation, from $3 to $36; feed, from $20 to $116 80; labor, from $3 to $66 60; delivery, from $1.27 to $19. The most reliable data places the cost of production of milk at four cents per quart. The increase in cost has been due to the increase of labor (70 per cent. since 1910), grain and roughage (36 per cent.) and cows (71 per cent.)

On the value of milk as food product the commission says: "A quart of milk is equal to eight eggs. With milk at nine cents per quart and eggs at 45 cents per dozen the consumer pays 3 3 times as much for the same food value when buying eggs as when buying milk. With round steak at 25 cents per pound the consumer pays 2 3 times as much for the same food value as found in a quart of milk at nine cents."

HOPKINS QUINT SWAMPED

Washington College Toys With Visitors And Wins, 35 to 8.

The Washington College basket ball team swamped the Johns Hopkins independents here Saturday night, 35 to 8, in spite of Captain Spedden and Wallace's illness, and in spite of the fact that Lankford was compelled to leave the game during the first few minutes of play, he having sustained a broken arm in a bad fall. The game was featured by the speed and teamwork of the locals. The Hopkins score was the smallest ever made against Washington College.

Caldwell, the Washington forward, took the visitors off their feet by twice working the ball down the length of the floor and caging a goal each time. Washington's defense during the first half was impregnable. Just before the close of the first half, Tilman, of Hopkins, caged a foul, making the score 13 to 1.

In the second half Hopkins defense fell to pieces and the Chestertown team ran wild. This half was full of snappy passes and spectacular goals from all angles, especially by Caldwell and Cain. Cox, Tilman and Buckness played best for Hopkins.

The sophmores and the seniors played a close preliminary game, the former winning, 20 to 16. Line-up and summary:

Washington.	Position.	Hopkins.
Lankford, Brown	L. F.	Buckness, Love
Bunting, Cain,	L. F.	Buckness, Love
Caldwell	R. F.	Tilman
Cain, Erickson	C.	Fritsch (capt.)
Young (acting capt.)	L. G.	Cox, Egerton
Wilmer, Frampton, Schelberg,	R. G.	Branham

Goals—Cain (6), Caldwell (4), Lankford (2), Brown, Young, Wilmer, Bunting, Frampton, Fritsch, Love. Fouls—Cain (2), Lankford, Tilman (3), Buckness. Referee—Riguey, University of Maryland. Scorers—Caldwell, Washington; Harrison, Hopkins. Timekeeper—Schoenrich, Washington.

Washington College played the strong Mt. St. Joseph's College basket ball team here last night.

GALENA

Rev. L. I. McDougle, of Richardson Park, who has been assisting the pastor, Rev. J. W. Sutton in evangelistic services, returned to his home on Saturday.

Those on the sick list are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Walters, Mrs. Harry Clark, Mrs Theodore Dempsey, Mrs. Walter Hadley and Mrs. Samuel Caldwell.

A reception was given to Mr. Herbert McCauley and bride at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome McCauley, on Front street on Saturday evening. A salad supper was served.

Mrs. Sutton, of Betterton, and Mrs. Sarah Smith, of town, are spending a few days with Mrs. Scott Rasin, of Sassafras.

Captain Walter Hadley is spending some time with his family in town.

Mrs. Howard Claude, of New Jersey, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Eva McCauley.

Mrs. John Walls and Mrs. J. A. Latimer spent Tuesday of last week in Philadelphia.

Miss Maria McCauley, who is training in a hospital in Philadelphia, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Holt Woodall.

Miss Betty Woodall is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Richard Lockwood.

Miss Mamie Quinn is visiting friends in Wilmington. Her many friends in the city gave her a linen shower there last Tuesday evening.

HOPE TO SAVE BAY BOATS

Trade organizations of Batimore and the leading shippers feel sure they can convince the Interstate Commerce Commission, now that the bay boat case has been reopened, that the operation of the vessels on the Chesapeake bay by the Pennsylvania Railroad is of vital interest to the general public and no violation of the Panama canal act.

James C. Legg, president of the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce, says he feels sure that the new testimony to be submitted to the commission will induce that organization to allow that organization to allow the continuance of the operation of the boats to the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia.

MARTHA SEWELL HEPBURN.

Miss Martha Sewell Hepburn, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Hepburn, died at her home, near Still Pond Station, on Sunday night, January 14th, after a long illness, aged 39 years. The deceased was a young lady of fine christian character and enjoyed the confidence and affection of a host of friends. Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 12 o'clock in I. U. Church, conducted by Rev. S. S. Hepburn, uncle of the deceased. Interment in the cemetery adjoining the church, Undertaker Wm. H. Kruesen.

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