

## THE LATEST NEWS FROM DIFFERENT QUARTERS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH

CRISP NEWS, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, WRITTEN ESPECIALLY  
FOR THE MANY READERS OF THE CITIZEN.

### AGED 77; HE IS A THIEF.

Frederick Lewis, of New York City, charged with larceny of \$13,000. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—Frederick Lewis, seventy-seven years old, is a prisoner here, charged with grand larceny in New York whereby, it is alleged, he appropriated \$13,000 to his own use.

He was traced to this city and was arrested at a boarding-house. His aged wife was with him. It is alleged the money involved was to be used in a real estate deal, and was given to Lewis to be held in trust.

### DEFEATED CANDIDATE LEFT.

Did Not Want to Belong to Fire Company Unless Made Trustee. GLENOLDEN, Pa., Nov. 6.—Frank Sweeney, president of Glenolden Council, resigned from the Glenolden fire company last night, after he was defeated as a candidate for one of the two offices as trustee, which were successfully contested for by Dr. W. F. Elgin and Dr. William Hammond, who were candidates to succeed themselves.

The other contests were for the positions of financial secretary and recording secretary. Fred M. Bon-sall, the present incumbent, was re-elected recording secretary over John S. Kenney. Lawrence Cox was re-elected, his opponent, Chas. M. Hazzard, withdrawing. William J. Shetline was elected president, C. A. Wigmore vice president, Geo. B. Johnson treasurer; Thomas J. Fitzsimmons, chief; D. A. Meckert, first assistant, and William H. Brooks, second assistant.

Surface Predicts Great Orchards. HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 6.—In closing the conference of State orchard inspectors to-day State Zoologist Surface stated that he expected the area of orchards to be largely increased this year, and he hopes to establish demonstration orchards in every county. He predicted that Pennsylvania would be a great fruit-growing state in a few years because of the extensive orchard planting being done now.

York Road Marriages. HATBORO, Pa., Nov. 6.—Announcement is made of the wedding of Robert Gilbert, of Perkasio, and Miss Marietta Soliday, of South Perkasio, at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gilbert. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert on their return from a tour will live at Perkasio.

The marriage of Miss Clara Christman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Christman, of Trumbauersville, to Charles H. Ort, of Philadelphia, an attorney, is announced, the event taking place at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's maid of honor was Miss Bertha L. Crenz, of Philadelphia, and the best man was Robert L. Christman. Mr. and Mrs. Ort will live in Philadelphia.

Hunter's Body Found on Island. CHESTER, Pa., Nov. 6.—The body of a white man was found early this morning on Pancake Island, near Essington, by William Miller, a gunner. The fact that several empty pay envelopes bearing the name M. S. Pherson, No. 87, were found in a pocket, leads to the belief that he was a foreman and had been robbed. The body was badly decomposed. Deputy Coroner Drewes, of Darby, thinks that it had been in the water for at least two months. The body was that of a man weighing 200 pounds and measuring six feet two inches in height. He had apparently been gunning for reed birds.

Free Lunches to Be Curtailed. READING, Pa., Nov. 6.—Free lunches in Reading and Berks county saloons, other than bits of pretzels and cheese, and "growlers" containing more than one quart, will have to be abolished, according to a letter sent to all wholesale and retail dealers to-day by the Berks County Retail Dealers' Association. The letter calls the attention of the dealers to the law on the subject.

### METHODISTS TO STORM CITIES.

Missionary Committee Decides on Vigorous Campaign.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Nov. 6.—A revival of interest in city and county evangelization was urged to-day by the general committee on home missions and church extension work of the Methodist church, which is holding its annual session here. The committee reported:

"There absolutely must be increased interest in the problem of city evangelization. Being fully convinced, the board proposes to inaugurate a campaign more vigorous and aggressive than ever."

Referring to conditions in the country, this statement is made: "Methodism by its circuit system is well adapted to country evangelization. We recommend the revival of the circuit system which proved so useful in the days of our fathers."

