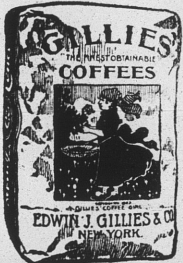




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Clerk of Courts—Milton H. Fike.  
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Coroner—Dr. S. J. H. Louthier.

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County Auditors—W. H. H. Baker, Rockwood; J. S. Miller, Friedens; Geo. Steinbaugh, Stoyestown.

Superintendent of Schools—D. W. Seibert.

County Surveyor—A. E. Rayman.

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A Good man is bound to always get to the top, like the big strawberries in the box.

At present there are a number of "safe and sane" statesmen just crazy to be President.

For an impressive illustration of the phrase "making up for lost time," just note what the weather is doing.

CALIFORNIA has just put up a fresh instance of the "ratio" in the robbery of sixteen passengers by one highwayman.

From the amount of heat "Old Sol" has been giving out lately, he has evidently had those spots removed from his face.

If your neighbors have commenced borrowing your lawn mower, it's a sign that they believe summer is here, even if you don't.

Mr. BRYAN seems to think that the only way he can avoid seeing the model Democrat, is to take all the mirrors out of the room.

INSTEAD of gargling after every fifth kiss, the average summer girl will content herself with doing the usual amount of giggling.

THAT nature writer who declared that Roosevelt is like a powder magazine ready to explode, should be more careful about making the sparks fly.

"OKLAHOMA is staunchly Democratic," says the Kansas City Star. We imagined as much from the amount of political squabbling and bickering going on there.

ON Sunday a Buffalo pastor entertained his congregation with a lecture on "To Hell and Back." The return trip especially interested all the Buffalonians.

AN Alabama bard sings of "The Poetry of Prunes," and the Washington Herald intimates, as we understand our contemporary, that he is evidently full of his subject.

THE danger of a row at the Hague conference is considerably lessened by the fact that there is no likelihood of anybody springing the question "What is a Democrat?"

ACCORDING to Dr. Kellogg, "every man, woman and child in the United States will be crazy in 300 years. Still, by that time, baseball may have lost some of its popularity.

AN American girl has just wed a Japanese gentleman. This will give the neighbors an opportunity to observe the relative merits of the two nationalities as fighters.

"We are for some good Democrat who can win," says the Montgomery Advertiser. And it probably isn't absolutely necessary that he be so very good, provided he can only win.

OMO's attorney general says he wants "to keep corporations in the state and see to it that they obey the laws of the state." No state asks more than this, and it does not seem unreasonable.

### SINCE the N. Y. World still appears to be receiving answers to the question "What is a Democrat?" we venture the suggestion that it is a male person who seldom acquires a sore throat as a result of cheering the election returns—

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is said to be very proud of Judge Landis, the able and fearless district Judge of Northern Illinois, who is going to fine the Standard Oil Company about \$29,000,000, which penalty, however heavy, is not commensurate with its black crimes and sins. The Standard Oil Company firmly believes that this nation is a small affair beside the colossal oil company, and it is high time to find out whether the Standard Oil Company is to own this country or the people. The Interstate Commerce Commission, which recently investigated and reported on the Standard Oil Company, said they have employed methods but little short of highway robbery, and were, in fact, guilty of nearly all the crimes of the decalogue. Judge Landis seems to be a judge above being bribed, and when Landis and Roosevelt shall have brought this "insolent monster to its knees, and brained it," we will indulge in some more hero worship.

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### THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

This is the 4th of July. That's why We celebrate In every state.

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### The Farm Labor Famine.

The pressing demand for farm labor is not confined to the far western states, but the densely populated eastern states are asking for more help on the farm so that the crops may be adequately taken care of. The scarcity of this kind of labor is most marked in the state of New York. The state department of agriculture has been unable to obtain the requisite number of farm laborers within the state, and in this predicament has sent a special agent to Europe to do missionary work. A like movement has been inaugurated in several of the southern states where tillers of the soil are in immediate demand. In the western and northwestern states there is an actual famine in labor, and Kansas is attracting a contingent of the small number of the unemployed in this busy land by offering harvest hands \$3 a day and board.

With these conditions existing there is no excuse for the idle man, or the one who complains that he cannot get work. The trouble, however, with the idle class in the cities is, they do not want work; they are constitutionally opposed to any exertion stronger than pulling a cigarette. Another class is the hopeless hobo or tramp who beats his way through life with as much indifference as the chronic loafer and sponger. These are about the only idle persons to be observed at this time, and as they are wholly shiftless, without energy or sense to "come in out of the rain," they cannot be enticed to work by the promise of the unusual rewards held out by the farmers.—Pittsburg Gazette Times.

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The bank began doing business in a modest sort of a way, but by energetic management, which at the same time has always been most careful and conservative, the growth of its business has been phenomenal. The last statement of this bank shows assets of \$1,305,195.64, and its present surplus fund is \$70,000.00.

There are good reasons why the First National Bank of Frostburg is a prosperous and safe financial institution. Its officers and directors are not only men of rare courtesy, but also men of recognized business ability, and men who have the welfare of the bank's patrons as much at heart as their own. They are always ready and willing to extend to their patrons any and every courtesy and accommodation consistent with safe banking, give them good advice, and assist them in business matters generally. Besides, their banking equipments are of the best that money can buy. The vault is fire and burglar proof, and to make safety doubly safe, a night watchman is employed to keep an eagle eye on the bank and its fixtures.

The First National Bank of Frostburg, Md., numbers among its patrons many people residing in adjoining states. Many of THE STAR's readers are included among them, and they all know the truth contained in this mention of one of their favorite paper's most worthy patrons.

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### Dead Man Found Near Garrett—Foul Play Suspected.

Sunday last an umbrella "fixer" at Garrett decided to go up Pine run and wash up his underclothes. About a mile out he found the body of a man lying in the creek. The coat and vest were missing, as was the hat. He came back to town and gave the alarm, and many citizens went out to the place and viewed the remains. The county authorities were called up by phone and notified. Squire A. J. McKenzie held the inquest. As no visible marks of foul play were found by the attending physician, there was only a decision in accord with the facts. By direction of the County Poor Board, the body was buried near the spot it was found.

The Monday papers contained the above facts, and the further one that a letter was found on his person written by his sister Carrie on the stationery of the State Senate, but no full name appeared on the letter. When this was read in the city, it occurred to a Bridge Company that the dead man might probably be one of their men. Accordingly they sent one of their men on to Garrett to identify the remains. The body was exhumed and found to be the missing bridge builder, H. Frank McKee. It was then thought that the death might have been due from exposure, or perhaps alcoholism, or sudden sickness, but the mystery of the missing hat, coat and vest still hinted to foul play. No money was found on his person.

The body was sent to Meyersdale to be prepared for shipment to Beaver Falls, Pa., the dead man's home. In preparing it for shipment, Mr. Clarke says he found a hole in the left breast, probably a gun shot wound. It is likely there will be a more critical examination when the body arrives at its destination. It was shipped on Duquesne, Tuesday night. The mystery is still unsolved.—Meyersdale Commercial.

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