

### Evening Chat

The black haired lass,  
Am most sincere,  
The light haired lass  
Am witty,  
The strawberry blond,  
Am mighty sweet,  
The chestnut brown  
Am pretty,  
But the kind o' hair  
That sets ye wild,  
Completely turns yer head,  
And tolls ye from  
Yer own firsleide  
Am red, sub,  
Yeasah, red.

THE DEACON.

### "CHILD OF MYSTERY" Baffles Police!



DOROTHY LEWIS

Approved grazing allowances for the National Forests during the coming season provide for the pasturing of 8,400,155 sheep, 2,120,145 cattle and horses and 54,680 swine. These figures compared with those of last year, represent an approximate increase of 111,000 cattle and horses and a decrease of about 200,000 sheep. Grazing experts of the Forest Service figure that for the purpose of range allotment one cow is equal to five sheep. Consequently the increase of 111,000 cattle and horses is held to be equivalent to a net increase of 555,000 sheep or of 71,000 cattle, over the total number of stock grazed last year. The decrease in the number of sheep is said to be caused by the action of owners who are dispensing with their flocks in order to buy cattle. In most cases the reason is not because of greater profits in handling cattle, but because the rapidly changing conditions of open ranges where sheep have been handled in the past, make it increasingly difficult to find feed for this class of stock during the months when deep snow prevents grazing on the National Forests.

It is stated that the capacity of the National Forest range is gradually being increased by protection against overgrazing and improved methods of handling the stock. New areas are also being brought into use by the development of watering places while the eradication of poisonous plants is reducing the losses suffered by the stockmen.

### SUPPORT NATION URGES CORNWELL

Governor Issues Ringing Appeal to Patriotic Spirit of the People.

CHARLESTON W. Va., March 27.—Governor John J. Cornwell late yesterday issued a statement directed to all the people of West Virginia, urging that any indifference in the present war crisis be supplanted by real American spirit. He says:

"On Monday next, April 2, Congress will convene to receive a message from the President of the United States. This last Congress, through the action of a few Senators withheld from the President the power he sought and which should have been given, to protect the lives of our citizens, their property, their rights, and above all, the nation's honor. The new Congress will certainly act, for public sentiment has already made itself felt, but in order that the sentiment of the people of this state may be known and that the President and those who surround him and aid him are behind him in this, the greatest moment of our country's history, I urge all patriotic organizations, G. A. R. posts, all camps of Confederate veterans, all commercial organizations, all boards of trade, chambers of commerce, Rotary clubs and other civic societies to hold special meetings on Monday, the 2d day of April, to pass resolutions pledging their support to the President and the general Government in this crisis.

"Let the spirit of indifference and disinterestedness that prevails in some remote sections give way to loyal, virile Americanism. Wire the resolution to your Congressman and the President and spread the spirit of nationalism abroad. The days ahead may be trying ones. There must be unity of action, unity of sentiment and unity of purpose."

### SUFFRAGIST MAY BE QUEEN OF WALL ST.



ALICE CARPENTER.

The future queen of Wall street may be Miss Carpenter, famous suffragist leader, who has broken into finance there. A stock exchange firm has made her manager of its "woman's department."

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 26.—Police of this city are baffled today over the puzzle of the "child of mystery," six-year-old Dorothy Lewis, who has been taken from a man claiming to be her father and given to a wealthy family. Dorothy told Judge Porterfield of the children's court, that F. D. Lewis, 75, was her father, that she had two stepmothers and was born "at the foot of the Berkshires."

Lewis and the little girl lived in Independence, near here, nine months on just enough to keep them alive. Lewis talks vaguely of a large estate coming to him and letters to a Mrs. Lewis hint of the man's right to a fortune.

In spite of Lewis' alleged threats to kill himself if the child is taken from him, Dorothy was given to the care of Mrs. Henry Dexter, a leader in Catholic charities here.

### LOCAL SOCIAL EVENTS

**Red Cross to Meet**  
The regular meeting of the Red Cross society will be held tomorrow afternoon at the headquarters in the city building. The hours will be from two to five and it is urged that there be a good attendance of the members at this meeting.

**Elected Chairman**  
Mrs. R. M. Hite was made vice chairman of the Home Economics department of the Woman's club at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. The newly elected officers are: Mrs. P. M. Hoge, chairman, re-elected; Mrs. U. M. Hite, vice chairman, and Miss Helen Stevenson, secretary.

The meeting yesterday afternoon was the last meeting of the department for the year and was partly of a social nature, tea being served at the close of the meeting. Prior to the tea however, an interesting program was rendered. A demonstration of lenten sandwiches being given by Mrs. S. J. Brobst and an article on "Rice" was read by Mrs. E. P. Hall. Mrs. J. M. Haggerty, of Farmington, head of a committee from the Marion County Central Home Economics department was present yesterday and asked the co-operation of the local department to secure a trained worker on the Girl's Canine club to fill the place of Miss Cora Price, resigned. A committee will be appointed to work with the central committee.

