

The Transcript.

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ALL HAIL TO THE RISEN LORD!

MAY we never forget the lessons of the Easter tide.

Gov. CROTHERS has sent out invitations to the presidents, counsel and clerks of the Boards of County Commissioners of the several counties in the State to a conference in Baltimore on April 21 to discuss good roads, and other matters pertaining to the welfare of the counties.

CHAMP CLARK has a problem on his hands with his insurgent Democrats who want protection on certain articles of consumption in the Payne Tariff Bill. It looks very much like these Democratic-Republicans care more for their pocketbooks than they do for the preservation of their party principles.

LEADERS of the Democratic party were in conference at the Hotel Renart, Baltimore, on Wednesday night, and it was decided to make the disfranchisement amendment the vital issue in the coming campaign. A determined effort will be made to carry through the amendment.

MR. JOHN B. HANNA, of Belair, Harford county, was elected chairman of the Republican State Central Committee on Wednesday in Baltimore to succeed Mr. Thomas Parran. This was a signal victory for Mr. Wm. Stone, who henceforth will be the Republican State leader. This may bring about a change of party management in this county.

We have the report of Labor Statistician Charles J. Fox on our desk. So far as the report relates to Kent county we would suggest that the report be made more modern. There have been many changes in the industrial and manufacturing life of the community since 1904, and the report for this reason fails to do Kent county justice.

TWENTY COUNTIES in Michigan went "dry" in a recent election in that State. Thus other laurels are added to the cause of prohibition of the liquor traffic and the wave of sentiment is sweeping over the country with such tremendous force, as that the day is not far distant when there will be a country wide law prohibiting the sale of the "home-wrecker" and the "heart-breaker." May the day soon come.

A GREAT many people were in town on Tuesday, and politics was freely discussed. It was the general opinion among all classes of Democrat organization as well as members of the People's faction, who stated openly that it would be a great political blunder to run the candidates for county commissioner through the county. Some of our oldest and most experienced Democrats declared that such a method is unheard of, and that it would seriously threaten the success of the ticket in the election.

THE Baltimore papers have been putting it good and hard on Downs, the City Hall clerk, who is alleged to have made way with \$100,000 of the city's money. There may be no doubt that some one is guilty, not only of a theft, but of criminal negligence in the conduct of an office, and we may say banks as well, but we doubt very seriously the moral propriety of so much publicity. The more said about a theft, committed because of somebody's extreme carelessness, the greater the reflection on the city's management.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The columns of the TRANSCRIPT are open to the proper discussion of all topics of public interest or importance. Whether the editors agree with the sentiment expressed or not, the people should and may be heard through the TRANSCRIPT'S columns—the paper will be the People's Forum from which they may be heard on all subjects—purely personal matter excepted. The Editors are not responsible in any manner for articles that appear in this column.

DEAR SIR:—I have heard many members of the J. O. U. A. M. speak of the man who has an idea of being a candidate before the people, but he left the order because he thought its members were not fit for him to associate with. We had hoped your last issue would give us more information in reference to it. Would it be possible for you to give us the name of this distinguished candidate? promise you we will hear from us when our tickets are prepared. What office will he ask for? I belong to two orders and I have heard members of each discuss the ambition of this man and if we ascertain his name I think we will be able to let him know what we think of him. J. O. U. A. M.

Maryland Conference.

The annual session of the Maryland Conference began in St. John's Church, Baltimore, on Wednesday. Rev. J. M. Sheridan was re-elected president for the third year by a 128 votes out of a possible 154, and Rev. W. S. Phillips was re-elected secretary. The president appointed the various committees to transact the business of the session, and they have been performing their duties faithfully and harmoniously. The president's report was a plain and comprehensive document and laid particular stress upon more money for superannuated and retired ministers. The extension, Rev. P. T. Benson preached the conference sermon. There are rumors of several changes but nothing definite is known.

Covington Assails Inheritance Tax.

The following is from the Baltimore Evening News of Wednesday: Congressman J. Harry Covington, the new member from Maryland made his maiden speech in the house last Friday. He made an attack on the inheritance tax feature of the Payne tariff bill in an unusually brilliant speech for a new member.

