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Our National Growth.

The changes wrought in the United States within the last century are graphically described by John Bach McMaster in a late issue of the Atlantic Monthly. He says that a citizen who wore a badge of mourning in memory of Washington lived at a time when our country nowhere touched the gulf of Mexico and nowhere crossed the Mississippi river, and when there were but 15 states in the union, none of them having a population of 1,000,000 souls, or a city of 50,000 inhabitants. The watchman with his rattle and lantern still went his rounds at night. Every citizen was required to serve on the watch and to keep in his house near the front door a number of leather buckets, with which he must hurry to any fire to which he might be summoned by the sound of the market or courthouse bell. Only two cities in the country at that time had waterworks. There were no omnibuses or horse cars. There were only 17 daily newspapers. There were no typewriters, no envelopes, no postage stamps, no letter boxes, no telephones, no electric lights, no blotting paper in those days, and it cost a quarter to send a letter from Boston to Washington.

A late president of one of our colleges once said: "The habit of standing idle, waiting for dead men's shoes, kills the life in many a rich man's son. It is a paralysis of body and mind. I can pick out nearly every boy in this college whose idea of life is to spend the money which somebody else has earned. His looks, his acts, his talk, are infected with a dry-rot." This was a harsh expression; but it represented useful lives, that lacked the vitality and healthful moral vigor that make men worthy of the highest respect, and useful members of society.

Maine has long noted for the thorough work it has attempted in prohibition, and now it purposes to add cigarettes to the forbidden articles, a bill before the legislature making the offense of manufacturing or selling them or offering them for sale punishable by a fine of \$50 or imprisonment for 60 days. Maine seems to be trying to win the banner for praiseworthy reformatory work.

It is reported that New Haven, Conn., is soon to have a society of those whose ancestors came from Great Britain and were entitled to display coat armor, according to the records of the Herald's college in London. This is but another evidence of the Anglomania of Americans. When a plain American gets pretty well off he begins to chin up his family tree, and if he hasn't got one he plants one to his liking.

The Ohio legislature is to consider a bill forbidding the promiscuous distribution by patent medicine vendors of pamphlets and bills describing the symptoms of disease. There are cases on record of well persons who have worried themselves into a decline over fancied symptoms suggested by such literature.

Fourteen balloonists were either killed or badly injured during 1896. Two of these unfortunate were women and both were killed. And yet some people keep on thinking that is the only way to rise in the world.

An eccentric Biddeford (Me.) man has lived on an apple a day for a month.

That mince meat at A. Oswald's makes delicious pies.

Observe Arbor Day.

From the Philadelphia Times.
Friday, April 23, has been designated by Governor Hastings as Arbor Day in Pennsylvania, and we are glad to notice the growing interest that is exhibited not only by the people generally, but especially in the schools, in the planting of trees in every part of the country. There is great suffering and often loss of millions of property resulting solely from the reckless destruction of our forests, and the appalling loss of life and property along the Mississippi at this time is very largely the result of the destruction of timber along the rivers which unite to make up the Father of Waters.

In no state is there greater need for the general planting of trees than in Pennsylvania. Systematic efforts should be made to restore great forests by planting. If this policy could be carried out generally in sections where the land cannot be more profitably employed, the next generation would realize the most beneficial fruits and the question of forestry should therefore enlist the active interests of every patriotic citizen. In addition to the necessity of reproducing forests to a large extent in Pennsylvania, there is another and more pleasing duty in connection with the growth of trees and shrubbery about the homes of the state. There is no excuse for even the humblest home in Pennsylvania being shadeful or fruitless. It does not require wealth to produce bounty and beauty around any home in our climate. The fields and the hills are studded with trees and flowers which would furnish grateful shade and beauty to the homes of the land, and our fruit trees should be round in abundance wherever there is a habitation.

We are especially gratified at the interest taken in Arbor Day by the schools in this city and other sections of the state. It should be part of the teaching of every child to make home beautiful and sacred by the planting of trees, shrubs, flowers and fruits. It should be taught not only as a duty, but as a most delightful and refined enjoyment. When Arbor Day is observed by children planting their trees and flowers they will ever be interested in them, and must grow up with a most wholesome and gratifying appreciation of the value of shades and flowers about the home.

Let Arbor Day be observed generally not only in city, but in country, especially should it be observed in portions of the state where great forests have been destroyed and new forests could be created with little labor. The observance of Arbor Day is not only a public necessity, but it will teach even new and better appreciation of the duties and blessings of life. Let every man, woman and child in Pennsylvania remember that two weeks hence, Friday, the 23d instant, will be the second Arbor Day in this state, and let it be well improved.

LONDON STREET NAMES.

In Mincing lane was once a convent of the Minchuns, the old English feminine for monk; the Minories was the site of the old convent of St. Clare, the nuns of which were called "Sorores Minores" and came to be known as "Miniores."

The Knights guild, a company of 13 knights to whom King Edgar granted land in the neighborhood, is responsible for Nightengale lane, and Crutched Friars is in memory of the crouched or crossed friars, so called from the red cross on their robes, who had a monastery there.