"Country churches are in many places being constantly weakened by emigration to the city, and the city is gathering many of its best

and useful members from country charges.

"These country charges that are suffering from emigration must be held, even where foreigners are taking the place of English-speaking people. We should care for such charges by the appointment of plurilingual preachers and hold the ground until the public schools have taught the children of the foreigners the English language."

The total gifts during the year for home missions from all sources, including special items, was \$685,153.09, as against \$623,480.94, an increase of \$61,672.15. Church extension shows total receipts from gifts amounting to \$183,131.18, as against \$229,725.27 last year, a loss of \$46,594.09.

### LOCAL TROLLEY CO. APPEALS.

President Kruger to Confer Over Riding on Platforms.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 6.—President Kruger, of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, has asked for a conference with the State Railroad Commission on the subject of the regulation prohibiting the carrying of passengers on front platforms of trolley cars, and 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon has been fixed for the meeting.

Mr. Kruger will be accompanied by Attorney E. A. Ballard. The nature of President Kruger's mission is not known, but it is thought to have some relation to the fact that the commission has had a number of complaints that the Philadelphia trolley concern was not obeying the regulation.

### SMILES AT LONG SENTENCE.

Thinks it is Real Funny to be Sentenced to Thirty-three Years.

LANCASTER, Pa., Nov. 6.—Albert Langer, the young New York desperado, who recently shot and dangerously wounded Constable Andrew Keesey, of this city, while the latter had him under arrest for illegally selling liquor, to-day pleaded guilty to assaulting the officer, and also to six other indictments charging burglary and larceny.

Judge Hassler sentenced him to solitary confinement in the Eastern Penitentiary for maximum term aggregating thirty-three years and a minimum of eight years and three months. Langer received his sentence smilingly.

### LOOSE HORSE HAD RABIES.

Kicked Its Way Out of Stable and Tried to Enter Kitchen.

CHESTER, Pa., Nov. 6.—A horse belonging to Benjamin Moore, a Norwood merchant, was stricken with hydrophobia during the night. Its shrieks and kicks against the walls of the stable aroused the neighborhood. It succeeded in getting out and made a frantic effort to enter the kitchen of Moore's home. Moore shot the animal several times with a revolver, but the bullets seemed to have but little effect. Hearing the shots, William Macneal and Clifford Bonsall came to Moore's assistance and killed the animal with a shot gun.

Thinking that chicken thieves were about, Harry Dieffenbach ran to his bedroom window with gun in hand. Looking out he saw a man running past the house. "Stop," he yelled,

"another step and I'll shoot." The runner, Harry Halderman, who was on his way to the scene of the excitement, disclosed his identity to Dieffenbach and continued on his way.

### FARMER AND THE CENSUS.

Some Points for Farmers to Prepare for the Enumerator.

The thirteenth general census of the United States will be taken next year, beginning April 15. About 65,000 enumerators will then engage in the task of counting every man, woman and child in the country, and of ascertaining for each individual the color, sex, conjugal relation, place of birth of parents, number of years in the United States, citizenship, occupation, etc.

In addition Congress has provided for the collection of detailed information concerning the three principal productive industries of the country—agriculture, manufactures and mines and quarries. These three branches of industry represent so large a proportion of the total wealth of the country that their progress from decade to decade is an accurate index of the development of the country as a whole.

Notwithstanding the value of the census of population for the purpose of reapportioning representation in Congress, and the value of the manufacturing statistics, the census of agriculture is regarded as of the greatest importance to the country.

The census of 1900 showed that the United States is still primarily an agricultural country. The total value of farm property was nearly twenty and one-half billion dollars, a sum more than twice that of the aggregate capital invested in manufactures.

Population can always be estimated with a fair degree of accuracy. Manufacturing is so highly organized that it is comparatively easy to get information as to its capital and products. But agriculture is the great unorganized industry with respect to book records of its operations.

