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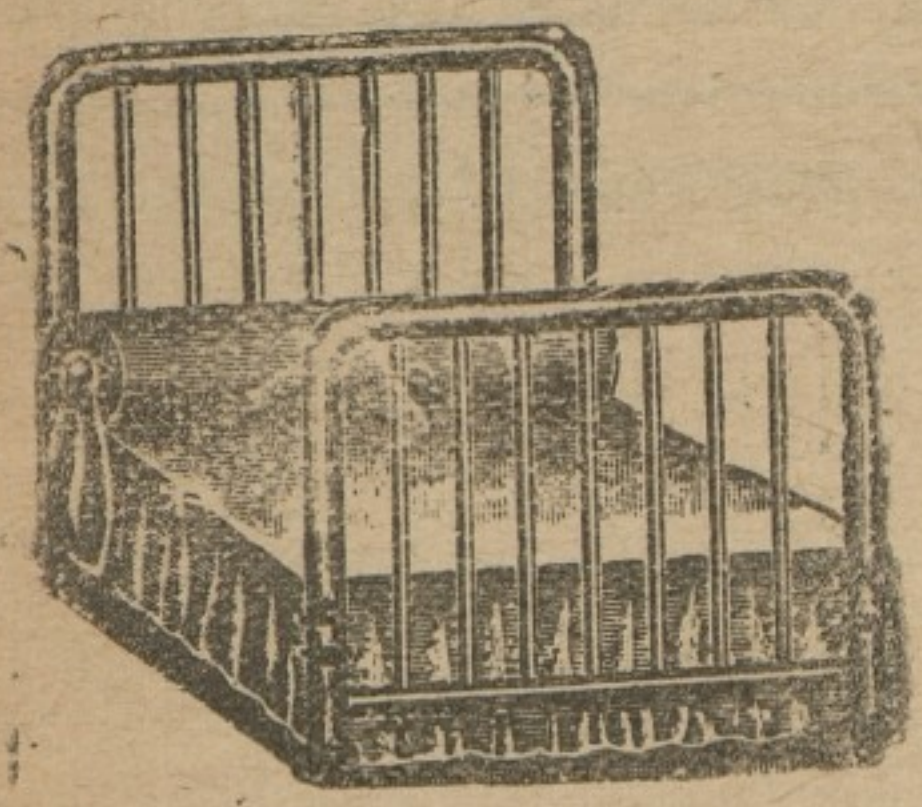


