

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE

Latest Items of News Furnished by Regular Contributors.

All communications for the Record must be given to the writer's own name, and not necessarily for publication, but as an evidence that the matters advanced are true and correct. Items of a miscellaneous nature will not be accepted.

Union Bridge.—A freight week, near Rocky Ridge, on Tuesday last, delayed trains for some time on the W. M. E. R. passenger on "Blue Mountain" and "Fast Mail" were transferred at the place of the wreck.

On last Saturday, Frank Lindsay sold his household belongings at public sale. Mr. Lindsay goes with his family to Ohio to live. He was in the employ of the W. M. E. R., but larger compensation takes him to Ohio.

On Wednesday morning of the present week, David Holz, with his family, left for Rocky Ridge, near Woodstock, Baltimore, where Mr. Holz has purchased a valuable property, and where they will make their future home.

On Sunday, at 2:30 p. m., a National service will be held in Hamilton Park, Union Bridge. The Union Bridge Detour, with Mrs. Kemp's mother, Mrs. Hannah Weaver, Mrs. Harrietta Taylor, who has spent the winter in Rocky Ridge, and her neighborhood, returned home last week.

On July 29 a festival will be held on the M. E. church lawn, Union Bridge. The Union Bridge Band will furnish the music.

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LAST COPY.

This will be the last copy of the RECORD that a good many of our readers will receive, unless they pay for a subscription. Hereafter, we are determined to lose less money, on account of delinquents, and will drop every one at the end of a year's credit—perhaps before. We do not mean to give the RECORD away, just for the name of the thing, nor do we propose to let even those who "are good for it" stand us off as long as they please. What are you going to do about it? We mean to be fair and honest! Do you?

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SATURDAY, JUNE 23rd, 1907.

All advertisements for 2nd, and 3rd, pages must be in our office by Tuesday morning, each week; otherwise, insertion cannot be guaranteed until the following week.

Judging by the article from the Sun, in another column, Gov. Warfield may be, after all, a candidate for re-nomination. At least, the situation as it now appears, is decidedly uncertain.

SINCE THE President has gone into seclusion at Oyster Bay, the greatest news treasury of the century is closed. It is pretty safe to conclude, however, that he is laying in a fresh supply of good things for future use, and in this there is compensation for the present closed season.

POOR OLD Mrs. Nison is still at it, but as yet she has accomplished little more than being a brilliant example of how unpoplar it is to tell unvarnished truths, and how unwise it is to buck against the ways of the world that are inflexibly "set" through the wishes and habits of the great majority.

SENATOR FORAKER still claims that those Negro troops never, NEVER, "shot up" the town of Brownsville, although the majority of the Senate Committee, after hearing about the evidence given DID do it. Some one for President Roosevelt, after much ado over a very small affair which failed to hatch out according to the Senator's expectations.

EDITOR GALT, of the Emmitsburg Chronicle, issued a highly creditable number, last week, devoted largely to Mr. St. Mary's College. The illustrations and write-ups were high-class and would do credit to a large city Journal; but, the readers of the Chronicle are being treated to both enterprise and surprise, and if they do not show their full appreciation of the paper they now have, they do not deserve their good fortune and ought to lose it.

COUNTY POLITICIANS are beginning to "get busy," the outlook being that the election in Carroll, this year, will be more than usually interesting and hard fought. It also seems to be in evidence that more "laymen" are beginning to take notice, and that consequently the professionals are not as self-supporting as they once were in running things. These are splendid signs. Let the arena be cleared of all faction leaders, grievance peddlers, and those whose politics clearly represent "what is in it," and we will then get at real majority rule, as nearly as can be possible under our indeliberately iniquitous ballot law.

PENNSYLVANIA EITHER has a very economical and business-like Governor, or a very unbusiness-like legislature—or both. According to reports, the Governor pruned about \$20,000,000 out of the various appropriations, chiefly the unnecessary, and in general cut the claims to suit the garment besides, he appears to have vetoed a lot of measures, the only excuse for the passage of which must have been to please constituents who live in lunatic asylums. Well, Pennsylvania can stand a season of sane management and economy—providing it wants a change.

