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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1925

GREAT LEADERS BORN OF THE SOIL

Romance in business, exceeds in wonderment the thrills of the most imaginative fiction writers. The latest example of this fact comes in the election of George H. Jones, as chairman of the Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, succeeding the late A. C. Bedford. Jones, the son of a poor carpenter began his career with the oil corporation thirty-five years ago as a stenographer. Then his salary was $60 a month. Today it is $125,000 a year. It is not unusual, however, that this spectacular rise should fall to the lot of a lad from the country. Born in Carthage, N. Y., Jones knew poverty as a boy. He worked in a chair factory, and then in a knitting mill for 35 cents a day.

Charles M. Schwab, another country lad, began his business career driving a grocery wagon for $4 a week in a small town in Pennsylvania. Many other men now heads of big businesses could be added to the list. As a fact more than ninety per cent. of the great corporations in New York are managed by men who came from the small towns, men who as boys did their daily chores, worked on the farms and in the little factories, the while fitting themselves for the greater opportunity.

Always the church has contended that given a charge of a boy up to his seventh year his faith is safely lodged. By the same token the boy who spends his early years in the environment of the country town, establishes that basic character which backed by industry and ability spells leadership in business as it does in statesmanship. Opportunity is greater today than it ever has been before.

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When you envy the fellow with a pull, get a little more push into your system.

If mistakes are as valuable to us as some folks insist, then lots of us are pretty well off.

The head of Chicago's Crime Commission says crime costs the city $600,000,000 a year. Wouldn't it be cheaper to put Chicago crooks on a regular salary basis?

"Thrift" tells us it is not the amount of money one saves that counts; it is the amount of character necessary to produce the saving. Fine enough, but how about the coal bill.

That old one dollar bill worries the average man much more than it worries the government. Gathering a reasonable collection is a difficult task. Abolishing the bill may save one million dollars a year, but who'll get the million?

RIDGELY

Mrs. Frank Flounders was called to Wilmington Sunday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. E. H. Roe. The trip was made by automobile, Miss Dorothy Flounders and guests from Preston, accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Flounders.

Miss Clara Landers, of Thurmont, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holsinger and guest, Mrs. Gotwalls, and Mrs. Frances Pennington made a motor trip to Wilmington Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Swing have been entertaining Mrs. Swing's brother, Mr. Joseph Brenneman, wife and daughter, and her cousin, Mr. Frank Shock, wife and two daughters from Mt. Joy, Pa.

Mr. Clifton Morris, a teacher in the high school at Westminster, has been home with tonsilitis but has about recovered at this writing.

Miss Dorothy Flounders, of Preston, was home for the week end. She had with her as guests, Misses Emily Fatherly and Verna Bafford, also of Preston.

An enthuisastic audience greeted Dr. Perry when he delivered a lecture here on "The New Mohammedan." The doctor gave a vivid description of Constantinople, as it was when a stronghold for Mohammedanism and then pictured the city as it is today, making his talk both instructive and entertaining.

Mr. J. W. Simons lost some valuable young timber last week by a fire.

Mrs. Lawrence Lynch entertained the benefit card club Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Knight of College Park, gave lessons on "Short Cuts in Sewing" at the church house last Monday.

Mr. Albert Saulsbury, Jr., has moved a small building which stood at the rear of the burned store and intends to make it part of the home he is remodeling, formerly the community library building.

Mr. J. F. Elliott is making extensive improvements to the house he recently purchased from Mrs. Emma Jackson.

Mrs. Herbert Jones has resigned as librarian and Miss Viola Jones is serving temporarily.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson and little daughter, of Delmar, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Gibson's brother, Mr. Charles Stevenson.

Mrs. T. W. Smith, accompanied by her niece, Elizabeth Smith, has been visiting at the home of her son, Mr. Howard Smith, Wilmington.

Mr. A. J. Durney attended the 35th reunion of the Army and Navy Legion of Valor held in Pittsburgh. During his stay in the city he was entertained by the city officials at the Hotel Schenley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White have been spending a few days in Washington.

Mrs. D. M. Swing has been visiting relatives in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKnett, of Sudlersville, have been guests of Mrs. Emma Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wiley, Mr. William Ewing and Miss Virgie Sparks, motored to Smyrna lately to visit Miss Pauline Wiley.

