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WHERE OUR MONEY GOES

This Congress smashed all records for talking and for printing. The taxpayers expended $26,000 for the sole item of printing the testimony of the Teapot Dome and Daugherty investigations. Indeed, the public printer informs us the "the printing of the Record and Journal for both houses exceeded all former volumes of annual oratory with a total of 19,475 pages."

Then we are told that 25,000,000 copies of publications have been wasted in free distribution by Congress and the departments in ten years at a loss of not less than $600,000 a year. This, of course, sums up the direct loss. It does not consider the cluttering up of the post office department and consequent loss there. Seemingly whenever a postal deficit is dragged before the public, denunciations are heaped on the backs of the newspaper publishers, who, as a fact give the benefit of their reduced rate of carrier service to the public, selling their product at an actual loss.

The nation would be better off if that $600,000 wastefully expended—and a good deal more—were applied to lowering the death rate particularly among the women in America. This could be done if these waste moneys were put into the intelligent dissemination of educational advertisements addressed to young and to prospective mothers, to spreading light on sanitation, and to safeguarding the people against the medical quackery from which the people suffer, particularly in the sparsely populated districts.

SOME THINGS TO WORRY ABOUT

One news writer advises us that an untra germ, so small that it connot be detected under the strongest known microscope, has been discovered by a medical college professor, an optical accomplishment of considerable merit. A second news writer tells of still another college professor who announces that man is about to lose his teeh, his toes, his hair, and his finger nails, and that his head is to become larger to accommodate a bigger brain. Still another news writer records that a third college professor announces the age of the world as 1,600,000,000 years, and the prognosticated change in man is to be finished in about 75,000 years.

It behooves us to get busy with the barber, engage a manicure and start at once with our ballet steps to keep our toes in working order. Fortunately these things we can do, but when it comes to the poor germ, we feel helpless. We are not even able to see and smile upon him. If we call him up and say "Are you there?" as likely as not we will get no answer. These handicaps must be worked out without delay. Fortunately our hope lies in vision of the bigger skull to accommodate larger brains; but on the other hand our fear is that with larger and more complicated gray matter implanted in the human skull something may happen to our college professors, in the nature of mental eruption, and without our college professors what would the world do?

The signs and portents for 1925 are really disturbing.

RIDGELY

Ridgely Methodist church is expecting to lose the present pastor, Rev. M. E. Wheatley, after next conference session, which convenes March 25th at Mcabe Church, Wilmington, Mr. Wheatley, although invited to return, gave no assurance of doing so at the last quarterly meeting.

Mrs. Florence Haymaker has returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Pittsburg.

Rev. M. E. Wheatley will begin his revival services on February 8th.

Miss Sara Hoffman and sisters entertained at a family turkey dinner on Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Day entertained Mrs. John W. Swing, Mrs. Mollie Rickards, and Mr. Frank Seward and family at a turkey dinner on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Jarrell announce the birth of a third son. Mrs. Jarrell before her marriage was Miss Bertha Jackson, of Ridgely.

A large attendance was present on Monday evening at the Womans' Community Club, with the president, Miss Elsie Matthews, in the chair. At the conclusion of business Mrs. J. H. Hemmons, who had charge of the entertainment for the evening, presented various persons present with a typewritten slip to be read and a playet, "A Mock Trial," was given with these readings.

Mr. F. M. Long and family have been spending a few days with his relatives at Selbyville.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Wheatlty attended the funeral of Mrs. Ruth Harris at Seaford on Monday of last week.

Messrs. L. M. Goodwin, Richard Blackburn, Harry Holsinger and Herbert Koeneman attended the Farm Bureau banquet held at Marydel.

Mrs. Harvty Sewell is spending some time with relatives in Philadelphia.

Dr. F. W. Taylor and family spent the week end with relatives in Norwood, Pa.

Miss Anna Price, daughter of Mr. Herbert Price, of Ridgely, who has two drawings on exhibition, one in Baltimore and one in New York, has been awarded a scholarship to the Maryland Institute of Art, Baltimore.

Ridgely is in need of a good physician and would prove an ideal location for some doctor looking for a new field.

The play, "When Ma Took Office," will be given in the church house, February 5. The entertainment will be given by local talent and proceeds will be for the benefit of the church house.

Miss Verda Deller, of Bethlehem, Pa., has been the guest of Mrs. James Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Knott and son, of Hillsboro, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Knott.

Miss Hilda Wooters has been spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Sadie Wooters, Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seward and daughter Anna Frances, were recent visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Edward Lapham, Goldsboro.

Mrs. Mollie Rickards of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of Mrs. John M. Swing and with other friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. George Salaughter has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Maham, of Henderson, have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pippin.

