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TANEYTOWN, CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1905.

NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST.

Brief Items from County, State, and our Exchanges.

The W. M. R. R. is laying the Gettysburg branch with 90-pound steel rails, and has a gang of 30 men putting them

Mrs. Agnes Simmons, of Niagara Falls, in company with her two sons, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. C. McKinstry, in Union Bridge, having arrived there on Wednesday. of of of

Presidential campaign. of of of Citizens of Emmitsburg propose to apply to the General Assembly at its coming session for a new charter for that town, one feature of which is to be an

extension of the town's limit. Additional cases of small-pox are being discovered almost daily, in Baltimore chiefly among negroes, but no apprehension of a serious spread of the disease exists, especially as the cases are not of a virulent character.

4 4 4 It is rumored that Senator Gorman will relinquish the position of democratic leader in the Senate, due to continued ill-health. The Senator has been in his a Lutheran and always took active inseat but a few days this session and is reported to be suffering from an organic as in religious matters in general. reported to be suffering from an organic ailment. He is nearly 70 years old.

An effort is being made to have the postoffice at Manchester re-established, but it is meeting with considerable opposition, some claiming that Rural Delivery is practically equal to city free delivery. Our own opinion is that places like Manchester and Uniontown should be postoffices, and not lose their identity as historic points.

4 4 4 John O. Hoover has broken ground for the erection of a fine large hotel in the summer resort region near Pen-Mar, and purposes to give the new hostlery the name of The Wabash. Work has been started on the foundation for the hotel, which according to the plans, will be one of the largest and best equipped

about announcing himself in favor of the restoration of the emblem. ballot," he said, "should be as simple as it is possible to make it. I am oppos ed to having it like a Chinese puzzle.

-je -je -je Benjamin F. Edmonds, of Brownsville, Washington county, now in the eightieth year of his age, is remarkable for his split 2,000 fence rails and constructed 110 panels of fence. Since September were hewn by him on the mountain near rails. Since last spring he has not been idle a single day. He is hale and hearty, Rev. D. E. Moylan, pastor. and attributes his good health to the active life he leads.

ी भे भे lea; vice president, George H. Brown; secretary-treasurer, Charles R. Foutz; members of the board of censors, J. Clement Clark. The society has determined to present a bill to the legislature requiring the county commissioners to appoint a health officer for each election district in the county, in addition to the general health officer, the salaries of such officers to be \$50 per annum and the general officer to receive

A queer case in Williamsport is where little things about the house, such as mer in combination for one year. cooking, sweeping and all, and where the daughter is incapacitated by age; in a broom just as easily as a woman years younger. Her daughter, who is about 77, was unable through age to help, but the old lady does not mind that. She was always a child, she says, and I can do for her in her old age, yet.

Intent to let such a chance go by without accepting it. The RECORD takes these 25c. subscriptions at a financial loss, but is willing to do it only that our readers may be profited.

The sale of real estate of Amos Flickinger, deceased, finally ratified and confirmed by the court.

Haugh—Cover.

do for her in her old age yet. oje oje oje The latest novel experiment to be made by the Department of Agriculture is that of compressing tea into tablets, one of which will make a delicious cup of tea. As a result, what would ordinarily make a big package of tea can by this method be placed in a space about the size of a safety-match box. The tea is grown at the department's experimental tea gardens at Summerville, S. C. tains 20 tablets about the size of a penny, but about twice as thick. They are dark green. It has been the object of the department for some time to find means of providing food for the army such a way as to save space, but so far all attempts has proved unsatisfactory.

- to of of The annual report of Warden Weyler, of the Maryland Penitentiary shows that during the year 149 white men, 5 white women, 226 colored men and 30 colored women were admitted, making a total of 410 prisoners received in the institution up to this time. The number of prisoners discharged during the year by number remaining in prison November 30 last was 997, eight less than at the close of the fiscal year 1904. Of the 997 now in the institution, there are 370 white men, 8 white women, 560 colored men and 59 colored women. The highest number in prison during the year was 1023, the lowest 968. The daily average was 9981.

Church of the Reformation at Washington, died Tuesday morning at Haven, Maine, whither he had gone to recuperate, having suffered from nervous prostration for several months. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at Hanover, with services in St. Matthew's Showlers of Considerable danger unless handled carefully. A case is on record where sticks of dynamite had been thawed out in hot water, and the can of hot water over, with services in St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. Deceased was born The first blow of the blacksmith's ham graduated with honor at Gelebrate prove and graduated with honor at Gelebrate proves and graduated with and graduated with honor at Gelebrate proves and graduated with and graduated with an adventure proving the first time in five years in the discovery of the fact of the graduate proves and grad

Nearly everybody is more or less careless about letting little bills remain un-paid—bills of \$1.00 or less—some for work, little balances at the store, or possibly trifling loans, without considering that they are really asking for trust, or credit, usually without necessity, and often without perfect willingness on the part of the creditors. In fact, instead of the habit representing legitimate business credit, it more nearly stands for careless personal imposition.

A New Leaf for New Year.

William Lindsay, of Baltimore, is visiting his sister, Miss Olevia Lindsay, near Linwood, the latter being a great sufferer from that dread malady cannot be matter is very trivial and the matter is very trivial and th dues are considered in the same category; "I can pay them any time," ually means that they are not paid until long overdue, and in one way or other very many good people who have not the slightest need to ask for credit—or take it without asking-do so continuously and thereby make themselves a

William Jennings Bryan is in the Philippines, making a tour of theislands, this little sermon fits, resolve that they presumably gathering information at the | will not be careless in such small matsame time which may be used in the next | ters this year? Make a beginning by looking up how your subscriptions stand? Are your church and Lodge dues paid? Do you owe any little balances at the shops? Are any small loans unpaid? If so, square up, and resolve to stay squared up. It is just as easy, and yastly more independent and respectable, to be a little ahead, rather than behind, in all sorts of money matters. Try this plan

Death of Daniel Hess.

Daniel Hess, of Harney, Taneytown district, who enjoys the reputation of having read the Bible through thirtyone times, died at the home of his son, John G. Hess, in Hagerstown, on Tuesday evening, aged 83 years. Mr. Hess was

His widow and the following children survive: Mrs. George Fleagle, Mrs. Charles Slonaker, both of Baltimore; John G. Hess and Thomas J. Hess, of Hagerstown; Mrs. Daniel Sweigart, of York, Pa.; Mrs. Daniel Ebaugh, of Westminster, Md.; Mrs. Harry Heck, of Harney, Md.; Mrs. Sallie Elder, of Emmitsburg, and Daniel Hess, of Gettys-

Funeral services were conducted on Thursday, in Harney, by his pastor, Rev.

Our Sale Register.

Following our usual custom, the RECord's Sale Register will begin in next issue. As heretofore announced, we will publish the customary notice free of charge, until day of sale, for all who will have their posters, or other adver-tising, executed at our office. Those

gence an opportunity to cast a ballot that would be counted, but he hesitates so at once so as to receive the full bene-

Deaf Mutes Enjoy Christmas.

The Editor of the RECORD had the The material for the fencing and the rails ure, for their countenances and silent hi- South Mountain.

The program was given in the sign lan-The Medical Society of this county has how good his boys and girls were and he Sun. elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, J. Howell Billingsthat he could tell them how glad he was to come to see them and give them presents. He said he had a hard time getting down the chimney, but he was glad to be with them.

Miss Barry, teacher in the school for deaf-mutes at Frederick, was present, as were a number of people not connected with the mission.

Tribune Farmer Subscriptions.

During January a great many Tribune Farmer subscriptions will expire, and the same will be renewed on the old terms—\$1.25 for the Record and Farmer in combination for one year. We do not see how any farmer, poultry reject or any large or any large of the state.

**The same will be relieved on the old of the old state of the state. Anna M. C. Devilbiss, executor of Nathaniel N. Meredith, deceased, settled first and final account.

**The same will be relieved on the old of the old state of their requirements, or which they do not know how to operate. They buy machinery not adapted to conditions, and cause its rapid dethe aged mother is able to actively do terms-\$1.25 for the RECORD and Farraiser, or anybody with even a small other words, too old to do anything.
The mother, Mrs. Shupp, is about 95 and very quick for her age. The other day she was out sweeping off snow with ment to let such a chance go by without count.

Cole's Calvary Reunion.

went out with the command in August, 1861, and became lieutenant colonel after the historic and fierce midnight battle in the snow at Loudon Heights, Va., on January 10, 1864. The forthcoming niversary of that battle. Governor Warfield has signified his intention of attend ing the reunion.

DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published free

Orchard, Mr. Thomas Page, aged 81

expiration of sentence was 371, while 24 were pardoned by the Governor. The Grove, Mrs. Susette Garber, aged 61 GARBER. -- On Dec. 18, 1905, at Locust

MARRIED.

ECKER-FOGLE.—On Dec. 24, 1905, by Emory Ecker to Miss Annie Fogle, both of Newport.

Rev. Dr. W. E. Parson, pastor of the Place Reformed Parsonage, near West- ped, says the Engineering and Mining minster, by Rev. J. B. Stonesifer, Mr. Journal. James A. Bostion, of Middleburg, to These May Alma Flickinger, of Union Mills. | than the dynamite itself, and a source

umbia Shoemaker. at Muncy, October 18, 1845, son of Rev. EDWARDS—GARNER.—On Dec. 27, '05, smith shop without being emptied of the George Parson. He prepared at Selinsgrove and graduated with honor at Gettown, by Rev. R. L. Crawford, Mr. The first blow of the blacksmith's ham-

The Great Dry Dock Expedition. WESTERN MD. EXTENSION.

-----No doubt of its being part of a Great System.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 26.—The Western Maryland Railroad Company has over 100 surveyors in the field between this town and Pittsburg surveying a route for the link which is to couple the West-ern Maryland at Cumberland with the Wabash system at Pittsburg. When that link of about 150 miles is finally built it will mean great things for Cumberland and greater things for Baltimore. The cost of the link is estimated at \$15,000,000. As soon as it is built the Wabash system will be able to give it all the business it can handle. It is believed here that the deal by which the Western Maryland is to acquire the George's Creek and Cumberland road has not yet been closed. But no one doubts that the

road will be bought, as it is important in giving the Wabash system access to Cumberland through the narrows and a connection with the Western Maryland tracks in the very heart of Cumberland. The route which seems to be favored by the surveyors is to follow the George's Creek railroad tracks through Cumberland, through the Narrows and for four or five miles beyond. At that distance from Cumberland the new track would begin, going off to the northwest and passing near Frostburg to Wolf's Gap. At this point a tunnel under the divide would open into the valley of the Castle-man river, about 10 miles northwest

from Grantsville, Garrett county. The road will then follow Castleman river to its junction with the Youghioghenny, and the latter on the Monongahela, near Pittsburg. It is believed that by this route there would be easy grades. The length of the road would be about 150 In a very short time trains will be running over the new road from Elkins, W.

Va., through Cumberland to Baltimore. It is reported that there will be a fine passenger service installed. It is also said that the eastbound coal traffic will be sent to Baltimore over the Gettysburg and Hanover line to relieve the single track of the main stem, which is already heavily taxed. This will give the advant-Grove, near Baltimore.

West Virginia and later, perhaps, from Pittsburg will demand better track facilities from Williamsport to Baltimore, and to this, it is said, the management of the company will before long—that is to say, within five years—direct their attention.

The line of road from the mountaintop through Gettysburg and Hanover, which is in effect a long siding for the main track, will furnish temporary relief. But

mitsburg and under South Mountain, a short distance north of Blue Ridge Summit, and then on through Hagerstown. Another survey diverges from the main track near Westminster and extends lovel experience, this week, of seeing an Valley, passing under South Mountain a the wastefulness of Western methods. audience of mutes leave the Eutaw St., little south of Turner's Gap, through M. E. Church, Baltimore, where an en- which the great Western turnpike passes ral family could subsist for an entire tertainment had been held in the sign and where the battle of South Mountain language for their benefit. Evidently, was fought, and thence on near Boonsthe audience enjoyed their Christmas | boro by a straight line across the valley treat as much as many who were able to to connect with the Cherry Run exten-15 he cut and stacked 43 cords of wood. give audible expression to their pleas- sion at Williamsport, 12 miles from ly than in the treatment accorded by the

larity gave evidence that they were as This route would afford an excellent were newn by him on the mountain hear his home, and the only assistance he had was given by his nephew in cutting the rails. Since last spring he has not been members of the M. E. Church Mission, tain. It does not come nearer than six miles to Hagerstown. But it would

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

to sell real estate.