ALABAMA YIELDS TIME. He was allowed only 15 minutes, but at the end of that time was allowed to continue through the courtesy of Congressman Clayton, of Alabama, who yielded time.

Mr. Covington urged an income tax instead of the one on inheritances. "It is generally recognized," he said, "as legitimate for the individual States to tax inheritances as their own source of revenue. On the other hand, it is generally admitted that the income tax is a legitimate one for the Federal Government to impose.

PROMISES BIGGER REVENUE. "If the Payne Bill is willing to risk a tax on inheritances that would bring in only \$20,000,000, why not risk a tax on incomes that would, it is estimated, bring in a revenue of \$80,000,000?"

"This would be better, in view of the widespread opinion that the Supreme Court would not render the same decision as it did several years ago when the same question was put up to it. In other words, the belief is general that the Supreme Court would now declare an income tax constitutional."

When would Congressman Jackson have made a speech like that? Never.

OBITUARY.

MRS. CELENO V. NEWMAN.

Mrs. Celeno V. Newman, widow of the late Thos. A. Newman, died suddenly at her apartments in the Loud House on Wednesday night of heart failure. Mrs. Newman returned from Atlantic City on the evening train and went in the Hotel Imperial back to that hotel to ask Mrs. Lambert to come to see her in the evening and to ask for a drink of water. Her niece, Mrs. Frank E. Hines, who accompanied her on the trip to and from Atlantic City, asked Mrs. Hicks, the proprietress of the Loud House to care for her aunt while she went to her home, and when Mrs. Newman sitting in her bed gasping for breath. Mrs. Hicks hastily summoned Dr. Hines, but before he arrived Mrs. Newman had died. The deceased was one of the most prominent women in our county. She was before marriage a Miss Jessup, her home being in Broad Neck. A number of years ago she married Mr. Newman and went to live in Georgetown, D. C. A more devoted wife never lived than Mrs. Newman. Her greatest pleasure was the comfort and welfare of her husband.

After his decease, Mrs. Newman had made her home in Chestertown. She was an active member of the Methodist Protestant Church, and was devoted to the interests of the community. She was a woman of genial and of a large heart, and no one was more deeply interested in the moral and religious welfare of her community than Mrs. Newman. We knew her intimately and we esteemed her friendship much. She will be greatly missed by those whom she had befriended. She leaves a number of relatives in this county and in Baltimore and Philadelphia. The Misses Jessup, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Frank B. Hines, of Chestertown, are nieces, and Mrs. McClintock, of Philadelphia, is a sister. Mr. Charles Jessup and family of Broad Neck are also relatives. Funeral services were held in Christ M. P. Church at twelve o'clock yesterday, conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little. Interment was made in St. Paul's cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. George Beck, Walter Strong, Wm. B. Usilton, Jr., J. H. Nichols, Thomas A. Murry, Esq., of Baltimore, and S. Scott Beck, Undertaker Charles L. Dodd had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MRS. SARAH A. WADDELL.

Mrs. Sarah A. Waddell, widow of the late Thomas Waddell, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. B. T. Rust, Chestertown, last Saturday morning, aged 81 years. She had been confined to her bed for two years. She leaves three sons and one daughter, viz: Thomas H., of Talbot county; Wm. H., Albert, B. and Mrs. B. T. Rust, of Chestertown. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. F. T. Little. During the services several selections were sung by Mr. and Mrs. Hyde Thompson, Miss Clara and Mr. Fred G. Usilton. The pall-bearers were Messrs. M. A. Toulson, A. Crawford, Charles S. Smith, Thomas V. Simpson, J. Hyde Thompson and Fred G. Usilton. The interment was in Chester cemetery. Undertaker J. E. Ferguson in charge.

MRS. LYDIA COX.

Mrs. Lydia Cox died April 2nd at the home of her son, Mr. John Cox, in Queen Annes county, aged 90 years. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon; interment in Galena cemetery. Undertaker W. T. Hicks had charge of arrangements.

MRS. ELIZABETH COLEMAN.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, 98 years old, one of the oldest women in this section of country, was buried at Crumpton on Saturday. She leaves 60 grandchildren and as many great grandchildren.

