MILES OF HEALTH AT CHRISTMAS

WHAT THE RED CROSS WILL DO TO HELP MAKE A BETTER YULETIDE SEASON

During the month of December, there will be in circulation 1,250,000,000 Tuberculosis Christmas Seals, a billion and a quarter. If we were to place these penny stickers, end to end, they would extend from New York to Los Angeles, by railroad, and back again to New York City, more than three times. In other words, when placed end to end, there are 63,360 Christmas Seals in a mile.

Think what can be done for an individual by one mile of health or $633.60. Think what can be done for this County with ten miles of health or $6,336.00. The Maryland Tuberculosis Association and its county branches are now exerting every effort possible to sell miles and miles of Christmas Seals.

The 1925 Christmas Seal, although attractive in design, is not merely ornamental. It is sold for Health's sake. The proceeds of the sale are devoted to the State in the fight against Tuberculosis. It has been a potent opening to good health in the past and it has carried and will still carry a health message to the various corners of the Earth. Every package and letter adorned with a Christmas Seal is a reminder that the call is to all to enlist in this battle against one of mankind's worst foes.

Everybody who purchases Tuberculosis Christmas Seals in the State of Maryland, or anywhere else, is a partner in the big campaign that seeks to educate the public in the prevention of Tuberculosis. Whether they have given Ten Cents or Ten Dollars or Ten Hundred Dollars they may feel that they are supporting a project stupendous in scope.

That they have helped in the prevention of this disease is seen in the fact that in the past twenty years the deaths from Tuberculosis have been decreased from two hundred per one hundred thousand population to ninety-four per one hundred thousand, according to 1923 death rate statistics. In twenty years, the deaths from Tuberculosis in the State of Maryland have been cut in half.

Since 1907 when the first $3,000 was raised for a Tuberculosis hospital in Delaware, up to last year when $4,496,000 was raised, over $30,000,000 in all have been realized.

Ninety-five percent of the funds obtained from the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas Seals in Maryland are used for fighting the disease i nMaryland. Five per cent of the returns are sent to the National Tuberculosis Association to aid in the National fight against this terrible disease.

The Maryland Tuberculosis Association, and its county helpess are now making a special effort to raise at least $100,000. It is necessary that this sum be procured in order that the present activities may be continued, and that the plans for increased activities may be carried out.

Seventy percent of the returns from the Sale of Christmas Seals in this county will remain in this County to help finance the Health work now be ing carried on.

CHURCH NOTES

Wesley Chapel of Kent

Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.; morning worship and sermon by Rev. Gardner, of Troy, N. Y. at 10.45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7.30, leader Miss Jessie Wilkins, "How Can We Translate Christmas Into Service?"

Kesley Chapel

Sunday School at 2.00 p. m.

Raum Chapel

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7.00 p. m., worship and preaching by Rev. Gardner, of Troy, N. Y. You are welcome at any of our churches. Rev. C. Dauson, minister.

The Rev. Mr. Gardner, rector of the Protestant Epicopal Church at Sykesvilel, has accepted a call to become rector of North Kent parish, comprising St. Clement's Massey and Holy Cross Chapel, Millington, made vacant by the recent resignation of the Rev. J. L. Saunders, who accepted a call elsewhere. Mr Gardner assumed his duties on Tuesday.

Rev. James H. Gardner has taken charge of North Kent Parish and there will be services on Sunday as follows: St. Clements, Massey, 10.30 a. m.; Holy Cross, Millington, 7.00 p. m.

Bond M. E. Church

Sunday School at 10 p. m.; Divine Worship and communion service at 11 a. m., sermon by Rev. T. S. Barret. Come help with and be helped by this service. No evening service. Bond Church Aid will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrickson.

Mowbray M. E. Church

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.; Epworth League Service at 7.15 p. m.; sermon by pastor and revival service at 7.30 p. m. Service each night during the week except Saturday night. Come out and enjoy these services.

Salem M. E. Church, Fairlee

Services for the week are as follows. Sunday School at 10 a. m., Mr. Walter Barnes, Supt.; preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m., subject, "The Heavenly Vision;" Junior League at 2.30 p. m.; Epworth League at 7.30 p. m., subject, "Epworth Herald Days, leader, Mr Alfred Stauffer; followed by Evangelistic services. These services are proving to be a great benefit to the church and community. Ladies Aid of Salem Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Barnes on Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m., Dec. 10.

Union M. E. Church, Worton

Sunday School at 2 p. m., Mr. B. F. Rash, supt. The schools in both churches are growing in interest and numbers. Preaching by the pastor at 3 p. m.. Everybody welcome.

The By-Kota Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Belle Smith, Monday evening, Dec. 7, at 8 o'clock, to be entertained by Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Walter Pippin, Jr., Mrs. Alvin Coleman, and Mrs. M. E. Newsome.

