

POST OFFICE MEN PLAN BIG THINGS

May Have Clubhouse Along
Yellow Breeches Creek;
Sport Program



RICHARD M. WEAVER

The Post Office Athletic Association have started plans for the 1917 season. "Dick" Weaver has been chosen business manager of the baseball club and Danny Ludlow will again be field manager.

Games will be booked with all of the fast teams in this vicinity. Plans are also being made for the purchasing of a clubhouse along the Yellow Breeches. A committee has been appointed and if the deal goes through all games and races will be held on the club grounds.

Vets to Play Baseball

One of the main events this summer will be the ball game between the old clerks and carriers. The carrier team will be managed by Bill Berry and the clerks will be managed by Charles H. Hoffman.

The association has an active mem-



W. S. HACKMAN

bership of 143 and an honorary membership of 22. The latter includes some of the leading business and professional men of this city. The following officers and committees were selected for the 1917 season:

President, John E. Lemig; vice-president, George R. Pritchard; secretary, E. R. Gault; treasurer, J. G. Laverty; sergeant at arms, J. G. Wentz.

Beneficial officers, president, R. H. Weaver; vice-president, H. G. Dyblie; secretary, W. S. Hackman; clubhouse committee, G. R. Fritchard, J. H. Kurtz, W. B. Berry, W. S. Taylor, E. R. Gault, J. T. Mohler, William E. Cassell.

Board of directors, D. P. Dougherty, E. M. Longenecker, W. E. Cassell, D. S. Ludlow, W. C. McFarland, G. L. Ebersole, H. K. Goodman.

Baseball department, business manager, R. H. Weaver; field manager, D. S. Ludlow.

WOODMEN ELECT.

A large number of candidates were initiated into Keystone Camp No. 80, Woodmen of the World, last evening. H. F. Minnehan furnished the music for the evening's entertainment. Officers were elected for the ensuing year. Council commander, W. A. Hoover; advisor, Lieutenant, J. S. Fordney; clerk, T. S. Cless; banker, P. D. Cori; escort, Roy Koons; watchman, H. F. Minnehan; secretary, W. S. Hackman; clubhouse committee, G. R. Fritchard, J. H. Kurtz, W. B. Berry, W. S. Taylor, E. R. Gault, J. T. Mohler, William E. Cassell.

"Goodnight Corns! We Use 'Gets-It!'"

3 Drops in 2 Seconds. That's All.
"GETS-IT" Does the Rest.
Never Fails.

"Really, I never could see how some few people use the most difficult and painful way they can find to get rid of corns. They'll wrap their toes up with bandages into a package that fills their shoes full of feet and makes corns so



painful they've got to walk sideways and wrinkle up their faces. Or they use salves that eat right into the toe and make it raw and sore, or they'll use plasters that make the corns bulge, or pick and gouge at their corns and make the toes bleed. Funny, isn't it? "GETS-IT" is the simple, modern wonder for corns. Just put 3 drops on it. It dries instantly. No pain, fuss or trouble. The corn, callous or wart loosens and comes off. Millions use nothing else.

"GETS-IT" is sold and recommended by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price, by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Advertisement.

FURNITURE

THE MOST SENSIBLE GIFT

for Christmas.

IT LASTS FOR A LIFETIME

Rother's---The Store of a Thousand Gifts

Nothing is more appropriate for Christmas Gift Giving than Furniture or something beautiful with which to decorate the home. Such a gift is practical, it is lasting — two requisites which are so much desired in a gift. Here is an almost unlimited choice of things beautiful, pieces which will grace and beautify the home. And Victrolas — the gift supreme for the family.

Your Gift to the Family A Victrola

No gift you can give to the family could possibly bring as much genuine delight and entertainment as a Victrola. There's a Victrola here for you for we have every style, price and wood finish.



Easy Terms

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| Style IV Victrola \$15.00 | Style X Victrola \$75.00 |
| 6 Records (12 selections) ... 4.50 | 6 Records (12 selections) ... 4.50 |
| \$5.00 down; \$2.00 a month. | \$5.00 down; \$5.00 a month. |
| Style VI Victrola \$25.00 | Style XI Victrola \$10.00 |
| 6 Records (12 selections) ... 4.50 | \$6.00 worth of Records ... 6.00 |
| \$5.00 down; \$3.00 a month. | \$6.00 down; \$6.00 a month. |
| Style VIII Victrola \$40.00 | Style XIV Victrola \$150.00 |
| 6 Records (12 selections) ... 4.50 | \$8.00 worth of Records ... 8.00 |
| \$5.00 down; \$4.00 a month. | \$8.00 down; \$8.00 a month. |
| Style IX Victrola \$50.00 | Style XVI Victrola \$200.00 |
| 6 Records (12 selections) ... 4.50 | \$10.00 worth of Records ... 10.00 |
| \$5.00 down; \$4.00 a month. | \$10.00 down; \$10.00 a month. |

Smoking Stand-Floor Lamps

Both of them most necessary comforts in the home. And both of them in this store in most excellent assortment of finish design and price.

