

Evening Chat

This is a darn good town; Ain't nobody comes aroun' With eny soft sollicitatin Fer funds to meet a situation O' eny kind, no matter what, But that we're Johnny on the spot And raise the cash to git it by— Us folks in Fairmont here are pie— Where do we git all o' this dough? Don't question me Kid, I dunno.

THE DEACON.

"Long before the white man's foot trod the forests on the western slopes of the Alleghenies the waters of the Monongahela were clear green," says a newly written history of Marion county. Long after the white man's foot trod the forests on the western slope of the Alleghenies the waters of the Monongahela were a dirty yellow.

The approach to Clifton on the street car yesterday looked like that village had a show as well as Fairmont but upon arriving at the station it turned out that nearly every matron of the village had her washing out.

Speaking of shows! The Gentry Bros. did not give a performance in Morgantown Wednesday afternoon because of a storm.

The Gentry parade had two bands and three callopes. Pretty good for a show that does not claim to rival Baltimore. And a Ladies' band with that show did not appear at Fairmont as there were a couple of girls away from the show on account of illness of their mothers!

O. S. McKinney is "unquestionably the ablest" journalist in Marion county what was intended to be said in Wednesday's issue. The types made it read "unquestionably the oldest" which did not convey the compliment in tended.

Some potatoes are in bloom in Fairmont gardens where vegetables are just crowding skyward as though late for an engagement.

Yesterday I slipped away from the feverish activity of the city and the daily grind of work to follow the spirits of the unknown road and to roam beneath the bright sky by the limpid streams of the open country. Without a care or thought for that which lay behind, I let my feet wander as they would until had left the smoke and dirt of the city far behind me and found myself amidst the fertile fields and meadows of the open country with the fragrance of the newly turned earth in my nostrils and the music of the babbling brook and singing birds in my ears.

At a time when the whole world is filled with strife and turmoil, war and the turbulent clamorings of the multitudes, the peace and quiet of the country with its vigorous new life of early summer, its sleek cattle grazing in bovine contentment beside the placid streams, its sturdy farmer laze, following the plow with the unconscious dignity which Mother Nature imparts to the slowly sowing of seed, all this, I say, was very refreshing and I strolled along until at last I came to a grassy, flower strewn knoll in a shaded nook among the trees. There I determined to recline and bask in the pleasant reveries and dreams which by Arcadian surroundings conjured up.

Glancing beneath me as I sat down I perceived a flowerlet lifting its trusting face in mute appeal. Too late! I could not check by descent and in a moment the helpless flower was crushed.

I sprang to my feet, beads of perspiration bedampened my brow and bitter tears filled my eyes. The day, which before had seemed so bright and fair, was now dark and gloomy and the country side, so inviting and peaceful but a scant moment before, now seemed ominous and threatening as I wended by homeward way with halting, uncertain footsteps.

Since then, in penance for my rash act, I have remained unseated. My knees have not been bent in sitting and my food I have taken from the mantle.

Only one ray of sunlight pierces the deep gloom of my despondency; but one thought comes to relieve my agony of soul—the bumble bee on that flower is DEAD!

Marconi Honored By Columbia Uni.



(Copyright Underwood & Underwood) Senator Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of the wireless and member of the Italian commission now in this country, in his robes of Doctor of Science, which degree he received from Columbia University at the commencement exercises.

WOMAN MUNITION WORKERS APPLAUD QUEEN OF ENGLAND



Queen Mary of England has made herself popular with her people by the sacrifices she has made for the success of democracy. The picture proves how much her people like her. Women munition workers of Liverpool are shown applauding the queen as she reviews them.

LOCAL SOCIAL EVENTS

Conaway-Wagner. James Lawrence Conaway, of Barrackville, a Senior in the W. V. U. law school, and Miss Enola Wagner, of Gratton, a graduate of the W. V. U., were united in marriage on Thursday in Morgantown, Rev. W. H. Berry, of the Lutheran church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Conaway will take up their residence at Barrackville.

Attended Missionary Meeting. Mrs. J. C. Ely, of Oakland, Md., secretary of Missionary Education of the West Virginia Synodical Society, was a prominent visitor yesterday at the meeting of the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church which was held at the home of Mrs. F. C. Ewan on Morgantown avenue. The hostesses were Mrs. Ewan, Mrs. Dennis Cotter and Mrs. Ira Alken.

Entertaining Band. The Misses Grace and Eleanor Rowe are entertaining the Stoetzer Mission Band of the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at their home at Baxter.

Entertaining at Tea. Mrs. Charles G. Hood is entertaining at four o'clock tea this afternoon at her home on Benoni avenue.