Wednesday, Dec. 27., 1905.—George

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Cover, of York The surviving members of Cole's Cavalry (the First Maryland Potomac Home third daughter, Nannie, to Mr. G. Bax-Brigade), one of the most famous mounted commands that fought in the Civil War, will hold its annual reunion Baltimore, Dec. 23rd, at 8 o'clock, at the and reception on Wednesday evening, January 10, 1906, at the home of Col. Newman, 1823 W. Lanvale street. Af-January 10, 1906, at the home of Col. Newman, 1823 W. Lanvale street. Af-George W. F. Vernon, 104 East Twenty-fifth St., Baltimore. The veterans will be the guests of Colonel Vernon, who lantic States. Upon their return they will reside at Clearspring, where Mr. Haugh has been the W. M. R. R. Station Agent for several years.

The Train had "Christmas" on.

the Company, our mail train south was | walls are almost perpendicular. over an hour and a half late, last Friday as a Christmas gift to hundreds of our search may reveal rich minerals, particsubscribers, instead of on Saturday as a ularly quicksilver. PAGE.—On Dec. 18, 1905, near Oak well regulated weekly should. We offer

"Whiskers" on Dynamite.

As dynamite has become an explosive of common use every one is interested in knowing all they can about it. The man who digs your cellar uses it, and the farmer to blow up stumps and rend stones. The name of "whiskers" is applied to the featherlike crystals that gather on the outside of the yellow cov-BOSTION-FLICKINGER.-At Carroll ering in which frozen dynamite is wrap-

> These whiskers are more "irritable" in which it was done left in the black-

THE COMING LEGISLATURE. The towing of the great government

drydock, for the repair of vessels of all kinds, to the Philippines, is one of the greatest feats ever undertaken on the seas. The trip of 11,000 miles was commenced, on Thursday, from Solomon's Island in the Chesapeake. The fleet is made up of the colliers Brutus and Caesar, with the Potomac and Glacier as convoys, the latter being the flagship of Commander Hosley.

The towing boats, the two colliers, will be tandem, and will take their supplies at sea from the convoys in order that the progress of the big structure may not be checked for an instant. They have been equipped with specially powerful towing machines, designed to take up the slack of the cables without sudden strains. The cables themselves were specially manufactured of the best quality of manila fiber wound around steel wires. It was believed that this combination would ore than anything else be able to give both strength and elasticity. Experts in the Navy Department say that it will be at least May 15 before she

reaches her destination. The chief difficulty seems to be the unwieldiness of the structure. She is without any adequate means of steering, and should she break away from the colliers in a bad sea they would have to trust to luck and subsiding of the waves before they could again pick her up. Even then the making of additional towing cables would de no slight task. Naturally, the Navy Department is praying that she es not break away in the vicinity of a

bad leeward coast. As nearly as possible Commander Hosley will maintain a course due east from the Capes of the Chesapeake for Gibraltar, but whether he will pass to the north or the south of the Azores will depend entirely upon the condition of the sea and the wind. For this reason the Bureau of Navigation gave only general instruc-tions to Commander Hosley and left to his judgment the selection of a course.

Little difficulty is anticipated in the passage of the dock through the Mediterranean, and it is hoped that there will be no trouble through the canal, since a mishap there might mean the doubling of the canal tolls.

From the time the dock leaves the Red Sea it is expected that the towers will have the hardest time of the trip. Trough the Indian Ocean and the Straits age of a double-track road between Highfield, on the mountain, and Emory The great stream of traffic which will soon flow to Baltimore over the Western Maryland road from Cumberland, from hopeful and, should they succeed, it will hopeful and should they succeed, it will hopeful and should they succeed, it will hopeful and should they succeed it will hopeful and should the same than the same tha the seaway is not so extended as in the add not a little to the brilliancy of their records. The responsibility of the undertaking is not wholly represented in the cost of the structure, which was ary 2, next. It will be commemorated \$1,125,000, for delay in getting the dock by the nearly 70,000 societies, by 3,500,to Manilla means a great deal more in the way of expense, and loss of the dock would mean the keeping of the naval station of the Philippines out of a much-

Loss in Farm Machinery.

The Eastern farmer who travels westward through Frederick, under Catoctin Mountain, across Middletown Valley, passing under South Mountain a Valley, passing under South Mountain a value wastefulness of Western methods. It is said that the average European ruyear upon the amount which the American farmer wastes in the same time. And the wastefulness of Western methods is exemplified in no way more clearagriculturist to his machinery. Many a fence corner which might be used to betdoomed to early dissolution through

guage, and near the end Santa arrived. He made a little speech, in which he said that Mr. Moylan had sent him word said that Mr. Moylan power are taking the place of animals and men. The use of the traction engine and the automobile in the place of the horse on country roads, the employ-TUESDAY, Dec. 26th., 1905.—Letters | ment of gasoline, steam, wind and elecof administration on the estate of George | tric power to operate mowers, threshers Wagner, deceased, granted unto Adam H. Wagner, who received warrant to ploughs, food cutters, corn huskers and dairy machines are illustrations of epoch appraise; also order to notify creditors.
Margaret A. Hatfield and Thomas H.
Hatfield, administrators of Charles J.
Margaret A. Hatfield and Thomas H.
Hatfield, administrators of Charles J. Hatfield, deceased, returned inventory of farm machinery operated by some of personal property, and received order of court to sell same.

James A. Tracey, administrator, w. a. changes are involving farmers in serious of Nicholas Simon, dec,d,received order to sell real estate mistakes and large losses. They buy motors not suited to their requirements, struction by not knowing how to care

> The Department of Agriculture reports that there is made and sold in this country each year about \$100,000,000 worth of farm machinery, fully one-half of which goes into the hands of men who do not know how to select it wisely or keep it in proper condition. In order to alter this condition for the better, many agricultural colleges and experiment stations have instituted courses of instruction and have begun systematic experimentation for the purpose of bringing about a general diffusion of intelligence about this feature of farm work.

> > A Big Crack in the Earth.

Marathon, Tex., Dec. 28.—The second largest crack in the earth in the United States has been discovered in a remote part of the Terlingua quicksilver district ninety miles south of here, according to Dr. William B. Phillips, formerly director of the state mineral survey, who is now operating mines in that section.

Dr. Phillips says this crack is fourteen Following long established habit, miles long and no less than 700 feet wide which has become practically a rule of at any point. It is 1800 feet deep. The miles long and no less than 700 feet wide The country where it is situated has evening, consequently, connection with an altitude of about 3000 feet. Careful the Western Maryland trains was missed, which caused the Record to come ed, which caused the Record to come not yet been made. It is believed that

The crack is far from any human habour apologies for the short-comings of itation, with the exception of a shack of an old Mexican, who lives in its gloomy bottom. He was found by a party of hunters, but fled at their approach and reached the bottom of the crack by means of a rude rone ladder, which he had made from the fiber of the cactus

> The hunters followed him down the ladder and cornered him in his house. The old man could not be induced to talk much. Only a glimmer of the sun could be seen from the bottom of the pit and the Americans did not tarry long. They noticed that a stream of pure water bubbled up near the Mexican's shack and that he seemed well provided with vegetables and other edibles. Goats grazed upon the grass and shrubbery and chickens were gathered around the home of the hermit. The old Mexican said he came there years before from Mexico. How long ago he could not remember. He lived there because he wanted to be alone. He had visited

The contest for the Speakership of the House and Presidency of the Senate is quite interesting, because of its uncertainty, and also because of doubt as to whether there will result a straighout contest between Governor Warfield and preferences represented by him, and Senator Gorman and his followers-Rasin, Talbott and Vandiver.

Not until next Monday, when the members-elect of the House and Senate come to town from the counties, will there be any positive developments regarding the outcome of the contest for the speakership and presidency of the Senate. At least, that is what the democratic politicians say. The members will come to the city to look into the situation and to ascertain who has the best chances of winning. They will flock where they believe the goddess of fortune will alight.

Chairman Murray Vandiver, of the state central committee, who spent Wednesday with Senator Gorman in Washington, did not throw any light on this State. A hay or two before the cold The organization leaders cannot count

noses in the Senate with absolute accuracy. That is because two or three senators deline to commit themselves. The fight for the speakership is a three-cornered affair. The aspirants have narrowed down to Mr. Murphy, of Baltimore; Mr. Ray, of Prince Georges couny, and Mr. Benson, of Baltimore coun-y. Mr. Murphy will have the support f the friends of Governor Warfield. Mr. Benson is backed by Mr. Talbott and other organization leaders. Mr. Ray will have the support of former Governor Jackson, of former Governor Smith and of other influences not identified in the speakership contest, with Governor Warfield's friends or with the organiza-tion leaders favorable to Mr. Benson. The democratic politicians admit that they cannot pick the winner. Governor Warfield's friends will support Mr. Ray if convinced that Mr. Murphy cannot win. Mr. Ray's friends—or, at least, a majority of them—will support Mr. Murphy when convinced that their favorite is not in the running. In brief, it will be the field against Mr. Benson.

000 members and by numerous Endeavor unions, local, county, State and national. During the last two years 46 States and Territories of the United States and three Mr. Hoover's purpose to have the hotel open the year round.

The former Gov. Frank Brown has declared that the present ballot law is disgusting and a reproach to those who framed it. He advocates such changes as would insure to every voter of reasonable intelligence an opportunity to cast a ballot interval in the section of the mountain. It is mark. Hoover's purpose to have the hotel open the year round.

Will have their posters, or other advertising, or other advertising, or other advertising, or other advertising, executed at our office. Those who prefer to have their work done than 10 per cent. In the number of the thin 10 per cent. In the number of the fifted with the ships upon the Asiatic station for years has been that this will not be sufficient for any long than 10 per cent. The difficulty with the ships upon the Asiatic station for years has been that this will not be sufficient for any long than 10 per cent. The difficulty with the ships upon the Asiatic station for years has been that the were obliged to go to Hongkong or direct route than the old main line and a reproach to those who framed it. He advocates such changes as would insure to every voter of reasonable intelligence an opportunity to cast a ballot in the matter should do into the Philippines out of a much track, will furnish temporary relief. But this will not be sufficient for any long than 10 per cent. In the number of the read dozen.

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Wedding Gifts for Miss Roosevelt.

A good deal of interest and curiosity is aroused over the dispatches from abroad stating that every sovereign in Europe will send a wedding gift to Miss Alice

Roosevelt on the occasion of her mark that seem posterior, present you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect and approach to the present you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect and approach to the present you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Apart from the intrinsic value of the testimonial, it expresses the sentiment of respect you with the sum of \$22.65 and may you accept it in the name of the "Giver of every good and perfect gift." Roosevelt on the occasion of her marriage to Mr. Lonworth, in February. As the law of the land forbids the President or any officer or official of the government to accept presents or decorations from rulers abroad without the consent is to be introduced in the service before years to come, and discharge your duties f Congress, it is said the sovereigns the close of the fiscal year which is calwill embrace the opportunity presented by the marriage of Miss Roosevelt to amount of the original order.

