

WILL BUILD CHURCH AS MEMORIAL OF TITANIC.

Russian Orthodox Congregation Will
Have Notable Structure.

Ground will be broken in Philadelphia early in March for the erection of a new church to be built by St. Michael's Russian Orthodox church as a memorial to the victims of the Titanic disaster.

The ground on which the structure is to stand has been purchased, and if the present plans of the congregation are realized the cornerstone will be laid on April 14, the first anniversary of the sinking of the vessel.

The plans as submitted by the architects called for a \$45,000 structure. The congregation of the church and the rector, Rev. J. T. Krohnalney, hope, however, to secure sufficient funds to warrant the use of finer materials in the building. Following the idea of the Titanic memorial, the rector will shortly make an appeal to wealthy survivors of the wreck in several eastern cities. He has already stated that he intends to call upon Mrs. Russell Thayer, Mrs. George D. Widener and Vincent Astor.

A concert will be given in the Academy of Music by the cathedral kapella of the Russian Orthodox church of New York during the latter part of this month for the benefit of St. Michael's church. During the three years of the existence of the church services have been held in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Advent.

GOLD TEETH ARE THEIR BADGE

Lumberjacks to Be Known by Gilt
Crowned Ivories.

Lumbermen of the southern Appalachian mountains, known locally as "hicks" and elsewhere as lumberjacks, have adopted the suggestion that they have their eye teeth capped with gold as a mark to distinguish them from other men and identify themselves to one another.

The idea spread from Asheville, N. C., along the mountain chain through West Virginia and south to Georgia, and dentists have been busy providing gold crowns.

An Asheville dentist returned recently from a Smoky mountain lumber camp, where he had 100 customers. He did not cut off the teeth, but crowned them with gold. In no case was a crown needed.

PENSIONS FOR POOR MOTHERS

Washington to Pay \$15 a Month For
First Child and \$5 Each For Others.

Washington will be the first state to pay pensions to mothers. The Judiciary committee of the lower house has acted favorably on the bill, and a majority of house and senate favor its adoption.

The bill provides payment of \$15 a month for the support of the first child and \$5 monthly additional for each additional child of destitute mothers.

The house Judiciary committee has reported favorably a bill providing for the payment by the state or county of \$1.50 a day to destitute wives of inmates of penal institutions for the work of prisoners in prison or in road gangs. This law will cause a larger use of prisoners on state road work.

FIND UNIQUE JEWISH COLONY

Members Intermarry Before Twenty
and Divide With One Another.

A strange Jewish colony, practicing queer customs and peculiar rites and bearing many resemblances to a "lost tribe," has been found in Los Angeles by Dr. R. Farber, rabbi of Sinai temple.

The colony, which is composed of members of about thirty families, lives almost on a communistic scheme, and the members divide their wealth among themselves. They do not marry outside of their own number and adhere to the belief that it is immoral for a man to pass the age of twenty and be unmarried.

They came from Russia years ago and have been living here for some time unnoticed as a colony.

FIREPROOF POCKETS IN VOGUE

Philadelphia Smokers Use Asbestos
Lining While on Street Cars.

Philadelphia tailors are receiving orders from their customers that at least one asbestos pocket be placed in every suit and every overcoat they make as a result of the new "no smoking" rule of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company.

A widely known Walnut street tailor placed a large order for asbestos recently, and when asked if he had been employed to make an asbestos suit he explained:

"Why, some of my customers are bringing back their overcoats to have the asbestos pocket fixed. They want the pocket as a saving in cigar bills."

BANDITS USED FALSE HOOFS.

Ingenious Contrivances Are Found
Near Edge of Swamp.

What is believed to have been a safe blower's cache, discovered at the edge of a swamp near Long Beach, Cal., yielded several ingenious contrivances apparently intended to divert pursuit after the commission of a crime.

They were a pair of imitation horse hoofs carved out of pine and fitted with straps so that they could be adjusted to a pair of shoes. An imitation cow's hoof fastened to a cane evidently was intended to be used in conjunction with the others to help give the impression of a man on horseback driving a cow.

DREAD DISEASE IS REPORTED

Infection Fought on All Frontiers
Now Found in Interior.

FOLLOWING is the startling report made by the Survey, a publication of New York:

"An enemy which the United States has fought at ports of entry and on its far frontiers has suddenly appeared in our very midst. The dread invader is trachoma. Its victims we have long seen among Alaskan natives, our own reservation Indians and the immigrants at our gates. But now we find that the disease has stolen a march on us and made our own American stock its prey. The foothold it has gained puts it in a position to menace the nation.

"Down in the beautiful mountains of Kentucky live a people of the purest American ancestry. Stalwart, brave, enduring, unmixed with other blood, they show the sturdiness of the pioneers who followed Boone to the virgin wilds beyond the ranges. The mighty train of American development has swept by, leaving them sidetracked, forgotten, neglected, in the hills of their adoption, an unknown people in the midst of a busy, careless nation.