The Wilmington Every Evening of Monday contained the following death notice: "LEWIS—In this city on April 2, 1909, Wm. H. Lewis, aged 69 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, No. 422 Chestnut street, South Wilmington, on Monday evening, April 5, at 7 o'clock. Interment at Double Creek Reform M. E. church yard, near Wilmington Md., on arrival of train leaving Wilmington Tuesday morning, April 6, at 8:30 with-out further notice.

Mr. J. Hall Denny and wife, had a narrow escape from serious injury while returning from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Usilton on Sunday evening. Mr. Denny's horse got frightened at a stump along the roadside near Mr. Frank Crow's gate and bolted into a big gully. Mr. and Mrs. Denny were thrown against the dash-board, but were uninjured. The horse kicked the single-tree loose, and broke a piece of the harness. There is a bad gully in the road out there that needs attention.

Fine Anniversary.

The thirty-seventh anniversary of the Juvenile Home Missionary Society of Christ M. P. Church was held last Sunday evening. A large audience was present and enjoyed the following very excellent and impressive programme arranged by the Superintendent with Misses Nettie Russell, Fannie Baker, Clara Usilton and Addie Hurlock as assistants:

- 1. OVERTURE. Orchestra
2. CHORUS, "Song of Triumph." School
3. RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE. Miss Hope Snavington and School
4. PRAYER. Pastor, Rev. Dr. F. T. Little
5. CHORUS, "The Morning Star." School
6. PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS. Mr. Joseph N. Wheatley, Jr.
7. CHORUS, "Easter Lilies." School
8. SYMBOLOGISM. School

THE CROSS TRANSFORMED

- 1. It's Shame—Death.
2. It's Glory—Life.
3. The Cross is a crucifix and a shield.
4. The Glory, the Garden With Flowers, Birds and Human Cross.
5. CHORUS, "Crown Him Conqueror." School
6. REPORTS OF CLASSES FOR THE YEAR AND AWARD OF PREMIUMS. W. B. Usilton
7. CHORUS, "Rejoice in the Lord." School
8. NOTICES AND BENEDICTION. Pastor

Great interest, as usual, centered in the reports of the classes for the night as well as for the year. The evening's report was in keeping with the efforts of the classes every year to have a creditable showing, and the friendly contests engendered among the various classes secured the splendid total collection for the evening of more than \$191. The three highest classes for the evening were:

- Miss Clara Usilton \$22.11
Miss Maude Dayer 22.00
Miss Addie Hurlock 22.00
Miss Mayme Thompson 21.46

Prof. A. S. Nielson, of the college faculty, awarded the banner to the highest class in an appropriate speech. The total collection for the year was \$461.80—a magnificent effort. The three highest classes for the year were:

- Miss Clara Usilton \$85.20
Miss Maude Dayer 82.00
Mr. Fred G. Usilton 47.00

These classes were awarded handsome prizes by the superintendent. The class that should have received at least honorable mention for its splendid collection was the infant class. These little boys and girls, without any teas or lunch socials, contributed in pennies, etc., for the evening more than \$11, and the total amount of their collection for the year was over \$29. This was able to do showing for the little fellows who were just as proud of their pennies as other classes were of their dollars, and in view of the method by which the amount was raised, it was a grand effort. Another important feature of the programme was the music. Beautiful Easter carols were rendered under the direction of Miss Eva Hurlock with the following orchestra: Cornets, Messrs. Joseph Conine and Arthur Bacon; clarinet, Mr. J. Hyde Thompson; violin, Walter Strong; organist, Miss Clara Usilton. The occasion was a delightful one, and the exercises were very enjoyable.

ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS.

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Mrs. Brownley, of Baltimore, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. R. Pippin, at Hotel M. M. and Mrs. Pippin will leave for their new duties as managers of Hecht's hotel, Havre de Grace, on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Mumford take charge of the Pippin Hotel to-day.

Mr. Walter Simmons is spending Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Jackson in Havre de Grace. Miss Nettie R. Smith, of White Hall farm, near town, is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Baltimore. Mrs. M. J. Knight, of the youngest of near Barboursville, in Washington, who fell some time ago, breaking her limb, met with another accident recently. She had partially recovered from her first accident and was able to hobble around by the aid of a crutch, when she fell again breaking her arm near the shoulder.