Culated to prevent fraud in raising the have existed in the past. With best wishes for your health and prosperity, I end her a gift, which at the same time will express their good-wishes to the young bride and be a token of friendship to the people of this country. As during the previous year, the number of "Well done, thou good and faithful" ship to the people of this country. As wedding gifts Miss Roosevelt will be able to accept the presents without the consent of Congress. In return for the perity of the country is given as one reappears without the consent of Congress. In return for the perity of the country is given as one reappears as smaller than any your betwarded with the vertices. "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

The pastor, in a few appropriate repairs, presented the organist, Miss Netlavish hospitality showered upon him during his visit to this country Prince department of concerns using the mails church was artistically decorated, and Henry of Prussia, brother of the Gerl for fraudulent purposes. Mail for such was crowded to its utmost capacity.

casion go by without sending some royal | tities. King Edward of England has already from which Queen Alexandra and himself can make a selection for Miss Alice. France will send along something handsome, President Loubet already having given orders that the Sevres factory seect two of the most magnificent vases Russian jewelry as his souvenir, while King Alphonso intends to stop long enough in preparing for his own wedding to select an antique piece of jewelry which has been in the possession of the royal family of Spain for many centuries. The Sultan of Turkey, the King of Greece, as well as the Kings of Denmark, Sweden and Norway, and the Emperor of Austria, as well as the Pope, are to follow the example of the other sovereigns. It is said the Sultan of Sulu, who was classed among the unfortunates who aspired to Miss Roosevelt's hand,

visit to the Philippines. Copper.

but fail to win it, is looking around for

presented to Miss Roosevelt during her

facture of ammunition consume immense | a very enjoyable time. supplies of copper, and the demand for that metal has been growing keener all over the world. Four years ago the price up to 17 cents, but without success.

curiosity and suspicions of a corner, but some of the authorities say that it is legitimate and the metal is passing into consumption. Some time ago Chinese viceroys were importing great quantities of copper and coining it into "cash" for eigenlation at much more than it much m circulation at much more than its metal-But recently it was reported that the age" disappearing, and coinage was correspondent, on Tuesday last.

Exports of copper from this country rose from 164,451 tons in 1902 to 247,421 tons in 1904. That figure will hardly be surpassed this year, because the exports declined in September, October and November; but they are now rising again,

A New Jersey Hen Story.

Stepping anew to the forefront in scientific progress, New Jersey has won a new triumph in the propagation of species. One of the State's foremost experimenters in this line has been enabled o surpass even the achievement of that Rockaway professor, who by feeding his turkeys on oysters was able to produce eggs with unbreakable shells and young turkeys that could live under water for

This pathfinder in the work of biologi cal improvement is Judson K. Gunn of South Newton, and his invention, or discovery, is the "statuesque hen," as his ay neighbors call it, or the "immobile chicken," as he himself speaks of it in his report to the North Jersey Association for the improvement of the condition of the hen. Mr. Gunn has a whole flock of his stationary poultry, and they are dividing the attention of the County with the famous chickens of a neighbor that walk on stilts, and therefore cannot written, which is often a great drawback, Miss Men Mr. Gunn's discovery is to much the plainly, and avoid interlining as much same purpose as his neighbor's, but is predicated on a sound scientific theorem having to do with the number of eggs a the "copy" before him, about three feet hen will lay when they are forty-eight distant from his eyes.

Mr. Gunn owes his phenomenal discovery to the unmatchable climate of weather set in he covered the floor of his extensive henhouse with a novel paving onsisting of cement, lime, sand, tar and water. By night it had apparently hardened, and the next day the chickens were turned into the building. They are large chickens, nice, fat, juicy Cochins, Plymouth Rocks and a few white Wyanlottes. On the first night, it seems, the mixture on the floor had frozen solid. The next day was warm, and the floor thawed to the consistency of mush. Mr. Gunn was away from home and the chickens waded through the soft mass nearly all day. Toward night the pav-

ing began to harden and "set."
The next morning forty-nine fowls were found with their legs solidly embedded in a mass of stone. Eggs being at top price, Mr. Gunn did some thinking. Suddenly the scientific theory on which he has since acted came to him. He put a wooden box for food in front of each chicken. Behind each hen he placed a small box. The edge of the box directly adjacent to the hen is com-fortably padded and tufted like a Pullman car seat, so that the hen may sit on it comfortably

Boston, Dec. 27.—The twenty-fifth anniversary of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will occur February 2, next. It will be commemorated by the strongly emotional in temperament and active in disposition, spends much of her nerve force in the scratching and digging of everyday life. In the "statuesque hen" all this nerve force is turned

gifts to the mission boards of their de- to the chances of the hens being able to ominations, to their local churches and take up their natural occupations on release, says that he fears that many of The next all-European convention will have developed ankylosis, or he held from July 28 to August 1 at Gelium mobility of the joints, which is just what Mr. Gupp beyong for The more

man Emperor, has already ordered a concerns, containing money, money or magnificent gift, and the Kaiser himders and commercial paper, was received ments ever held in our town. self, it is said, will not let the joyful oc- at the dead letter office in unusual quan-

commanded several London firms to the year, including 1,668 that failed of send to Buckingham Palace articles delivery in the Panama Canal Zone.

the year, including 1,668 that failed of delivery in the Panama Canal Zone.

Marion, Indiana, was also a welcome Over 1,500 cases of alleged indecent pictorial post cards became so great as to | a visit this week. nuisance. As a result of this order many tlestown, Pa. of the celebrated Sevres porcelain for his present. The Czar of Russia, it is stated, will send some magnificent postmasters and forwarded to the department for destruction.

Gist.-Married, Dec. 23rd., at the parsonage at Smallwood, by the Rev. Mr. Cattell, Miss Icie D, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Willis, of Baltimore, to Mr. Albertes, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis V. Smith, of near this place. No attendants. Elias, H. Philips, of Baltimore, Christmas with his mother, Mrs. M. E.

Philips, of this place. Mrs. Charles H. Barnes spent Friday and Saturday, with friends in Baltia gift to match the beautiful pearls he more. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Spencer, of Eastview, spent Christmas with Mrs. ing his vacation at his home, here. Spencer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas.

H. Brown, of this place.
Robert T. Shipley had a just-for-fun shooting match, on Christmas day, and Electrical appliances and the manu- invited a number of his friends and had Gamber.-Christmas day passed off

In three weeks lately copper advanced from 16½ to 18 cents a pound, and not only is the home consumption increasing only increasing only is the home consumption increasing only is the home consumption increasing only incre

birculation at much more than its metalic value, and were reaping great profits.

But recently it was reported that the

Mrs. Mary Swenson, of Baltimore, is visiting her father, S. W. Parrish.

Miss Tressa Black and Miss Bowie, of

Estella Stambaugh were quietly married parents here on Christmas day. Cleveland Stambaugh, who went to

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Our Correspondents will assist us greatly by writing their items plain enough to be easily read at a distance of about three feet. Very often letters are so dimly written that before being scratch up flowers or vegetable beds. as time is usually precious. Please write

> Harney.-The Christmas exercises, on Saturday evening, in the Mt. Joy Lutheran church were very interesting and enjoyed exceedingly by the large congregation. The service, "The Christmas Country" was nicely rendered. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion. All having part in the exercises, deserve great credit. The organist, Miss Lottie Maring, was given a purse of \$8.00.

Rev. Minnick, who teaches the primbisque figure to each of the 23 boys. They gave him and his sister an envelope containing \$3.30. The congregation presented to him, 100 bushels of corn and and chandelier; a very large and prettily oats; besides this the pastor received many individual gifts of good things for the inner man. trimmed tree occupied the centre of the altar. The audience more than filled the church. The scholars all acquitted

the inner man. Lutheran church, Christmas evening, was a very interesting one, and seldom if ever, was the program more beautifully rendered. The participants are worthy of commendation for the ability disclosed and for the way they render. displayed, and for the way they rendered the program entitled "The King of Kings," the details of which, while except the details of which which while except the details of which while except the details of cellent in every particular, would be too lengthy to reproduce here. Following the distribution of gifts to the children, the pastor, Rev. W. G. Minnick, was remembered by being presented with a purse containing \$22.65. The presentation of the containing \$22.65. The presentation of tion was made by Harry O. Harner, who

used the following words:
"Dear Pastor; you see gathered here to-night a large number of people, many of these are members of your congrega-tion. They have requested me to present to you a slight token of esteem, and as an evidence of the honor in which you are held by them. The glorious service you have rendered here has been appreciated. The crystalline skies, the pary mountains, and Nature with all her beautiful scenery smile down on your work. You have been a noble and devoted pastor. You have made many a sacrifice, yet we are not mindful of the itable energy and the christian fortitude displayed by you, whilst pastor of this congregation. This is the first time that I have been called upon to the highest privileges cede it to be one of the highest privileges cede it to be one of the highest privileges fortune since the fire that destroyed nearly all his household effects. A distance has attacked his hogs and has alternative the state of the highest privileges and has alternative the state of the highest privileges and has alternative the state of the highest privileges and has alternative the state of the highest privileges and has alternative the state of the highest privileges and the highest privileges are the state of the highest privileges and the highest privileges are the highest privileges and the highest privileges are the highest for man to enjoy. It is with genuine, unfeigned pleasure that I now, through the efforts of Brothers Waybright and Koons, and in behalf of this congrega-

sued during the year over the one pre-preceding. Of the 53,000,000 orders is-sued during the year, but one in 166,260 fortune to receive it, as it is theirs to was found to have been paid or repaid enjoy the opportunity thus afforded. We under the same pleasant conditions that While the number of undelivered let- beg leave to wish you a merry Christmas

John F. Witherow, accompained by tities.

Nearly 11,000,000 pieces of mail were received at the Dead Letter Office during week. This is his first visit for about

visitor in the same family. Truman Heck, of York, and Harry self can make a selection for Miss Alice.
The King of Italy and the President of In the summer the influx of offensive Stonesifer, of Hanover, paid our people Your correspondent and family spent call for a special order by the department looking to the abatement of the Christmas day among relatives in Lit-

for Christmas. The scholars rendered a good programme, after which the school was treated to candy and oranges. The pastor received a present, and after having made a few remarks, the services were brought to a close.

Woodsboro .- Miss Estella Powell, of Frederick, and sister, Miss Lillie, of Lewistown, visited their brothers, Messrs. E. M. and L. C. Powell, on Monday. Messrs. Johnson and Virgil Eaton, of Baltimore, are spending the holidays of this place. with their mother, near town.

W. Ray Gilbert, of York, Pa., is spend-Mrs. Augustus Shank and daughter Laura, of Taneytown, visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Harry Anders Albert Ecker and family spent Monday with his brother, at Hanover, Pa. Little Miss Hilda Dinterman, of Spring Grove, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion C. Miller, of of

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Parrish are spending some time visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph T. Parrish are stives, here, during the holidays.

Mrs. Santa Claus in full attire, who here deto distribute the children's treat.

The German Baptists will hold to

Pleasant Valley .- The rendition of the Christmas service, as announced in cently it was reported that the 'seignior-disappearing, and coinage was d.

Miss Tressa Black and Miss Bowie, of Oakland, called on the family of your disappearing, and coinage was d.

Miss Tressa Black and Miss Bowie, of Oakland, called on the family of your disappearing, and coinage was correspondent, on Tuesday last.

Miss Tressa Black and Miss Bowie, of Oakland, called on the family of your last issue, reflected credit upon all who participated, while the children deserve honorable mention. Rev. Stonesifer's congregation added to his joy by G. Meade Patterson. The ceremony was Keysville.—Clifford Hahn and Miss presenting him with a sum of money.

Catella Stambaugh were quietly married Charles Myers and wite, of Baltimore,

and in the first week of this month they exceeded 4500 tons, while for the whole ed and says Maryland is good enough of November they were only a little more than 12,000. The high price of copper has sent Amalgamated stock of 105\$, the first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has been above first time in five years it has good enough to compliments of this glad season between teachers and pupils. As judged by one uninterested, the principal was most sub-stantially favored, receiving a handsome teachers and an interchange of girls and a short tip. They will reside in Emints compliments of this glad season between teachers and pupils. As judged by one teachers and pupils. As judged by one teachers and pupils. As judged by one teachers and pupils are time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been above for the first time in five years it has been a

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Uniontown.-Norman Eckard, of Baltimore, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Anna Eckard.

Charles Selby, of Waynesboro, is visiting Davis Myers' family.

Wm. Hiteshew, of Baltimore, spent Christmas with Thomas Routson's

Wm. Sittig, of Waynesboro, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sittig. Miss Isabel Weaver returned from Baltimore, on Monday, accompained by a friend Miss Pearl Russell; they are spending the week with Miss Isabel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weaver. Howard Hiteshew, of Baltimore, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Wm. Hiteshew, from Saturday until Miss Margaret Cover has returned Edward Fritz, of Baltimore, is visiting

John Shaw, of Baltimore, is visiting his family.

Miss Mary Baughman is spending the holidays at Middleburg and Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Selby are visiting their son, Edgar, of Westminster.

