

MANNINGTON NEWS

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SCHOOL SYSTEM INADEQUATE HERE

Tabler Says Present Conditions Must Be Improved or Else Lower Efficiency.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—Professor D. C. Tabler was the principal speaker at the Kiwanis luncheon yesterday, and gave a very comprehensive report on the existing school conditions here.

According to Mr. Tabler's report, the high school enrollment will be increased 60 per cent next year and there are not facilities to care for the added attendance. He stated flatly that unless other facilities are added to the Mannington school system there must inevitably be a decrease in the efficiency of the school.

Mannington seems to be experiencing to some degree the same unusual demand for education that has been noticed in other parts of the country, and many of the leading men of the city agree with Mr. Tabler that the present school facilities are inadequate for the expected influx of students.

A committee was also appointed to prepare for a meeting of a number of the leading citizens for the purpose of discussing ways and means for the betterment of Mannington.

Flaggy Meadow

Surprise Party.

A delightful birthday surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tucker Saturday night in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Claddie Tucker, on her twentieth birthday. The surprise was unusually complete.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hibbs, Mrs. Effie Hamilton, Mrs. Ida Moore, Mrs. Mattie Barrows, Mrs. Clara Marshall, Mrs. Emma Chalmers, Miss Helen Hamilton, Miss Reva Hamilton, Miss Mary Hamilton, Miss Beryl Hibbs, Miss Glenna Holbert, Miss "Billie" Johnson, Miss Allie Neptune, Miss Mildred Hibbs, Miss Elizabeth Moore, Max Hamilton, Harold Hamilton, Willie Baker, Harry Holbert, Gordon Wright, Edward Moore, William and Robert Barrows, Myrtle and Ellis Moore, Frank and Robert Dennison.

Personals.

Mrs. H. E. Dennison was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts recently.

Mrs. James Carpenter and son, Burl, of Metz, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hamilton Friday night.

Mrs. Lavinia Nutter and daughter, Marchie, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nutter of Fairmont were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. A. W. Alberts, who has been visiting her son Earl for several days, has returned home.

Paul Swiger and Vaughn Brown of Homewood were visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Swiger, Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes McCoy, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hibbs, has returned to her home in Cadiz, Ohio.

Charles E. Marshall has been helping up wool in the nearby communities.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gaunders moved to Wheeling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hamilton and sons George and Joseph and daughter Virginia were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hayes in Jericho Sunday.

Russell Baker was the guest of friends in Wadestown Sunday.

Miss Emma Crimm was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Carry Tucker.

PLANS FOR BRIDGES.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—The selection of type and the actual construction of the two new bridges contemplated for the city of Mannington was left to the city of the County Court when it agreed to give aid to that work, and the city officials have asked for plans to be submitted.

If these plans are satisfactory, bids will be asked from contractors for the construction of the bridges. Action is expected in the near future.

TO LAY WATER MAIN.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—A. B. Baumann, street and water commissioner, announced that he hopes to begin laying the new water main on Water street tomorrow.

The work of excavating on Water street has been going on for several days, and the old water has been almost uncovered. Mr. Baumann believes he will be able to take up the old line by tomorrow night, and as the new main is ready on the ground there will be delay in laying it.

Pithy Paragraphs From Mannington

After a careful survey of the political situation in Mannington, there is no room for doubt.

A large part of the voters are Democrats, and the remainder are republicans. However, it's all in the way they will vote.

There are mud volcanoes in Yellowstone Park, and it begins to look as if there might be one in West Virginia just before election.

The members of the Tuesday Bridge Club of Fairmont will entertain their husbands at a Country Club dinner Thursday.

Well they never entertain 'em at home any more.

A man who stands on a windy street corner now-a-days can see as many strange sights as the old-time whiskey slusher did.

Deacon Slappale says the queer animals in the sideshow at the carnival is one of them there hooch-hounds.

Maybe it is, but surely if this be Sheriff Charlton or Chief of Police Masters would have had him long ago.

BOYS' CLUB TROUNCES ROBINSON'S PLAYERS

High School Bunch Continues Winning Streak.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—A few days ago Ed Haggerty, manager of the Boys' Club, issued a challenge to "Caruso" Robinson, manager of the Mannington All Stars, to play a baseball game, and last night the two teams tied into it. Haggerty's bunch came out winners in a 5 to 3 score after playing six innings. The diamond was in pretty bad shape owing to the rains, and made it hard to field easy ones toward third base, but the rest of the field was good. Hartman pitched for the All Stars, and passed out eight hits.

The Boys' Club lacked some of the pep that has characterized them this season, and the All Stars were short in team work, but the game wasn't bad. The All Stars failed to make a run until the last half of the sixth, however, and batted through the line-up in that inning.

