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MARCH

Calendar for March 1915 showing days of the week and moon phases.

MOON'S PHASES: Full Moon, 1st, 31st; Last Quarter, 8th; New Moon, 15th; First Quarter, 23rd.

WEATHER FORECASTS

Harrisburg and vicinity: Rain or snow to-night. Sunday unsettled with probably rain or snow.

Eastern Pennsylvania: Rain or snow to-night. Sunday unsettled weather with probably rain or snow.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURE IN HARRISBURG. Highest, 37; lowest, 28; 8 a. m., 28; 8 p. m., 32.

MORAL TEACHING IN SCHOOLS

A man who is much interested in Harrisburg educational matters as well as in educational affairs in general, believes there should be more systematic efforts made in directing the minds of pupils toward cleaner thinking and cleaner living.

NOT ALL SPARROWS ARE HARMFUL

Although sparrows are not always well thought of among persons who are accustomed to peace and quiet, the information comes in a Farmers' Bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture that there are forty or more species of North American sparrows which are helpful, not harmful, and should be protected, not outlawed.

selves to earn peanuts, and their intrusions on the rights of the pigeons cannot but rile the dispensers of the morsels.

The American birds, on the other hand, have retiring dispositions and are not on especially familiar terms with the general public; but although they are seldom noticed, they may be found in practically every part of the country, we are told, and there may be as many as half a dozen varieties in one locality.

It will be well for the farmers, in particular, to get acquainted with these native creatures, who are beneficial to the crops, according to the government investigators, because they feed on insects, including many injurious beetles, as well as on grass and weed seeds.

CRIMINALS OF DIFFERENT KINDS

A New York judge who has presided at a thousand criminal trials and has made a study of the psychology of criminals has placed offenders against society in three classifications: Instinctive criminals, whose offenses are habitual; occasional criminals, who do wrong because they are tempted, and criminals who are mentally defective. He asserts that because the inmates of State prisons represent these different types, the theory of a prisoner's republic within prison walls under present conditions will not produce beneficial results, and that what is needed is the segregation of the instinctive from the occasional criminals. The former, he declares, resist all processes designed for their reform while the latter are more docile and might with benefit be trusted to govern themselves.

It certainly sounds logical that the inmates of prisons on whom attempts at reform have possibilities of doing the most good are the occasional criminals,—the unfortunates who are not hopelessly wicked but who, like the Rev. Mr. Rolles in Stevenson's "The Rajah's Diamond," are subjected to temptations which their wills are too weak to resist. The methods of reform to be applied to such prisoners, of course, have to differ from those aimed at the habitual criminals if they are to be effective. The suggestion that these two classes be separated as the first step toward effectual reform, although it may or may not be practicable, is worthy of consideration.

Were the object of imprisonment to afflict offenders rather than to reform them, conditions which permit contact between men who are criminals by design and those who are criminals by accident, could be considered to provide punishment enough for the latter by subjecting them to "psychic contagion from diseased morals," and perhaps as a consequence a complete ruining of their lives. The reforming of wrong-doers, however, calls for conditions in penal institutions which shall be the means of relieving inmates of what criminal tendencies they possess, and not of implanting in them additional ones.

Joy in the Weather Bureau! The groundhog went wrong.

We can state with assurance that the street repairs will not begin to-day.

President Wilson, your coming rest is well deserved! Congress is no longer "on your hands."

The Colonel is ready to lead General Wood's reserve army. The Colonel may always be found in the forefront of the Willing Workers.

One uncensored dispatch from the European war zone says "We made a strategic backward movement." Sounds like a polite way of telling about a retreat.

TOLD IN LIGHTER VEIN

ZERO POINT OF LOVE. Mother—"Are you quite sure that you have ceased to love him?"

Daughter—"Absolutely! I don't even care if he has a pretty stenographer in his office!"—Indianapolis Star.

NEEDLESS INVENTION. A native of India invented a machine by which the deaf can "hear" with their eyes. Some of the styles one sees in the windows displaying new spring goods would seem to make the use of such an appliance unnecessary.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SOUNDS TRUE. "What is your reason for believing in the nebular hypothesis?" asked the man who is always seeking information.

"I don't know that I exactly believe in it," replied the scientist, "but after a man has gone to the trouble of finding out what it is, it seems a shame to contradict it."—Washington Star.

CORRECT! "Here's a fellow," said the Answer to Correspondents' editor, "who wants to know what musical instrument produces foot notes."

"Tell him a shoe horn," suggested the sporting editor.—Judge.

