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EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to the nations' greatest men and the estimate of journals of international fame, the course of the government of the United States in the Mexican matter has inspired the admiration of mankind in every country. The acceptance, says Governor Dunne, of Illinois, bv this great and powerful country of the offer of mediation tendered by our sister republics in South America, "when we have the weak, distracted and war-torn Mexican nation practically under our heel, is one of the most magnanimous exhibitions of diplomatic generosity the world has ever seen. No one doubts that we could crush Mexico like an egg shell if we saw fit so to do. The strong can afford to be generous. The acceptance of mediation will tend to avert a one-sided war, but redounds to the glory and generosity of a great, and peace-loving nation. It marks in history the beginning of the end of war, the commencement of disarmament and the inauguration of arbitrament among the nations of the earth. All honor to the peace-loving President of the United States and his great Secretary of State!"

Mr. L. J. Brooks, a very thoughtful writer in the Progressive Farmer, says a republic is impossible except with a homogeneous people, and a homogeneous people is impossible with mixed races. Mixed nationalities of the same race will blend and make a composite and homogenous citizenship. But distinct races, marked by nature with such distinct differences as the negro and the white, the yellow and the white, will never make an ideal society or furnish the material for a permanent and progressive democracy. Between the distinct races an impossible gulf is fixed. The South knows it well, California proves it again, and the race-mixed countries of San Domingo and Mexico are two of many examples that show beyond question the truth. It is a pity this had not dawned upon the world at an earlier age.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt during his journey through the unexplored regions of Brazil, discovered a tribe of savages hitherto unknown. The tribesmen, who were named Pauhates, were completely unclothed. The Ex-President and party had many interesting experiences. The expedition explored and traced the course of the River Gypirana, a tributary of the Mederia. The captain declares that in the accident on the Gypirana, March 13, when one of the boats capsized, only the baggage was lost. The sketches made by the party floated and were saved. When Col. Roosevelt returns he will likely write of his explorations in the heart of the vast wilds of South America in which he has traveled for months.

As we have before noted there will be a general registration this year, and there is work ahead to get out a full registration. This work was performed in 1896, and since that time there have been complete transcripts made in new books. Two years ago there was such a transcript made. It did not seem necessary to have a new registration, and a bill was passed postponing it, but the Governor thought differently, and he did not approve the bill. The trouble involved in a general registration is considerable. It makes it necessary that every voter go to the place of registration.

Under the new Garrett county law submitting the question whether there shall be licenses issued in that county to sell liquor, it is provided that if the county should go "wet" the liquor dealers will have to give bond for damages to dependent families when they sell liquor to drunkards. In other words, should a man get intoxicated, fall down and break his neck the wife or children could recover damages in court, and if the saloonkeeper had no property the money could be recovered from the bondsmen.

The United States and its possessions is now a country of 109,000,000 people. Maryland has a population of 1,341,075 and Baltimore today can boast of 579,590 inhabitants, according to estimates of population for 1914 which were given out recently by the Census Bureau.

The census figures are estimates only. They represent the growth in population since the 1910 census was taken. According to these estimates, Maryland has gained 45,728 in population and Baltimore 21,105.

A large New York clothing firm has the following advertisement:

Customers will find a saving anywhere from $2 to $5 on practically all our suits and overcoats of imported woolens. This, roughly, is the difference the tariff made—the labor cost is, of course, unchanged.

Buyers of clothing will be likely to remember such benefits and place the credit where credit is due.

When will our people appreciate the value of the split log drag? When will they quit thinking they can have passable highways only by spending thousands of dollars for surfaced roads, and that if a county cannot afford these, its people must pull along through mud and ruts till Gabriel blows his born. When will the split log drag became in general use after every big rain as it should be?—Ex.

Mr. Edward C. Carrington, a former leader of the Bull Moose, has been appointed one of the Board of Examiners of Public Accounts. The astute Republican Governor knows how to dehorn dangerous Moose.

Very quickly the Americans are leaving Mexico, at the instance of this government. They are better off and safer on this side of the Rio Grande, until the dictator subsides.

Miscellaneous Matters.

Ruts are the bane of country roads and one farmer has experimented until he has found a way to eliminate them. The idea is simply to fill the ruts of a prairie wagon road with concrete. The filling should be 4 or 5 inches thick and about 8 inches wide on top, the surface being hollowed out about 1½ inches for vehicle wheels. It is easy to drive over, as the wheels follow the tracks "with first intent," and four years' wear on the experimental roads built by the originator shows no wear or corrosion. The cost is given as 10 cents per lineal foot—$528 a mile—and the roads are not only free driving in wet weather, but are almost dustless in dry condition.