McCarty was easily the star player for the Boys' Club, knocking a home run, a single, and making three runs.

The box score and summary:

All Stars	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Robinson 1b	3	1	1	3	1	0
Hammit 1b	3	1	0	7	1	1
Masters 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Metz of	2	0	0	0	0	0
Stewart rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hartman p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Hawkins 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Sturgeon lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
McCullough c	2	0	0	7	2	1

Totals	21	3	18	8	2	
Boys' Club <th>AB</th> <th>R</th> <th>H</th> <th>P</th> <th>A</th> <th>E</th>	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Price 1b	4	0	5	0	1	1
McCarnes 3b	3	1	3	2	1	1
Thomas c	3	0	0	9	3	0
McCarty p	3	3	2	0	0	0
Gould mf	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCarnes 2b	3	0	2	0	1	1
Hunter rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Farcer lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Haggerty cf	2	1	1	0	0	0

Totals	27	5	18	6	3	
Score by innings:	110	111	5			
All Stars	3	0	0	0	3	
Boys' Club	3	0	0	0	3	

Struck out—by McCarty 7; Hartman, 6.

Base on balls—off McCarty, 3; off Hartman, 1.

Hit by pitcher—by McCarty, 2.

Umpires Johnson and Hilderbrand.

TO OPEN TENNIS COURT.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—Work will be started on the tennis court this evening by members of the Mannington Tennis Club, and it is intended to put the ground in first class condition this week is possible.

Russell Purbee is an active force in this club, and is working to get a large number of the members out to assist in the work tonight.

TO ORDER INSTRUMENTS.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—W. G. Root, committee chairman, has issued a request that all members of the Moose Band be present tonight for the purpose of ordering instruments.

Everything connected with the organization of this group is going along without a single hitch, it is said, and prospects are bright for its success.

AN INVESTMENT NOW

of a mere few dollars at Muscled Shoals, is gateway to Riches. For further information call or write, S. G. Moyer, Phone 199 or 1123-W. Prof. Bldg. Fairmont, W. Va.

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W. R. MARTIN PAYS CITY FOR PAVEMENT

Case Settled Out of Court—Other Suits May Be Started.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—W. R. Martin, against whom suit was instituted by the city of Mannington for what was deemed his share of the expense of paving done on High street last year, paid the claim together with the incident costs, before the case came to trial, it is stated. The entire sum paid the city was approximately \$420, covering Mr. Martin's share of the paving, interest, and suit costs.

Nearly all the other property owners have already settled for their respective share of the cost of this paving, but a few are yet holding back, it is claimed, and the statement has been made that suit will probably be brought against them in the near future.

CAMPBELLS RUN

The third quarterly meeting of the Wadestown church was held at the Union M. E. Church Saturday and Sunday. A business session was held Saturday afternoon, and the addition of a concrete and wooden wire fence in front.

Otis Metz, who has been visiting friends in Washington, D. C., returned home Saturday.

A. A. Ash was a business visitor in Fairmont Saturday, and his sister Helen of near Wadestown were visiting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Ash and Wilbur Ash motored to Mannington Thursday evening to see "Way Down East" at Burt's Theater.

Miss Olive Miller of Barracksville was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas over the week end.

Miss Madeline Thomas, who will attend the summer term of the Fairmont Normal School, returned home with Miss Miller Sunday evening.

Lawrence Campbell has been visiting friends here recently.

Miss Nora and Miss Edna Goodnight were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Campbell Sunday.

Guy Stevens, who has been attending the Fairmont High School, has returned to his home here and will spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stevens.

Home Moore of Metz was the guest of friends in Wadestown Saturday.

Miss Josephine Moore and Miss Irene Laughlin have returned home after a two week's vacation in Belmont, Ohio.

Ochal Delaney of Saint Leo was the guest of friends here Sunday.

A very high wind with heavy rain accompanied the storm here Sunday evening, but no great damage was done.

Oil News

The Eastern Petroleum Co., has a fishing job at the Elias Wilson well No. 3.

The S. H. Ash well No. 1 is reported ready for pumping.

If it responds to the Philadelphia Oil and Gas Co., has made arrangements with the Eastern Petroleum Co., to drill the M. Messenger well on to a depth 800 feet that of any other well in this vicinity.

SCOTT'S CARNIVAL HERE

MANNINGTON, June 14.—Scott's Carnival opened full blast last night, and a fairly good crowd attended. The tents are on the lot formerly occupied by the Novelty roller skating rink.

The kiddies especially enjoyed the parties on the merry-go-round, and squeals of delight blended with the blaring music of the organ.

MOOSE TO INITIATE

MANNINGTON, June 14.—Five candidates will be taken into the Moose lodge at its meeting tonight, and other business of special importance will be taken up.