An Edison concert was a feature of the entertainment yesterday, the machine having been loaned by the Moss Furniture company and was manipulated by Miss Edna Jones. Mrs. L. G. Boggs and Mrs. W. D. Barrington were hostesses at the tea and were assisted by Mrs. W. D. Straight and Mrs. Joseph Rosier at the tea table. Little Miss Harriet Marie Hoge also assisted in serving.

**Woman's Club Luncheon**  
Members of the Woman's club who anticipate attending the club luncheon on April 5 at the Watson hotel, are requested to notify Mrs. Fred Helmick, chairman of the social committee, this week if possible.

**Visited Here**  
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Holbert whose marriage in Pittsburgh was a recent event, were the guests here for the week-end of the former's mother, Mrs. Helen Holbert, at Edgemont. Mr. and Mrs. Holbert are leaving Pittsburgh this week for Cour D'Alone, Idaho, to spend the summer.

**With Mrs. Haymond**  
The Vigilant Circle of King's Daughters will meet on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Allie Haymond on Main street. The meeting was previously announced for Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. F. Smith. Business of importance will be transacted and members are asked to attend.

**Peed-Fleming**  
Wednesday, March 28, has been announced as the date for the marriage of Miss Roberta Fleming, daughter of Mrs. Robert Fleming, of this city, to Major George Peed of the U. S. Army. The event will be solemnized quietly at the winter home of the Flemings

in St. Lucie, Fla. Announcement of the engagement of Miss Fleming and Major Peed was made several weeks ago. The latter is stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kas.

**Choral Society Tonight**  
The Fairmont Choral society will meet tonight for rehearsal at 7:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium.

### PERSONALS

Miss Alma Peters, who had been the guest of relatives here has returned to her home in Grafton.

Miss Eugenia Clark is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fleming Howell, in Morgantown.

Mrs. R. E. Clinton, of Clarksburg, is the guest of Miss Mary Devony for several days at her home on Watson avenue. Mrs. Clinton and Miss Devony will go from here to Mannington to visit friends.

Miss Minnie Poling went to her home at Belington yesterday called by the illness of her mother.

Miss Frances Kinsey returned yesterday from Keyser where she had spent the week-end with relatives.

I. A. Aiken, of East Park avenue, has returned from a business trip to Brownsville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hennen, of Washington, D. C., are the guests of relatives in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Jennie Hess is the guest of Mrs. Zana Blackshore at her home in Mannington.

Miss Iva Morris is ill at her home on Morgantown avenue.

Mrs. E. Lauderbach and Miss Anna Curran, of Mannington, were visitors in the city yesterday.

### How to Heal Skin-Diseases

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ring-worm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These are not at all expensive. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—if necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.

Almost any soap will clean the skin and hair. But those who want a soap which not only cleanses but actually helps the complexion and hair are wise to choose resinol soap.

### Don't Take Risks

If your stomach is strong, your liver active, and bowels regular, take care to keep them so. These organs are important to your health. Keep them in order with

## Beecham's Pills

and avoid any risk of serious illness. A dose or two as needed, will help the digestion, stimulate the bile, and regulate the habits. Their timely use will save much needless suffering, fortify the system and

### Insure Good Health

Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c, 25c. Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box.



### The Easter Silks are Beautiful

They are the silks everybody is asking for now to make up into lovely Easter suits and gowns.

Taceta in plaids, stripes and plain colors, \$2 to \$3 a yard.

Crape de chine and Georgette Crepe, 40 inches wide, come in all colors, \$1.75 a yard.



## Easter Fashions Arouse Enthusiasm

Departments filled with people eager for the news. The weather without emphasizes the beauty and charm within the store. Millinery, Gowns, Suits, Wraps, Corsets, Lingerie, Shoes—new Fashions received daily. Notwithstanding difficulties, there shall be no inspiration and no goods lacking at Hartley's.

### Just Why She Said It

I do not know, but that fine lady really did say—

"THIS STORE IS JUST PERFECT"

—only she was mistaken. Nobody knows so much about it as the writer, who surely knows how much better the store is than it used to be, and even more, he knows how much better it will be because of the diligent study and earnest effort, to every day improve something.

To be just as good as other stores is not rising up to the ideal and endeavor many of our workers have for this store.

"What is your idea of a good store?" a kindly critic may ask. The answer is—  
Come and see!