The patrons of the Woodside Creamery presented Mrs. M. D. Smith with a handsome picture and Mr. M. D. Smith handsome picture and Mr. M. D. Smith with a pair of gloves; the presents were a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Smith and are very much appreciated by them as a token of respect and good will.

Miss Amy Roop, of Roop's Mill, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Dodrer.

Mrs. Robert Davidson, of Manchester, and Miss Contrado Malliston, of Balting and Miss Contrado Malliston.

and Miss Gertrude McAlister, of Balti-more, visited their sister and brother, Miss Grace, and Mr. Walter McAlister, of Woodside, the past week. On Sunday evening the Lutheran Sunday school rendered an excellent ary department, gave a pretty placque to each of the 23 girls in his class, and a bisque figure to each of the 23 boys.

Search of the King.'' The church was

decorated with festoons of pine on the The entertainment held in St. Paul's themselves well, the cantata being espe-

*Union week of prayer service will be

Linwood .- 'Twas the night after Christmas, when all through the hall the room was well crowded from wall unto wall with creatures that traveled from far and from near a good entertainment all anxious to hear. And surely none were disappointed as it was a great suc-cess, the parts assigned being well performed from the merest tot to the twisty Alabama "coon." The first act was a sword drill by twelve young men, then came the Christmas Cantata, entitled "Johnnie Doubter." Johnnie doubted the existence of a Santa Claus until that August personage appeared on the plat-

ready caused the death of thirteen fine shotes. He and his family occupy a comfortable building in the yard at the old Haines homestead where they will remain till spring, and then move to a farm near Mt. Airy. It is the intention to have the new house up by that time, when it will be occupied by John Jones, next year.

Mrs. Cover and Mrs. Albaugh are spending the holiday season in Balti-Harry Smith has gone to New York to seek his fortune. He is the kind of a young man that we always regret to lose

He has left behind many friends who wish for him a prosperous future. Charles Englar, of Columbus, Ohio, and his brother, Clayton, of Baltimore, wood Shade. Their mother conceived the happy thought of giving them a little surprise on their arrival Saturday evening and invited their former companions John H. Messler, E. Mac. Rouz-John S. Messler and Charlie Messler to her home to greet them. A very happy

evening was spent.

Nathan L. Smith arrived home from
Swarthmore College, Pa., on the 21st.
to spend a vacation of nearly two weeks. Miss Belva Gilbert, who has been living in Baltimore for some time, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert George H. Senseney, of Philadelphia, and his sister, Martha, of Baltimore, visited O. H. Crumbacker and wife, on Tuesday.

Miss Emma Spielman, of Baltimore, week. Our usually cheerful storeman N. Englar, is affiicted with a swelled upper lip caused by something like a boil. It is quite painful and although it hurts him to talk he is more lippy than usual.

Frizellburg. - Christmas was very quiet here, with a few masqueraders and We are glad to note that grandmother Koontz is improving. Brook Cover, of Lowell, Mass., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ephriam Cover,

Mabel Myers is spending a few days in Westminster, this week. Robert Harbaugh and family, of Hanover. Pa., are spending the holidays with Myers.

Do not forget the Christmas exercises at the Church of God to-night. The Christmas entertainment given by the public school, last Friday, was full interest. About forty visitors were over the world. Four years ago the Amalgamated Copper Company was making tremendous efforts to keep the maki Miss Eva Harbaugh and brother Clifreport of a firecracker set off by the small boy. At night a small band of with Mrs. W. Ray Gilbert. with Mrs. W. Ray Gilbert.
Oscar Barrick, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation at his home, here.
Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Mysely and fam. fast, but Germany and China are taking great quantities.

The demand from China has aroused land, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Myerly, and family, of Hagerstown, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relive and much applauded. The principal feature was the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relive and much applauded. The principal feature was the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relive and much applauded. The principal feature was the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relived and the same of th pal feature was the arrival of Mr. Mrs. Santa Claus in full attire, who help-The German Baptists will hold their regular service in the chapel on Sunday

> Emmitsburg.—The marriage of Miss performed by her pastor, Rev. Kenneth M. Craig, of the Presbyterian church. are spending their holiday vacation with Frank Hahn, of Baltimore, visited his parents here on Christmas day.
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> are spending their holiday vacation with Mr. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Whitmore and Mr. James Harner were Our public school closed for the holi- the attendents. After the ceremony a

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Thanks to Correspondents.

We heartily thank our corps of excelthem, our paper would have been minus | course, but in some places it is not even | months of 1903. Exports to Japan were a large portion of its interest, and this is against the law.

strong that we may be enabled to produce even a better paper during 1906 than heretofore. No county paper can be perfect. It has so many interests to consider that some must be slighted, but have partly succeeded, and pleased the ocrats has crystalized rapidly in favor of To Japan the growth occurred in flour, majority of our readers, we are satisfied the election of a new man as State Treas- carriages and other vehicles, raw cotton, than this one has known. Possibly they and perfectly willing to divide the praise urer and later as chairman of the party's electrical machinery, sewing machines, with our faithful helpers.

1906 Promises Well.

hurt in more ways than one.

lawmakers, is very interesting and very interests. proper on the part of those doing the in- On the streets, in the homes, work- with the Japanese spinners because it vestigating and turning out, but the shops and offices, where Democrats dis- has a long staple, but the cotton growth imagination must work over time to cuss the situation, there is a swelling in India and China, which has a shorter fully appreciate how the other side views | chorus of demand for a leader who will | staple, is considerable less in price, and the upheaval, and the greatest care gauge public opinion aright and guide in years of high prices of cotton in the should be taken that in the zeal for show- the party to victory. Democrats say United States Japan purchases little coting up the ways that are dark and tricks that Mr. Vandiver has been Treasurer that are vain, the bounds of justice and long enough and should give some other. United States Japan purchases little cotton in this country, but draws largely on long enough and should give some other. United States ever guesses of the work and play of the President. After read and play of the President. that are vain, the bounds of justice and long enough and should give some other India and China. propriety be not overstepped. There is man a chance; that he has been chaircriminal, which causes public sentiment to someone who will introduce new to react against the one wielding the methods. In the South African War, it remedies, no matter how highly they life handicapped by ill-health, and only forces of right. It must also be appre- will be remembered, General Buller was may be recommended. There is one ciated, that diseases of the body politic, prone to send too many messages to the preparation that can always be dependlike those of the physical body, which British War Office, beginning "I regret have been a lifetime forming, cannot be to report." The Government supersederadicated by a single dose of physic, ed him with Lord Roberts, and the tidand may need moral suasion or change ings of defeat changed to victory. Cæsar's of habits, in order to perfect a cure, message, "I came, I saw, I conquered," rather than drastic remedies from the and Perry's, "We have met the enemy, professional who figures as a member of and they are ours," are reversed in the Uncle Sam's medical staff.

the doctors, especially as it must be ad- gard to the suffrage amendment is too mitted that they have so far been diag- vividly remembered to need recalling. form to strike them. Let us keep a watch prove a very respectable member.

No Open Season.

We are in favor of the absolute prowithout doubt, in an extremely cold -Sun. winter, but we believe that if proper measures are used the birds can be domesticated sufficiently that they will come to the buildings for protection. Let them once learn not to fear, and their

necessities, if not habits, will tame them. The idea that partridges should be kept in a "wild" state, so that they may be "hunted," is partly barbarous and wholly ridiculous when it is remem- It is highly probable that the aggregate all these matters. It is due to her childon private property for the game, and injure it to gratify their sportsman tendencies-their desire to shoot and kill

Partridges could not be turned into a bly, and yet such a thing might be done, stitutes a good illustration of the fact, after a time; at least, let the next game law be against the hunter, as such, and in favor of the birds. The accidents and damage caused by gunners and their dogs amounts to more, each year, than all the partridges in the country. Give the partridges and farmers a rest for ten years and see what comes of it.

Dangerous Patent Medicines.

in the same connection:

should be a law against the sale of any

"All patent medicines are not in from a lack of motive force. a man to prescribe for some disease that

kind of a gamble to believe it will do any good. It is true enough that all this with the practical and not with patent medicines are not positively dangerous, but many of them are. One class that is seldom dangerous is the

lozenge, the agent simply tosses from three to five headache powders in a doorway, sometimes rings the bell and sometimes not a hour child bell and sometimes not a hour child bell and prison ever was or ever will be moral. sometimes not. Any child playing in the door would be tempted to eat from the attractive package. Three tablets of a headache powder would kill a child of likely to remain open indefinitely. There 6 or 7 years.

'There is no law in Maryland against the distributing of such samples, but however, that the Maryland Penitentiary there should be. There is a law against is one among the prisons that turns out sending such stuff through the mails un- a better average of citizenship than it less to a physician, and then only when marked plainly as a sample, and not for

"One of the most remarkable things in the patent-medicine business is the demand for names and addresses. For their advertising purposes the manufacturers have created a demand for 1905 has shown a larger growth than the these, and many quacks frequently sell trade with China and Japan, says a whole lists of people with whom they have had correspondence. They also buy copies of death records. Birth tics of the Department of Commerce and records are also in great demand for the Labor. In the 10 months ended with infant nostrum people. Some boards of health make much money in this busilent correspondents for their work for the RECORD during the year. Without the RECORD during the year. the RECORD during the year. Without the country. Morally it is a crime, of and \$13,000,000 in the corresponding

particularly true because most of our correspondents have been such for years and have become acquainted with our our diseases recognize the existence of many cases where one habit has been months of 1903. needs and ways, to the end that their added to another by the sale of 'bracers,' work is much like professional reporting. like headache and 'the morning after' remedies, to men who drink. In addi-We look forward to a continuance of the harmonious relations which have the harmonious relations the harmonious relations which have the harmonious relations the harmonious relatio sanitariums.

Time for a Change.

we have ever done our best, and if we lature's session, sentiment among Dem- items.

State Central Committee. The year 1906 promises to be one filled by Mr. Murray Vandiver—practic- with October aggregated in value \$27,- Men fall dead every now and then which will demonstrate that the old world ally inseparable. If he is chosen to a 405,475, against \$9,657,707 in the same through accidental contact with a "live", has taken a turn for the better; that the fourth term of two years as Treasurer, it months of 1904. Copper exports to wire of small voltage. At Sing Sing gains, as has the EMPIRE. I have public conscience has been aroused and is argued, the effect will be to continue China are comparatively a new feature will not quiet down until satisfied that it indefinitely the methods that have of our trade with that country, the sufficient to put a man to death in the actual use in my territory alone. has done something in the direction of wearied the patience of the masses of amount in the 10 months ending with electric chair. And yet other men have practical reform. If these predictions Democratic voters to the point of ex- October having been \$11,326,407, against taken a much greater amount of electric chair. And yet other men have taken a much greater amount of elecbe true, it will necessarily follow that a haustion. This is the real pivot on \$611,677 in the same months of last year. tricity into their bodies with impunity. good many people, who have become which the situation at Annapolis will The copper is used in making new Lord Kelvin and Nikola Tesla have each mixed up with certain kinds of business turn. If the party management is to get copper coins. Flour is about the only which now stands before the public milion voits, and now comes one Godinez, a Brooklyn scientist, as well as Hand Machines. nus of its veneer of respectability, will be of the majority of the people, new blood showing any material reduction this year, who asserts that he has discovered a must be infused. On the other hand, while manufactured tobacco shows a Turning out grafters, making gamblers | the re-election of Mr. Vandiver would | material increase. out of speculators, blacklisting certain involve another riveting on the party of manufactured preparations, and investi- the yoke that has galled so long-and months ended with October aggreated Truly there is much yet to discover. you wait gating the side lines of politicians and this to serve personal rather than public in value \$13,784,399, against \$2,716,529 Indianapolis Star.

record of the present Democratic leader-But, we will not begin to prescribe for ship. The recent colossal blunder in re-

nosing and operating remarkably skil- There is also a powerful demand for hours should not be how long they can fully and well. The probability is that the selection of a Speaker of the House be made and the child retain its health, the investigations made, and in contem- of Delegates who will be his own master. but how short they can be for the acplation, will have such a far reaching The point is the same as in the case of quisition of knowledge which his years effect that a good many crooked con- Mr. Vandiver. The State chairman must call for" writes Dr. Grace P. Murray in cerns will voluntarily grow straight, and be one who will be chairman in fact, and the January Delineator. "In no direcmany muddy streams purify themselves, not the willing confederate of machine tion of bringing up children do parents rather than wait for the epidemic of re- politicians whose sole care is for their show such ignorance as in regard to personal interests at the expense of the school life. on 1906, and see whether it will not party and the people. Mr. Carville D. Benson, of Baltimore county, who is betelligent upon all questions pertaining fect digestant and digests the food reto school hygiene. They should know gardless of the condition of your ing backed for the Speakership by the to school hygiene. They should know machine element, is well known as a first of all that the schoolroom, in which political vassal of Mr. J. Fred C. Tal- the children are to stay from three to tection of partridges, for at least ten bett. No one appears to express any five hours daily, is a fit place; that the Taneytown, Md. years, without even a short open season | doubt that his attitude toward Mr. Tal- | school is not overcrowded; that the best each year. We do not believe that it bott would be the same, should he be authorities agree that the number of makes no difference whether the birds chosen Speaker, as it is now. He could scholars to which a teacher can do jusare shot or not, for they will die any not remain in the Talbott atmosphere tice should be not more than forty; and way, as some say. Some will freeze, without retaining some of the miasma.