A report from the picnic committee will be made, as well as arrangements for a parade July 4. An effort is being made to secure the attendance of all members of the local order for his meeting.

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The farmers here are all very busy hoeing corn between showers. Crops are all growing well, even the weeds.

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MOUNT CLAIR

The Rev. John McDonald and family was visiting Atha Van Gilder last Thursday.

Miss Birdie Moran was visiting Mrs. Atha Van Gilder last Thursday.

Virgil Toophman was visiting Walter Page last Sunday evening. Glenn Hayhurst was visiting Will Hayhurst Saturday evening.

Brooks Petty and family were visiting Will Hayhurst Saturday evening.

The Rev. Boyers Boyd was visiting Atha Van Gilder Saturday evening.

The Rev. Boyers Boyd, Atha Van Gilder and family were visiting T. N. Robb Sunday.

The Rev. J. W. Van Gilder, was a business visitor in Fairmont Friday and Saturday.

Mannington Society

6 O'clock Dinner.

The Augusta chapter, Daughters of the Eastern Star, will give a 6 o'clock dinner at the Masonic Temple tomorrow evening. All members and their families are to be invited, as well as any visiting members and their families.

Following the dinner the lodge will initiate several candidates, and officers will be elected for the coming year.

ELKS PROGRAM READY.

MANNINGTON, June 14.—Today is Flag Day, and everything is set for the exercises to be given by the Elks at 7:15 this evening on the Central School campus.

A splendid program has been arranged, and a large crowd of people is expected to be present. Special effort is being made to have the children attend, since they are to be given a prominent place in the program.

CASTLE ATTACKED.

BELFAST, June 14.—(By The Associated Press.)—Sinn Feiners attacked Killyleigh castle, County Down, during the night, but were driven off by members of special Ulster constabulary.

Incendiaries were active in this city. The places burned included two motion picture theaters, a restaurant, a brewery, an engineering works and a block of business offices. Three men were injured in the latter fire.

British blue-jackets today still were engaged in discharging the cargo from the German steamer, Steela Maris which was stopped by the British warship, Danae. The authorities maintain secrecy regarding the result of their search of the vessel.

MANNINGTON CHAUTAUQUA

JUNE 21--25

FIRST DAY: Grosjean Marimba-Xylophone Company. William Rainey Bennett, "The Man Who Can."

SECOND DAY: The Columbus Entertainers. Alton Packard, Cartoonist.

THIRD DAY: Festival Quartet of Chicago. Charles H. Plattenburg—"The Old Town in a New World."

FOURTH DAY: Geoffrey F. Morgan, "Success With Ease". Comedy-Drama Success. "Friendly Enemies."

FIFTH DAY: Cotton Noe, Kentucky Poet-Lecturer-Humorist. Princess Teata and Her Indian Friends.

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BOTH RAILS AND OILS DOMINANT

Further Gains Made by Two Issues on Stock Exchange Today.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Further recoveries from Monday's sharp break featured today's broad stock market, despite heavy profit taking and firmer money tendencies. Sales approximated 1,000,000 shares.

The market moved steadily forward during the morning on a moderate volume of business. Rails and oils remained the dominant issues, a majority of these shares scoring further gains. Aside from Republic Iron and Nova Scotia steel, the independent issues of that description continued strong.