Editorial Conscience vs. Business Management. A recent issue of *The American Press* contained a strikingly true paper on "The Gagged Editor," the substance of which is as the title implies, that the editor is often prevented from being honest and truthful, because of business considerations; in other words, because the Business Manager interferes with the Editor. Among a number of specimen examples of the truthfulness of the situation, the following is given, after the editor had made several unsuccessful efforts to write what was in his mind:

"How did I happen to forget the boiler? Here's a live issue right before me, an editorial that will fairly sizzle the bunch of heretics that betrayed the public trust last year—men with no more conscience than a flea. I'll say so! And, suiting the action to the word, he began a third editorial.

"At the close of the first paragraph he came to a pause. His business manager wanted to speak to him. He was wearing a smile and there was a tone of savage emphasis in his voice. I wish you'd give special typewritten orders to the reporters at the legislature to keep their mouths shut. Everybody knows the last legislature was a gang of boozers, but were not to blame for that and don't need to shout it through a megaphone. There's a lot of influence here this year, and the last one of them will vote against the appropriation for newspapers if those two reporters don't stop shouting off their mouths. Don't forget."

"The editor saw the light. He hastily drew his editorial from his type writer and dropped it, scarcely born remains into the wastebasket."

Other specimens given included, the society lady who called to suppress the fact that high-toned gambling had occurred at her house; the item to the effect that little children carried beer from a saloon, in buckets, did not appear because of the securing of a big advertising contract from a brewery; the Divorce evil article did not appear because Judge Blank came in and asked that no publicity be given a case in which his daughter figured as one of the principals; a child was killed by being run over by an electric car, due to the carelessness of a motor car, but his name was omitted from the Company's annual report because of the accident to his wife in the basket.

Hundreds of illustrations, great and small, might be given by which to illustrate the truth that the Editor is often "gagged." Why? Because he gets paid to suppress damaging reports and reformative information, and does not get paid, in cash, for publishing them—and it requires cost to run his business. Of course, it is wrong to take any such sort of view of the publishing business, but as long as most people engage in it through financial rather than philanthropic motives, it is a most natural view to take, especially as the average subscriber does not go to the trouble to draw very fine distinctions, and gives no special support or reward to the paper with an editorial conscience divorced from, and stronger than, mere business management.

It is the venal management of the press which keeps the public misinformed.

of the truth regarding the conduct of public affairs. The fear of loss of patronage suppresses much truth that ought to be told—that ought to be generally known. The very medium that ought to be the people's best guide and informant, is too frequently "bought off," and this truth might be told in a dozen variations, perhaps without causing one reader out of a thousand to see that he is in any way responsible. He is very apt to say: "That's true, paper will hold still for anything," and straightway gives the subject no further thought. What is the conclusion of the whole matter? Newspapers are as honest, as a rule, as the people who read them.

Baltimore's Will.

The following, from the *Mining Journal*, Frothingham, is a very fair answer to the wail from Baltimore—most loudly voiced by the *Sun*—that the city has not a fair show, in influencing the legislation of the State, and that entirely too much of the taxes paid by the city goes to the counties for their local benefit. Other county papers have answered much along the same line, and one of them points out the fact that nearly all of the institutions which receive big appropriations from the State are either in the city, or directly tributary to it.

The question is one for county residents to interest themselves in, as Baltimore has evidently made up its mind not only to more nearly control all state legislation, but to contribute less to the development of the State, and at the same time to continue drawing its life and business from the counties. In other words, the city seeks to get more from the counties, and to give less to them, than it has in years past. In a sardonic way, the *Journal* puts up good strong argument:

"Baltimore newspapers are this legislative-election year unusually sore over alleged advantages the counties enjoy from county funds. How true that is, they argue upon premises that imply that the city is pretty nearly the whole thing.

But the facts are that without the counties Baltimore would make a poor show as a town, much less a city. Without the continuous flow of county production to it, Baltimore-city profits, there would not be a divergent cent to quarrel over.

All that Baltimore has been, is, or will be, has, and will be due to its predominance over the counties as a trading mart. Will the city's thousands of drummers on the road in the counties, each is a missionary for contributions to city trade and city business.