"The poorer among them live for the most part in small and sparsely scattered log cabins. Families number usually ten to fifteen members, all of whom eat, sleep and live together in the one room of the cabin. The common wash basin outside the door is often a large stone with a hollow in its surface, difficult to empty or to clean. To this each user contributes his share of germs. Hanging next to it is the large family towel, which is on duty for days in succession.

Live In Windowless Cabins.

"Cabins have no windows at all or small ones at best, and all openings are scrupulously closed at night in the winter time. Ventilation is of the poorest at any time. Close intermarriage, lack of even rudimentary sanitation and monotonous, ill suited diet predispose children to many ills, including tuberculosis and other infectious diseases. Ringworm of the scalp, uncorrected defects of vision, adenoids and enlarged tonsils and hookworm infection are common. The unkempt and neglected condition of these children is pitiable. Many are mentally backward and defective. The typical mountaineer, however, is usually intelligent and wide awake even though illiterate.

"The social and economic needs of these mountaineers of Kentucky, Tennessee, Carolina and Virginia are beginning to be recognized. But it has remained for Dr. John McMullen of the federal public health service to call attention to a most serious danger now menacing them. In a recent investigation he found trachoma present to an alarming and unsuspected degree and the blindness and defective vision resulting from it responsible for an incalculable impairment of social, economic and intellectual efficiency.

Trachoma a Communicable Ill.

"Trachoma is a communicable disease of the eyelids which, if untreated, usually progresses to blindness and practically always causes interference with vision. Among 4,000 persons examined Dr. McMullen found that 500, or 12½ per cent, had trachoma. From 3 to 15 per cent of the school children were affected. One of the important factors in the spread of the disease is the common family towel. Most of

PROPOSES TO DR. ANNA SHAW IN MIDST OF HER SPEECH

Suffragists' Meeting Thrown Into
Chaos by Man's Bold Act.

A meeting of suffragettes at the Danielson theater, Danielson, Conn., recently was thrown into confusion when a farmer from Mechanicville, who said he was John Frisbie, interrupted Dr. Anna Howard Shaw of the National Suffragette association in the middle of her address and coolly proposed marriage to her.

"Just a minute," cried Frisbie, interrupting the suffragette leader: "I have been a widower for eighteen years. Will you marry me and make me happy?"

Dr. Shaw was quite evidently unnerved and stood speechless for a moment or two. Then she recovered her faculties.

"I don't want a wedding ring. All I want is the vote," she cried dramatically.

TAR SOLED SHOES AGED 20.

New London Man Wears Footgear For
Years and Years.

Twenty years ago Alderman Charles E. Perkins of New London, Conn., had a pair of square toed shoes made. He treated the soles to a special preparation of tar. Then he wore the shoes steadily for six years.

After a few years' vacation they were brought out and saw daily use for three years. Then Perkins had them topped and put them away. Now he's wearing them again.

OF TRACHOMA INVADING THE U.S.

Kentucky Mountaineers Who
Live In Bad Surroundings
Suffer Most.

the cases receive no treatment, and each case becomes a local focus of contagion. It appears that the disease must be of long standing in these mountains and that it is getting progressively worse.

"Trachoma is chronic and persistent. Treatment for it must be long continued and carried on with unremitting care. To prevent its spread among the southern mountaineers Dr. McMullen emphasizes the need of a campaign to show the importance of sanitation, fresh air, clean homes and personal hygiene. Stereopticon lectures in public buildings and schools will help. Visiting nurses and social workers are needed to preach the gospel of sanitation in the individual home. Other social agencies must be organized to include the entire affected territory. Especially among school children cases of trachoma should be isolated. Schools must be properly lighted and ventilated.

Need of Public Clinics.

"Actual care and cure of existing cases offer the greatest problem. Public clinics ought to be established similar to the one now conducted by Dr. J. A. Stucky under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. settlement school at Hindman, Ky. Movable field hospitals in connection with these clinics could afford surgical treatment to cases requiring it. The same cases and territory should be covered periodically by district visiting nurses. Great patience and long continued effort, as well as much money, will be needed to eradicate trachoma from these mountains. But with perseverance and enthusiasm the task can be accomplished.

"Trachoma has been found most destructive among the American Indians, particularly among those leading a reservation life. In some of the reservations in the southwest trachoma is found in 85 per cent of the Indians. Over 6,000 Indians were treated in 1911 for trachoma, and at the trachoma hospital of the Indian service at Phoenix, Ariz., over 800 were operated upon and treated.

Diseases of Alaskan Indians.