A Self Sustaining Prison.

in a state of confinement at least, is not degrees; that the light should fall after by any means a pauper class. The Mary- the proper manner upon the books which land Penitentiary for successive years the child is studying, in order to do has produced an annual cash surplus which there should be plenty of windows Hand Mirrors, over and above running expenses, which in the schoolroom. useful results in a condition of durance | their minds." than it ever produced while in the enjoyment of liberty. And there can be no source of profit to farmers, very proba- doubt—the Maryland Penitentiary conindeed-that one of the very best meth- He says: "I suffered agonies, because of ods of reforming the criminal is to direct his energies into some useful channel.

a persistent cough, resulting from the grib. I had to sleep sitting up in bed. his energies into some useful channel. During the year ended with November 30, 1905, the receipts of the Maryland for Consumption Coughs and Colds, penal institution from all sources were which entirely cured my cough, and something over \$140,000, and the dis-

bursements for all purposes were something less than \$104,000, leaving a balgist; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. ance of more than \$36,000 to be turned Trial bottle free. State's Attorney Owens, of Baltimore, | into the state treasury. Besides the cost favors a law which will require all med- of maintenance and the cash balance icines to be labeled "poison" which turned over to the state, there is an adcontains any deadly drug, for the pro- ditional item of surplus earnings of of federal control of insurance compantection of the general public. Druggists more than \$36,000 which has been disare compelled by law to so label poison- tributed to the prisoners or remains to states of this Union have become so ous drugs, but this law does not apply their credit. Of this sum accruing to weak, imbecile and corrupt as to be no to the "patents," many of which, he the prisoners, more than half, or \$21,384, longer capable of performing the funcclaims, are decidedly dangerous. Dr. was earned from voluntary overtime tions that belong to them. If that were John S. Fulton has the following to say work. This item is a conclusive evidence true it might well be asked how much "All patent medicines that contain trial shirker. As a matter of fact, there imbecility would be the control of these morphine, cocaine or acetanilid should is good reason for assuming that crime corporations by a federal government

or malformed motive forces rather than As a rule most of the states are well perthemselves dangerous in composition, but they are in the fact that they persuade shows a remarkable numerical equil. shows a remarkable numerical equiling justice and for controlling corporahe thinks he has, and there is great danger in this. No physician can give brium when compared with the previous tories. Their feebleness, neglect of the a correspondence course of treatment the end of November of this year was duties of self-government and corruption "Practically all the medicines that do eight less than at the close of November exists for the most part in the imaginanot contain dangerous drugs are 'boozes,' of last year, the average enrolment for tions of those who seem to wish that and therefore injurious. All the headache remedies contain acetanilid, where the year just closing has been slightly higher than for the previous year. The they used to have antipyrine. The last is too costly now, and the other poison is used.

Inguer than for the previous year, and the year's enrolment is four-teen, which is perhaps in close ratio to provinces of an imperial government. If teen, which is perhaps in close ratio to the average of increase in the state's population during the year. This approximate with him when he teels sick. He can't prescribe for diabetes, for instance, and the doctor has to study the case closely to give an effective course of treatment for any disease, The treatment of a sick man is strictly individual. "Patent medicines teach people to drug themselves. If the medicine doesn't do any harm, it is the wildest teen, which is perhaps in close ratio to the average of increase in the state's population the states were not actually controlling these corporations, and if New York were not engaged in a searching investigation of these abuses with a view of reforming them, there might be something in these torporations, and if New York were not engaged in a searching investigation of these abuses with a view of carnol founty, in Md., letters of administration upon the states were not actually controlling these corporations, and if New York were not engaged in a searching investigation of these abuses with a view of reforming them, there might be something in these topsease. All persons the total the states were not actually controlling these corporations, and if New York were not engaged in a searching inve

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locomotives, leather, paper, canned beef,

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has been turned into the state treasury. Every mother should inform herself in of human energy stored up in the Mary- dren to see that their education is conland state prison and utilized under sys- ducted along lines which are the most tematic eontrol produces much more beneficial for their bodies as well as for

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of the year 1905."

commandments of the Lord thy God accept an escort, but relied upon God. to walk in His ways and to fear Him." BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. xxiii, 1-6; xxxix, 1-5; xc, 12; exix. 81-88: Eccl. xii. 13, 14: John ix. iv, 1-6; II Pet. iii, 8-14.

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any bets on the last football game? side would lose, and he wouldn't bet. What sort of a college man is he, any. He has made it very plain (Deut.

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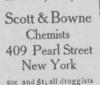
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LESSON XIV, FOURTH QUARTER, IN-TERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 31.

Edward Bellamy's Looking Back- Text of the Lesson, a Comprehensive Quarterly Review-Golden Text, Ps. lxv, 11-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1905, by American Press Association.] Lesson I.—Daniel and Belshazzar ture. Our looking backward on the (Dan. v, 17-30). Golden Text, Ps. xxxiv, 16, "The face of the Lord is against to be of a different character. We are them that do evil." This lesson seems actually to look back upon the 365 days | to be summed up in the words, "The God in whose hand thy breath is and glorified." Note the powerlessness of human wisdom to understand the words of God, but Daniel, a man of God, knew them. Lesson II.—Daniel in the lion's den

> xxxiv, 7, "The angel of the Lord enampeth round about them that fear Him and delivereth them." All who it is only through tribulation we can know their God shall be strong and do. | liness Lesson III.—Returning from captivity (Ezra i, 1-11). Golden Text, Ps. cxxvi, 3, "The Lord hath done great things for us; we are glad." The events of this and other lessons in the books of Ezra and Nehemiah were ful- to heaven and earth. A table is spread fillments of the word of the Lord by | with offerings of food and drink, canthe mouth of Jeremiah, for "every pur- | dles and incense, and crackers are let pose of the Lord shall be performed" off again just outside the front door. (Jer. li, 29). He putteth down one and Then the father of the family comes setteth up another and doeth according | forward and kneels down in front of

(Ezra iii, 10, to iv, 5). Gelden Text, times on the ground. Rising to his tal of the nation. I Cor. iii, 17, "The temple of God is | feet, he places the incense in the censer holy, which temple ye are." Israel, the on the table. More crackers are let off, peculiar people of God, must have a and paper money is burned. tabernacle or a temple that their God | After this ceremony the household build, but there are many adversaries

to hinder the work. Zech. iv, 6, "Not by might, not by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord." By Haggai and Zechariah, the Lord's messengers, whom He had strengthened them. He afflicted them that they by His word and by visions, the people might seek comfort and consolation in were encouraged, the work resumed Him. He weakened them that they and the building finished (Ezra vi, 14, might realize that their strength was 15). So all that God has purposed

year do you recall dark days, difficult | Lesson VI.—Esther pleading for her people (Est. iv, 10, to v, 3). Golden tress? If so do not argue that God | Text, Ps. exlv, 20, "The Lord preserveth all them that love Him." Esther, vinced that He has been and that even | the deliverer of her people, taking the in these things He was manifesting His | place of death on their behalf, cannot glory and administering to your good. but suggest the only True Deliverer Then recall as against these things the | who died in our stead, who was made bright days, the days of plenty, the a curse for us that we might not per-

fest blessings of God, and be filled Lesson VII.-Ezra's journey to Jerusalem (Ez. viii, 21-32). Golden Text, "The hand of our God is upon all Gratitude for the blessings of the them for good that seek Him." The past should inspire obedience for the peculiar ferture of his journey was future. With the command to remem- that, having boasted to the king of the ber there is also the exhortation to wonderful care of his God for all who obey, "Therefore thou shalt keep the put their trust in Him, he refused to Lesson VIII. - Nehemiah's prayer (Neh. i, 1-11). Golden Text, Jas. v, 16, "The effectual fervent prayer of a

righteous man availeth much." Some 4; I Cor. vi, 19, 20; Eph. v, 15-21; Col. to Jerusalem, Nehemiah was still in thirteen years after Ezra had returned the faroff land, and, hearing of the distress in Jerusalem, was much moved, and while fulfilling the duties appointed him he gave himself to prayer and fasting on behalf of his people and city. After three months of patient praying his prayer was granted. Lesson IX.—Abstinence for the sake

of others (I Cor. x, 23-33). Golden juncture in God's heavens this sign is Text, I Cor. x, 12, "Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall." In our last lesson we saw Nehemiah fasting and praying on behalf of his people, and this lesson teaches self denial for the sake of others. This is set forth fully also in Rom. xiv and is well summarized in I Cor. ix, 27, as a subduing of self lest our service should

LESSON X.-Nehemiah rebuilds the walls of Jerusalem (Neh, iv, 7-20). tian experience. Life is ever pushing Golden Text, Matt. xxvi, 41, "Watch onward and outward and upward. You and pray.' Here, again, as when the temple was rebuilt, the enemies of the Lord are very much in evidence, reviling and hindering, but by prayer and watchfulness and patient toil the work was finished and the enemy compelled to admit that it was the Lord's doing (vi, 15, 16). The people had a mind to come lie just before us. They are to be work (iv, 6), and each did the work which was nearest to him (iii, 28, 29). LESSON XI.—Reading and obeying Rev. J. Webster Bailey, President of the law (Neh. viii, 8-18). Golden Text, the Indiana Christian Endeavor Union, Luke xi, 28, "Blessed are they that hear the word of God and keep it." First Student-Didn't Longhead have of God and a meek reception of it and

There is no need so great for the people of God as a knowledge of the word a willing obedience to it. It is the Second Student--No. He thought our business of the teacher and preacher to call the attention of the people to First Student - He wouldn't, eh? what God has said in His word, for xxvii, 8; Hab. ii, 2). LESSON XII. - Preparation for the

Messiah (Mal. iii, 1-12). Golden Text, Mal. iii, 1, "I will send My messenger, and he shall prepare the way before Me." Salvation is of the Jews, and Israel must know the Lord before the nations, as such, can. This will be at His coming in glory, which will be preceded by the preaching of Elijah (iv, 5). LESSON XIII.—The character of the Messiah (Isa. ix, 1-7). Golden Text. Matt. i, 21, "Thou shalt call His name JESUS, for He shall save His people from their sins." Whether we consider Him as the Messiah of Israel or the great head of the church or our own personal Lord and Saviour, He is all that He is said to be in this lesson, and when we know Him as such we shall want to make Him known.

An Invocation to the New Year. Aureole our angel cake generously with imported jam; teach us to forgive our creditors; see to it that the straight and narrow path is sprinkled with ashes always and with banana skins never; put plenty of silver into were theirs at that divine moment when we measured their lily fingers for solitaire diamond rings and prepared to camp out on their fathers' incomes: clip the wings of riches and of love that they may not fly out of our window, but remain with us forever, and if possible clip the cook in the same way and for a similar result .-R. K. Munkittrick in New York World.