Motors and their subsidiaries, as well as sugars, shippings, textiles and leathers were in demand at 1 to 2 points gain. General electric was conspicuous among the equipments at an advance of 3 points and coppers hardened on further reports of foreign buying. Call money opened at 3 per cent, despite the heavy withdrawals of deposits from local banks to meet federal interest requirements.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allied Chemical and Dyestuffs 67 1/2
Allis-Chalmers 48
Amer. Beet Sugar 45
Amer. Can 46 3/4
Amer. Car and Foundry 169 3/4
Amer. Hide and Leather 65 3/4
Amer. International Corp. 44
Amer. Locomotive 110 7/8
Amer. Smelting and Refg. 59 7/8
Amer. Sugar 77 3/4
Amer. Sumatra Tobacco 36 3/4
Amer. T. and T. 122 1/2
Amer. Tobacco 139 1/2
Amer. Woolen 92
Anaconda Copper 52 1/2
Aetion 98 3/4
Alt. Gulf and W. Indies 38 3/4
Baltimore and Ohio 124 1/2
Bethlehem Steel "B" 76 3/4
Canadian Pacific 138 3/4
Central Leather 37 3/4
Chandler Motors 74 3/4
Coca-Cola and Ohio 64 3/4
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 25 3/4
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. 41 1/2
Chino Copper 29 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron 30 1/2
Corn Products 71 1/2
Crescent Steel 14 3/4
Erie 14 3/4
Famous Players-Lasky 8 3/4
General Asphalt 61 1/2
General Electric 166
General Motors 40
Illinois Central 104 1/2
Inspiration Copper 40 1/2
International Harvester 104
Int. Mer. Marine 78 3/4
International Paper 15 3/4
Inverclyde Oil 47 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire 34 1/2
Kennebec Copper 117 3/4
Louisville & Nashville 139 3/4
Mexican Petrol 22 3/4
Miami Copper 14 3/4
Middle States Oil 34 3/4
New York Central 90 3/4
N. Y. N. H. & Hart 29 3/4
Norfolk and Western 105 3/4
Northern Pacific 75 3/4
Ola. Prod. & Ref. 53 1/2
Pacific Oil 61 1/2
Pan Amer. Petrol 69 3/4
Pennsylvania 41 1/2
People's Gas 82 3/4
Pure Oil 31 3/4
Ray Consol. Copper 73 1/2
Republic Steel 64 3/4
Rep. I. & S. 70 1/2
Royal Dutch, N. Y. 61
Sears Roebuck 75 1/2
Sinclair Con. Oil 34 1/2
Southern Pacific 89
Standard Oil of N. J. 186 1/2
Studebaker Corp. 123 3/4
Tennessee Copper 11 1/2
Texas Co. 47 1/2
Texas and Pacific 28 1/2
Tobacco Products 78 3/4
Transcontinental Oil 15 3/4
Union Pacific 137
United Retail Stores 63 3/4
U. S. Ind. Alcohol 61 1/2
United States Rubber 99 1/2
United Steel 64 1/2
Wing Copper 64 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 60 1/2
Willys Overland 84

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, June 14.—Butter higher; creamery extras 35; firsts 30 3/4; seconds 26 1/2; standards 34 1/2.

Eggs unchanged receipts 23,195 cases.

WILL USE DAISIES FOR DECORATIONS AT DINNER

There will be some daisy decorations at the Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held at 6:30 at the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening, according to the information coming from the Chamber of Commerce rooms today. Several young women have volunteered to go out into the fields this afternoon to pick daisies, and the flowers will be used to artistically decorate the banquet room of the church.

About 100 reservations had been received at noon today for the annual dinner, but it is expected that before this time tomorrow, when the reservation list will be closed, that at least 150 reservations will have been received.

A splendid program has been arranged for the meeting, with O. S. Lewis of Baltimore, freight traffic manager of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, as the principal speaker.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF CHARLES H. SMITH TODAY

Funeral services for Charles Harper Smith, whose death occurred Monday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Crowl at 501 Auburn street, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Crowl residence, and burial followed in Woodlawn Cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. C. Buckley, pastor of the Diamond Street M. E. Church, of which the deceased was a member.

DATE SET FOR FIGHT.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Benny Leonard and Lew Tendler will battle for the world's light-weight championship in Jersey City on the night of July 27. This was decided today when they signed articles.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, June 14.—Reports of excessive heat in the north and northwest of Kansas led to speculative buying and to higher prices in the wheat market today shortly after the opening. It was asserted that near Salina, Kan., the wheat was turning white as a result of the high temperature prevailing and that in the northwest part of Kansas the thermometer yesterday had registered 97.

Opening prices ranged from 1-2 cent decline to 3-8 cent advance with July \$1.09 7-8 to \$1.11 and September \$1.10 3-4 to \$1.13 were followed by slight declines all around and then by sudden upturn to well above yesterday's finish.

Corn and oats were firmer with wheat. After opening a shade to 1-4@3-8 higher, July .60 3-4 to .61, the corn market scored slight general gains.

Oats started 1-8 cent to 3-8 cent lower, July .34 to .34 1-4 and later hardened on all deliveries.

High quotations on hogs gave some strength to the provision market.

Liberty Bonds

NEW YORK, June 14.—Liberty bonds at 1 p. m.: Liberty 3 1/2@100.10; first 4@99.80; firsts 4 1/4@100.04; second 4 1/4@99.94; third 4 1/4@99.98; fourth 4 1/4@100.06; victory 4 1/4@100.60.

Pittsburgh Livestock.

PITTSBURGH, June 14.—Hogs receipts, 1,700; heavy, \$10.95; heavy yorkers, light yorkers and pigs, \$11.25@11.40.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 300, steady. Sheep, \$7; lambs, \$11.

Calves receipts 100, steady; top, \$11.

MONONGAH

The new restaurant to be opened here in the Fucy Building in Bridge street by E. Postolou of Morgantown is to be equipped with modern fixtures. The dining room will be made very attractive, besides comfortable and convenient; the whole place to be well arranged as to sanitary conditions. Mr. Postolou will also run a bakery at the rear of the restaurant, where fresh bread, cake and pies will be made every day.

The K. & F. department store closed yesterday, to be opened Thursday morning at 9 o