### EASTER MILLINERY Bright in Hue, Charmingly New

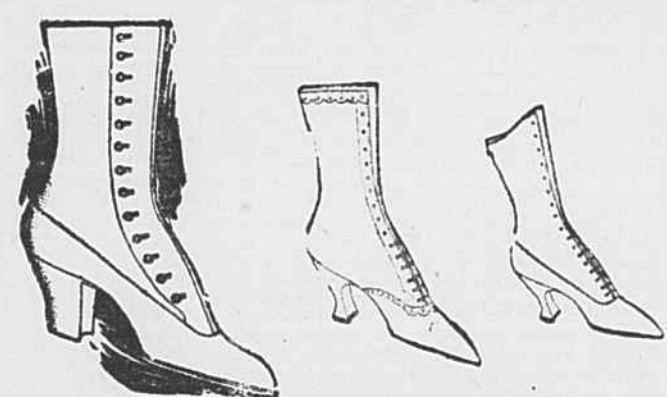
Women all must know what the spring fashions are to be. They are coming from far and near to see the carefully prepared exhibition of Easter millinery

Exquisite models of hats for all occasions—a dignified and pleasing presentation of the best creations for Easter and Spring.

Plenty of broad brimmed sailors; plenty of the high little brimless hats, and plenty of the small close-fitting turbans.

Most of the straws are the shiny sort; the fine Milans, Hemsps and Lisers.

Besides, many satin and ribbon trimmed hats are among the prettiest styles. Every good spring shade and trimming is represented. Prices run \$3.50 to \$15.00.



### Here is a Chart that is an Object Lesson of Leather Values and Shoe Prices as they Exist Today

The largest shoe indicates the present shoe value at Hartley's today. The next shoe shows the present values in the average store today.

The smallest shoe shows the shoe value if it were based on present wholesale costs of leather and present wholesale prices of shoes.

The reason that the largest shoe value is to be had at Hartley's today is because the foresight of this store enables us to offer over ten thousand dollars worth of shoes, bought and paid for and delivered, that came to us at the prices of last summer. With this resource as a fortification the Hartley Store will protect the public from exorbitant prices.

### But Buy Now to be Safe

Shoe prices in most stores have gone up 50 per cent or more.

The average increase of the Hartley Store over old low prices of two years ago is 33 1-3 per cent.

Our prices will go up no more while the present sock holds out.

Buy all of your spring shoes now; buy all of your summer shoes and lay them by.

Buy while there are plenty of shoes here. Buy while you can be sure of getting the kind and sort you want, and while prices are low.

We cannot make new purchases to replenish these lots at anything like the present prices.

(First Floor)



### Prettiest Spring Suits, Frocks, and Coats for the Junior Girl

Frocks, suits and topcoats, all planned especially for girls between the ages of 14 to 17 years, and made after special measurements in carefully selected spring styles.

New Spring Suits, \$20 to \$30—Plain tailored, novelty and Norfolk suits in Jersey and serge, light and dark colors.

Frocks \$5.00 to \$25.00—Soft velour cloths in Spring weights, blue, reds, checks and other Spring fabrics in such pretty colors as Copenhagen, blue, rose, tans, greens and other hues.

Silk and Wash Dresses—These are in simple one-piece styles that are in good taste and in many different models. Dresses of silk, net, voile and washable cottons are priced from \$3 for a wash dress up to \$25 for the finest silk frock; white and colors. 14 to 17 year sizes.

(Second Floor)

### Spring Suits Designed for Larger Women

This means that materials styles and colors all were chosen with a view of their suiting women of ample proportions and giving them slender lines.

The coats are usually shorter in the waist and longer in the lines over the bust from the shoulder to waist, so that it is always possible to alter satisfactorily if that should be necessary.

They come in serge, gabardine and tricotine, in navy, black, gray and bisque—all are very stylishly made, \$25 to \$50; sizes 38½ to 50½.

(Second Floor)

### Lovely Georgette Crepe Blouses

Many new spring styles are in—each in white and flesh color, some in black, chartreuse, maize, bisque, gray and tearose, and all are charming.

One style has hemstitching only for ornament, others tucks, hand embroidery; others lace trimmed.

Prices are \$3.50 to \$12.50.

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### AWNINGS

Now is the time to give the word. We are pleased to give estimates on any size and number you wish and have them ready in good time. Telephone Drapery Department.

Third Floor

### One-Half Million Homes clean



the 3-in-1 way

DO YOU?

If not, why not order one today?

Prices \$8.50 and \$10.00.

### Bring Spring Into the Home With New Draperies

Tight, airy draperies with here and there a touch of color surely make spring an actuality even though the sky is dark without. Never have we shown such a marvelous array of new cretonnes and lace curtain materials.

Cretonnes in unusual designs and colorings—Japanese effects, Persian designs and the Maya Indian designs are truly wonderful. A very unusual design is an old rose colored lined cretonne, with large poppies and bluebirds printed in eleven colors, 60c a yard. Another is a parrot and foliage design printed in fourteen colors; and all throughout the collection you will find beautiful, unusual pat-



terns with pleasing color combinations. Prices 15c to \$2.50 a yard. Also, the new "Quaker-Craft" lace curtain materials are ready in newer designs, 25c to \$2.00 a yard.

Third Floor