

GLASGOW

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Mahan attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary McClure, in Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Frazer and son, spent Sunday with Mrs. Frazer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stoops of Cowentown.

Miss Miriam P. Alrich is spending sometime with relatives in Philadelphia.

Good prices were realized at Public Sales during the past week in this neighborhood.

The dances held in the hall every Thursday night still continue to grow in popularity. Having a large crowd the last Thursday night than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stafford of Stanton, spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Delaware Wright and daughter, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wright, of Cooch's Bridge, Delaware.

APPLETON

Miss Marion Smith of Rowlandville, is the guest of Miss Pearl Barben.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Money was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Cavender, on Sunday. Interment was made in Bethel Cemetery. Mrs. Money would have been eighty-seven years of age on the 25th of March next.

Miss Bertha Finley of Wilmington, was the week-end guest of relatives near here.

Miss Anna Zebley was an over-Sunday guest of the home folks.

The pie social held by the Appleton Social Club, was a very successful affair. It netted the neat sum of eighteen dollars, besides affording lbs of pleasure to the folks both old and young. The money is for the comfort kit fund.

Red Cross Work At W. C. D.

Tuesday night the Red Cross chapter of the Women's College held its first regular meeting. Miss Beckett, the chairman, presided. She announced the chairmen of the various committees: Miss Long, committee on knitting; Miss Powell, surgical dressings; Miss Rich, scrap-book and magazines. Announcement was made of work done since September 20, by the students. For the Red Cross they have knitted 138 sweaters, 4 helmets, 1 pair wristlets and 3 scarfs; for personal distribution 40 sleeveless sweaters, 10 sweaters with sleeves, 16 helmets, 4 scarfs, one pair mittens, 4 pairs socks. The Chapter voted to buy a knitting machine, that many pairs of socks may be turned out.

Drive On Next Week

On Wednesday a drive for new members will be begun. It will last a week, and the progress of the campaign will be shown by a big clock situated in a prominent place. The aim is "100 percent of W. C. D. members of Red Cross."

Surgical Dressing Class

On Tuesday a class in surgical dressings will be started. It will be under the instructions of a teacher sent from the Wilmington Chapter, and will work for an hour and a half every Tuesday evening.

Interesting Chapel Talks At Women's College

On Monday Professor Saleski of Delaware College, gave a scholarly talk on "Words." He contrasted the peculiarities of one language with the German and French, and in closing made an appeal to the students to read and study the poetry for the inspiration to be gained.

On Tuesday Mrs. Henry B. Thompson talked to the girls about the Women's Land Army. She explained how in England women have taken men's places in the fields and have harvested the crops. Last year the plan was tried in America. Units of working women or college girls were sent out to live in groups under a leader and chaperon. They were hired out by the farmers in the neighborhood, and worked by the day doing practical farm work. The farmers testify to the excellent service rendered by the healthy young women who will obey orders and are not afraid of work. Mrs. Thompson said that the plan is to be carried out in Delaware this summer, and that the girls of the Women's College should partake in the patriotic service of producing food.

Wednesday Miss Marie LeCates gave a resume of an article from the Atlantic Monthly on the schools of Belgium which are "under fire"; and she described in a telling way the thrilling experiences of teachers and pupils.

Thursday, Dr. Sypherd gave a short on Robert Herrick, the English poet, and read half a dozen of his poems.

Friday's Chapel hour was a patriotic one. After the religious exercises the students, under the direction of Miss Bachrach, leader of the Glee Club, learned the first stanzas of the National Anthems of England and France, that they may be able to sing the hymns of our allies as well as our own.

Washington's Birthday Observed

Friday evening the dining room at the Women's College was decorated with blue and white stars, red lighted candles, American flags, and the lights covered with red, white, and blue crepe paper. Card board flags and red, white, and blue hatchets served as place cards. After dinner the girls made their patriotism touch at home, when they presented a hand knitted sweater to Mr. Harrington, the faithful night watchman, who has guarded the college since its beginning, and who has done many little kindnesses for the students.

The Real Opportunity

A successful farmer once said that he made the most money in years when conditions were unfavorable for crops. "For," he said, "any man can grow a good crop during a favorable year, and the price is always low. On the other hand it takes careful fertilizing, cultivating, and harvesting to make a good crop in a poor year. But for that very reason, because supply is low, any farmer who can make a good crop in a poor year is assured of good profits."

This truism will be borne out next year as never before. Fertilizers, machinery, seeds, and labor will be harder to get next year than ever before. Even if the season is good there will be small chance for ordinary methods to bring through a fair crop. To begin with, ordinary crop growing methods presuppose a plentiful supply of cheap labor.

Of one thing we may be sure. Labor will not be plentiful in 1918. Nor will it be cheap. On the other

hand crop prices are bound to be high next year because there will be an active demand for everything we can possibly produce.

There is a real opportunity next year for the forehanded man; the man who gets in the game early, the man who gets his supplies of fertilizers and seeds while the getting is good, the man who is prepared for every eventuality, the man who uses what labor he has



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