HE NEEDS IT. "Jiggs' wife speaks ten languages."

"I move we adopt resolutions of sympathy and send them to Jiggs."—Buffalo Express.

NO ECONOMY IN IT. "A Judge somewhere says a wife is entitled to a regular salary for cooking, washing and doing housework."

"Then there's no economy in getting married."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

WHEREIN ITS WISDOM LIES. Figg—"Wonder why people say 'as smart as a steel trap'?"

"I never could see anything particularly intelligent in a steel trap."

Fogg—"A steel trap is called smart because it knows exactly the right time to shut up."—Boston Transcript.

WHY, YES, OF COURSE. Passengers who have to sleep in day clothes on Cunarders, to be ready for anything that may happen, agree strongly with that moldy truism of Tecumseh Sherman. Otherwise they may be a little vague on eschatology.—Brooklyn Eagle.

GETS A REST NOW. Among the Morgan art works recently sold was "Love Pursuing a Dove," but the gentle bird is not being pestered at present with that sort of attention.—Washington Post.

Tongue-End Topics

Wise Cat and Foolish Dog. The large grey cat came out of the alley, walked across the sidewalk, paused irresolutely and then sat down on the curb. She had caught sight of an unfriendly bulldog on the other side of the street. This was on Harris street. The cat had had a close acquaintance with the bulldog a few days previously, when the dog had chased her up a tree, barely nipping her tail as she scurried out of his sanguinary reach. The bulldog saw the cat sitting on the curb. They exchanged glances. Like a flash the bulldog dashed for the cat, which seemed bewildered and powerless to run. An automobile was passing at a law-breaking speed. It shot by just as the dog reached the center of the street. The auto struck the dog, spun him around like a top and ran over him, the dog emerging from the rear dazed and bruised, all the gimp out of him and one leg broken. He limped away whining and bewailing his fate. The cat continued its journey across the street.

Dog Story No. 2. Another dog story: Half a dozen pigeons were flitting along the main walk in the Capitol Park, intent on getting something to eat and taking no note of what was passing. A man leading a small terrier passed up the walk, the dog straining at the leash when he saw the pigeons. The leash broke and the dog dashed into the flock of pigeons, seized one and broke its neck with its sharp teeth. A park watchman hurled his cane at the dog. The terrier scampered away and the pigeon was picked up. It was dead. There was pigeon broth for an invalid that evening.

Dog Story No. 3. Still another: Four cats sat on the covering of the steam heat conduit in the middle of Locust street below Second. They were holding a caucus and discussing the high cost of—and how hard it was to get a—living. A canny white bulldog crept out of the alley and saw them. He was on the quartet like a hurried thunderbolt and grabbed a big Maltese cat by the back. Only one grab, one crunch and a broken back. The cat was dead. The caucus adjourned without a day.

Stone and the Legislature. Somebody remarked that President Wilson will now have an easy time of it with no "Congress on his hands," which reminded a bystander of this story: It was after the Pennsylvania legislative session of 1901, a most turbulent one, in which Governor Stone was continually harassed and perplexed by a very skillful fighting minority in the House. In fact, the Governor was kept on edge almost all of the time wondering what that House was going to do next. On the day the Legislature adjourned a visitor to the Governor remarked:

"Well, Governor, now you can take a good long rest. There will be nothing to look forward to, and there is no Legislature ahead of you."

Governor Stone looked up at his visitor with a quizzical smile on his face, and said:

"That may all be true. There may be no Legislature ahead of me, but man, look at the one behind me."

That was enough.

Zeigler-White Wedding. Bainbridge, March 6.—Miss Mabel M. White and Harry J. Zeigler, of Goldsboro, were married last evening at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church, York, by the Rev. Richard Brooks. The couple was unattended.

Annual Banquet of Sunday School Class. One hundred and twenty-five members, with their friends, will attend the annual banquet of Mrs. Clayton Albert Smucker's Sunday school class Thursday evening at the Stevens Memorial Methodist Episcopal church.

The Duffer's Lament. Old Player—"Well, how do you feel after your first twosome at golf?"

Duffer—"Feel! Huh! I started ahead of about forty twosomes and a half dozen foursomes, and I had so many people say 'Would you mind our going through you?' that I fell like a human sieve!"—Chicago News.

