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FROM MILLINGTON.

The Y. W. C. T. U. held their monthly meeting in their hall on Tuesday evening, February 5, Mrs. Tonkin, president, presiding. The meeting was opened by singing from White Ribbon Hymnal, and prayer. Attention was called to the fact that very few of the members wear the white ribbon, the well-know badge of the W. C. T. U., and hope for a great improvement in this matter. The time of monthly meeting was changed to the second Thursday evening of the month, that time seeming to be most acceptable to all, and now hope for a full attendance at the meetings. The gentlemen consented to take charge of the next meeting, and Messrs. J. L. Smith, T. S. Bottomly and E. Vansant were appointed a committee to arrange for it. The Union donated $3.00 to help provide suitable clothing for some needy little ones. Little Paul and Gladys Jacobs sang a very seet little hymn, "Clap Your Hands for Joy," and Mrs. Hurtt sang very impressively, "Don't Drink, My Boy, To-Night." Mrs. S. W. Mallalieu read a selection entitled, "Our Friend," in memory of Miss Willard. There were forty present.

The funeral services of Mr. Philip A. Trimble, who died suddenly last week, were held at his late residence, near Stilltown, Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. S. Dulaney. His body was taken to Glen Lock, Pa., Monday, for interment.

A fine cow belonging to Mr. J. H. Weist, had to be killed last Sunday, supposed to be suffering with the rabies. This is the second cow, besides a fine horse and hog, Mr. Weist has lost within a year, under similar circumstances.

John Rasin, a young colored man living near town, met with a horrible accident last Friday while engaged in feeding a fodder shredder on the farm of Mr. Wm. T. Jones, about one-half mile from town. It was thought he was cleaning the loose fodder from the feeding table when his left hand, which had an old glove on, was caught in the crushers, pulling, crushing and tearing his arm off at the shoulder before the machine could be stopped. Drs. Hackett and Comegys were summoned, and at once had no hope of saving his life, and he died about 11 o'clock that night. Rasin was known by many of his companions as John Traction, the name being given him for his great love for engines and threshing machines.

A strange dog was seen acting in a very suspicious manner upon the streets Sunday morning about 10 o'clock, and supposing it to be mad, was chased and killed. The commissioners have taken precaution by compelling people to keep their dogs fastened up or muzzled under penalty of their being killed.

The present cold snap has given the people a splendid opportunity to have their ice houses filled with beautiful, clear ice. All having houses have completed this work. The largest ice house being that of Mr. Britton Neal, at the Unicorn Mills, it holding about 150 wagon loads.

Many of our young people have enjoyed the skating, which has been exceptionally fine on the ponds.

Mr. A. D. White, of Clayton, was among the skaters Monday.

Mrs. H. S. Dulaney, returned Wednesday evening from a visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Helen Power spent Sunday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. J. Gillespie, Sudlersville.

Mr. Geo. W. Todd, of Wilmington Del., was at the Unicorn Mills last Saturday. Many were made glad by his presence, it being the semi-monthly pay day at the mills.

Mr. W. J. Gillespie, of Sudlersville, spent Monday in town.

Mr. F. S. Bottomley, spent Tuesday in Philadelphia, on a business trip.

Mrs. M. A. Price, spent several days of this week with her son, Mr. W. H. Price, Philadelphia.

Miss Lula Bailey, is visiting friends in Wilmington, Del.

Miss Adella Cochran, of Middletown, Del., is visiting Miss Eva Comegys.

Mrs. Sam'l Mallalieu has moved into her beautiful new home, on Sassafras street.

Mr. J. H. West, of Dover, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Clara Bryan was confined to her home last week, a sufferer of the grip.

Mrs. J. E. Hurlock has been suffering with an attack of grip.

Mrs. G. A. Comegys, has also been confined to her home with grip.

Dr. F. A. Walls has been compelled to stay in his home for a few days, the grip having gotten a hold on him also.

Guy, son of Mr. Grove Evertt, near town, is very ill, suffering with an absess in his stomach.

During the month of January Mr. N. A. Wallen, mail-carrier of Rural Delivery route No. 2, delivered 5 registered letters, 1272 letters, 212 papers, 1971 newspapers and circulars, 108 packages; total, 3568. Collected 826 letters, 100 papers, 5 packages, 12 registered letters, 3 circulars, issued 4 money orders; total 950, making grand total for month 4518.

McGinnis Items.