Rev. Samuel Barden Smith, of Trappe, Md., will preach at St. Paul's M. E. Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Shrewsbury Parish Church

Robert W. Lewis, rector. Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a. m

The Junior League of the Chestertown M. E. Church will have charge of the devotional services of the Epworth League at the M. E. Church, Sunday, Dec. 6, service starting promptly at 6.45 p. m.

—The First Officer of the Clyde Line ocean steamer Lenape burned off Lewes, Del., recently but one of whose 33 passengers and crew was lost was George Wilson, formerly of Elk Neck, a nephew of Mrs. W. D. Bratton, of Elkton. He filled a like post on Company's steamer Comanche burned a few weeks ago.

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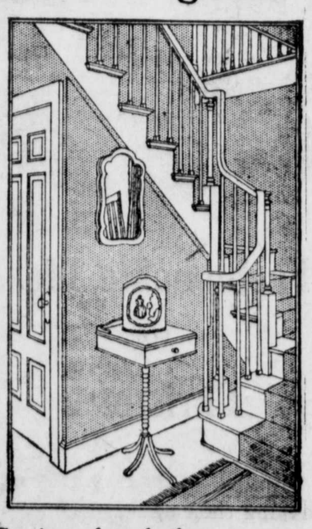
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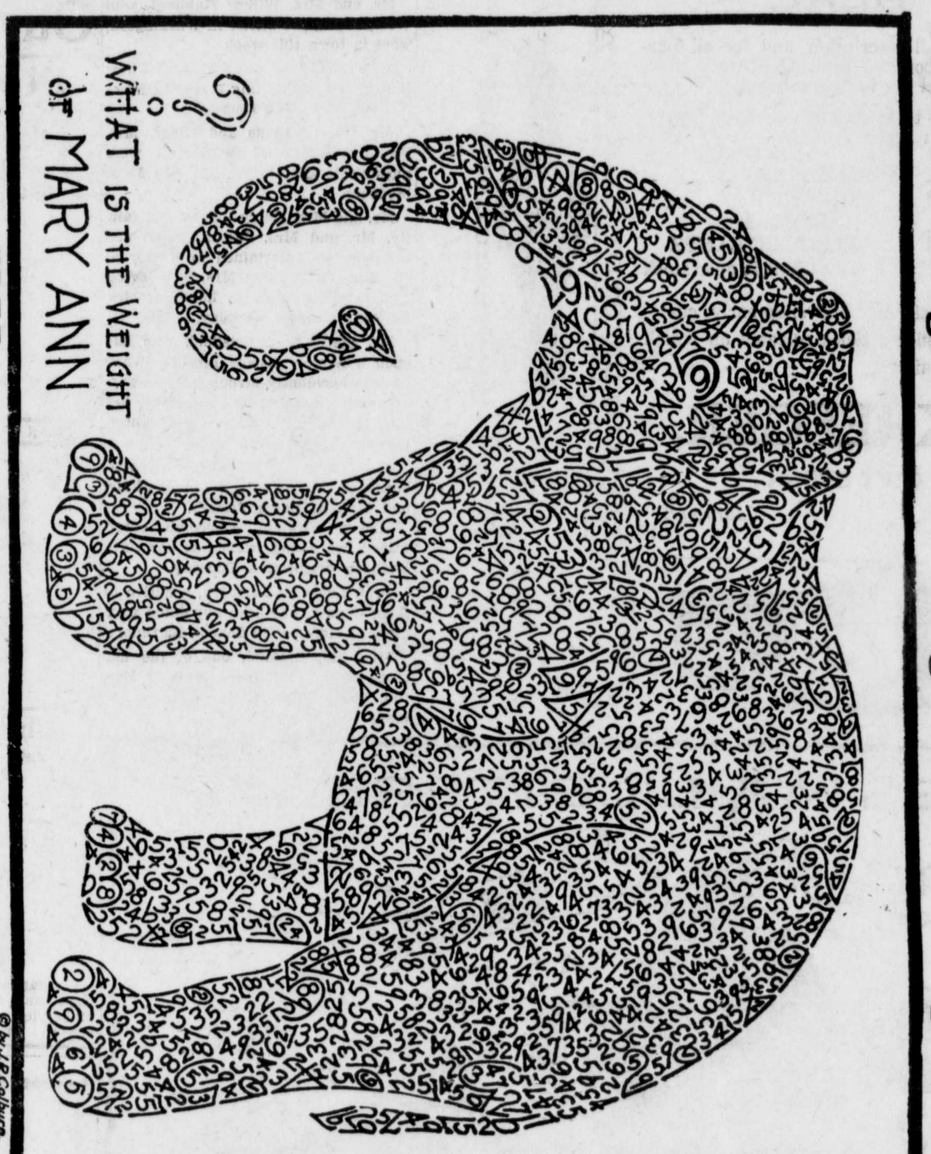
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Closing Date

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37 Other Awards

GENERAL RULES—

There is no objection to several members of one family or household or several friends working together to obtain a solution, provided only one entry is made. Employees of The Baltimore News and all other Hearst newspapers and members of their immediate families.

