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Now that the local American Legion Post has started the ball rolling for a fitting observance of Decoration Day it is the duty of every citizen of Patton to help along. The day is one of homage to the hero dead. An observance of it in a general way by all the people of a community demonstrates to all that that particular community is a good one in which to live. Prejudices and jealousies should never be permitted to enter community affairs.

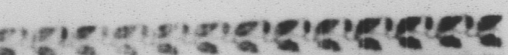
Let's all help make the Memorial Day observance in Patton this year the greatest in our history. We had fitting exercises last year and there is no reason why the same can't be repeated.

**SPECIALS**

For Friday and Saturday

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables of all kinds. See display

PATTON FRUIT PRODUCE CO.  
MILLER BLDG. PATTON, PA.



Winning character. It is an inviolable principle that it is hard to understand to get the result of duty devotion to duty.

Distinctly American Product. Indian corn, of make which is usually called corn, is native to America. Columbus introduced it in Europe.

Teacher's Rebuke. "What are you doing here?" said the teacher. "I was waiting for the child."

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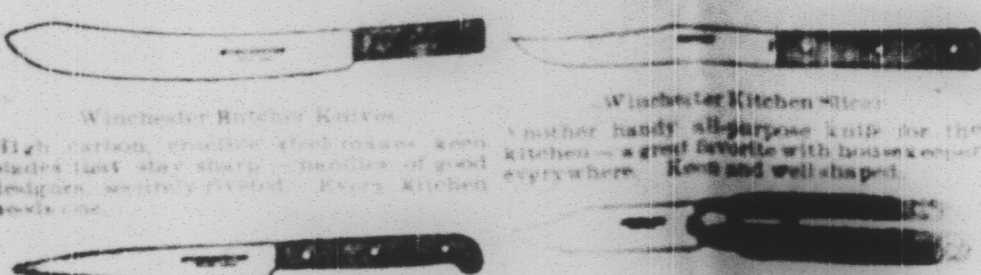
"these Winchester Knives stay sharp so long!"

SO say good housekeepers when they have used Winchester kitchen knives.

Blades of superior steel—hardened, tempered and sharpened to give just the right cutting edges. Comfortable handles shaped to fit the hand make work easier.

Made by the manufacturers of the famous Winchester guns.

**Seasonable Winchester Cutlery**



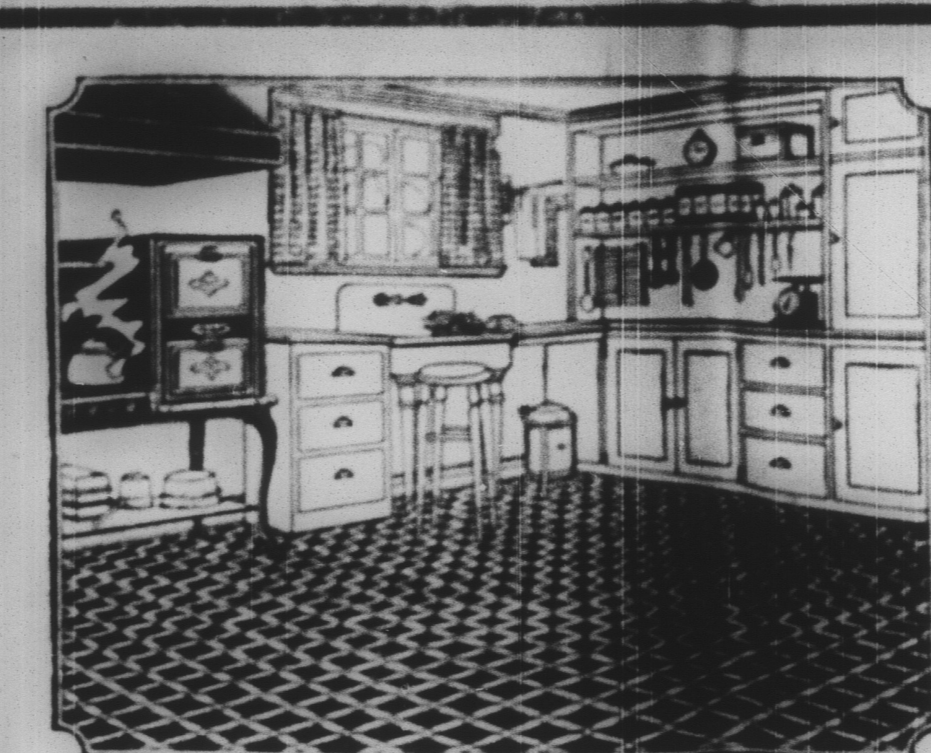
Winchester Butcher Knives. High carbon, stainless steel blades. Good handles. Serrated blades. Every kitchen needs one.

Winchester Kitchen Knives. Another handy all-purpose knife for the kitchen—a great favorite with housewives everywhere. Hand and well shaped.

Winchester Paring Knives. The "Saboteur" sharp blade is made of stainless steel. The handle is made of hard wood. The blade is sharp. Handles waterproof.

**Binder & Starrett Hardware**  
Patton, Pa.

THE WINCHESTER STORE



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IN summer your kitchen floor should be cool. But in winter, naturally, you want a warm floor. No floor meets these requirements so well as linoleum. It is made mainly of cork, the best non-conductor of heat known. In summer it is cool; in winter, warm. Because there are no cracks in a linoleum floor, it is warmer than the average wood floor.