Mr. William Adkinson, of McGinnis, Queen Anne county, has been appointed by the Chester River Steamboat Company as their agent at Deep Landing, vice Mr. A. E. Tarbutton, resigned. We compliment the company upon their choice of Mr. Adkinson from among several applicants for the position, and as agent at Deep Landing he is thoroughly qualified, being an energetic young man, he is fully alive to the business possibilties of the steamboat company.

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FROM THE SIXTH.

EDS. TRANSCRIPT:—We have looked in vain for some reply from our fishermen to the challenge from the Fish and Game Protective Association as to formulating a law to work harmoniously to all in the protection of small fish. We are glad to see the spirit of arbitration has set in, and that something must soon be done for the protection of small fish is apparent to all, especially to those who for years passed and to come look to this means of making a living. We have adopted the cull law, and all concede it to be the only salvation of the great oyster question. Now, how will it do to apply a similar measure to solve the fish question? We have always clung to the idea that the size of mesh is the only way to cull live fish and keep them alive. Now, we do not claim this will cull all the small ones from the large, or that it will keep all alive, but we do believe it will go further than any other method to save them. We know there is some who will object to this plan, but we say have you anything better? We believe gill-net fishing, whether staking or drifting, to be the least destructive to our small fish. Those nets are never smaller than three and a half-inch mesh (3½), and with this size mesh only good and marketable fish are caught, and if this is a fact with this kind of fishing, why not make this size mesh apply to all nets, pounds, seines, etc. We know there is some objection to this by the haul-seine and pound-net fishermen, and a great many will say the small fish will stick fast in a 3½-inch mesh of a net of this kind. We say so too, but thousands and thousands of smaller ones will go on through to live and grow, and had we not better save some than to destroy all.

I can see no special good in landing nets in one or two feet of water, as the fish will then, as all fishermen know, have to be taken from the seine in dip nets and assorted for market just the same as though hauled up in the seine. We say to our fishermen something is going to be done by the Game and Fish Protective Association, and they have not sprung it on us without giving us a chance. Now, let us exchange views, and I am sure the TRANSCRIPT will give us space to do so in its columns, and at the same time help our cause.

[The columns of the TRANSCRIPT are open to all legitimate controversies on matters of local interest, and we invite them.—EDS.]

FROM FLINTVILLE.

There are quite a good many people throughout the country suffering from the effects of the grip and heavy colds. Some are also suffering from the "grip" of hard times. Money is exceedingly scarce and but little work is being done, and unless things take a turn for the better soon the consequences are going to be serious indeed. The farmers are not employing any extra help, as they have neither the money or grain to give in exchange for labor, and those dependent on day's labor cannot support families and live on wind, promises to pay or futures. The great trouble is that those who have all they need and a little to spare, want to carry out the creed of the man who said,—"God bless me, my wife, my son John and his wife, us four and no more." They glory in being so comfortably situated, and revile and call lazy, all those that are not found at work. This article has reference to the farmers and farm labor in their cry of "hard times," both in getting money and the proper help to run their business during the busy season. It is an oversight with a very great many farmers that they expect to hire help for only nine months of the year, and get all the help they want at their own prices.

The cities and manufacturing districts are taking all the reliable help out of the country, simply because the farmers do not appreciate and know the value of their services by giving steady work and remunerative wages. Of course, many farmers are not able to pay any more than they do for their labor, but it is because they have not struck the right system of farming. What this section needs, and it is applicable to all others, is a more diversified course of farming, that is, I mean that the farmers should not pay all their attention to any one branch of the business, because it happened to pay a little better than any other last season. Don't all stop raising corn because it is low in price and sow double the acres of wheat because it has advanced a little in price. Don't all go to putting on cows to sell milk because there seems to be a little more money in it. No, don't do it, because the over-production of milk and the scarcity of hay and corn will cause the bottom to fall out of the milk business, and you will be compelled to almost sell your cows for their hide and tallow. Sow and plant an equal amount of all the farm crops that is adapted to your section, and raise some of each, cows, steers, sheep, hogs, horses, etc., just enough to regulate or supply the demand, and I assure you that the prices will always give you a paying profit. Put all the corn fodder, straw, hay, etc., through the stables and into the manure heap, and go to the woods and bring in all the leaves and litter the barnyard with them, as leaf-mold is a very valuable composition or ingredient to add to farm manures. Every twenty loads of good barnyard manure is worth one ton of good commercial fertilizer. Try it and see. Economize in the use of luxuries and get a little more extra work done on the farm, and you will cease to cry that "farming does not pay." C. R. H.

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