Miss Miriam Hubbard is at home from Cathedral school, Washington, D. C., for the Easter holidays and is entertaining a house party of her classmates, all members of the graduating class as follows: Misses Varina Palmer, Pontiac, Michigan, Ellen Bond and Katurine Castner, Louisville, Ky., and Emily Holt, Charlotte, N. C. Hubbard's father, Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard, charted a large touring car, with chauffeur, during the week, and the young ladies have seen much of the beautiful country of Kent and adjoining counties. They will leave for their school duties next Wednesday.

A little bride wished bride and groom as a young couple rode through Chestertown and Sudlersville on their way to a wedding anniversary in the state of Delaware last Saturday.

Mr. Wm. B. Usilton and daughter, Miss Clara, have been visiting his son, Dr. M. Earle Usilton, in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Mary Miller is at home from the Maryland Institute, Baltimore, for the Easter holidays.

Mrs. I. Fred Stevens, of Barclay, Queen Annes County, is visiting Mrs. Harry E. Graham, on Queen Street.

Miss Mary Wilmer, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. T. Little at Christ M. P. parsonage.

Mr. Preston Fiddis, of Baltimore, was in Chestertown yesterday on business.

Dr. and Mrs. James Roy Mico, of Washington College, are spending the Easter holidays with his sister, Mrs. Nicholson, in Virginia.

Memorial to Mrs. Alice B. Martin.

A fine new bell will be hung in the tower of Emmanuel Church next week, a memorial to Mrs. Martin. The bell has cast upon it Mrs. Martin's name and the date of her death; it will be rung for the first time on Sunday morning, April 25th, for the early services at 7:30; the anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Martin's wedding, on Wednesday, April 14, at 3 p. m. There will be a short service of benediction, conducted by the Rev. Douglass Hoof, immediately before the bell is raised to this service all are cordially invited.