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Desertion Court. The following thirty-eight cases are charges of non-support, in which the defendants are: Charles Dixon, John Kint, Mladan Kojlic, Harry A. Ludwig, Robert P. Miller, J. H. Ritter, Charles Swartz, William D. Wicks, Bernard J. McGuire, Charles Anderson,

SEVERE RHEUMATIC PAINS DISAPPEAR

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CASES ANNOUNCED FOR MARCH CRIMINAL COURT

Fewer Violations of Law During Last Few Months Than in Prior Quarter, According to District Attorney Stroup's Statement of Causes

Three of the 150 criminal cases listed for trial at the next term of Quarter Sessions Court beginning March 15 are charges of involuntary manslaughter, all of which grew out of automobile accidents, in which the District Attorney charges the chauffeurs with negligent and reckless driving.

The crime was apparently did not strike Dauphin county so heavily during the last few months as during previous intervening criminal court, eighty new cases only having been reported as against an average of 120 heretofore. Even the number of wife and family deserters has been on the decrease.

Less than a dozen new cases were reported and while the list of causes for the "non-support court" appears voluminous, the majority of the cases were continued from previous sessions and the husbands are on parole.

The trial list as announced by District Attorney M. E. Stroup is as follows:

Monday. Lewis F. Sowers, larceny; Alfred Jolly, felonious entry; Christ Himbricht, furnishing liquor to minors; Eugene Vainey, riot; Frederick Charles, receiving stolen goods; Eva Cole and Joseph M. Lentz, larceny; James Epps, receiving stolen goods; Charles Toyer, aggravated assault and battery; Frank Johnson and Edward Teyman, furnishing liquor to minors; Edgar Gibson, resisting officer; C. R. Bayle, larceny as clerk; William Quava, assault and battery; Lizzie Strange, serious charge; James Fisher, furnishing liquor to minors; Samuel S. Sherman, fraudulently making a written instrument; Owen Brady, unlawful sale of cream; Elythe Headings, larceny; Lillian Headings, receiving stolen goods; Samuel First, carrying concealed deadly weapons; Jacob Sweeney, false pretenses; Charles Wright, larceny; Ezra Jackson and Jasper Smith, larceny; William Johns, felonious assault; John M. Rutherford, assault and battery; Lewis Stanton, larceny; Peter Radioevic, receiving stolen goods; Cecelia Greenberg, assault and battery; Clarence Buck, felonious entry and larceny; Mile Miljevic, burglary.

Tuesday. Fred Haines, John Arndt and Charles Dixon, larceny; Mike Koetry, felonious assault and carrying concealed deadly weapons; Stanko Babic, larceny; Charles Shultzbaugh, serious charge; Earl Banks, Irvin Green, Jerome Bones, Christian Bones, Jr., and Katie Sleser, larceny; Robert Williams, George Jones and Steve Bakic, assault and battery; Michael Hejiga, serious charge; Juro Kolenovic, larceny and assault and battery; John Rozenkovic, carrying concealed deadly weapons; Daniel P. Bankes, fraud against boarding house keeper; Joseph Sanim, felonious assault.

Laura Murray, disorderly house; N. R. Yontz, larceny as bailee; Laura Gordon, assault and battery and selling liquor without license; Anna Major, alias Anna Jackson, larceny; Edgar L. Derstine, larceny; John Essig, giving false weight; J. H. Chapman, larceny; Birnod Bretz, alias John Bretz and Jerry M. Bird, larceny as bailee; Harry Endres, false pretenses and larceny as clerk.

Wednesday. Harry Yoffe, larceny; Harvey S. Bomberger, violating quarantine; Zolman Mehan, larceny; William Wheeler, assault; Nettie H. Walter, perjury; Bessie Pullman, fraud against boarding house keeper; Francesco Cirillo, William H. Zerbe and Charles Anderson, larceny; Florence Danner, assault and battery and larceny; George Grmsua and Jela Novosel, assault and battery; Michael Sibaevic and Mrs. Charles Geesey, larceny; Frank Belak, malicious mischief; Nick Sarcoca, assault and battery; Adam Madia, malicious mischief; April McCoy and Francis Jeffries, serious charges.

Maurice Dunn, assault and battery; Albertus L. Reitzel, false pretense; M. Hursch, larceny; Andrew Schutzenbach, furnishing liquor to minors; Charles L. Madison, arson; Charles Madison, carrying concealed deadly weapons; Clarence S. Fleck, Grace B. Wright, Marjorie Embacher and Morris Bashfisky, larceny; Amedeo P. Branca, false pretenses; William Zinn, larceny; Samuel Morrow, involuntary manslaughter; Edward A. Meckley, larceny.

