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IN many ways the PRESS is little different from the large number of weekly newspapers that are published all over the state and country. In some essential ways, however, we believe that it is very different from the vast majority of such papers. During the next few months it is our plan to discuss, in these columns, different subjects relative to the different phases of the paper from the editor's point of view. We invite the attention of all our subscribers and readers to the discussions, in view of our coming to know each other better and making a better paper. The subject for the next issue will be "The Field the PRESS Covers."

WE beg to inform our readers that the article in last week's issue regarding the Christmas exercises at the Hershey Industrial School was written by Mr. F. B. Snavely who, with others, was in attendance at the exercises of the school.

McCLURE'S Magazine for January contains a review of the McNamara case "from the first clue to the confession." It is Detective Burns' review of the case and gives the details of the way in which that remarkable man traced the guilty parties from one end of the country to the other. In a similar article published several months ago in the same magazine, Mr. Burns told, and in minute detail, even before the trial, the things that were confessed by the brothers. Both articles are well worth reading.

BEGINNING January 1, several associations of traveling men have taken a stand against "tipping." Because of the numbers of the men in the different associations this move will undoubtedly have a marked effect. It will be of interest to watch the outcome of the movement.

PRESIDENT Taft had his spirit of hospitality taxed on New Year's night. At the reception at the White House he shook hands with 8092 persons.

"LIFE" suggests that we put our New Year resolutions on ice; then they may last until spring. Pretty good.

People Will Talk

YOU may get through the world but 'twill be very slow
If you listen to all that is said as you go;

You'll be worried and fretted, and kept in a stew

For meddlesome tongues must have something to do—

And people will talk.

If quiet and modest, you'll have it presumed

That your humble position is only assumed.

You're a wolf in sheep's clothing, or else your a fool;

But don't get excited—keep perfectly cool—

For people will talk.

And then if you show the least boldness of heart,

Or a slight inclination to take your own part,

They will call you an upstart, conceited and vain,

But keep straight ahead—don't stop to explain—

For people will talk.

If threadbare your dress and old-fashioned your hat—

Someone will surely take notice of that,

And hint rather strong that you can't pay your way;

But don't get excited whatever they say—

For people will talk.

If your dress is in fashion, don't think to escape,

For they criticize then in a different shape—

You're ahead of your means, or your tailor's unpaid;

But mind your own business, there's naught to be made—

For people will talk.

Now, the best way to do is to do as you please,

For your mind, if you have one, will then be at ease,

Of course, you will meet with all sorts of abuse;

But don't think to stop them—it's not any use—

For people will talk.

Two Cassel Farms Sold

TWO of the three farms of the late Christian Cassel, located in West Hanover township, have been sold by the executors at private sale. In neither case was the price made public. The farm known as the George Runyan farm, near Linglestown, was sold to George R. Cassel, of Hummelstown. It consists of 168 acres. Calvin S. Cassel purchased the old homestead farm.

Union Deposit

College Students Return to Work. Rural Carriers Enjoy a Day's Vacation

UNION DEPOSIT, January 4.

MISS BESSIE ALLWINE left on Tuesday for the Bloomsburg State Normal School, after spending the Christmas vacation at home. She is a senior and will graduate in June. Her sister Mary who is a middler at Shippensburg also returned to school.

Enos A. Fackler and family, of Elizabethtown, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fackler.

Ira D. Shoop and wife, of Pen Argyl, where he is employed as a teacher, spent the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Rev. Romig opened revival services in the U. B. Church on Sunday night. Watchnight services were held the same evening in this church by the pastor and congregation.

The Lutheran and Reformed Sunday Schools elected their officers on Sunday for the next year.

The public schools were closed on New Year's Day.

The rural carriers were off on Monday and greatly enjoyed the day, after going through a siege of mud and rough roads as they have done the last few weeks.

A. W. Snavely, teller at the Hershey Trust Company, spent an evening in our town during the last week.

R. L. Hauer, of Harrisburg, spent last week with parents. He is one of the public school teachers in Upper Swatara township.

Uriah Fasnacht has been appointed constable for our township by the court last week. He and his opponent at the general election had a tie vote, so the court made the appointment.

George Seibert has his new stable completed. It makes quite a neat appearance.

George M. Hocker has his new tenant house on Water street completed, and it occupied by H. W. Fasnacht and family.

Have you made any resolutions for 1912? If so, be very careful to carry them out.

Insane Populace Increases Rapidly

WHILE the total population of the United States increased about 11 per cent. in the last six years, the number of insane people was augmented during the same period by 25 per cent. In 372 institutions canvassed by the Census Bureau up to January 1, 1910, there were 187,454 insane patients, or an increase of 37,303 since 1904.

Massachusetts led the States with 344.6 insane per 100,000 population, with New York a close second—343.1 for every 100,000 population.



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