Musgrave-Smith. Announcements were received in the city yesterday afternoon telling of the marriage of Miss Pauline Musgrave, daughter of Mrs. Nathan Musgrave, of this city, and Mortimer W. Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Smith, of West Main street, which event was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. D. Wilson at Spencer, Va., Wednesday.

Delightful Dance. About one hundred members of the younger dancing set were delightfully entertained last evening at a dance at the Watson hotel at which Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith were host and hostess honoring the latter's sister, Miss Virginia Lee Fleming, a High school graduate of this year's class. Skinner's orchestra rendered a program of splendid dance music and a lunch was served during an intermission.

The guest list included Miss Kathleen Bleakley, of Texas, the guest of Miss Ruth Phillips; Miss Helen Tuttle, of Cambridge, O., the guest of Miss Florence Hawker; Messrs. Rip King, Preston Champ, Steele Trotter, Robt. Brock, of Morgantown; Le Horner, John Kohlegard, of Clarksburg, and Easton Maxon, of Schenectady, N. Y. Town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Waitman H. Conaway, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Stagers, Mr. and Mrs. Bryson Tucker, Misses Maria Haymond, Mary Ellen Henry, Susan Arnett, Martha Hutchinson, Ethel Helmschman, Grace Helm, Florence Kinsey, Edith Hartman, Genevieve Carpenter, Jessie Jacobs, Edna Jacobs, Carol Powell, Florence Cavender, Mona Simon, Nina Simon.

Callie Frey, Mary Talbot, Mary Greer, Kathryn Arnett, Ruth Barnes, Marguerite Barnes, Norma Nieman, Louise Conn, Emma Snyder, Susan Tucker, Louise Hite, Jean McDonough, Messrs. Frank Haymond, Robert Henry, John Windsor, Bernard Arnett, Harold Hutchinson, Brooks Hutchinson, Paul Hutchinson, Pope Jordan, Paul Fleming, George Hough, Will Engle, Charles Shinn, Cecil Riggs, Joe Hartley, Victor Shaw, Lindsay Frame, Dr. W. R. Dougan, Kenna Clark, Arlington Fleming, Edwin Gaskill, Everett Shurtleff, Mason Wood, George Edgar Barrett, Robert Ritchie, Dunlap Brady, Hugh Fox, Sturgis and Flowers.

Swiger-Steaale. George W. Swiger, superintendent of the Y. M. C. A. building, and Mrs. May Ellie Steaale, both of this city, were united in marriage on Thursday in Clarksburg, Rev. W. B. King officiating. They have returned here to reside.

Entertained Class. Mrs. Edward Thompson entertained the helpful class of the First Baptist Sunday school last evening at her home on Cliff avenue. Refreshments were served following a social hour. The guests included Messdames F. R. Clelland, J. O. Whorley, John Lilley, Charles Robertson, E. F. Vangilder, Ira Miller, Mareha Van Gilder, Clara Roop, Emma Michael, the Misses Nina Curry, Clara Snoddy, Eva Thompson, Irene Clelland, Jessie Roop and Kathryn Dietrich.

Moss-Knight Engagement. The engagement of Miss Dana Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Knight, to Walter Moss, of Uniontown, Pa., was announced yesterday at a prettily appointed party at which Miss Ida Orr was hostess at her home on Ridgely avenue. The guests included girl friends of the bride-to-be. Miss Knight is the only daughter of her parents and has been a teacher in the public schools for the last several years. She is a graduate of the High and Normal schools. Mr. Moss is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. They will reside in Uniontown.

A House Party. Miss Mary Oldham, Miss Virginia Vockrodt and Miss Dora Lee Newman went to Morgantown today where they are guests at a house party for commencement week at the home of Prof. and Mrs. P. C. McBee, formerly of this city.

PERSONALS

J. C. Fenhagen, of Baltimore, a member of Rbert Garrett and Company, bankers, is a business visitor in the city. He is a guest of J. O. Watson. Miss Louise Schroeder, of Gratton, Miss Lola Swiger, of Clarksburg, and Miss Edna Miley, of Lost Creek, were the guests during Commencement of Mrs. Ernest Sherwood at her home on Rhea Terrace. John Stevenson, president of the Stevenson Wholesale company of this city is here from Huntington on business. Dr. H. G. Stoetzer has returned from Fort Myer, Va., where he had spent a few days with his son, John Stoetzer. Mrs. N. R. C. Morrow, of the Nor-

mal school faculty, has gone to Chicago to spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lang have returned from Newport, R. I. where they visited their nephew, Louis Lang.