Otherwise, there would be no drummers. Now tell us how many drummers the counties have in Baltimore seeking Baltimore custom?"

If there be any, state how much city patronage of any kind they are getting for county goods."

All the counties have in coal, wheat, etc., goes to Baltimore by the law of railroad gratiation, and in the exchange which follows *Baltimore prices rule on both sides.*

Hence, as a mere trader and handler of goods, Baltimore makes two profits out of the county people who do the producing.

Let it be admitted, then, that in only one respect is Baltimore better off than the counties—educational, and that even that is a dubious blessing. Let Baltimore get the lighter end of the bargain, is it not too small a business for a big, boastful city to kick because it does not get the big end in all the distributions?"

But the newspapers are in earnest about getting the only little advantage the counties have—that little mainly devoted to the promotion of popular education.

These want more city representation in the Legislature, and argue that *stranger men* be sent to the Legislature, to *control* a re-adjustment of absolutely the *only inequality of governmental profit* that exists to the detriment of the city.

In the interest of Baltimore wealth, the counties' educational dividend, one of the very few tangible blessings State government confers upon the city, this dividend is a fraction that must be "reduced to its lowest terms."

We say—in the interest of Baltimore wealth, because the element who want more money for popular education without contributing more for it.

To meet the pretensions set up for this grab in the name of equity, the *JOURNAL* hopes the counties will send representatives able, strong and brave; men who cannot be bamboozled out of the only little interest that constitutes one in the firm of city and State."

Gov. Warfield May Fight. "I do not propose to sit idly by and see a lot of scheming, selfish politicians re-establish an old calabar that will mean ruin and disaster for the Democratic party. I thought I was out of politics, but I intended to retire to private life, but I am a Democrat, and I love both my party and my State. When I see a few men plotting to gain control of the State for their own selfish interests, then I do not propose to shrink, but I will fight to the party and to the State. If these people want war, they can have it."

This statement was made by Governor Warfield recently in his office in the Fidelity Building, and it comes as close to putting the Governor back in the field as a candidate for re-nomination as anything could do short of an absolute announcement of his candidacy. If it means anything at all, it means that the Governor, if he were seen as a candidate by Congressmen J. F. C. Talbot, State Senator A. P. Gorman, Jr., and other members of what is called the "Old Guard," will be likely to enter the field for either the Governorship or the Senatorship, and appealing directly to the people, rather than to the hands of the old organization of the party machinery.

Announced by Senator Gorman. What has aroused the Governor and made him feel that there are conditions which might arise that would compel him to make a fight for one of the offices of the State to the other, is the action of the Howard county convention in Elliott City last Wednesday, when Senator Gorman ran things, and had a candidate nominated throughout an absolutely Gorman ticket.

Following the convention an incipient revolt has sprung up, and stalwart Democrats in different sections of the county are openly expressing their dissatisfaction. Mr. Joshua N. Warfield, brother of the Governor, and chairman of the county executive committee, has declared that he will serve no longer as a member of the committee, and declines to continue himself as to whether he will support the ticket as named. The day following the convention Mr. Joshua N. Warfield came to the city and had a conference with his brother, the Governor, and it was later that he made the statement attributed to him. It is known that Governor Warfield has no objection to the ticket that has been nominated at it now. There are men on it whom he believes are good men and should be elected, but there are others whom he thinks notoriously unfit and should be defeated.

The chief reason why the Governor and the Governor's friends in the county are hostile to the ticket, however, is because of the way in which it was nominated. In the first place, the county was divided into wards, and the vote of each ward was counted, and the ward of the county executive committee, has declared that he will serve no longer as a member of the committee, and declines to continue himself as to whether he will support the ticket as named. The day following the convention Mr. Joshua N. Warfield came to the city and had a conference with his brother, the Governor, and it was later that he made the statement attributed to him. It is known that Governor Warfield has no objection to the ticket that has been nominated at it now. There are men on it whom he believes are good men and should be elected, but there are others whom he thinks notoriously unfit and should be defeated.