"Dr. M. H. Foster in a report to the secretary of the treasury on Jan. 23 stated that of 1,364 Alaskan natives examined by him 15.6 per cent had some eye trouble, and 7.2 per cent from all parts of Alaska suffered from trachoma. In some sections of the southwestern portion of Alaska the disease was present in 25 per cent of the native population. Dr. Foster urged the great need of a government home for blind natives in Alaska and the provision of some trade or occupation to relieve their present pitiful condition.

"Among immigrants 2,504 cases of trachoma were certified in the fiscal year 1911. At Ellis Island alone 718 cases were certified. Considering the pitiful conditions into which the disease throws its victims, the serious extent to which it is already prevalent in the country and its economic and social menace, effort to prevent the entrance of new cases and the establishment of new foci of contagion becomes imperative.

"Trachoma has been shown to be a public health problem of national concern. Prompt, persistent and energetic measures must be undertaken by local, state and national health officers to check its further spread and to eradicate it where it is already present."

BREED OF HUGE RABBITS AFFECTS THE FUR TRADE.

Giant Bunnies Are Seen at International
Farmyard Show at Paris.

The grand annual international farmyard show was held recently in the Grand palace of the Champs Elysees. It was the most important and interesting held for many years, containing 5,000 lots, exhibited by 900 producers.

A great feature of the show was the object lesson presented by a new race of gigantic rabbits of silver gray color, many of which weigh twenty-eight pounds and for breeding purposes fetch \$20 to \$30 apiece. These huge bunnies are revolutionizing the Paris fur trade for fashionable winter garments, muffins, trimmings, etc.

The best specimens of these wonderful evolutions of Br'er Rabbit are raised in Normandy and in Burgundy, and only a skilled expert can detect the difference between their skins and those of costly animals from Siberia and Alaska.

Never before either has such a rich variety of pigeons been seen in Paris. The section of golden pheasants is one of particularly dazzling brilliancy.

Boy Traps a Wildcat.

Walter Scott, a fourteen-year-old schoolboy of Chapman, Kan., caught a wildcat in a trap which he had set on the banks of the Smoky river. The cat is thirty-nine inches long and stands fifteen inches at the shoulder. It is a beautiful brown, with black spots scattered about over its body. It was put on exhibition in one of the local cafes.

WELL KEPT LAWNS ATTRACT HOMESEEKERS.

They Add Respectability and Cheerfulness
to Any Town.

A well kept, well planned lawn, with a few shrubs and flowers, repays in a large measure for the work expended in its care. A trim, orderly lawn and yard give one a feeling of self respect and satisfaction that helps to keep the daily work from becoming the daily grind. Then, too, where one resident of a block beautifies his surroundings others follow the good example, and in this way the movement spreads, and the entire town is made attractive. And attractive towns are what home seekers and manufacturers are looking for these days.

A scythe and mower, a hoe and rake, can transform an unkempt yard into a smooth green lawn. A bed of red geraniums adds beauty and is easily cared for. Bright spots of solid color add more to the appearance of a lawn than haphazard mixtures of flowers. Golden glow is a good lawn shrub. It is hardy and easily grown. It blooms late in the fall, when most flowers are gone. It grows very tall and is bright yellow. Salvia, a shrub bearing brilliant red flowers, is showy and very satisfactory.

Dahlias are acceptable for lawn use and can be had in a large variety of colors. For the small beds nasturtiums and sweet peas are excellent. The latter are better used as a screen or boundary and can be planted against the fence which marks the rear of the lawn. The lawn should be well fenced to keep chickens away from the grass. If not they ruin it in a short time. They have no business near the house.

In arranging for the summer flowers it is better not to cut up the expanse of grass into too many small beds, but have just a few spots of bright color. The flowers that are planted will need care. A few beds well tended are preferable to many half cared for. When making your plans don't map out more than you can manage.

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| RESOURCES | |
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| Loans and Discounts | \$165,577.72 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 18.06 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 50,000.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds | 742.92 |
| Bonds, Securities, etc. | 44,922.55 |
| Banking house, furniture, fixtures | 10,669.07 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) | 7,139.69 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 20,796.88 |
| Checks and other Cash Items | 24.60 |
| Notes of other National Banks | 125.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, notes, etc., and cents | 143.64 |
| LAWFUL MONEY HELD IN BANK | |
| VLT | |
| Legal-tender notes | 724.65 |
| Specie | 11,879.00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | 2,500.00 |
| TOTAL | \$314,329.29 |

| LIABILITIES | |
|---|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in | 50,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 5,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 2,066.71 |
| National Bank Notes outstanding | 49,000.00 |
| Due to State and Private Banks and bankers | 261.50 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 31,027.24 |
| Time Certificates of Deposit | 175,445.77 |
| Certified checks | 124.99 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 1,411.00 |
| TOTAL | \$314,329.29 |

State of Pennsylvania, County of Wayne, ss: I, M. J. Emery, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. J. EMERY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Feb., 1913. S. O. BORTNER, N. P.
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