Thursday. Carlo Canti, murder; Dora Murlin and Frank Murlin, perjury; John Spriggs, Isaac Burk, Lloyd Myers, C. Francis Comings, serious charge; Harry Perkey, larceny; Samuel W. Horst, false pretense; Samuel Honck, arson; Milos Vorkapic, forcible entry; Nick Ferencie, furnishing liquor to minors; Baljanars Teltex, larceny; Joseph C. Baer, false pretense; Joe Kocir, Mara Stasnik and Angus Banks, assault and battery; John T. Ensminger, Jr., and Martha Osten, serious charges; Arthur Blackwell, John Ekenzer, Elizabeth John Toy, Austin Rothmel, serious charges; Charles A. Flottman, perjury; Joseph Alburtis, furnishing liquor to minors; Emory R. Sourbeer and Charles J. Link, serious charges; Alma Keane, involuntary manslaughter; Harry Shisler, Earl Dolan, Jacob Derrick, Steph Catrago and George Kipple, serious charges; Charles Dorsey, felonious entry and larceny.

Friday. Theo. H. Moltz, involuntary manslaughter.

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SELECT 60 JURORS TO-DAY

Talesmen Picked to Serve at the Next Term of Common Pleas Court Beginning April 12

Sixty jurors who will serve at the next term of Common Pleas Court beginning on April 12, were picked by Commissioners Dapp and Taylor with Sheriff Wells, this morning. The list follows:

Ed D. Ruth, Highspire; James C. Sweitzer, Fourth ward, Steelton; Oliver Attick, Twelfth ward, city; Charles Beaver, Fourth ward, city; David F. Kinsey, Williamstown; John E. Wolley, Second ward, city; Milton E. Beamer, Second ward, city; Howard J. Peiffer, South Hanover; George A. Hicks, Hummelstown; John Anker, First ward, Steelton; Joseph G. McGord, South Hanover; Daniel Artz, Lykens; John P. Morgan, Sixth ward, city; John G. Brown, Susquehanna; William E. Messner, Seventh ward, city; Walter Trout, Lykens; William J. Jury, Halifax; Walter Houser, Second ward, Middletown; William U. Becker, Second ward, city; Josiah E. Brinser, Londonderry; James Bond, Seventh ward, city; Thomas Bowerman, Williamstown; Harry Eichler, Third ward, Steelton; Ferdinand Engle, Fifth ward, city; Otto Long, Lykens; Harry P. Hartzell, Teuth ward, city; Samuel A. Watts, Third ward, city; Charles Hartman, Lykens; Charles Dreibeis, Wisconsin; Daniel C. Hoke, Wisconsin.

William E. Sheen, Teuth ward, city; William Woodside, Lykens; Amos Matter, Lykens; Harry Ulrich, Halifax; Joseph E. Trego, Eighth ward, city; Lucien C. Schoffstall, Lykens; John W. Adams, Hummelstown; J. L. McCallej, Fifth ward, city; John H. Schaner, Lower Paxton; Walter E. Dietrich, Thirteenth ward, city; John Wolf, Second ward, Middletown; So. Kuhn, Eighth ward, city; Eugene J. Fogarty, Fifth ward, city; Edward H. Strohm, West Hanover; Harry L. Derr, Ninth ward, city; J. Frank Rohrer, First ward, city; Alfred C. Minnich, Lower Paxton; William F. Wright, Twelfth ward, city; William Church, Eleventh ward, city; Oscar Wentzel, Lykens township; Thomas J. Zell, Fourth ward, city; Joseph G. Early, Hummelstown; Charles Smith, Penbrook; David Hoover, East Hanover; Amos P. Henry, Susquehanna; Harvey Cratzer, Halifax; Joseph L. Leonard, Fifth ward, city; John H. Freeland, Middle Paxton; John C. Kinley, Wisconsin township; Henry H. Lehr, Susquehanna.

Circumstantial. "Patricia denied that young Wasserby kissed her in the consistory, but the evidence was against her."

"How so?" "There was a large hole in her complexion on the left side of her face."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

His Talents. "What makes you think Daubber will succeed as a painter?" "He has the soul of an artist and the perseverance of a book agent."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Harrisburg Hospital is open daily except Sunday, between 1 and 2 o'clock p. m. for dispensing medical advice and prescriptions to those unable to pay for them.

Legal

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Commonwealth B. and L. Association will be held on Monday evening, March 15, at 18 N. Third St. Election of officers and reading annual report. By order, J. T. W. McLAUGHLIN, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on March 22nd, 1915, under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Capital City Baking Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of bread, rolls, cakes, pies and all other baked products, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of Assembly and the supplements thereto. FOX & GYELER, Solicitors.

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