Peter Stuyvesant's New Year's. ly due to the Dutch. Old Peter Stuyvesant made much of the day, and feminine trifles. cheery assemblages were held at the governor's home in New Amsterdam. The Dutch method of kissing the we en for "a happy new year" was observed and toll taken of all who were young and handsome. In fact, during the reign of Peter Stuyvesant New Amsterdam was the most thoroughly bekissed country in all Christendom and formed a marked contrast to the staid Puritans, who thought the observance of this day savored strongly of reverence for the god Janus and who made no note of their first New Year's day in the new world save to record. "We went to work betimes."-

New York Evening Post.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL New Year's Day In Faroff China

Greatest of Festivals In the Celestial Empire, a Happy Time For Pigtailed Creditors.

F all Chinese festivals that of New Year's day is the greatest. Being a peculiarly contradic- tal of our republi tory race, the Chinese do not whose are all thy ways hast thou not | America, but by the moon, so that the | tinent and leap across the Pacific from (Dan. vi, 10-23). Golden Text, Ps. hide his head until the festival is over. Another preparation is a general washlive godly will suffer persecution, for | ing up. Household belongings and personal attire are put through a severe enter the kingdom, and the servant is course of soap and water in order that not greater than his Lord, but those who | the new year may be begun with clean-

When the night of New York's eve approaches, the sound of the firing of crackers begins and is kept up with an incessant din until dawn. The first business in the new year is the sacrifice the table, holding a stick of incense in

may dwell among them (Ex. xxv, 8), gods are worshiped in the same way, new year!"—Washington Star. so, having returned to Jerusalem, they and then the ancestral tablets, after lay the foundation and begin to re- which the "living idols" have their turn. The father and mother sit down side by side, and all their children and LESSON V.—Power through God's Spirit (Zech. iv, 1-10). Golden Text, Zech. iv, 6, "Not by might, not by power through the side by side, and all their children and grandchildren kneel before them and do them reverence, but offerings are and bowels of all putrid matter, thus remainded to the living as they are to the dead. Then the servants come for- pation, ward, dressed in their best, and kneel down, bowing their heads to the ground before their master and mistress, receiving presents when they

Long before all these ceremonies are constipation.' Sold by J. McKellip, Druggist, Taneytown, Md. finished it is quite light, but in the early hours of New Year's morning the



quiet as if it was an ideal Sabbath of town, Md.

But the quiet does not last long. Occasional crackers are let off, and China shall call on their relations, was coming. teachers and friends, and for three days the visiting goes on. Women are not expected to pay New Year's calls or to see the visitors who come to their houses. As these are men, of course

that would be highly improper. When friends meet in the street for the first time in the new year they stand and bow very politely; they put their hands together and shake them, saying, "Kung shi, kung shi," which means "I respectfully wish you joy," and they often add, "May you grow rich," for that is the Chinese idea of

happiness For three days the New Year's rejoicing goes on, and then all the poorer classes begin to work again. Large shops and places of business are closed for a month.-Brooklyn Citizen.

Decay of New Year's Calls. Not many years ago it was the custom in all countries to visit one's They are certainly a wonderful medicine, friends on New Year's day, and in this to have cured such a bad case as mine. country open house was kept all day until a matter of some ten or fifteen years ago. It is questionable whether it will ever become fashionable to set New Year's day aside for calling again. The ancient Romans made much of their New Year's calls, and after the empire of Rome had passed away the custom lived in England, France and

Long Living.

The men of eighty-five and ninety years of age are not the rotund well fed, but locked, and pelt him with wheat or thin, spare men who live on a slender diet. Be as careful as he will, however, our wallets and not any into our whisk- a man past middle age, will occasionally ers; cement our ties of love and friend- eat too much or of some article of food ship more closely together and fill the not suited to his constitution, and will Western Maryland Railroad Company hearts of our wives to overflowing need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach will issue clerical orders for the year with the friskiness and enthusiasm that and Liver Tablets to cleanse and invigono reason why the average man should not live to old age. For sale by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

First Pins New Year's Presents. When pins were invented in Gloucesthey were much used for New Year's presents. Later, when money was givter, England, in the sixteenth century, The custom of celebrating New en to buy pins it was called "pin mon-Year's day in our own country is large. ey," a term which for four centuries ey," a term which for four centuries has designated the money devoted to has designated the money devoted to has designated the money devoted to have a forwarded to the General Passenger Agent's office, Baltimore, Md., as soon

GIRDLING THE GLOBE.

How Uncle Sam Wishes All the World Happy New Year. At midnight Dec. 31, from the white, towering time factory on Georgetown heights, Admiral Chester, superintendent of the National observatory, will have sounded completely around the earth by the cables which now span our great spinning top and to the continental and insular nations to the north and south by vast networks of wire ramifying in all directions from this great girdle a signal announcing the birth of the year 1906 at the capi

At one push of the official button the reckon time by the sun, as we do in electric greeting will permeate our con-Chinese New Year's day may come at | San Francisco to Honolulu, to Midway, any time between the middle of Jan- to Guam, to Manila and to Hongkong. uary and the middle of February. Flashing up and down the entire east When the time approaches, creditors ern coast of Asia, from Alexandrovsk are happy, for by the last day of the to the Malay peninsula, it will cross old year all debts must be paid. The | Sumatra and the home of the wild Chinaman who cannot pay up must | man of Borneo; will speed over the coffee plantations of Java to Australia and New Zealand. Hurrying over the snowdrifts of Si

beria and Russia, it will be felt in Moscow and St. Petersburg and there be taken up by the thick mesh of wires covering northern and central Europe, going to London and at the same time spanning the coast of the black continent of Africa. From Alexandria it will be shot 750 miles up the Nile into the very heart of Africa. Leaping out into the sea, it will register itself in the isles of Madagascar and Mauritius. From Lisbon to the Madeiras and over the Cape Verde islands it will jump to Pernambuco, Brazil; thence down into the wilds of central Argentina and up into Bolivia, across the Windward isles the Lesser Antilles and the West In LESSON IV.-Rebuilding the temple his hand and knocking his head three dies and then home again to the capi-

It is almost inconceivable that such a circuit of the earth can be made in scarcely more time than you would expend in wishing a neighbor "a happy

Clear the Way.

The mission of "Early Risers" is to not made to the living, as they are to moving the causes of headache, constipation, sallow complexion, etc. De-Witt's Little Early Risers never gripe or famous Little Pills cured me of chronic

> New Year's on the Nile. In all ages and all lands much importance has attached to New Year's day. In Egypt the new year fell between the 17th and the 20th of June and was called the "night of the drop." The sacred Nile was thought to flow down from heaven, and at its lowest ebb-about the middle of June-a tear from Isis fell into the stream and caused it to rise. Consequently at this season the priests and people kept a sleepless vigil at the river's shore, watching for the miraculous rise which should bring such riches to the whole land. When the "night of the drop" came the priests cleared the altars of old ashes and lighted the sacred fires for the new year. Every one of the faithful carried a coal from the altar to light the fire at his own hearth, and from to end the land was ablaze with light. The people put off their old garments and arrayed themselves in white, anointing their heads with sacred oil, crowning themselves with flowers and bearing palms in their hands, while chants and song; and feasting and processions filled the homes.

An Emergency Medicine. For sprains, bruises, burns, scalds and similar injuries, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one third the time was living in the city. The shops are all shut, and the busiest streets are as by R. S. McKinney, Druggist; Taney-

New Year's In Caesar's Time. strings of beggars soon appear on ev- Janus, held on the calends of January, parish priest, who was driven round ery hand. They are far more numerous gifts and good wishes were exchanged, to begin the year with good deeds, and its name from the god Janus, who was the circumcision were distributed

In the Scottish Highlands. the notes are stripped of their harsh- gnee, was the traditional offering exness and seem to be wafted across to pected. you by the clear atmosphere in one harmonious melody. It is beautiful and inspiring.-Philadelphia Lelger.

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The Children's Day In Russia. In Russia New Year's is especially the children's day. Among the peasants the old time frolics and games are renewed. It is a practice among the boys to arm themselves with a supply of shelled wheat and dried peas and to go from house to house in the small The Key that Unlocks the Door to hours of the morning. They present themselves unbidden in a neighbor's house, where the doors are always unpeas till he offers cakes or fruit.

Of Interest to Clergymen.

Pursuant to its usual custom, the 1906, to regularly ordained clergymen, who are solely engaged in the work and a red haired or squinting person is suprate his stomach and regulate his liver duties of a minister of the gospel, hav- posed to bring bad luck. In the north and bowels. When this is done there is ing no other profession, occupation or of England, however, a dark man is

> Railroad has been merged under the name of the Western Maryland Railroad Company., orders for 1906 will be hon- the terrible torture of Piles, "I can ored over this line and branches. Application blanks can be secured Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleed-

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THE clocks were on the stroke of The moon was bright and A footstep broke the frozen crust,

A shadow passed me by. I saw a veteran, lame and old, Whose march was almost done The battered knapsack on his back Was empty, like his gun.

The silver chimes began to ring. I heard a bu le blow. A dashing soldier, young and fair Came riding o'er the snow.



THE NOTES OF "TAPS" HE BLEW.

The frost was on his cloak of blue And on his yellow plume, And on his sword he bore a rose— A red, red rose—in bloom.

He halted where the aged man Had fallen in the snows, And iny winds had made for him A bed of white repose. He set the bugle to his lips, The notes of "taps" he blew, And then I knew that I beheld The old year and the new. -Minna Irving in Lcslie's Weekly.

Queer French Canadian Customs, A French Canadian New Year's cus tom now nearly obsolete was that known as La Quete de l'Enfant Jesusthe collection for the infant Jesus. At the Roman festivals of the god | This collection was managed by the among his parishioners by the senior than usual and more importunate. friends met together, and feasting and churchwarden or the beadle. The gifts They know they will reap a rich har- dancing, masking and mumming were that he thus gathered "for the love of vest on this happy day, for it is lucky the order of the day. January derives the infant Jesus" on the festival of it is not long before the streets are represented with two faces looking in among the poor. Intimately connected filled with a well dressed multitude opposite directions, as the month was with this was another practice of colstarting out to pay New Year's calls. | considered both to look back upon the | leeting alms for the poor, known as La Custom requires that all the men in past year and forward to that which Guignolee or La Ignotee. The words signify both a custom and a song. On the eve of the new year bands of youthful masqueraders serenaded the In the Scottish highlands the new various residents of the locality after year is unlicred in by the tolling of the nightfall with music and song, knockand kirk bell and the playing of the ing at doors and windows and begging baggipes. In a clear, frosty night to hear this much maligned instrument entables, with threats of revenge if placed by a thoroughbred highlander gifts were rejused. A piece of pork nong the hills and from a distance with the tail adhering, called La Chi-

> A Gala Day In France. New Year's, not Christmas, is the French day of days. Cards, flowers | tle more than one-fifth of the civilized and bonbons are exchanged in profu-"For seven years," writes Geo. W. sion, and visits are made. In the din-Hoffman, of Harper, Wash., "I had a ing room on New Year's morning are the wild tribes the Moros are the most bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and to greet the ladies with courtly bow to greet the ladies with courtly bow and gallantly to kiss their hands. The gay breakfast over, the children, the youth and those of the family in the prime of life make ready to pay visits. They start forth with pockets and fore the fire, wait for the younger relatives and friends who will come with light and merr; talk to make good cheer.

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"First footing" is an old, old custom which still lingers in Ireland. It is considered a lucky sign if the "first foot" is a fair man. A dark man, a woman,

A Fearful Fate. It is a fearful fate to have to endnre truthfully sav." writes Harry Colson, of some railroad agent, who is personally acquainted with the applicant, should be made." Also best for cuts, bnrns and injuries. 25c at R. S. McKinney's,

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FACTS IN FEW LINES

The Chinese, according to statistics, are longer lived than any other nation. The pens used by the children of Japan consist of bamboo and rabbits'

The central markets of Paris use more than \$60,000 worth of baskets every year.

An estimate of the accumulated capital of the United Kingdom puts it at \$60,000,000,000. An aristocratic looking man, the

grandson of a duke, is selling matches in London in very shabby clothes. England is the only country which allows the rising generation to grow up without any idea of duty to the state Finland has a greater percentage of wooded area in comparison with its to tal surface than any other European

A painting has just been unearthed by archaeological experts in Crete which is said to date back to 2500 B. C. It is on a sarcophagus.