Linoleum is sanitary and easy to clean—it saves you hours of scrubbing. It is comfortable to tired feet, a point to think of if you have to stand at your work. It is durable and inexpensive. Furthermore, every yard of

**Armstrong's Linoleum**

is guaranteed to give entire satisfaction. Our stock includes both printed patterns and inlaid designs that run clear through to the burlap back and last till the floor is completely worn out.

The Patton Furniture Company  
End of the Street Car Line

Dispenser of Happiness. If there is happiness in contributing to the happiness of others, the better suited ought to be one of the happiest men on earth.—Washington Star.

Only One Possible Victor. There are two sides to every question, but only one side can be the right side and only one side can come out on top.

**E. D. Pinkshaw**

Tinner - Roofer - Skylight and Furnace Worker

**Patton, Pa.**

Announce the opening of a shop in the above mentioned town, June 1st, carrying a complete line of roofing and tinning supplies. Also specializing in erecting of lighting rod equipment.

**Something to Think About**

By F. A. WALKER

**LOOKING BACKWARD.**

IN A Fifth Reader which I studied in a New Hampshire country school was a selection which began: "An aged man was standing at a window. I cannot remember any more of it verbatim but the story told was of the appeal of the old man to a star to give him back his youth."

As a boy the story had a peculiar effect upon me. I felt a great and sorrowful sympathy for the man who sought what it was impossible for him to attain, and I hoped profoundly that no one that I knew would ever have to seek from his star what he knew in advance could not be granted.

There is one picture that we all paint—rich or poor, successes or failures. It is the portrait of "The Man I Might Have Been."

We look back over our lives and see where we might have planned more wisely, acted more discreetly, budgeted more substantially.

There never was a man who, if he could have lived his life a second time, would not have varied it in some way. Very likely the second living would not have been so free from regret as the first but we are prone to think it would, because we "fatten" ourselves that we would have avoided the first mistakes.

A few people will change the course of a great stream. There are little things in our youth that have profound effects upon our manhood.

Who knows what would have happened to Abraham Lincoln if Mary Todd had not put him aside and married him because he was "deficient in those little things which go to make up the charm of a woman's happiness?"

But Lincoln was very fond of her and many times, perhaps, long years after she had refused him, he thought of "The Man I Might Have Been" but she married him.

You can imagine, too, that she must have thought sometimes of what would have been her history had she been the wife of the first Emancipator.

The man you might have been, which you picture with greater or less regret is only a fanciful being, perhaps less lovable, less capable of good, less fitted for your real tasks, than the man you are.

The man you are is a reality, and realities are the only things worth thinking much about.

Regrets never built much of a success. You have to add right action to get a substantial and worthwhile result.

Do not waste your time or worry your mind about "The Man I Might Have Been." Bow all your energies to the shaping of "The Man You Are Going to Be." He is in the making. He will be a reality. He is worth while worrying about, if we should worry about anything.

Don't say, "It is too late." It is never too late.

There is an excuse for everything but quitting. Just say over to yourself those two splendid lines that Healey was inspired to write:

"I was the master of my fate,  
I am the captain of my soul."  
And put the accent on the "I."

—Shakespeare.

In the Clouds.

"You never indulge in any of those old elegant references to the American ideal."

Now, I repeat Senator Sargent's "A man's constituents refuse to be interested just now in rights of citizenship, they are in a goodly number of cases in a goodly number of cases."



We have appropriate presents for Brides  
Sweet girl Graduates

And no time in his or her life can you better show your devotion for your son or daughter or close friend than when they graduate, we have this year beautiful and appropriate gifts, in Diamond rings, watches, Pearls, fountain pens and pencil, Umbrellas, Toilet sets, the new stone set bracelets, colored and fancy beads, the very latest, in fact our store is full of gifts for this season.

When asked, we shall be glad to help you make your selection. Our reputation in this community is such that when a present comes from us, the recipient is pleased to receive it.

**The Tozer Jewelry Co**

"GIFTS THAT LAST"  
OUR WORD IS OUR BOND  
THE STORE WITH THE STREET CLOCK

PATTON, PENNA.

"Doctoring" Heliotrope. The delicate heliotrope is scarce and unobtainable to the perfume. He detects in its odor, however, the aroma of vanilla combined with the sharper scent of bitter almonds. Therefore he adds to a fragrance of vanilla a small quantity of the otto of bitter almonds and rose and orange flower essence and thus easily makes extract of heliotrope.

Compensation. No one can do really good work without making money along with it. In this day and generation, when good workmen are at a premium, if you are a good workman, working for the love of your work as well as for its money value you may know that you will find your compensation in it. And it will be more than a money compensation, you may be very sure.

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"Waverly" Gasolines are the best. The good old fashioned kind. Clean and snappy. More miles. No carbon. No "wild" compounds. Take plenty air. Air cheaper than "gas." Easy starting. No back fire. City tank wagon delivery. Steel barrel and tank car shipments.

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The Sweet Girl Graduate and Her Brother  
They must keep fresh the Memories of Happy School Days.

Our stock of gift things is made up of carefully selected articles of charming character and lasting values that will express YOUR kind of best wishes to the Graduate.

Take a Kodak with you. With an Autographic Kodak, the date and title may be written on each film at the time the picture is made which adds much in years to come.



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MaGee Ave Patton, Pa.

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