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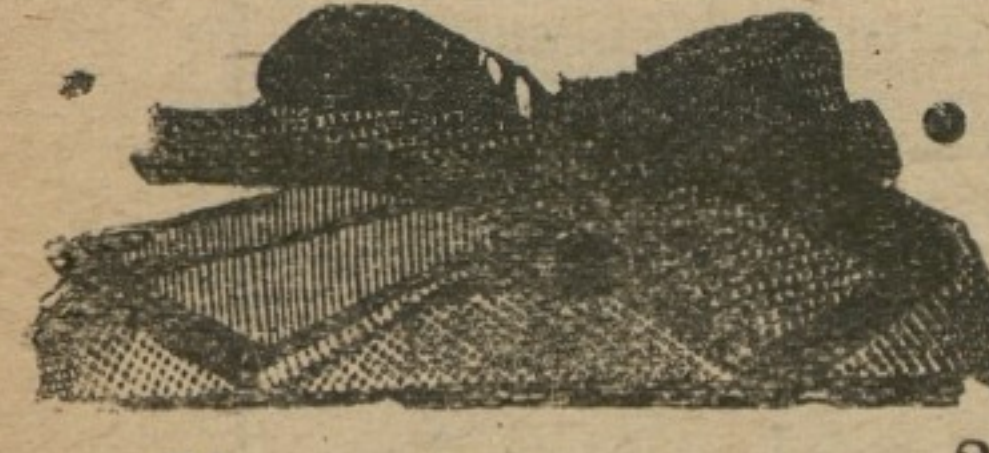
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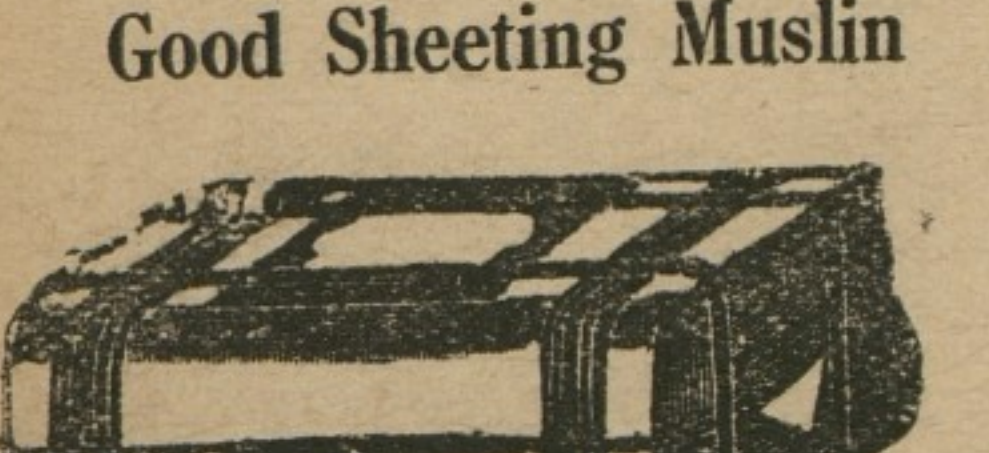
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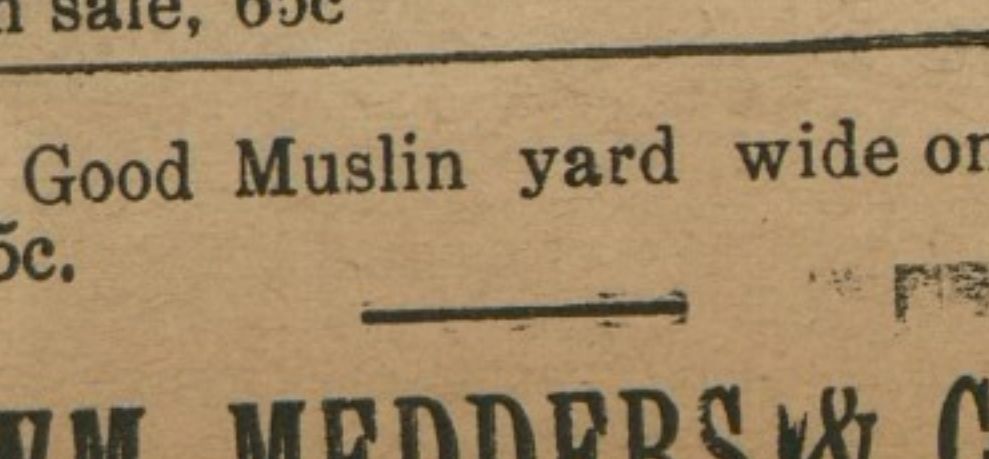
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News From County Towns

MILLINGTON

Olson Bamberger of Philadelphia, was the guest last Sunday of relatives in town. William Benton, of Eddystone, Pa., visited his parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes, near town this week.

Mrs. May P. Howard and little granddaughter, Jeanette Dize, of Easton, spent a few days this week with her daughter, Mrs. George F. Newton, at the parsonage.

Mrs. Eva C. Sykes returned home last Saturday after spending a few weeks with friends in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bamberger, of near Church Hill, and Mrs. West and family, of near Sudlersville, were guests last Sunday of the former's mother, Mrs. Maria Bamberger.

Mrs. William Jarman, of Crumpton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Robinson, last week.

Mrs. John G. Moore spent the past ten days with her daughter, Mrs. Hurlock Gale, near Blacks.

Mrs. S. S. Comegys returned home last Sunday after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. L. Carroll Clark, of Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Numbers and daughter, Miss Helen, were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. DeFord, near Lankford.

Mrs. Fannie Harrington, of Bear, Del., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Wilson.

Franklin Stevens, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Stevens, near town.

Mrs. Merritt Brice, Miss Edna Strong, Miss Susie Jones and William Vansant, accompanied by Miss May Butler, of Elkton, motored to Stevensville last Sunday and spent the day.

Lewis Melvin returned last Tuesday to his home in Baltimore after spending several days with his sister, Mrs. John B. Phillips.

The people of Millington will hold a Fair June 30 to July 7 inclusive, for the benefit of the newly organized Fire Department.

Mrs. John H. Woodall and two children, Margaret and Reynolds, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Woodall.

W. F. Spayd and daughter, of Lebanon, Pa., spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens.

Mrs. F. H. Thompson and little son, Frank Howard, Jr., of Annapolis, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Lucy Spear, of Brooklyn, Md., are visiting the latter's brother, C. M. Hurt.