The Baltimore Sun deplores the introduction of partisan politics into our road matters and says: "Much as everybody likes Tom Parran, the fact remains that he is a politician of the old sort. He plays the game of spoils politics in the old way. He is expert at that kind of manipulation which results in his friends getting political jobs—and the State suffering in consequence. It is hardly conceivable that he could be on the Roads Commission without attempting to control the patronage at its disposal. And that would be disastrous."

The strawberry is the first fruit of the season. It can be grown on every farm but how many homes are short on this most delicious fruit. Now is the season for beginning. Just as soon as you have read this article go out and locate a place for a stawberry bed for home use at least, and be sure you make it large enough and do not locate it far from the house; first because it is likely to be neglected, and secondly so that it will be handy for gathering the fruit.

"Tony" Batson, colored, wanted on 11 charges of selling whiskey in the vicinity of Seaford, was captured near Cambridge Wednesday, after a desperate struggle by Sheriff Matthews, of Dorchester county. He was brought to the Delaware line by the Maryland officers and turned over to County Constable Steen, who took him to Georgetown jail. Batson was sought several weeks ago on various charges of bootlegging. "Tony" occasionally put in appearance around Federalsburg.

Mrs. Benjamin Steward, Whitleysburg, still has the same setting of yeast that she started with when she was first married, 32 years ago. Mrs. Steward received the yeast from her husband's mother soon after she was married and has used it ever since and has never run out of the same yeast or ever gotten any elsewhere, and she is known as being one of the finest bread bakers in the county. The bread is very light and sweet and perfectly delicious.

The best site for a poultry house in any location is one where good water and air drainage are available. The floor and yards will then be dry. The house should not occupy a low hollow in which cold air settles. Wherever possible a southern or southeastern exposure should be selected, although this is not essential if there is any good reason for facing the house in a different direction.

There will be a concrete road from Salisbury to Ocean City completed before the end of the present year. There will of course be much automobile traffic to the Maryland seaside next year, over the pike.

An unknown automobilist, who ran into a carriage driven by Thomas H. Wilson, near Milton, and smashed a wheel, stopped and handed Wilson $25 for his damage.

Cardinal Gibbons again declares in a public letter that the principle of local option is an American principle and hopes that Charles county will ban saloons.

Where Fishing Industry is Destroyed.

Authorities have long ago learned that the reason why shad have become scarce in Choptank and other rivers is due to the fact that the species are so generally shut off from their hatching grounds in the upper waters of the rivers. Congressman Linthicum and other public spirited men at Washington are trying to have the government take a hand in saving the fishing industry. One of the sections where great damage is done is at the mouth of the Choptank. Says the Easton Gazette:

"The fish are now entering the bay in vast schools headed for fresh waters. The mouth of the Choptank river is guarded by Sharp's Island, which with Blackwalnut Point at lower end of Tilghmans and Cook Point on the Dorchester side, an equilateral triangle is formed with sides 4½ miles, but once cutting this triangle either toward the bay or river one enters immediately into broad water again.

"Within this coveted spot lies the harvest of fish. Their capture depends upon the certainty of the pound nets which are permitted to be set there. These are from thirty-five to forty feet square and cannot be placed in water deeper than 22 feet, by law. The poles which support these nets are as much as sixty feet long. The largest number of shad ever caught at one time in these pounds was reported a few years ago as being 2,600 in one pound." The catching of shad in such vast numbers by the nets stretching across and hedging the river mouths means the destruction of the industry.

Death of Capt. Edward Hubbert.

Capt. Edward Hubbert, aged about 78 years, died in Federalsburg on Tuesday last. The funeral was held at Zion M. P. Church on Thursday afternoon and interment took place at the cemetery adjacent. Mr. Hubbert, who until about a week before his death had resided in Dorchester county, about 3½ miles from Preston, was a very well known citizen, and had numerous friends in both counties. He was years ago a prominent figure in Democratic politics. He was twice married. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Luther Nichols, and one son, Mr. Olin Hubbert.

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Obituary.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, Susie Trice, who departed this life three weeks ago today.

Mother, I'm so sad, so lonely,
Since you've gone away
All our hearts are weary, dreary,
No matter what kind friends may say.
Oh, the memory of that evening
As I stood with breaking heart,
Watching the one I loved most dearly
Lingering ere she would depart.

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Afar in yonder sky
She finds her home,
Awaits in realms of light
Loved ones to come.

MAUDE TRICE.

April 17, 1914.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear brother, Robert G. Stewart, who died May 3d, 1913.

I shall meet him some bright morning,
Resting by the waters fair;
He is waiting for my coming,
In the upper garden there.

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One year ago we laid you to rest,
And folded your cold hands upon your breast.
In silence you suffered,
In patience you bore,
Until God called you home
To suffer no more.

SISTER.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mahala J. Reed, who departed this life two weeks ago, April 15, 1914, aged 74 years, 4 days.

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon that God had given,
And though the body moulders here,
The soul is safe in Heaven.