Miss Mary Hart left yesterday for Pittsburgh to visit friends on route to Greensburg, Pa., to attend commencement at St. Joseph's Academy where her sister, Miss Angela Hart, is a student. The latter will accompany her home in two weeks.

Mrs. M. J. Crowley, of Clarksburg, was here yesterday for Normal commencement, her daughter, Miss Nan Crowley, being one of the graduates.

Mrs. M. R. Yates has gone to Pittsburgh to see her son, Donald Yates, who is in camp at that place with the engineering corps.

C. B. Sperry, of Clarksburg, was a visitor here yesterday for several hours.

Mr. and Mrs. George Malone of Columbus, O., formerly of this city are here on a brief visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Anna Ringer, of West Union, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ruth Kelley, in this city.

Rev. R. T. Webb, pastor of Williams Memorial M. E. church, south, will occupy the pulpit at the church tomorrow after a week's absence from the city.

Mrs. Anna Ringer, of West Union, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ruth Kelley, on Walnut avenue.

R. L. Cunningham is expected home tonight from Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he had spent the last several weeks. Mrs. Cunningham went to Pittsburgh yesterday to accompany him home.

George W. Fleming, head of the Elkhorn company is here on a visit to his parents, Governor and Mrs. A. B. Fleming on Jefferson street.

S. T. Troup, of Pittsburgh, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. H. S. Troxell, in this city.

The Old Door Plate.

The invention of modern apartments is said to have sounded the knell of the old-fashioned door plates, but in the old times in America no man of any importance had his door undecorated by a plate upon which his name was engraved for all to see.

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MAYOR'S OFFICE

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still you hold him. Chief Harr doesn't know that this man violated any law. He didn't see the man until he was brought to the police station bleeding and he then promised police protection, which he got to the extent that a second attempt was made on his life in the Dixie theatre. Bring in your evidence or let this man go—right now!"

The mayor finally weakened and accepted Commissioner Smith as security for the appearance of the man.

While the injured man was in police court the mayor talked to him only when he tried to get him to admit that he had violated the agency law. The antagonistic attitude of the mayor toward the man was quite marked at every stage.

Medvorich's wounds were treated by Dr. C. M. Ramage the second time and by Dr. Cox, of the East Side, after the first assault. Medvorich made the information against Watts and Ice himself and gave the names of several witnesses who saw the assault. The second assault was also seen by several and the following information was furnished to the police by a well known business man in the city: "I saw the injured man go into the Dixie theatre. I saw Watts and his daughter, Opal, follow him into the theatre and saw them stand in the rear until they had located him in the audience. Then my wife said to me, 'They're after that poor fellow again.' I heard Watts tell Opal to go down and sit beside him. Opal did go down and sit beside the man, who immediately got up and walked out of the theatre. On his way out I saw Watts hit the man. It was too dark to say whether he used the butt end of a gun, a blackjack or a pair of knucks, but he hit him with something because no man's hand has a metallic sound."

"The manager of the theatre, Jacob Linn, stopped the rumpus and took the man to police headquarters where Linn and Medvorich both swore out more warrants. Police-Inspector Blaine Boggs and Policeman Dignan were sent after Watts or Ice in a taxi but returned without their man. Chief Harr said he would walk up Main street and bring them in if he saw them."

There was considerable delay before (even this happened). Officer Dignan was on the deck when Linn and Medvorich came in and they begged him to get warrants because the Mayor and Chief of Police had gone to dinner. Dignan then called some one to call come one else to try and get Chief Harr over to the office quick because "these fellows beat up that man again."

After a wait of about 35 minutes, in which time Watts left the city, the police arrived at the office and started on the hunt.

Medvorich is an employe of the H. C. Frick Coal company with headquarters at Lambert, Pa.

Tusca Morris, attorney for the Consolidation Coal company, appeared before Mayor Anthony Bowen this morning and stated that he would defend Dode Watts. This was agreeable to

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The mayor who told Mr. Morris to have Watts appear for trial Friday afternoon at two o'clock. In the meantime Watts has been permitted freedom on his own recognizance. Word reached the city hall today that Frank Haymond will appear for Jim Ice who was with Watts when Medvorich was assaulted on Water street. Ice will also appear Friday, it is thought. In the meantime Ice also allowed his freedom because there's no danger of him running away.

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Patriotic Day FEATURING Dr. NG POON CHEW, Chinese Statesman, Editor, Humorist and Scholar. Subject: "An Awakening Nation" Mrs. IDA C. B. ALLEN, An Authority on Preparedness in the home. Subject: "Mrs. Uncle Sam Wades In"

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