Mrs. John Coleman, of Wilmington, was the guest last Wednesday of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Hurt.

Mrs. Edward Vansant, of Marcus Hook, Pa., spent this week with her mother, Mrs. Emory Everett, near town.

GALENA

The Ladies' Aid Society met at the Chapel on Tuesday evening. A large company was present and a splendid social time was enjoyed after the regular business meeting.

Quite a number attended the Sunday School Convention held at Centerville on Sunday.

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STILL POND

Carlton Thompson and family, of Philadelphia, visited his mother, Mrs. Emma Thompson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bowers, Miss Manie Norris and Charles Norris spent Wednesday of this week in Wilmington.

Mrs. L. B. Harper spent this week with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Bennett, in Chestertown.

Mrs. Paul Giddons and Mrs. Crane, of Baltimore, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Jewell, last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. B. Harper at 2:30 p. m. Remember the drive for members, both new and old.

Tomorrow being missionary Sunday there will be a missionary program in the Sunday school.

The Pomona Grange which met here on last Saturday was well attended.

KENNEDYVILLE

Miss Marian Pennington spent several days with her mother, Mrs. E. B. Pennington.

A very interesting Arbor Day exercise was given by the school children last Friday afternoon. Rev. B. Staats presented them with a new bible in behalf of the Junior Order of American Mechanics, which was presided by all.

Presbyterian Church service this Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. B. Staats, pastor.

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GRANGE NOTES

Kennedyville Grange met Monday evening with a good attendance. The new officers were installed, new business is being taken up. Members wake up and come out and hear what is being done and get interested. Do not forget we meet every Monday night.

There are 10,322 farmers in Kent whose valuation is estimated at \$16,000 per farm including equipment.

Locals

Capt. Lum Ashley, of Piney Neck, and Edward Emory, of Quaker Neck, were among the first shippers of asparagus Monday. The Chestertown market was supplied with it and buyers were paying 40 and 50 cents per bunch.

The annual convention of the Md. League of Women Voters will be held in Southern Hotel, Baltimore, May 3 and 4. In order that a report may be heard from the convention the Chestertown League will not meet until May 9.

W. H. Glen's flock of chickens are keeping up their record-breaking laying. He got 300 eggs from 25 hens up to Monday for month of April.

The Walkins Remedy Co. have em more last week and will turn out to Monday for month of April.

W. L. Fowler's force of painters are beautifying the homes of T. D. Bowers, Thomas J. Davis and W. R. Elwood Baker is giving A. E. Culver's residence on Queen street a new dress of paint.

Mrs. J. J. Scoon, of Rock Hall, shipped 12 spring chickens to Baltimore last week and received over \$3 for them. They weighed 1 1/4 pounds each.

Foxes are playing havoc with game in Kent. In one locality nine rabbit carcasses were found and a number of muskrats. Seven small foxes were dug out of a den in the same locality and killed. There are several old foxes in the neighborhood.

Seventy-eight licenses to operate automobiles were given in Chestertown on Thursday last by Officer G. H. McCauley of State Auto Commissioner.

An account of Pomona Grange meeting at Still Pond will appear in the News next week.

A meeting of the white teachers of Kent county was held in the Chestertown High School building Friday, May 4th, 1923, beginning at 9:30 a. m. The high school teachers will discuss the Maryland High School Standards recently published in bulletin form by the State Department of Education under the guidance of Miss Mina M. Langville, Supervisor of Schools, the elementary teachers will decide on standards for judging the work that they have done in connection with a Course of Study in Geography. All interested in public school work are cordially invited.

E. P. Rash has another rival in the work of apples - Miss Vessie Bowers, of Worton. She picked some Saunen's Wine Sap apples in October, put them in baskets and hung them in the cellar and when brought to the News they were in fine condition. Mr. Rash, we are sure, did not intend to enter into competition with the ladies.

The Patrons Club of Kennedyville School held their monthly meeting April 4th, in the school building. A literary program was given by the children after which an Easter egg hunt was attended to and suggestions for the egg hunt were given. A tennis court to be placed on the school ground. The next meeting will be Wednesday afternoon, May 24 at 3:30 p. m. when all parents and friends are invited to attend.

Arbor Day was fittingly observed on Friday at which time Rev. B. B. Staats, with a very pleasing address presented the school with a handsome bible from the J. O. U. A. M. Lodge of Chestertown.