Mr. Foster Clark, of Henderson, has been visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. W. H. Smith.

Mr. Roger Ringgold is improving his home with a fresh coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lane have been visiting their daughter Mrs. Thomas Cooper and Mrs. Charles Samis, Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. H. Roe is spending the winter with her daughter,Mrs. Joseph Williams, Wilmington.

Miss Dorothy Beaumont has been entertaining Misses Cornelia Bonhage and Alice Bradfield, of Baltimore.

Mr. Frank Hobbs and family, of Clayton, have been visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood.

Mr. J. C. Hemmons, of Wilmington, recently spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thompson.

Mr. Lawrence Wilson, Jr., of Hillsboro, has been working at the cooling station while Mr. William Rickards was away on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stephens and Miss Myrtle Stephens, from Rehoboth were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Stephen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Laird.

Mrs. C. P. O'Day, of Bridgeville, has been spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Jones.

Miss Beatrice Bowers has been visiting her father, Mr. Charles Passwaters, Wilmington.

Mrs. Susan Hamilton has returned to her home in Oxford after a visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Booker.

Mrs. Ronald Lane has been entertaining her mother and sister of Bethlehem, Pa.

Miss Elizabeth Holsinger and friend Miss Hoffer, of Elizabethtown, Pa., have been guests of Mrs. M. F. King.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sparks has returned from a visit with her son, near Bridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Voight and son from PePnnsylvania, have been visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs John Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs .Benjamin and children of near Henderson, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pippin.

Among those home for the holidays are Misses Henrietta Swann, Marian Hemmons and Wilson Cahall, of Millersville State Normal, and Miss Dorothy Flounders of Preston.

WRAP CAREFULLY AND BUY Christmas Seals





SALISBURY BOYS ADMIT THRILLING THEFTS, CLAIM

Salisbury, Nov. 23—The identity of the three boys who robbed a home, garage, flour mill and artist's studio and ers is thought by police to be definitely fired upon a woman and child pursu- established with the recovery of much of the loot and the confession of two members of the youthful trio.

Confessions have been made by Harry Davis and Carl Ennis, both 13 who also implicated William Adkins, another Salisbury boy of the same age, police say.

Put through a grilling by Chief of Police Williams, Davis and Ennis admitted to the robberies and led the authorities to a cache under the building of the general offices of the Baltimore Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad Company, where much of the loot was hidden. Three pairs of handcuffs, a rifle, automobile accessories and flashlights were recovered.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

TRUSTEE'S SALE —OF VALUABLE— PERSONAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of an order passed by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland on the 13th day of October, 1925, in he case of Francis Knowles, Bankrupt the undersigned as Trustee of said Bankrupt, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the premises now occupied by the said Francis Knowles, situate on the State highway between Denton and Greensboro, about two and one-half miles from Denton on

Saturday, December 5

1925, beginning at 10.30 o'clock a. m. all the following personal property to wit:

1 chair, 1 settee, 1 refrigerator, 3 chairs, 1 cook stove and utensils, 2 tables, 1 cupboard, 1 lamp, 1 looking glass, 1 extension table, 1 electric floor lamp, 1 stand, 1 wood stove and pipe, 2 pictures, 2 leather chairs, 1 rocker, 1 stool chair, 1 desk, 1 china closet and dishes, 1 rug, 1 picture wall plate, 1 stand, 1 book case and books, 1 candle stick, 1 desk and book case, 1 teekwood table, 4 chairs, 1 chair and settee, 1 mirror, 2 brass beds, bureau, stand and chair, 2 rugs, 2 mattresses and 2 spreads, 1 chair, 1 bureau, 1 dresser, 1 chair, 1 taboret, 1 rug, 1 mirror, 4 pillows, 2 comforts, 1 ironing board, 1 blanket, 3 sofa pillows, 2 buckets, 1 lantern, 4 stone jars, 1 grindstone.

1 cultivator, 3 bags fertilizer, 3 hoes, 1 garden cultivator, 1 grass cythe, 1 step ladder, 1 maddox, 1 cross cut saw, 1 shovel and 1 fork, 1 bramble scythe, 2 fly nets, 5 traces, 3 brooder covers and burners, lot hames and traces, 1 barrel, 300 white leghorn yearling hens, 1 King automobile, 1916 model.