More than 7,000,000 farmers are conducting operations on separate farms at the present time. Their products are marketed at all seasons of the year, under all sorts of conditions, and at a widely varying range of prices. New lands, new crops, new methods and new processes are constantly modifying conditions and affecting the net result to an unknown extent.

Therefore, while the Department of Agriculture keeps in close touch with every phase of farm life, so vast is the industry and so intangible are many of the elements and conditions affecting farm operations that the crop and other estimates of the department would become practically valueless if not regularly revised in the light of the census returns.

The farm census is taken primarily for the benefit of the farmer, but it is of interest to all classes, and especially just now. To what extent the very marked increase during recent years in the cost of living, and especially in the cost of certain kinds of farm produce, is due to shortage in production, is a question of vital moment.

A complete and accurate census of farm areas, products and values will furnish the data which, in connection with the revised population figures, should throw much light on the great question of our national food supply.

It lies with the farmer to provide this information, and the census department is making a special appeal to him to get ready for the enumerators. By preparing an accurate account of his farm operations during the year ending Dec. 31, 1909, and by making an inventory on Apr. 15, 1910, of all his farm possessions,

the farmer can render the country a great service.

The schedule which the farmer will be asked to fill may be divided into five parts, as follows:

1. Personal information regarding the farmer.
2. General information regarding farm acreage, values and expenses.
3. A statement of the acreage, yield and value of all farm crops harvested in 1909, and of all animal products—that is, dairy products, eggs, live stock, etc.
4. An inventory of all live stock, including poultry and bees, on hand April 15, 1910.
5. Miscellaneous information.

With the practical co-operation of the farmers of the country in preparing in advance accurate records of their products and property, the census of 1910 should contain the most interesting statistics of agriculture ever published.

### SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS

On the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

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Paul a Prisoner in Rome. Acts xxviii:11-31.

Golden Text—I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth. Romans 1:16.

Verses 11-13—Where are the places located, which are mentioned in these verses? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

How long did they stay at Melita after their shipwreck on that island?

Which to the average man, is the hardest thing to do; to wait, or to go on; to be compelled to rest, or be compelled to work, to have patience or to hurry?

Is it as sinful to work when you ought to rest, as it is to rest when you ought to work?

Here are two ships from Alexandria and bound for Italy, the one Paul sailed in and the "Castor and Pollux" and both apparently were compelled to put into Melita; one was wrecked by so doing, while the other landed and wintered in safety; was it providence, or chance, or skill, or any other power, that caused the wreck of the one ship and the safety of the other?

Two young men, of apparently the same ability, go into the same kind of business, under similar circumstances, one of whom fails and the other succeeds—how do you account for it?

Verses 14—In Puteoli Paul found Christian brethren, and tarried with them seven days—which to-day, answering from actual experience, forms the closest and most practical bond of union and fellowship, when traveling, members of the same church, or members of the same fraternal society?

Verses 15—What relation in life is there more fraught with blessings, and that imparts more "courage," than true Christian fellowship?

Verses 16—Real Christians are found in all trades and professions, and among the rich and the poor, and may be some are in prison; now is it invariably the case that, like Paul here, they get more comfort out of their circumstances than do their fellows?

Verses 17-22—When we are as badly treated as the Jews treated Paul, in his own country, is it either wise or profitable, or politic, to speak of our enemies in as strong language as the facts warrant; or should we out of loving hearts mitigate their offence all we can, as Paul does here?

Christians were in those days much slandered, and were "everywhere spoken against"; are real Christians still spoken against?

Christianity is now becoming popular, is that an advantage or disadvantage?

Should we ever allow ourselves to speak against, or be prejudiced against any "sect" or society of which we have not got accurate or first hand knowledge?

Verses 23—What points would Paul be apt to emphasize concerning the "kingdom of God?"

Verses 24—Would those who believed Paul's testimony, be the religiously honest men, and those who disbelieved, the religiously dishonest men, or was it a mere matter of evidence and of the intellect?