The body of the negro man who was drowned several weeks ago at Long Cove was discovered Saturday by Jas. Peters on Walker Kendall's shore. Coroner Dodd was notified but no inquest was necessary as it was taken in charge by Undertaker Thomas H. Casey and buried in Sharpstown cemetery Sunday afternoon. The man's name and friends were unknown.

Since the Queen Anne's Postlry Farm was established several years ago by the Truslows they have received communications in which their name, Truslow, has been spelled 157 name and friends were unknown.

Sentence to be hanged for a crime committed on a 14-year-old county girl near Princess Anne, in January last, George Shelton, colored, aged 21, left the Somerset court house in Princess Anne Tuesday afternoon, which the court prescribed. He will remain in the county jail until the date for his execution has been set by the Governor of Maryland, at which time he will be taken to the State penitentiary, where the execution will be held. All execution cases the levies are to take place at the penitentiary.

The County Commissioners of Queen Anne's county has decided to construct one mile of hard surface highway between Bracley and Templeville. Eventually, it is expected, this road will be continued to Templeville.

W. Raymond Moody has been named assistant secretary of the Business Men's Association of Chestertown and is doing fine work.

G. Herman McCauley, of the State police, took part the past week in discovery and arrest of a murderer. James Parsons was killed by Edward Miles in Salisbury and a few hours Officers McCauley and Handley had worked the case out.

CHURCH NOTES

Fairlee Salem M. E. Church, W. B. Horner, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m., Walter Barnes, superintendent, 11 a. m. preaching by the pastor, subject, "A House Top Vision," 7:30 p. m., "The Faithful Leader," Miss Anna DeFord.

Worton Union M. E. Church, W. B. Horner, pastor. Sunday school 2 p. m., B. F. Rash, superintendent; 3 p. m., preaching by pastor, 7:30 p. m., Epworth League.

Bond Chapel. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., preaching 11 a. m. Sunday school 2:30 p. m., evening song service 7 p. m., preaching 7:30. The Sunday school will be reorganized on Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Wooden and new appointment at Cumberland leaving a large circle of friends whose best wishes go with him. Dr. Trout is "on the job" at Kennedyville.

A reception was given Rev. J. T. Sord and family at the M. E. Church Chestertown, Thursday evening. It was an enjoyable occasion.

A Young People's Christian Endeavor Institute of the M. P. Church was held at Centerville on Sunday last with an afternoon and evening session.

There were large delegations from Chestertown, Kennedyville, St. James and Wesley Chapel.

The Juniors of Christ M. P. Church Chestertown, played an important part at both sessions which was thoroughly enjoyed by the entire institute.

Upon the return to Pocomoke City of Rev. E. L. Bunce from the M. P. Conference his congregation has shown its approval by donating to the popular pastor a brand new Ford sedan. Further material evidence of the value set upon Mr. Bunce's services was shown by a substantial increase in his salary. An additional sum of \$200 was voted which brings his yearly compensation up to \$2600.

James M. E. Church, colored, Rev. L. H. McArthur, pastor. Sunday, April 29th, the pastor will preach at 10:30 a. m., subject "The Faithful Servant," 8 p. m., Dr. T. H. Woodley, District Superintendent, will preach and will hold his first quarterly conference Monday evening. The public is invited to the services.

Christ M. P. Church, Chestertown, N. O. Gibson, minister. Sunday, April 29th. Divine worship 10:30 a. m., subject of sermon "Lit by Sun," Sunday school 2:30 p. m., Intermediate Christian Endeavor 5:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m., divine worship 7:30 p. m., subject of sermon "Is Christianity Dead?" Sir Arthur Conan Doyle says so; "Do you believe it?" Wednesday, May 2, Junior Christian Endeavor 3:30 p. m., prayer and bible study 7:30 p. m.

St. James M. P. Church, Sunday school 10 a. m., Robt. G. Nicholson, superintendent; preaching by the pastor 11 a. m., subject "The Mind of Christ." The Christian Endeavor will hold their first meeting for the season Sunday night at 7:30 and will elect officers for the year.

Lynch M. P. Church. Sunday school at 2 p. m. and preaching by the pastor at 3 p. m.

If sufficient farmers cut asparagus Saturday morning and reach Chestertown before 11 o'clock a. m., we can arrange transportation Saturday afternoon. We would, however, like to hear from farmers on the quantity to be shipped before making arrangements.

