



Musical Programs  
Our Specialty

TRY US

Patriot Publishing Company  
15 N. Carpenter Way, Indiana, Pa.

**Three Rivers.**  
Manassas, the name of a river in Virginia, is from the Indian word *Newneshimund*, "the place from which we were driven away." The Flint, in Michigan, was called by the Indians *Perwonigo*, "the river of the flint," from the abundance of this stone on its banks. Humboldt river, in Nevada, was named by Fremont in honor of Baron Humboldt.

**The Outlet.**  
Physiology Teacher—Clarence, you may explain how we hear things. Clarence—Pa talks 'em to ma as a secret, and ma gives 'em away at the bridge club.—Cleveland Leader.

**Refuge in the Office.**  
"What makes Bliggins in such a hurry to get to work in the morning?" "He isn't getting to work. His family has moved and they're fixing up the house. He's getting away from work."—Washington Star.

**The Irish Sea.**  
The English channel is nowhere more than 900 feet deep. The Irish sea is 2,180 feet.

**Analogy.**  
"Fupa, what is a political boss?" "Well, son, all you have to do is think of how your mother would run the whole city."—Lita.

HER SPRING HAT



SUFFRAGE MAY DAY  
TO BE MADE BRIGHT  
WITH FLORAL TOKENS

Women to Gather Spring Flowers and Leave Them on Doorsteps of Tenement Tots, Friends and Neighbors

FESTAL CUSTOM REVIVED

If there is a bunch of blossoms on your doorstep May 1, do not suspect a visit from the Roman goddess *Maia*, worshipped in other days, as the source and cause of fertility. Why? Because the visitors will have been a flower-laden suffragist, and she will be legion throughout the State that day.

In brief, it was recently suggested that instead of holding meetings for The Cause this year as in others, the battle for the ballot be halted, for the nonce, to give floral cheer to as many as possible by gathering May flowers and distributing them, anonymously, to neighbors, friends and others. Following endorsement by county chairmen of the State, the plan was adopted enthusiastically.

Accordingly, in the big cities, on the doorsteps of those who seldom if ever have flowers, there will be deposited fragrant bunches of blossoms. Weary little lads and maids, who do not know that sunshine elsewhere becomes transformed into color of spring blooms and their fragrance will have the clusters of sweetly smelling blossoms laid on their doorsteps.

In Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and the larger towns there will be tours into the country for flowers of the fields and woods. Others will be contributed or purchased. Somehow, somewhere, the blossoms will be gathered and speedy trips will be made to the homes where they will be appreciated most.

In smaller towns, where the country is nearby, practically all the flowers will be gathered by the suffragists personally and clustered with ferns and early leafy boughs. Maying parties—suffragists all—will range the woods from the early dawn until their harvest is satisfactory. Then what was gathered will be tied in clusters ready for distribution.

Those who cannot join others will be asked to have little distributions of their own among their neighbors so as many as possible, may have a bunch of flowers with which to remember the suffragists' May Day.

All the gifts, as far as possible, are to be anonymous, and every suffragist is expected, according to instructions issued by the State association, to give someone else at least one flower.

**The Boost of Democracy.**  
Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, national woman suffrage leader, says:

"It is a curious thing that in the cities of Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Harrisburg there is no woman suffrage, and yet in the capital of Finland there are women sitting in the city council, as there are also in Stockholm and Copenhagen and in many cities in Great Britain. In Dublin women may become members of council, although no woman has yet been a member. All these cities are in kingdoms and kings preside over their governments. Yet our boast is Democracy!"

TEMPORARY STATE CHAIRMAN CONTINUES SUFFRAGE WORK

That the work may be continued throughout the State as vigorously as it was begun, Mrs. J. O. Miller, Allegheny county leader, has agreed to take the chairmanship of the Woman Suffrage Party until a permanent chairman can be selected. The vacancy was caused by the resignation of Mrs. George W. Di- bert of Johnstown, because of illness.

"I accept, temporarily, the state chairmanship of the Woman Suffrage Party only because there are now well under way plans which cannot be stayed even for a little while," said Mrs. Miller. "These plans I will endeavor to carry on in the vigorous manner in which they have been inaugurated. We have with us in Pennsylvania more than 385,000 fearless men who voted for our amendment. In all counties our plans are maturing rapidly, according to our reports at State headquarters."

CONCERNING CONGRESSMEN AND WOMEN'S OPINION

"Our congressmen are elected upon the basis of representation of all the people. So are our legislators, our civic councils and our officers. We are represented by these gentlemen but when it comes to saying who shall represent half the people, we are no longer people. Three hundred and sixty-four days in the year, 365 this leap year, every woman of the land possesses the same freedom as men to develop her mind, to educate herself that her opinions may be worth while. She is free to express those ideas in every and any way. But upon the other day of the year she no longer is able to express her opinion except 100 feet away from the only place where an opinion is worth while—the voting polls—and this is inconsistent of our government."

This is an observation by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National Woman Suffrage Association.