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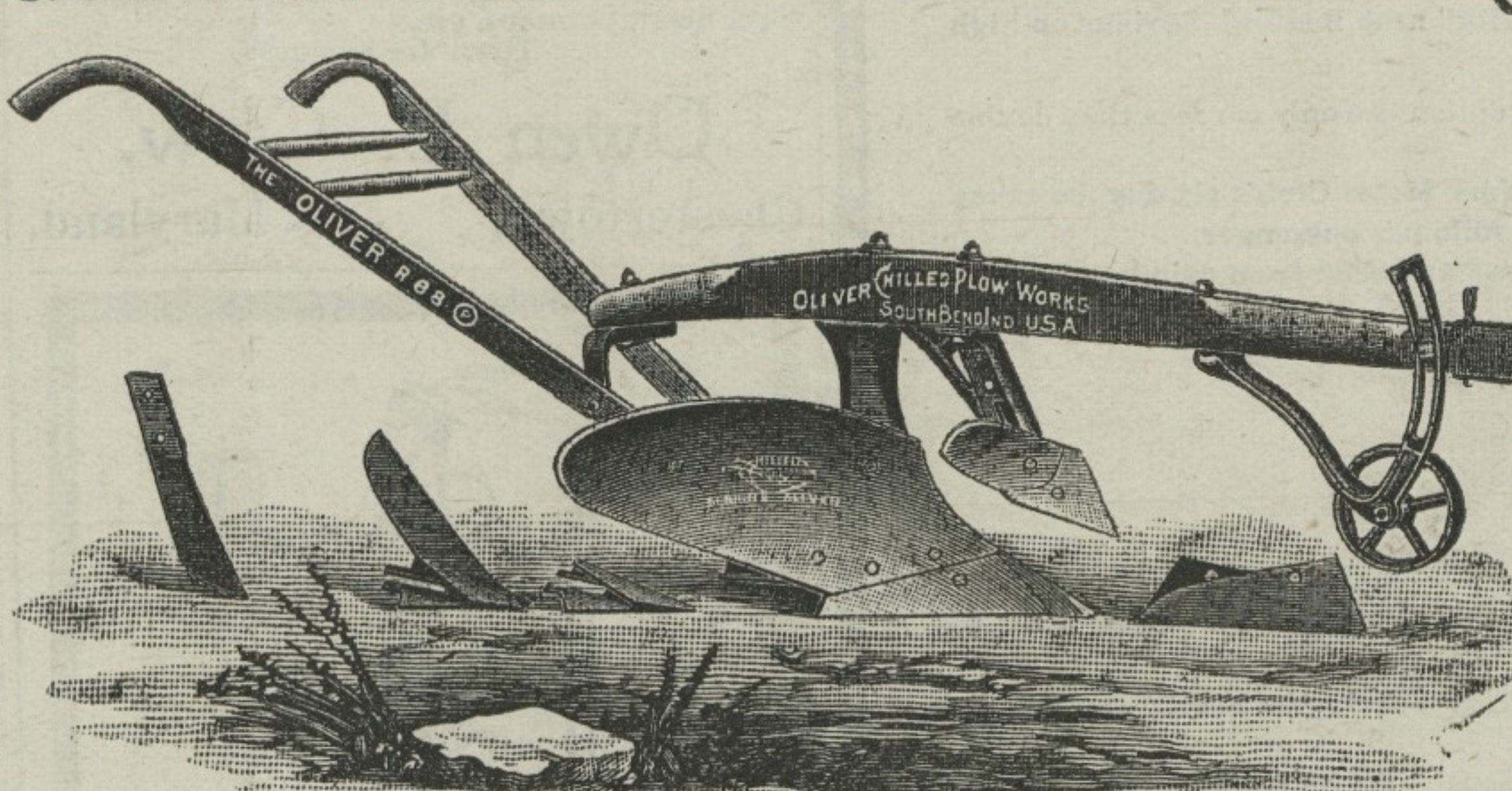
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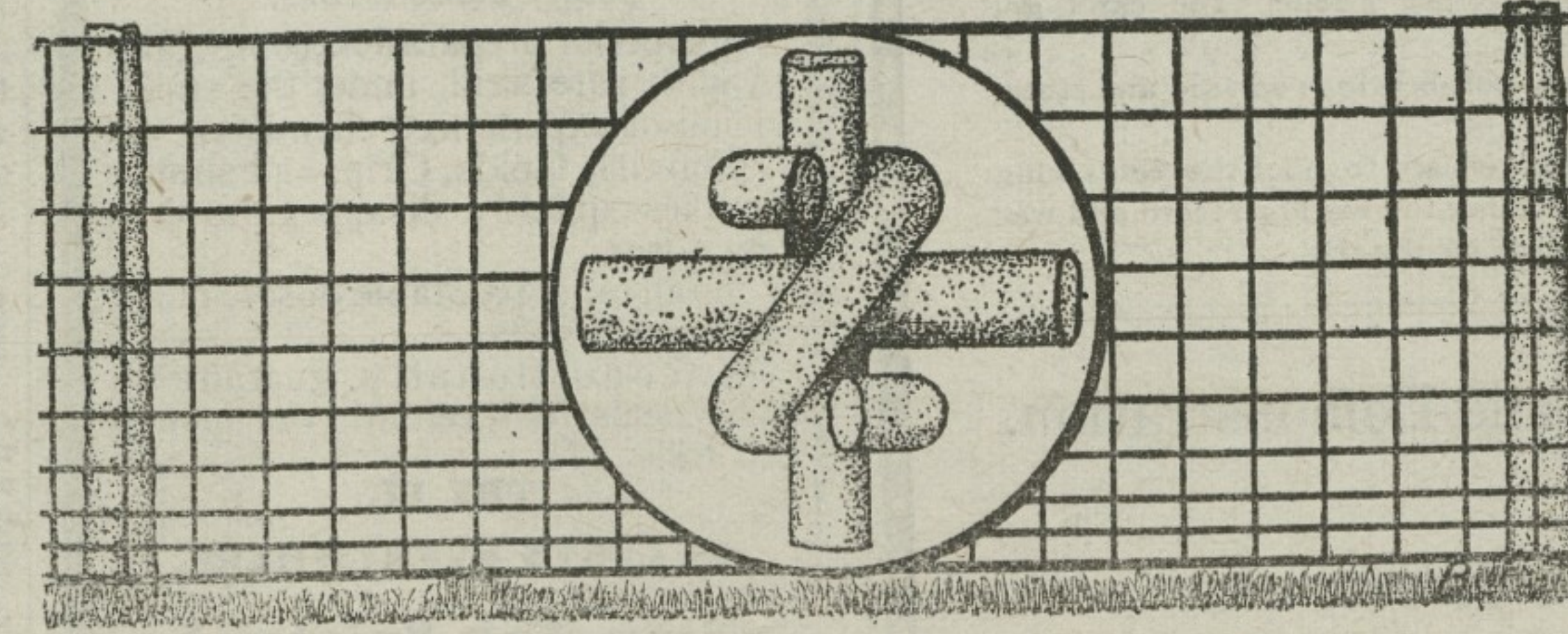
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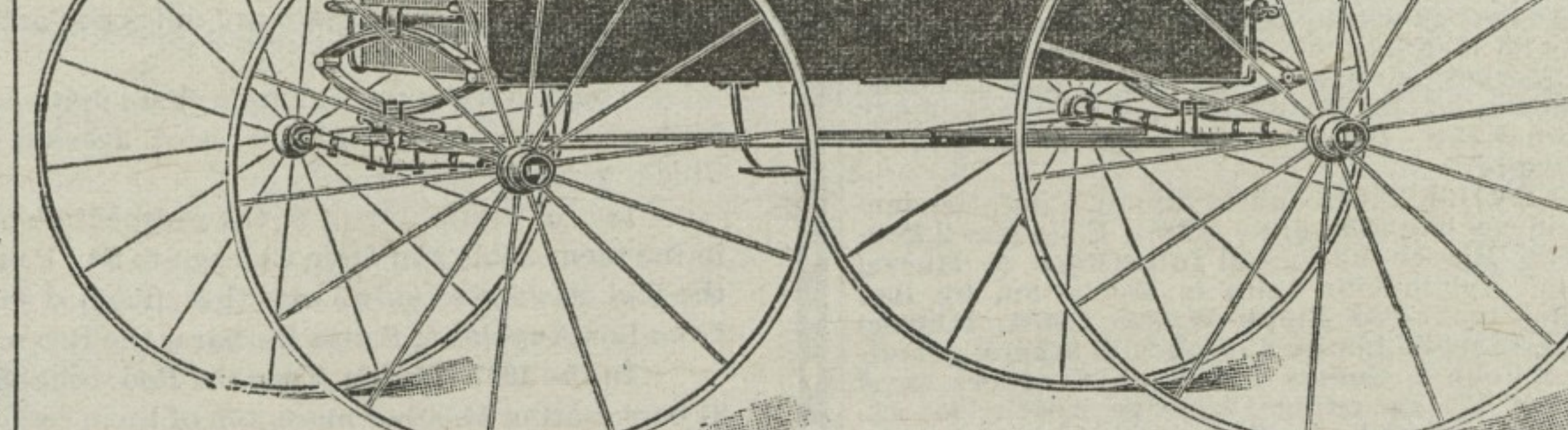
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1 Bbl Best in the World Flour..... 6.00
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9 Boxes Oil Sardines..... 25c
1 lb Clear Starch..... 25c
4 lb packages Currants..... 25c
1 lb Cans Best Tomatoes..... 25c
4 lb Cans Shoe Peg Corn..... 25c
cans Manna Milk..... 25c
cans Rabbit's Eye..... 25c
3 boxes Oat Meal..... 25c
1 lb boxes Scotch Snuff..... 25c
6 boxes Snow Roy..... 25c
7 boxes Sea Gull Baking Powder..... 25c
Early Bird or Schnapps Tobacco..... 25c
What Knox or Jane Tobacco..... 25c
Kite and G. alone..... 25c
R. T. K. Che-wing Tobacco..... 25c
45c Tobacco..... 25c
3 package Garden Soda..... 25c
1 dozen Clothes Line..... 25c
3 packages Arm & Hammer Soda..... 25c
1 dozen Clothes Pins..... 25c
10 lb Bottle Olives..... 25c
1 qt Cornfield Beans..... 25c
6 Bars Sweet Soap..... 25c
12c Egg Producer..... 25c
3 Boxes Writing Paper..... 25c
1 dozen Sheets Writing Paper..... 25c
2 boxes Korm King..... 25c
2 lb boxes Grand Coconut..... 25c
2 lb Ginger Snaps..... 25c
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