Miles lane is a corruption of St. Michael's lane; Marke lane for Mart (market) lane; Sermon lane for Shermoneyer, the locality of the "Shermoneys," who sheared or clipped bullock into shape for coining at the exchange near by; Sise lane for St. Osyth's lane; Gutter lane for Guthrun lane, from a Dane who owned property there.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Two cupfuls equal one pint.
Four cupfuls equal one quart.
Two cupfuls solid butter equal one pound.
One pint milk or water equals one pound.
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Two cupfuls granulated sugar equal one pound.
Twelve teaspoonfuls dry material equal one cupful.
Sixteen tablespoonfuls liquid equal one cupful.
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Wassill's Second Attempt to Escape.

Warden Boland on Thursday discovered another attempt to rescue "Terrible Pete" Wassill, the alleged murderer, who, with the assistance of friends on the outside, recently made a daring attempt to break jail. "Terrible Pete" made an attempt to liberate himself from cell No. 7 by removing screws from the hinges of the door. He was, however, detected in this work by one of the watchmen and was removed to cell No. 3. The same night he was discovered prying at the stone and brick work in the cell in an effort, evidently, to make a hole large enough for admission of his body.

The most important development tending to show that an outside gang is still at work was a letter addressed to Wassill and which was opened by the warden. It was written in Polish. It disclosed a daring plan which was to the effect that Wassill should make an attempt to converse with some of his fellow-prisoners and induce them to assist in the scheme. Each day the warden has been in the habit of letting out some of the prisoners in the jail-yard for an airing and exercise and Wassill was to get a squad of these to overpower the watchman and kill him if necessary, and in the confusion Wassill was to escape.

He was to be sent some strong acid, which would eat away the door hinges and make them brittle enough to break. Warden Boland was started at this new development and immediately set to work to devise some means to nip the new plot. He gave orders that Wassill is to be confined in a new cell every day and that none but the watchmen shall know where he is.

If he is again discovered in an attempt to get out of his cell by prying at the locks or walls he will be handcuffed and manacled. No visitors will be allowed to see him, and every precaution will be taken to prevent him doing any damage.

Human Bones Found.

An interesting discovery was made on Friday at Wyoming, on the scene of the recent cave-in over the Mt. Lookout colliery. The cave broke off a sewer, and since then the water has worked a large hole below the mouth of the sewer. While Will Weaver and others were standing nearby, a skull was seen floating about and the boys drew it out. Subsequently they made further investigation and found a sufficient number of bones to fill a basket. Among the collection are two skulls. In the back of one is a hole that looks as if it had been made by a bullet. The bones are in good state of preservation, one especially, a jaw-bone, which has a number of well-preserved teeth in it.

The bones will be presented to the Wyoming Historical and Geological Society, of Wilkesbarre. It is thought the bones are those of two victims of the Wyoming massacre, in 1778.

Claims to Be Tired of Life.

The Pittston police are looking for John Monaghan, either dead or alive. The other night they found the following letter on the street: "Whoever will find my body will notify my friends in Scranton. Martin Monaghan, 1607 Price street, is my uncle, also Thomas Barrett, of the South Side, is another uncle of mine. If they won't bury my body it can be used by Dr. Carroll, of Hyde Park, or his brother, Dr. Michael Carroll, of Plymouth, to experiment on. I am tired of living. Good-bye to everybody. John Monaghan."

Inquiry at Scranton elicited the fact that Monaghan had left his home there several days ago and had not been seen since. About a year ago he threatened to kill himself. The police are puzzled to know whether Monaghan threw the letter away or dropped it.

New Duties for Constables.

The governor has approved the bill making township constables fire wardens, and providing that they shall report all forest fires to the court, and assist in the extinction of all such fires. Just what effect this will have in preventing the destruction of forests by fire can hardly be estimated at this time, but we should think that a good township constable would not find it a very hard matter to detect and arrest the predators who have for many years gone unpunished in this state, to the great loss of property owners, and the injury of the state.

Bookkeepers' Watery Grave.

On Saturday while some miners were walking near the Shenandoah reservoir they found the body of Harry Harrison, aged 28 years, a bookkeeper for the Charles D. Kaler Brewing Company, of Mahanoy City, drowned in the reservoir. The young man had complained of not feeling well lately. He left his boarding house the day previous, and was not seen again until his body was found in the water. Young Harrison was over-studious, which affected his health.

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as I had heard of it doing others so much good, so my husband went to Thompson & Wood's Drug Store, in Bradford, and purchased a bottle and it certainly was a God-send to me. From the very first it seemed to help me, the pain I had endured constantly began to leave me, my appetite improved, and before long I was around the house doing considerable work. In short, had it not been for Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy I believe I should have been in my grave today. I hope every one suffering from disease, especially women, will try this valuable medicine. I know of many here who are using Favorite Remedy since it helped me so much, and in every case it has proved its great value."

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