Contestants may send in only one solution, and cannot change it after it is in the hands of The Baltimore News. The Baltimore News reserves the right to reject any solution or any subscription. In sending in your solution and subscription, a solution blank is provided for your convenience. However, you can write your solution on any piece of paper the size of the solution blank and mail it in.

Remember, you are eligible in this contest whether you send in one or more subscriptions. If you send in only two or three subscriptions, and no one else sends in more than that number, you will be among the winners.

The time a solution is received has no bearing upon its winning a prize, as announced elsewhere, should your solution be among the winners.

Not more than one prize will be awarded to any one person.

In event of ties, all tying will be awarded the full prize tied for. For instance, if five or more persons are tied on the best solution, the first five prizes will be reserved for them and the next prize will be awarded the one submitting the next best solution, the second prize, the one submitting the next best solution would receive the first prize, the one submitting the next best solution would receive the second prize, and so on. In case there are no ties on the weight of the elephant, and no one else has the correct solution, the prizes will be awarded in accordance with the standing of the solution sent in.

A contestant may renew his or her subscription for six months if already a subscriber for The Baltimore News, but not more than one renewal will be accepted from any one contestant. All subscriptions will be subject to verification by The Baltimore News to satisfy itself that they are genuine subscriptions, or vice versa, and that it is a new subscription. By a new subscription is meant one who has not had The Baltimore News served or coming to their address for a period of at least 30 days prior to the mailing of the Elephant Contest.

The Winners Will Be Announced in The Baltimore News.

Important Facts

Of course, you do not have to send in subscriptions to win a prize, nor does it have any effect on your solution. However, it does affect the amount you will receive should you win one of the 40 prizes. This is explained in the prize list, which you should study carefully before sending in your solution.

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1st Prize	$50.00	$200.00	$400.00	$2000.00
2nd Prize	25.00	100.00	250.00	1000.00
3rd Prize	15.00	60.00	150.00	500.00
4th Prize	10.00	40.00	100.00	175.00
5th Prize	5.00	20.00	50.00	100.00
6th Prize	2.00	10.00	25.00	50.00
7th Prize	2.00	10.00	25.00	50.00
8th Prize	2.00	10.00	25.00	50.00
9th Prize	2.00	10.00	25.00	50.00
10th Prize	2.00	10.00	25.00	50.00
11th to 15th Prizes	1.00	5.00	15.00	30.00
16th to 40th Prizes	1.00	3.00	7.50	15.00
Total 40 Prizes	$145.00	$570.00	$1437.50	$4550.00

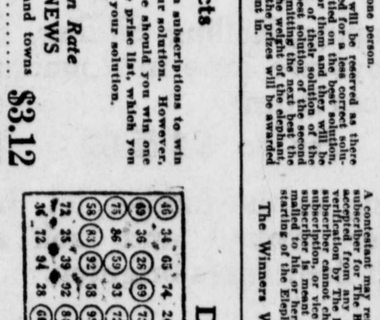
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DECIDING TIES

In case of ties a second prize, like the one tied for, will be awarded, except larger, will be presented for those tied to set of drawing a continuous chain across the chart connecting the figures in the circles. Then the puzzle, with the combinations changed, will be presented for as many as five additional days, and should any the eight each trying contestant will receive the full amount of any prize tied for.



Mary Ann Elephant Puzzle Solution Blank

You may use this blank in sending in your solution, whether subscriptions are sent or not.

Puzzle Contest Manager,
The Baltimore News, Room 315,
Pratt and Commerce Streets, Baltimore, Md.

The total of the figures in the Mary Ann Elephant is .....pounds.

Contestant's Name .....

Address .....

City .....

I want to qualify for the bigger prizes and I inclose $..... in payment for ..... six-month subscription for The Baltimore News, to be sent to the following:

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For further information write to the Mary Ann Puzzle Contest Manager, Room 315 Hearst Production Building, Pratt and Commerce Sts., Baltimore, Md.

THE PROBLEM:

What is the sum total of the figures forming the elephant as shown in the picture? Simply add them up to get the solution. There are no marks, lines or characters in the elephant except figures. These figures range from 2 to 9, each standing alone. There are no "ones" or "ciphers." The heads of the "9's" are distinctly curved, while the tails of the "9's" are straight, or practically so. For example: The figure at the end of the elephant's trunk is a "6," so is the figure that forms the eye. The "9's" are clearly shown, as, for instance, near the end of the tail. There is no trick or illusion of any description in the chart. Now get out your pencil and add, add, add.

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