We are also looking for bunches of members for the Association. Let us know when you decide to follow the crowd. And watch for the big membership drive beginning May 1st. Get in trim for the big league baseball season lasting only two weeks and try to make one of the teams. Further particulars will be given later.

The second annual Eastern Shore inter-scholastic track and field meet, to be held at Washington College on May 19, is well under way. The committee is making due preparations to care for the contestants while they are guests at the college.

Some Institute held its meet on the same day, but it is thought that the two will not conflict in the least, since Tome draws almost entirely from the territory not covered by the Washington College meet.

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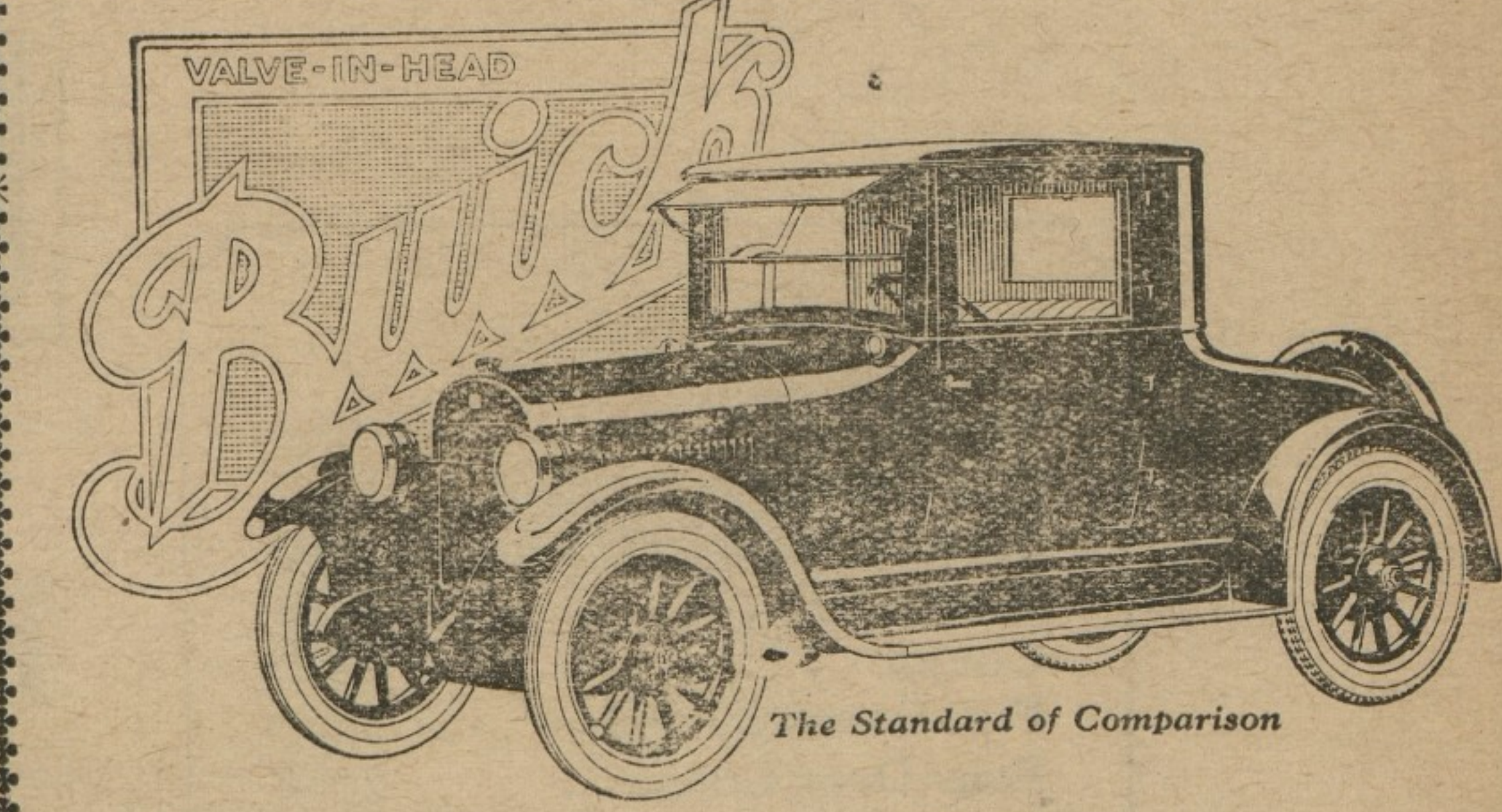
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