Verses 25-29—If a man lives in sin, and his moral nature is deadened and perverted so that he does not recognize the truth, is he as guilty as a man who deliberately rejects it?

Is it a law of God that sin deadens the conscience and perverts the judgment, hence, can a man living in any kind of sin, trust his judgment on personal, moral and spiritual questions?

Verses 30-31—Should every Christian home be used for preaching and teaching the kingdom of God?

Lesson for Sunday, Nov. 21st, 1909. Paul's Story of His Life. II Cor. xi:21 to xli:10.

Rolls Two Miles with Broken Leg. Rapid City, S. Dak.—Forced to roll over and over for a distance of two miles, with a leg and an arm broken, after he had been buried twice at the bottom of a shaft, both times digging himself out with his hands, was the experience of Bert Miller, a mining expert, who went to inspect a shaft at Silver City. The flesh on the fingers of his left hand was worn to the bone and amputation was necessary.

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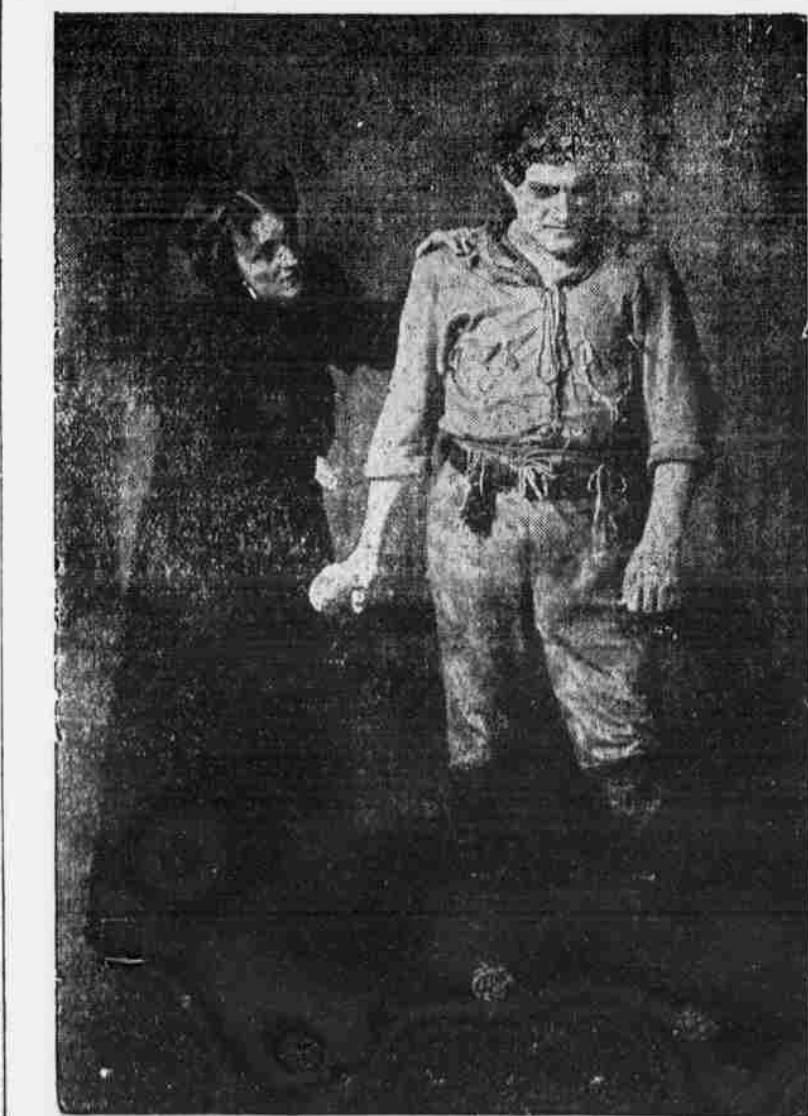


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