Mrs. Raymond Rawlings, of Greensboro has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. C. O. Starkey.

Mrs. William Harrison, of Chestertown has been spending a few days at the home of her father, Rev. L. S. Mathews. Her husband is in North Carolina where they will probably locate.

Mrs. Hannah Zeigler, from Limerick, Pa., is spending the remainder of the winter with her son, Rev. Harry Zeigler.

Mr. Herman Callahan, of Centreville was a recent visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. Herbert Hammond.

While playing ball on the school grounds recently Irvin Downes had the misfortune to break his arm.

Little Jane Neff, of Oak Lane, Pa., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mulford Swing.

Mr. William Ewing has been spending a few days in Philadelphia.

Miss Ann Smith is home from St. Mary's College owing to an epidemic in the school.

Mr. Harry Temple, of Philadelphia, has been visiting at the homes of his brother, Mr. W. T. Temple and his sister, Mr. John M. Swing.

Mrs. Smith, of Centreville, has been spending a few days at her home here.

Mr. James Lewis and family have been visiting relatives in Cordova.

Mrs. A. G. Koeneman and son moved to Cordova this week. Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Ryan will move into Mr. Koeneman's residence.

Miss Louise Fleetwood, of Denton, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Lynch.

Mr. Samuel Bear has been attending the funeral of his sister in Baltimore.

HURLOCK GRANGE ELECTS OFFICERS

At the last meeting of the Hurlock Grange the following officers were installed to serve for the coming year.

Master, George Osborne; Overseer, L. T. Neal; lecturer, Annette Twilley; secretary, Carolyn Barber; treasurer, F. T. Turpin; Chaplain, W. J. Woollen; steward, H. S. Barber; assistant steward, W. E. Percy; lady assistant steward, Mrs. G. W. Hastings; Ceres, E. J. Neal; Pomona, Mrs. S. S. Twilley; Flora, Mrs. W. J. Woollen.

The Dick Lewis players will open a 3 day engagement at the Palace Theater commencing February 2, opening their engagement with the well recomended play "Whose Daughter." This is a three act comedy drama of the better kind. The little company carries eleven people, all their own special scenery and electrical effects so as to give the theatre going public first class, clean up to date moral plays.

The feature novelty orchestra is one of the best that is on the road today with any traveling organization of this kind. Also the vaudeville that is offered between the acts. Popular prices will prevail during their engagement.

In presenting the Lewis players to the amusement loving public it is our desire to give clean wholesome entertainment. We desire the patronage of ladies, gentlemen and children assuring all that nothing will be said or done during our engagement that would be unfit for anyone to hear or witness. Visit us our opening night and you will surely come again. Yours for fun, the chief of entertainers, DICK LEWIS.

A Wolf In Sheep's Clothing

"Measles s one of the most treacherous diseases we have to contend with, so far as the after effects are concerned," says Dr. Riey, chief of the Bureau of Communicable Diseases of the State Department of Health, in a bulletin just issued by the Departmen, "so it is a mistake for parents to think that it is quite safe to expose children to the disease on the ground that it is just as well for them to have it and have it over..'

"Fewer cases of measles have been reported from the counties of Maryland during the current season than at some other times, but the very fact that many of this year's cases are of the milder type, gives all the more reason for safeguarding not only the children who are ill, but of preventing others from coming in contact with them.

"First, because it is a well known fact that an apparently well child exposed to a so-called 'mild' form of any communicable disease, may have the disease in a very severe form. This is true of all of the children's diseases—measles, scarlet fever, chicken-pox, mumps—so the wisest thing to do is to keep all chidren away from the one who has the measles, or who has any of the other diseases, for that matter.

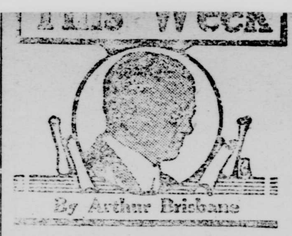
"Second, because the after effects from a 'mild' attack may be quite as serious as from a very severe one. Measles has been called the wolf in sheep's clothing because it may masquerade as a mere case of 'sniffles', a light cold, or even a slight attack of indigestion. But the symptoms of this sort, if neglected, may lead to serious complications—eye, ear, nose, throat or lung troubles. Pneumonia frequently follows neglected cases of measles.

"During uncertain weather such as we are having now, and are likely to have for sometime, it is not worthwhile to take any chances. A child who has a suspicious 'cold' should be put to bed, the family doctor should be sent for and his advice carefully followed."

Do it now—Advertise

Shot Her Mother

Dorothy Ellingson, 16, of San Francisco, who shot and killed her mother in a quarrel because of objections to her night life. Dorothy admits she is a "Jazz Maniac" and shows no remorse at her act. The night she killed her mother she went to a dance. Two days later she was located in a cheap rooming house. Her father and brother advocate hanging or life imprisonment for her.