TERMS OF SALE—Terms of sale are cash on day of sale. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

WILLIAM J. RICKARDS,
Trustee of Bankrupt
W. BREWSTER DEEN, Attorney.
JAMES TEMPLE, Auctioneer.

Take notice, that the personal property mentioned in the aforegoing advertisement, this day inserted in The American Union, will be offered for sale at the time, place and upon the terms therein stated.

EDWARD T. MILLER,
Referee

Dated at Easton, Md., Nov. 5, 1925

Notice to Taxpayers

I WILL SIT FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING TAXES between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., at the following places, (all other days at the treasurer's office in the Court House), on the following days:

Federalsburg, Saturday, Nov. 7
(COVEY & WILLIAM'S STORE)
Henderson, Wed., Nov. 18
(COLE'S STORE)
Greensboro, Saturday, Nov. 14
(CAROLINE COUNTY BANK)
Hillsboro, Thursday, Nov. 19
(THOMPSON'S IMP. STORE)
Preston, Saturday, Nov. 21
(COVEY BROS.' STORE)
American Corner, Fri., Nov. 20
(LORD'S STORE)
Ridgely, Saturday, Nov. 28
(BANK OF RIDGELY)

Office in Denton will not be open from 1 to 6 on these dates.

T. FRANK SEWARD,
Treasurer of Caroline County.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

W. BREWSTER DEEN, Assignee
vs.
C. FULTON NOBLE, et al
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity No. 2410

Notice is hereby given to all judgment creditors, assignees, lienors or persons having an interest in the equity of redemption in the above cause to file their claim or claims with the vouchers thereof with the auditor on or before the 5th day of January, 1926 in order to participate in said equity of redemption.

T. PLINY FISHER,
5-4t Auditor

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

J. OWEN KNOTTS, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of W. LEE BUTLER, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on October 9, 1925, the said W. Lee Butler, of Caroline County, Maryland, was duly adjudged Bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of J. Owen Knotts, in Denton, Maryland, on the 10th day of December at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time the creditors of said bankrupt may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine said bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

EDWARD T. MILLER, Referee
Easton, Maryland.

N. B.—Creditors should at once prove their claims before a Notary Public and file same with the Referee or have them ready to file at the first meeting of creditors.

WM. J. RICKARDS, Solicitor

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland
In the matter of HARRY G. CROUSE, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on August 8, 1925, the said Harry G. Crouse, of Caroline County, Maryland, was duly adjudged Bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law office of Wm. J. Rickards, in Denton, Maryland, on the 10th day of December, at 1:30 o'clock, p. m., at which time the creditors of said bankrupt may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine said bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

EDWARD T. MILLER, Referee
Easton, Maryland.

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Whole Grain Rice 10c lb	Coarse Barley 6c lb	
Horse Radish or Chow Chow 12½c bottle	Marshall's Kippered HERRING Plain or Tomato Sauce No. 1 Oval Tin 27c	New White Fat Mackerel 2 for 25c
Chocolate DROPS Cream Centers 19c lb		Wrigley's GUM or Peter's Chocolate BARS 3 for 10c
Mothers Joy CATSUP 2 8½ oz bots 25c	Mothers Joy Pancake or Buckwheat 2 oz. pkg 10c	Maple Syrup 22 oz bottle 25c

Mothers Joy FRUIT CAKE 3 lb decorated tin 1.75

Hominy and Hominy Grits 3c lb	Fresh Daily from Crooks Ovens Large Loaf 7c .. Extra large Loaf 10c . Wrapped Loaf	White or Yellow Corn Meal 3c lb
P. & G. White Naphtha SOAP 4 bars 19c	Real Rye Bread 9c loaf; Pure Butter Buns 16c doz; Raisin Bread 12c loaf; Pound Cake 25c lb; Saturday Special 3 layer Cake Pineapple Iced, each 49c	Grandma's Soap Powder 4 pkgs 15c

QUALITY MEATS—ECONOMY PRICES

SATURDAY SPECIAL

Roast Leg LAMB 33c lb
Roast Loin VEAL 29c lb
Veri-Good Smoked SAUSAGE 22c lb
Sugar Cured Smoked HAMS lb 29c
FAT-BACK 21c lb
Country Style Scrapple 14c lb
Sound, Ripe BANANAS 19c doz
Roast BEEF Off the Round lb 27c
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