No night of sorrow, none of pain,
But perfect peace and rest;
Redeemed and saved she sweetly rests
Upon her Saviour's breast.

She is gone but not forgotten,
And her smiles we sadly miss;
Still we hope to meet her by and by
In that glorious home on high.

—By Her Children.

Smithville.

The question for debate to be given Saturday evening by the young men is "Resolved that money has more influence over man than woman." Several readings will be rendered, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Bessye Lyden spent the week-end with Miss Glenna Wright, of near Bridgeville, Del.

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Wm. J. Hubbard, Tuesday afternoon.

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Yours truly,
THE JOURNAL.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber, of Caroline county, has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Caroline county, in Maryland, letters testamentary on the personal estate of

VICTOREEN R. EVERETT,

late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 24th day of November, 1914, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 28th day of April, 1914.

AMOS EVERETT,
Executor of Victoreen R. Everett, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscribers, of Caroline county, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Caroline county, in Maryland, letters of administration on the personal estate of

FRANCIS S. TODD,

late of Caroline county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are warned to exhibit the same to the subscribers, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, on or before the 3rd day of November, 1914, or they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 7th day of April, 1914.

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The undersigned as trustee of Frederic N. Nichols, under a deed of trust dated April 1, 1914, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder in front of the Court House door in the town of Denton, Maryland, on

Tuesday, May 26, 1914

between the hours of two and four o'clock p. m., the following described real estate:

(1) All that lot situate on the south side of Market street in the town of Denton, Maryland, having a frontage of 76 feet and running back a depth of 186 feet.

The improvements consist of a

2 1-2 Story 12-Room Dwelling,

with basement, heat, electric lights and bath; office, garage and stable built of fine material, with cement floor in garage, all lighted by electricity.

This is a modern dwelling, situate in the center of the town and is considered one of the most desirable residences in Denton. There is a ten-foot right of way running from Franklin street into this property.

(2) All that lot having a frontage of 75 feet and 4 inches on Franklin or Low street in the town of Denton, and running back a depth of 114 feet.

The improvements consist of a

Seven-room Dwelling

and storehouse, 16x24; stable, smokehouse and other outbuildings. A small ice cream house on this property is reserved. There is a ten-foot right of way laid down on the side of said property.

(3) All that lot situate on the west side of Fifth street in the town of Denton, having a frontage of 55 feet and running back with the O. Hutchins property 87 feet to a fifteen-foot alley and known as the Fluharty property.

The improvements consist of an

Eight-room Dwelling

wood house and other outbuidings, all in excellent repair.

(4) All that lot having a frontage of 57 feet on the north side of Lincoln or Dry street and running back a depth of 92 feet, known as the Fawn property.

The improvements consist of a

Small Dwelling

and stable, in good repair.

(5) All that lot having a frontage of 30 feet on Fifth street and running back a depth of 105 feet, known as the William Myers property.

The improvements consist of a

Four-room Dwelling.

(6) All that lot having a frontage of 63 feet on Fountain avenue in the town of Denton, and designated as Lot No. 50 on plat made by William D. Uhler of Fountain's Addition to Denton.

There are no improvements on this property.

(7) All that lot having a frontage of 50 feet on Fountain avenue in the town of Denton, and designated on the above plat as Lot No. 51.

There are no improvements on this property.

(8) All that lot having a frontage of 50 feet on Fountain avenue and designated on the above plat as Lot No. 52.

There are no improvements on this property.

Immediate possession will be given of parcels numbered 1, 6, 7 and 8. Landlord's possession will be given of parcels numbered 2, 3, 4 and 5; purchaser will take rents from day of sale.

TERMS OF SALE

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A reasonable loan can be obtained on any of the described properties by applying to HARVEY L. COOPER, Denton, Maryland.

The Johns Hopkins University.

STATE SCHOLARSHIPS IN ENGINEERING COURSES.

Application for scholarships in the Department of Engineering established in The Johns Hopkins University under the provisions of the laws of Maryland, Chapter 90, 1912, should now be made.

Entrance examinations for all students will be held in McCoy Hall, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, June 2--5, and September 22--25, 1914, beginning at 9 a. m. Applicants for scholarships are urged to take the examinations in June.

If there is more than one applicant for a particular scholarship a competitive examination will be held at the University on the day following the September entrance examinations.

Each County of the State and each Legislative District of Baltimore City will be entitled to one or more scholarships for the year 1914-15, in addition to those which have already been filled. There will also be vacancies in the scholarships awarded to the graduates of Loyola College, Maryland Agricultural College, Mount St. Mary's College, Rock Hill College, St. John's College, Washington College and Western Maryland College, and in the scholarships "At Large," which may be filled in October, 1914.

Applicants should address the Registrar, The Johns Hopkins University, for blank form of application and for further information as to the examinations, award of scholarships, and courses of instruction. m2d

J. H. C. LEGG,
Attorney-at- Law,
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