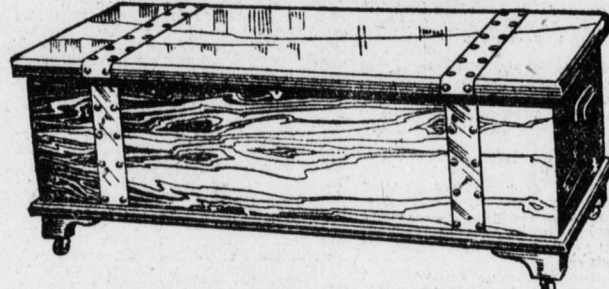
Smoking stands 28 inches high, of fumed oak, with two shelves... \$1.25
Smoking stands with one drawer and one shelf. Mission finish \$2.50
Mission finished smoking stand with cigar and tobacco humidifier, with deep drawer for pipes, matches, etc... \$3.75
Smoking stand with brass smoking outfit of trays on top and with drawer for pipes, tobacco, cigars, etc... \$4.50
Other styles also built of mahogany and oak.

Floor Lamps

Mahogany Floor Lamps at \$14.25
Silk Shade and Cord, Shades in a variety of colors.
Mahogany Floor Lamps at \$17.55
Lined Silk Shades and silk cord. Many beautiful tones in shades from which to select.
Other styles in Floor Lamps in white and gold.



CEDAR CHESTS



A practical, useful cherished gift that will last indefinitely. Strongly made Cedar Chests, dove-tailed and bound with brass. Raised at the ends and equipped with \$17.55 casters. 48 inches long

Pottery---Vases---Baskets

Nothing adds quite so much to the general tone of the home as an artistic vase or basket filled with flowers. In this store is to be seen an assortment of genuinely artistic and beautiful Pottery and Baskets which will delight.

Pottery

Flower Bowls, Candle Sticks, Bud Vases, Electric Lamps, with shades to match, Hanging Ferneries and many other pieces.

20c to \$4.00

Pottery Birds

For the Edges of the Flower Bowl

15c to 25c

Baskets

Handkerchief and Sewing Baskets made of Sweet Grass. And a wide assortment of baskets made from Burnt Bamboo, a deep rich mahogany color.

15c to \$2.25

Extra Sizes of Fruit and Flower Baskets

\$3.00 to \$3.50

Wall Flower Baskets

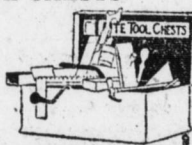
Made Vase Shaped With Water Container

95c

Toyland

Here's a Toyland that will delight both young and old with its wealth of Toys, Dolls and the hundreds of things that Santa brings at Christmas time.

TOOL CHESTS



A useful and practical gift for the growing boy. Complete tool chests that will delight him, 50c, 98c, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50, \$4.00.

ROTHERT COMPANY

THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

312 MARKET STREET

DOLL GO-CARTS

Clever little go-carts with rubber-tire wheels. Imitation leather hood and bottom, \$1.25

AMERICAN MODEL BUILDER

A standard metal builder which has been recognized as one of the best toys for the boy. Provides a truly educational amusement. A variety of sizes.

DOLLS

Lovable dollies. Some of wax, others the unbreakable kind. Still others of rag, but every one of them lovable to the girl who gets one. Many at 98c, and many others at different prices.

JAPS IN U. S. MAY BE RECALLED

If Japan Gets Java and Sumatra They Will Go There

The Hague, Netherlands, Dec. 14.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.) "If Japan gets Java and Sumatra from Holland as a present, the hundred thousand emigrants in the United States can be recalled, so that America will also then be satisfied," declares the Japanese ex-minister and publicist, Yusaburo Takekoshi, in his latest contribution to a well-known Japanese review that has served once again to fan Dutch suspicions regarding the land of the Rising Sun. "I therefore think that country is in entire agreement with our policy," he adds.