SUFFRAGE, STILL LIVE ISSUE, DECLARES VARE

Affirming his faith in woman suffrage as a "live issue," State Senator Edwin H. Vare has issued from Philadelphia a denial of a report circulated by those opposed to suffrage that he had announced, in a recent speech, that "Suffrage is a dead issue."

"I voted for the suffrage amendment in the last legislature," the senator said, "and I hope I will get a chance to vote for it again. I believe that the suffrage question is as live as ever, and that the people of Pennsylvania should be given another opportunity to pass upon it."

"At the last election, the ballot was so long and so complicated that the suffrage question, I believe, was lost sight of by many voters. I want to make it plain right now that I never said suffrage was dead, and reports to that effect are incorrect."

How That Child Grows!

In the new World Almanac for 1916 woman suffrage occupies two pages of fine print, lacking 3 lines. In the 1915 Almanac it occupied just about half this space. The Almanac for the current year records 40 dates during 1915, marking as many important suffrage events.

Questions that a Good Citizen Should Know.

- D. Have you read the Constitution of the United States? R. Yes.
- D. What form of Government is this? R. Republic.
- D. What is the Constitution of the United States? R. It is the fundamental law of this country.
- D. Who makes the laws of the United States? R. The Congress.
- D. What does Congress consist of? R. Senate and House of Representatives.
- D. Who is our State Senator? R. Theo. M. Kurtz.
- D. Who is the chief executive of the United States? R. President.
- D. How long is the President of the United States elected? R. 4 years.
- D. Who takes the place of the President in case he dies? R. The Vice President.
- D. What is his name? R. Thomas R. Marshall.
- D. By whom is the President of the United States elected? R. By the electors.
- D. By whom are the electors elected? R. By the people.
- D. Who makes the laws for the state of Pennsylvania? R. The Legislature.
- D. What does the Legislature consist of? R. Senate and Assembly.
- D. Who is our Assemblyman? R. Wilmer H. Wood.
- D. How many State in the union? R. 48.
- D. When was the Declaration of Independence signed? R. July 4, 1776.
- D. By whom was it written? R. Thomas Jefferson.
- D. Which is the capital of the United States? R. Washington.
- D. Which is the capital of the state of Pennsylvania? R. Harrisburg.
- D. How many Senators has each state in the United States Senate? R. Two.
- D. Who are our U. S. Senators? R. Boise Penrose and George T. Oliver.
- D. By whom are they elected? R. By the people.
- D. For how long? R. 6 years.
- D. How many representatives are there? R. 435. According to the population one to every 211,000, (the ratio fixed by Congress after each decennial census.)
- D. For how long are they elected? R. 2 years.
- D. Who is our Congressman? R. S. Taylor North.
- D. How many electoral votes has the state of Pennsylvania? R. 38.
- D. Who is the chief executive of the state of Pennsylvania? R. The Governor.
- D. For how long is he elected? R. 4 years.
- D. Who is the Governor? R. Brumbaugh.
- D. Do you believe in organized government? R. Yes.
- D. Are you opposed to organized government? R. No.
- D. Are you an anarchist? R. No.
- D. What is an anarchist? R. A person who does not believe in organized government.
- D. Are you a bigamist or polygamist? R. No.
- D. What is a bigamist or polygamist? R. One who believes in having more than one wife.
- D. Do you belong to any secret Society who teaches to disbelieve in organized government? R. No.
- D. Have you ever violated any laws of the United States? R. No.
- D. Who makes the ordinances for the City? R. The board of Aldermen.
- D. Do you intend to remain permanently in the U. S.? R. Yes.

AVETE  
Bisogno  
di carte  
stampate



Per lavori nitidi,  
precisione e mo-  
dicita' di prezzi,  
rivolgetevi alla

Tipografia del  
Patriota

15 N. Carpenter Way

FOR SALE and WANT ADS.

Advertisements under this head 1c a word each insertion.

FOR SALE—Corner lot in Chevy Chase, 65x150, for further information, apply at this office.

WANTED—Slavish or Polish men, well acquainted in Indiana and mine camps. Can make \$25 to \$30 per week. Call 15 Carpenter avenue, Indiana, Pa.

FOR SALE—Good automobile, 1914 Vulcan Roadster. A-1 running condition. Will demonstrate. Sacrifice, \$250. Need money. Call or write J. M., care "Patriot," 15 Carpenter avenue, Indiana, Pa.

Wanted—Girl for general household work. Small family, no children. Foreign girl preferred. Inquire at Patriot office.

**PATENTS**  
Trade marks and copyrights obtained or no fee. Send model, sketches or photos and description for FREE SEARCH and report on patentability. Bank references.  
PATENTS BUILD FORTUNES for you. Our free booklets tell how, what to invent and save you money. Write today.  
**D. SWIFT & CO.**  
PATENT LAWYERS,  
303 Seventh St., Washington, D. C.

There's a Flashlight made to fit your need.  
**EVEREADY**  
FLASHLIGHTS  
are made in many styles that sell at a wide variety of prices. Each is equipped with a genuine, long service Tungsten battery and Mazda lamp. All are guaranteed to give the maximum satisfaction. That's why it pays to get a real Eveready.  
We sell them.

**LIGHTCAP ELECTRIC CO**