Manila will draw its water supply from the mountains, fifteen miles away, in order to be sure to have its drinking fluid free of cholera or other germs. The richest, the most populous and the most prosperous part of India is to P. S. -Blankets. be found in the basins of the Indus, the Ganges and the lower Brahmapu

Nearly every person who commits suicide by drowning partly undresses before entering the water, said Dr. Wynn Westcott at an inquest in Lon-

Milan, Italy, is to have next year an international congress at which questions relating to the extinguishing of fires and to fire insurance will be dis-

The smallest army is that of Monaco, with 75 guards, 75 carabineers and 20 firemen. Next comes that of Luxemburg, with 135 gendarmes, 170 volun-

teers and 39 musicians. It used to be a saying in the old days In Marshfield, Mass., that one could tell when Daniel Webster was at home because of the cheerful looks of the peo

ple for ten miles around. Many years have gone by since Captain Webb swam across the English channel, and every effort to equal his record-and many attempts have been made-has been unsuccessful.

Three miles an hour is about the average speed of the gulf stream, which flows from the gulf of Mexico. At certain places, however, it runs as fast as fifty-one miles an hour. A statistician affirms that the majority of people who attain old age

have kept late hours. Eight out of ten who reach the age of eighty have never gone to bed until after 12 o'clock. The total number of Syrians in New York is about 10,000, one-half of whom are "Maronites," or Roman Catholics, about 3,000 Orthodox Greeks and about

2,000 Greek Catholics or Protestants. There are between 9,000 and 10,000 mineral springs in the United States. Of this number about 800 to 900 are utilized commercially, the waters being sold either for table use or for medicinal purposes The use of a flag or representation

of a flag of the United States or of the state of New York for advertising purposes is unlawful. Such a use of the flag is a misdemeanor, punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both. The proprietor of a traveling merrygo-round, whose route had been in

Wales and who had gone into bankruptcy, informed the court that lack of patronage, due to the religious revival, had caused his failure. A man wanted in Bridgeport, Conn., was captured in New York city because of a little habit which he couldn't leave off. It has been his custom for years to chew a toothpick on the

in the band of his hat. The police knew this and got their man the very For the purpose of studying the habits of birds of passage a "vogelwarts" has been established at Rossiten, in eastern Prussia, where birds are to be caught and liberated again after small rings have been attached to their feet. not read. Its advertising pages are as clean as its editorial pages. The directors request that the feet of

street and to always wear a spare one

such ringed birds killed anywhere be sent to them. The grave of the first settler in Burlington, Vt., is marked by a plain slab standing near the Ethan Allen monument, on which is inscribed this epitaph: "Stephen Lawrence, Esq., died April 9, 1789, age forty-seven years. He was the first man who, with his family, settled in Burlington in 1783. This stone is erected to his memory October, 1811. Reader, mark the mighty changes produced in twenty-

eight years and learn instruction." . Of the eight civilized tribes in the Philippines the largest is that of the Visayans, who occupy most of the islands lying between Luzon and Mindanao and form nearly one-half of the entire civilized population. Tagalogs occupy the province in the vicinity of Manila. They rank second, with a litpeoples, and the Ilocanos rank third, with approximately one-eighth. Among numerous, comprising about two-fifths

of the non-Christian population. Not long ago a foreign prince lost \$50,000 in one night playing bridge whist in a swell London club. King Edward was much annoyed on hearing of the circumstances and wrote to the club officials suggesting that the play should be restricted to lower stakes. Now some of the younger members threaten that if his majesty's advice shall be taken they will desert and join a notorious club where many fortunes have been lost and won. At this place Rough skin and cracked hands are not | the eldest son of a very rich peer is said to have lost \$400,000 in a few

> A Wrinkled Throat. The following course of treatment will work wonders, it is said, with a wrinkled throat and flabby chin if persisted in faithfully. First wash the chin and throat in hot water. Moisten the finger tips with good cold cream and, starting with the left hand under the right ear, draw it briskly, but firm ly, from ear to chin. Then take the right hand and repeat the movement from the left side. The pressure from chin to ear should be light, but under the chin the pressure should be firm. Ten minutes of this exercise should be followed by a douche of cold water, to which has been added a little astringent fluid, either a toilet water or

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Mrs. Hezekiah Hawk, is seriously ill at

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of the South, returned home last week. Communion services will be held in the Reformed Church this Sunday morn-

ing; prepatory services on Saturday afternoon, as usual. Charles G. Buffington, who has been living in Boston, for a number of years, has purchased a cigar business in New

York City and will move there January Don't forget the service of the U. B. Sabbath School, on Sunday evening, December 31st. Everybody will be made welcome. Regular service Suuday at

10 a. m. Last week we received good sized or- teurs of today. ders for printing from Illinois, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Sykesville, Anne Arun-

Baltimore for several months, is at home for the present and will remain until his eyes recover more fully from the effects of a recent operation.

The various Christmas entertainments were all that they should have been, and were better than most expected. The little folks, especially, rendered their parts exceptionally well.

Who can tell us when Eli Benkty, clockmaker, of Taneytown, was born, and when he died? A short sketch, in answer to a request, as well as for publication, will be appreciated.

Miss Emma L. Reaver is at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, undergoing special treatment, which will necessitate the filling of her position here, as teacher, with a substitute, until her return.

To try to name all who visited Taneytown, on Christmas, would be to attempt the impossible. Some of our folks far a larger number were visitors within

The Christmas dinner was a highpriced one, this year, as nearly every-

The ovster supper and festival, which rust. is being held for the benefit of St. Jo- A man may neglect to exercise his practicable with the library's limited public are cordially invited.

was at supper. Mr. M., says he would rusted.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Witherow spent may break down. Christmas with their daughter, in Manchester, Pa., and on their return home friction by systematic exercise. found there his brother, John S. Witherow and daughter, of Denver, Colorado, accompanied by his niece, Miss Allice Hayes, of Marion, Ind. Mr. Witherow has not been here for fifteen years and Journal, says everything looks strange. They will spend some time visiting friends

and relatives. The following officers of Lodge No. 36, K. of P., were elected on Tuesday night; H. L. Baumgardner, C. C.; Rev. W. E. | worked stomach can not do for itself Wheeler, V. C.; Thomas Shriner, Pre- Kodol digests what you eat-gives the late; Chas. Cashman, M. W.; R. S. Mc-Kinney, M. of E.; E. K. Reaver, M. of F.; L. D. Reid, K. of R. and S.; U. H. Bowers, M. of A.; Thos. Clingan, I. G.; Joshua Clingan, O. G.; R. S. McKinney, Rep. Grand Lodge. Present member-

December 28th, Washington Camp, No. 2, P. O. S. of A., elected the following officers:—Past president, B. O. Slonaker; President, Walter A. Bower, Vice-pres., Chas. E. Ridinger; M. of F., Chas. G. Brown; R. S., John J. Reid; F. S., S. H. Little; Treas., C. O. Fuss; Con., Henry was resumed, but on the day that Lon-Hawk; Ins., L. D. Frock; Guard, Eman- don was reached Henry had been maruel Harner. A number of the members | ried to Jane Seymour, a Protestant, of the Arabian Degree Klan, a side de- Anne had been beheaded, and all hope gree connected with the Camp, aided in of reconciliation with the papacy was instituting a Klan at Woodsboro, on at an end. The cast shoe had thus Tuesday evening. The annual banquet of the Camp will be held on Thursday evening, January 18th, 1906.

A Parson's Christmas. "Has any one sent in anything yet?" Parson Preachem had just returned from a round of wearisome parish calls, and he had known before he went away that his larder was almost as bare as old Mather Hubbard's and the next day. would be Christmas.

wishing us a happy Christmas."

but I'm afraid to use it."

"Well, I heard Sister Meekly say at the Dorcas Society the other day that their chickens were all dying with chol-"Oh, throw the foul fowl away! Any-

thing else?"
"The Smalls sent in half a pint of maple syrup and a dozen eggs, but only three of the eggs were good, as I found out when I tried to make a cake with them. Sister Pyous sent in some enech. them. Sister Pyous sent in some specked apples and Brother Roarer called a little while ago with what he called some

"And the richest man in the parish!" groaned the parson. "And that is all?" "Sister Brass told me at the Dorcas Society that she intended sending me a jar of gooseberry preserves that none of her family would touch, so we might as well have it as not, and Sister Gall chimed in and said that her mincemeat had begun to spoil and I could have some of it if I wanted it."
"That's all?"

"Not quite. Old Susan Goode, the humblest, kindest and almost the poorest woman in the parish, has just been overflowing with happiness because some friends of hers in the county have else needed for a complete Christmas dinner, and she wants us to come and dine with her and bring all the children. She simply wouldn't take no for answer, and she almost cried for joy when I finally accepted the kind old soul's in-

"Heaven bless her!" said the parson. "And as for the others may they not be

rewarded according to their deeds?' When you want a pleasant laxative take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver brave now as they used to be? Tablets. For sale by R. S. McKinney,

THE LOST ARTS.

Knowledge Makes Them Useless. Not as much as we used to, but oceasionally even yet, one hears of some wonder accomplished by the ancients which cannot be done now. Not so many years ago it was quite

commonly asserted that modern work-

men could not quarry or, having quarried, could not handle stones as large Miss Elsie Hawk, daughter of Mr. and as the monoliths of Egypt, and the writer has heard a public speaker of note assert that it would be impossible o handle with modern implements such large stones as were used in the Kent County, spent Christmas with his pyramids or to join them as perfectly as they are joined there. Yet, when ocasion arose, larger stones than any of Miss Nina Crapster, who has been the larger monoliths themselves were spending several months in various parts | transported not only to the sea, but across it, and erected in England, France and America, and there are individuals today who might, if they chose, cause the transportation to and erection in this country of the largest pyramids or build new ones ten times larger and more durable. Pyramids are not being generally built nowadays because they are not in line with the trend of modern ambition; that's all. It is very doubtful if a "Damascus blade" would stand half as severe usage as a modern band saw blade or even as much as the spring of a forty cent clock, while the ornamentations

of those wondrous blades, so far as the mechanical execution is concerned, can be excelled by apprentices and ama-Of the "lost art" of hardening cop-

per little is heard of late years, though del county, Uniontown and Union the wilds wish that he knew how to do It as well as the ancients, and while it Harry Reindollar, who has been in Is perhaps regrettable that he doesn't his ignorance is his own fault.

Many arts and devices have been abandoned because new knowledge has made them useless, and time spent in rediscovering them would be worse than wasted. The modern youth had much better spend his time studying the art of his contemporaries than that which is "lost."-Scientific American.

Don't drug the stomach to cure a ough. One Minute Cough Cure cuts he mucus, draws the inflammation out of the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes, by J. McKellip, Druggist, Taneytown,

DON'T GET RUSTY.

Keep Your Moral, Mental and Physical Machinery Working. The machine that lies idle is far

more liable to injury than the machine that runs. Air and dampness do more damage than wear and tear. Let the machine spent the day away from home, but by remain inactive awhile, and the coating formed by the corrosion soon cov-

come stiff and cranky. A man neglects the working parts of his body. Normally these parts should | their requests these libraries have althing that composed it is on the rise. be exercised. He indulges his members Farmers do not realize the cost of living in idleness. Whatever vitality and as much as do those who live in cities | working force they may have had when in continued use, neglect causes the machinery to run stiffly. It is the

ers the bright metal and the parts be-

seph's Catholic Church, in the parochial working brain forces. He may have funds to purchase the directories of school building will be continued this ever so quick a mind, but if he does Friday and Saturday evenings. The not use his mental machinery the rust of idleness is soon over it.