The article is a plain, unvarnished demand by this former Minister of Education that Japan shall take advantage of the present favorable juncture to annex the Netherlands East Indies. "If," he exclaims, "things are allowed to go on as they are going there is every chance that Japan will get good as nothing for the mobilization of a big army. I do not desire that the government shall pursue a quixotic policy, but I do desire that it shall strike a great blow to secure the safety of the nation and increase its influence, now that such a fine opportunity offers, an opportunity which, if allowed to slip by, will not recur in a century."

Should Germany prove victorious, he argues, she will get the British and French colonies, and Java and Sumatra will also fall into her hands; if the war ends adversely, Germany will cede Alsace-Lorraine to France in exchange for French possessions like Annam and Tongking, in which case the position of Java and Sumatra will be seriously threatened; while if, on the other hand the Allies win Great Britain will turn egoist, and in that case again the fate of those islands will be in doubt. "In view of these considerations," reasons Yusaburo Takekoshi, "it is better for Japan to demand Java and Sumatra from Holland now, for the powers at present leave Japan a free hand and do nothing but nurse her friendship and good will." He further urges the necessity of Japan, as an industrial country, having more tropical territory whence in time of need it can get its raw materials, and on the other hand throws doubt on Holland's record in the matter of preserving neutrality in its colony, and on its future ability in this respect, thus re-

dering the East Indies a potential handy basis for Japan's enemies.

The Dutch press emphatically refutes all suggestions that the Netherlands has not strictly carried out the duties of neutrality in every instance, and while not inclined to exaggerate the importance of such solitary utterances as the foregoing it considers it wise that the nation not let this campaign escape its attention, "waged as it is by a man of influence in Japan against the highest interests of our country."

MRS. MARGARET A. GRAY

Mrs. Margaret A. Gray, 70 years old, died Monday night at her home, 2727 Butler street, Penbrook. She is survived by six children, Mrs. Phillip Delmas, Mrs. Fannie Rockwell, George Z. Gray, John, Dolly and Catherine, of this city. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the home, the Rev. M. E. Curtis officiating. Burial will be made in the East Harrisburg cemetery.

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Koons-Mader Wedding This Evening in Penbrook

Miss Mary Maer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Mader, of Penbrook, and Ira R. Koons, of that town, will be quietly married this evening at 8 o'clock in the parsonage of the Church of God by the pastor, the Rev. Jay C. Forncrook. There will be no attendants. The bride has chosen a wedding dress of dark blue messaline with white hat and her corsage bouquet will be of violet and orchids. Following a wedding supper served at the bride's residence, the newly weds will occupy their new home, 118 Green street, Penbrook, where they will receive their friends, after December 19. The bride has

been forewoman of the Telegraph Bindery for several years and Mr. Koons is connected with the Elliott-Fisher company.

Miss Bertha Parker, of Pittsburgh, left for home this morning after spending ten days with friends in suburban Harrisburg.

FIVE BARRELS OF CLOTHING FOR MONT ALTO PATIENTS

The committee of the Harrisburg Clevy Club in charge of securing warm clothing for residents of Dauphin county and this city who are patients at the Mont Alto Camp, received such

a hearty response to their appeal that they were able to pack and send off yesterday five barrels of gifts. S. S. Pomeroy and the Studebaker store furnished the barrel brimful of warm underclothing, clothes for men, women and children, coats, sweaters, mittens and the like. With the gifts of money special articles for warmth were purchased and the donors may feel that they have helped in no small measure to keep these out-door folks from old King Winter's chill.

WILLIAM BAUSMAN
William Bausman, 71 years old, died Tuesday evening at his home at West

Fairview. He is survived by two sons. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Penbrook United Brethren church. The services will be conducted by the Rev. A. J. Miller. Burial will be made in the Shoop's church cemetery.

HELD FOR LARCENY

Charge dwelt with the larceny of a gold watch and \$9. Steve Barrett, colored, of York, was arrested last evening in the barber shop of the Pennsylvania Railroad station. Barrett, it is charged, entered the houses of Charles Jones and Lewis Green, of York, several weeks ago and made away with the watch and money.

Slippers For Men



Rest for weary feet is the first consideration of a man when he comes home in the evening after a hard day's work. Slippers have always been among the most acceptable of gifts for that reason. But in these days of proxies for real leather it is safest to buy where none but quality footwear is given shelfroom.

Our assortment of Christmas Slippers this year is more complete than ever and consists of Faust and Opera in tans and wine colors, kid lined in stylish models of durable leather. Prices \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Crego, 15 North Third Street

SOROSIS SHOES FOR WOMEN
STETSON AND EDWARD CLAPP FOR MEN.

East End Bank

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Savings Society Is
Now Open For 1917

All Series as Usual

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JOHN K. MAY, Vice President
AL. K. THOMAS, Cashier