By Arthur Brisbane

WHAT WOMEN TEACH.
MR. STONE'S ENEMIES.
TWO WONDERFUL LEGS.
ABOUT CLOCK WATCHING.

H. G. Wells worries about the American system of public school education. He is much afraid that our manhood will be damaged because our school boys are educated largely by women.

It is kind of Mr. Wells to worry, but he is wasting time and energy in this case.

If he will look into his own book of history at one of his ancestors with the big teeth, low forehead and heavy jaw, he will find that human beings have changed. And he ought to know that they have changed, thanks to the fact that men have been educated by their MOTHERS.

Women have educated not only the boys but also the men, gradually taking the brutality out of them. And that's what they need. On the lap of his mother, and at her knee, man has been changed from the troglodyte, that used to crack his neighbor's thigh bone to get at the marrow, into our present imitation of civilization.

Women can teach the schoolboy justice, kindness, courage, patience and concentration.

What other manly characteristics does the man teach?

Somebody representing the railroads will have to do some thinking, and plan something, or our very respectable United States railroads are going to suffer no matter how much the Government may do for them.

Motor trucks are robbing the roads of short haul freight, and the long haul goes more and more by canal wherever it can. Mr.

All the world reads about the marvelous racing Finn, Nurmi. He broke two world's indoor records. He's an iron man. He ran the mile in 4 minutes 13 3-5 seconds, cutting a second off the world's record.

Honor him, his legs, heart, lungs and courage, but honor still more highly such men as the late Steinmetz. A crippled hunchback, he could not have run five thousand metres in two hours. But his brain ran as well as Nurmi's legs run. If, by the way, Steinmetz came to the United States to-day, a crippled Jewish boy, as he did forty or fifty years ago, he would be sent home.

Why does the crowd pay to see fast legs and care less for a thinking brain? Because the crowd can all run. Not all can think.

Further information would be welcome concerning the motives of individuals that oppose the President's appointment of Attorney General Stone to the Supreme Bench.

What disturbs those that oppose the nomination?

How much of the opposition is due to the fact that as soon as he was appointed Mr. Stone proceeded to select competent lawyers, to dig into the war frauds, instead of letting the grafters rest in peace?

And how much of the opposition is due to Attorney General Stone's attitude toward the combination of harvester manufacturers and other concerns that do not like to be disturbed?

Almerindo Portfolio, once a $3-a-week errand boy, gives a business for $7,000,000 to his employees, charging them "not to be clock watchers."

Mr. Portfolio need not worry. The workers will stop clock watching, now that they own the business. To the owner, hours mean profits; to the salaried man, hours mean a nearer approach to freedom."

To make men stop clock watching, interest them in the business; don't imagine you can change human nature with a moral platitude for you cannot.

Make industry attractive, and you solve industrial problems.

Big business will realize that eventually.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

WALTER F. REED, et al
vs
WYNDER E. REED, et al
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity No. 3026

Ordered this 29th day of January, 1925, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above cause, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 29th day of January, 1925, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 9th day of February, 1925.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
True Copy—Test:
GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
29—2t Clerk

ficers were installed: Benjamin F. Johnson, worshipful master; Edward W. Breeding, senior warden; Winfield T. Nichols, junior warden; William F. Murphey, secretary; J. Frank Wright, treasurer; Lester S. Kauffman, senior deacon; F. Asbury Greaves, junior deacon; C. Nelson Trice, senior steward; J. Mulford Swing, junior steward; Walter Howard, tyler.

ALMSHOUSE TO BE AUCTIONED

Salisbury, Md., Jan. 27—Without an inmate for the first time in 54 years, the Wicomico County Almshouse today is deserted, the care taker and his family are the only human beings to be seen about the place.

Having no other charges for whom a daily subsistance must be provided, the property acquired by the county in 1871 will go under the hammer at an auction sale.

A few weeks ago the county almshouse contained seven inmates, most of them mentally unbalanced.

"That woman looks as if she were painted."

"Sir that is my wife."

"'I have not finished my sentence. She looks as if she were painted by the great Reynolds and has just stepped out of the frame!"

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truths?"

"Less than you are," re witness, "or you'd be in ove

TWIN SCOURGES

Dis-ease and ignorance are two of the greatest handicaps which mankind has to fight. They stand between the race and the attainment of all that makes life worth living.

Suffering is due to a violation of Nature's laws or to ignorance of Nature's way to keep the body in health. The sooner we become acquainted with Nature's way, the less suffering we'll have, and the quicker will we free ourselves of time-worn practices that often retard the well-being of the world. Civilization demands newer ideas—progress provides them.

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