Some time ago, a bold thief stole two forces that are in him. There is a A man may neglect to use the moral crocks of apple butter from off the porch | weakening somewhere. The machine at Jacob Messinger's, while the family lets down. And soon the parts are

be glad for the empty vessels to be re- When the primary or the convention turned in time for them to be filled again or the ballot box, working parts of government, are neglected the rust collects. The machinery works poorly. It

> Keep your body working without Keep your mind bright by using it. Keep your soul clean by working it. And so for society nine-tenths of its

evils are caused by the idleness of its

necessary working parts. - Chicago The Season of Indigestion. The season of indigestion is upon us Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for Indigestion and Dyspepsia will do everything for the stomach that an over-loaded or over

A Shoe That Altered History. After the fall of Anne Boleyn the pope prepared overtures of reconcilia ship of Lodge 132: total assets \$1593.09. tion so favorable to King Henry VIII. At its meeting on Thursday evening, that he determined to accept them. A representative was sent from Rome with the dispatches, and when within a day's journey from Calais his horse east a shoe and fell lame. As it was a favorite, the messenger determined to wait a day that the poor animal might rest and recover. Next day the journey

> history. Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

changed the bent of English church

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily Mother Hubbard's, and the next day muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of 'Sister Sharper has sent in a jar of chills and fever. We began using Chamrhubarb, but I think that it is working, and Sister Wealthy has sent her card same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its "Is that all?"
"Brother Meekly has sent us a fowl, the grip." These Tablets promote a healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when

"I've been watching your work,"

for you if you'll give me what I want."



"You'll get \$2.50 per week." "Can't you make it \$2.50 a week?" "What's the difference?" "Per week only means perhaps I'h

Brave Men. She-Do you believe men are as

WASHINGTON LETTER

[Special Correspondence.] The new driveway which is being built under the direction of the office of the superintendent of public buildings and grounds will be ready to be opened for public use about Nov. 1 if some unforeseen obstacle does not delay the work. When the new roadway is completed Washington owners of horseflesh will have a perfect road, extending from the foot of Seventeenth | Laughter." street or B street to the tidal basin, along the shores of the basin to Fourteenth street, where it will cross the basin and will sweep along its north, west and south edges, on the Potomac park and under the new highway and railway bridges to the wagon road that runs from the old Long bridge into the city. In all the roadway will be about two miles long and will be as fine a driveway as can be built. The work in's?" was started about two months ago, and about two-thirds of the new road is completed, and the greater portion of the grading on the remaining third

had also been done. New Bridge Approach. Colonel Bromwell, superintendent in charge of public buildings and grounds, side of the roadway, and trees will be | matic readings from the poets or someplanted along it on both sides. The en- | thing like that?" tire space east of the approaches to the old Long bridge and to the new highway bridge is to be graded and sown with grass seed, so that from an unsightly common filled with a thick growth of weeds and underbrush it will be changed into a beautiful lawn. The Potomac park, west of the new railway bridge approaches, is filled with workmen building the approaches to the highway bridge for the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon railway and the new wagon road into the city. By the time the highway bridge is completed these approaches

Reducing Expenses. One of the first fruits of the investigation of the Keep commission will be reduction of the salaries of some of the physicians of the United States neals, soothes and cures. A quick cure marine hospital service and the transfor croup and whooping cough. Sold fer of patients from the hospitals of this service to other institutions, where the charges for medical attendance

will be ready for use and the railway

will be much smaller. Some of the government institutions may be closed, as it was found at one of them it cost the government \$4.95 a day to maintain each patient, while the cost at private institutions would have been but \$1. There were fourteen patients and sixteen attendants in the hospital under consideration.

Exchanging Directories. The District Public library has recently received requests from several large municipal libraries for copies of the 1904 District directory. In making ways offered in exchange the 1904 directories of their home cities. The calls for the directories of the principal cities of the country are so numerous that it is greatly to be desired to make such exchanges. It is not ordinarlly cities and certainly not their latest directories. However, in most cases the next to the last directory will answer every purpose. In order to make these exchanges friends of the library who can spare their last year's local directories are asked to give them to the library. If desired the library

will send for copies offered. Library Changes. For six or eight months the floor eases in the open shelf room of the Public library have been occupied by man literature. According to the policy of rotation, which is the only method by which all the resources of the library can be displayed on open shelves, these subjects will now be retired and works on philosophy and religion substituted for the scientific books, while foreign literature will be

represented by works in French. Government In Research. Herbert Putnam, the librarian of congress, has called attention in a recent address to the extent to which our national government is now maintaining research. He estimates the expenditure under this head from \$5, 000,000 to \$10,000,000, the lack of precision being due to the indefinable line in many of the government's undertakings between practical work and the advancement of science.

Coast and Geodetic Survey. coast and geodetic survey, for example, are familiar, but in doing its extremely practical work have necessarily been involved the higher mathematics and astronomy and a study of the earth's magnetism, and it has required not merely the application of established principles, but to some extent the establishment of new principles-that is, of new generalizations. It has required extensive new observations and the collection of a prodigious quantity of new data, which are valuable contributions to pure science. The triangulation within the United States ence. All work guaranteed — J. WM. will aid to determine the size and figure of the earth, which is the ultimate the tides has required observations along the coasts which will disclose the law of their periodicity, while a needful regard to bench marks to which the tides were referred will betray the subsidence or rise of the land. The deep sea soundings and dredgings have widened our knowledge of marine life, and the magnetic observations, though local, have contributed data for a magnetic survey which may compass the entire earth. CARL SCHOFIELD.

Climatic Cures.

The influence of climatic conditions in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient, and the rich patient, too, can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of German Syrup Free expectoration in the morning is weakening cough and debilitating night "Well," replied the hustler, "I'll work for you if you'll give me what I want." Christmas cheer, in the shape of some spongy turnips and a frost bitten squash. Brother Whiner sent in a pound of broken candy."

"Oh, that's out of the question, but I'll give you what you expect."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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Should you be able to go to warmer clime, you will find that of the thousands of consumptives there, the few who are benefited and regain strength are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. For sale by J. Mc-Kellip, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

> It is stated on the authority of officers in the Confederate army that a balky mule decided the battle of Gettysburg. The southern and northern troops were both attempting to reach an eminence the position of which Christmas Cards, at Hull's Cash Jew practically decided the battle, and the elry Store. southern column was blocked by a balky mule just long enough to enable nence, and so that balky mule really decided the battle.

Luck or Good Management. "I heard Crabbe say he had never had such luck in his business as he's having now, but I didn't understand whether it was good luck or bad." "Oh, he meant bad luck, of course! If it were good luck he wouldn't speak and unless the same are paid by Jan. 1, 1906, sale of property will be made. He-Sure. Just see the poetry some of it as 'luck' at all."-Philadelphia men write now.—Yonkers Statesman. | Ledger.

WHEN THE WORM TURNS.

Cook Finished Her Questions and the Mistress Took a Hand. "How many be's there in the fam-My husband, myself and

"An' how many help do yez keep?" "Three girls." "How many afternoons out do yez

let them off? "Every third Sunday and one every

"Don't they have any evenin's to themselves? "Certainly-every evening after their work is done "But don't they get any whole even-

"Oh, yes-one every week."

"Oh, thank you. But just a moment.

"The pianny, is it? No, mum, I do not." "Well, I suppose you can mimic or is arranging to sod the space on each skirt dance or cakewalk or give dra-

Do you play the piano?"

"I'm no actress, mum" "Hum. Well, have you many expensive gowns, dinner dresses, ball gowns

and so forth?" "I dress dacint." "Can you play a good game of bridge?'

"Divil a bit, mum. But forty-four! Ah-h, I'm the great cheat at fortyfour. "Dear me, this is too bad. But don't you golf or tennis or go in for ath-

"It's myself is no tomboy." "This is too bad, too bad. But perhaps you have had your voice cultivat-

letics generally?"

ed and can sing divinely?" A long stare of wonder and question. "No? Then I'm afraid you won't do. No, really, you won't do at all. You see, I want somebody who can entertain my guests while I do the work."-

Cause For Remorse. A western lawyer recounts a story

of a trial he once witnessed in a Texan court. A hard looking tough was the defendant. His counsel, in a voice apparently husky with emotion, addressed the jury something in this

"Gentlemen, my client is a poor man, He was driven by hunger and want to take a small sum of money. All that he wanted was sufficient funds wherewith to buy bread, for it is in evidence that he did not take the pocketbook containing \$500 that was in the same bureau drawer." At this point the counsel for the de-

fense was interrupted by the convulsive sobs of his client. "Here, man!" exclaimed the judge. Why are you crying so?" "Because, your honor," replied the defendant—"because I didn't see der pocketbook in de drawer."-Harper's

The Joke Was on Him. "Mother, who is that gay gentleman across the car who looks so happy?" asked the inquisitive kid. "Reginald, dear, that is Mr. De

Wagg, the famous joke writer." "But, mother, I have always read that joke writers are very sad and solemn looking persons." "So they are as a rule, my dear," replied the parent, "but Mr. De Wagg has just received word that his wife has presented him with twin babies, books on scientific subjects and Ger- and he is trying to play a joke on himself by looking happy."-Portland Oregonian.

In Mad Chase.

Millions rush in mad chase after health, from one extreme of faddism to able real estate, consisting of another, when, if they would only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at R. S. Mc-Kinney's drug store; guaranteed.

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HIGHEST CASH Prices paid for Eggs, Calves and Poultry. 50c for delivering Calves Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.-G. W. MOTTER. 6-10-5 OF COURSE I sell Washing Machines, Organ, Pianos, Musical Instruments of ture, etc., etc. For items see large all kinds; clean organs and tune pianos, posters.

HULL, Jeweler, Taneytown. PUBLIC SALE, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at basis of dimensional astronomy. The ascertainment of the rise and fall of Adm., near Tyrone, of Wm. Frounfelter; 2 cows, lot of wagonmaker tools, etc. J Thos. Roop, Auct.

DAYTON WAGON, in good order, with brakes. Will be sold cheap, by J. C. Wilson, Union Bridge road, near Lawyer's shop.

NOTICE.— Milton Academy will open at 10 a. m., on Jan. 3, instead of 2nd.— R. B. DEVILBISS, Princ.

ASK Mr. or Mrs. Silas Shoemaker what they think of the "Spotless" Rotary, Ball Bearing, Self Oiling Wash ing Machine. Put out on free trial. Agents wanted.—EDW. P. ZEPP, Gen'l

Agent, Taneytown, Md. LOOK AT THIS! I sell records as follows; 7 in. 35c; 9 in. 50c; 10 in. 60c, two 10 in. only \$1.00.—Edw. P. Zepp, Special Agent.

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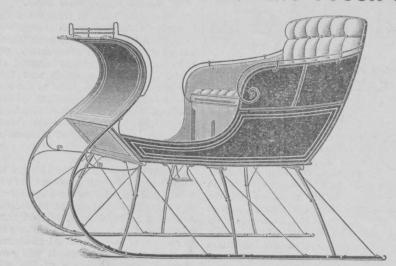
heap. The one used in RECORD office before the purchase of an engine. Will furnish nearly 1-horse power, depending on the feed and pressure. RECORD Office, Taneytown. NOTICE.—I beg to inform the public

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The undersigned, as executrix of Joel Myers, late of Carroll County deceased, Court of Carroll County, will offer at public sale on the premises, near Bruceville Sta., Carroll County, Md., on TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1906, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following valu-

13½ ACRES OF LAND, in good condition, the improvements SUBSTANTIAL BRICK DWELLING 50 ft front, containing ten rooms and attic, also basement and two cellars, popular this season; \$18 coats, now with a well of excellent water at the door; Barn, wagon-shed, carriage house \$12.00; \$15.00 coats, now \$10.

fruit in variety and is an especially desirable home. TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money to be paid said executrix on the day of sale or on the ratification thereof by the said court, and the residue in two equal payments, the one payable in six months and the other payable in twelve months from day of sale; the credit payments to be secured by the bonds or single bills of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers.

MRS. B. F. WELTY Executrix of Joel Myers. Also, at the same place and on same

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voted his life to it. The debt of as-

his own work, but as the man who

that I have reduced Columbia and Victor Records as follows, 7 in. 35c., 10 in. his own work, but as the man who

* naunaly ha averestimated. Sullivan and Fat. TENANT HOUSE, near Harney, for "Nobody loves a fat man anyway," Eye, Ear and Throat Diseases the northern troops to gain the emi- rent-Apply to R. S. Hill, Taneytown. observed the Hon. John L. Sullivan when the sheriff closed his fifty-fourth saloon. Mr. Sullivan threw too much emphasis on what was only one among Will be in Westminster every Sat the causes of his declining popularity. urday for consultation.

The disappearance of comely outlines

public than the loss of his ability to

with such momentum that the afore-

neously cease to feel or think .- Col-

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