Mr. J. Warfield's Advice Ignored. On the day it met, it is declared, Mr. Gorman was appealed to by Mr. Warfield and other members of the Elliott ward to nominate Mr. Jacob J. Werner for County Commissioner and to put up a strong, healthy ticket which the party could support. Instead of taking this advice, it is alleged, Mr. Gorman went into the convention, forced the nomination of Mr. Werner, turned down Judge William Day, of the Orleans Court, and, last but not least, elected as delegates to the State convention himself and two of his followers, thus ignoring Mr. Joshua Warfield, who had expected to go to the State convention.

Mr. Warfield is a power in Howard County politics and has always had more political influence than any other Warfield. He is the largest landowner in the county, the biggest tax-payer, and has never desired nor held office. There was no more loyal friend of the late Senator Gorman than he, and there was no more ardent supporter of the Constitution and amendments to it than he. He is the only one of the Warfield administration, however, much less the adoption of resolutions of endorsement, the indignation of those who thought things had been run with a high hand by Mr. Gorman reached the boiling point. Judge Day has openly assumed an antagonistic attitude toward the ticket and accused Mr. Gorman of treachery in "throwing him down."

For the United States Senate. By friends of Governor Warfield, Senator Gorman is said to be actually a candidate for the United States Senate and is playing his hand in order to be elected by the Legislature in 1910 to succeed Senator John S. Cameron. His friends regard the legislative ticket nominated by Mr. Gorman in Howard county—Messrs. Matthew S. Gill and William H. Brown—as put up in the interests of Congressman J. F. C. Talbot's Senatorial candidacy. If Mr. Gorman and the two candidates for the House of Delegates are elected, it is declared, they can be counted upon to vote for Mr. Talbot for the United States Senate. In return, it is declared, Mr. Gorman can count on the support of the State Senator John S. Cameron's vote for himself as a Senatorial candidate. He would also, it is said, have the influence of Mr. Talbot behind him at that time. Under these circumstances the Warfield element in Howard county is not enamored of the legislative ticket and it, with Mr. Werner, are the two principal objects of attack.

The Governor's Attitude. Governor Warfield was asked whether if he were elected he would vote for Mr. Gorman for the State Senate. He said that he would have voted for Mr. Gorman for the Senate with pleasure and that he had fought with him, but that he did not think the people of the county would stand for him setting himself up as a boss in the way he had.

"I am not fighting Mr. Gorman," said the Governor, "nor his ticket. No one has any objection to his being nominated for the State Senate, but Howard county has never been a bossed county. When Senator Gorman, Sr., was living he never attempted to do anything that would hurt the party in that county and it has not known a boss and I do not think I will either. If I make a fight it will not be for the party, but for the people of the State. I will go directly to the people of the State. I think I know how to get an expression directly from the people if I should desire it, and I do not want to get into this fight. It is my desire to keep out of politics. I wanted to see, as I said in my letter announcing that I would not be a candidate, the Democratic party nominate a man who will carry the party to victory in November. I had desired to go to the State convention and to put up a ticket in putting up a man of the right kind and character. I wanted to see the party united and harmonious and to let the campaign along the right lines, but I am not going to sit by and see the party wrecked by a lot of selfish politicians. I am a Democrat and I intend to stay in the party to win. I do not want to see the State turned over to the Republican, but neither do I want to see it run by men who are scheming solely for their own advancement and not for the party nor the State."

Talk of Revenge. There has since the convention been some talk of an independent ticket in Howard county, and the Republican leaders are greatly encouraged over the splits in the Democratic ranks. The friends of Senator Gorman, however, profess not to regard the talk of opposition in Howard county as anything that would be really a harmonious and satisfactory one; that every nomination was made by unanimous vote, and that while some people were disappointed the ticket is a strong one.

So far as the failure to make Mr. Joshua N. Warfield one of the delegates to the State convention, it is said, that no promise or pledge was made to him and that the charges of bad faith and treachery are not well founded.

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"I am not fighting Mr. Gorman," said the Governor, "nor his ticket. No one has any objection to his being nominated for the State Senate, but Howard county has never been a bossed county. When Senator Gorman, Sr., was living he never attempted to do anything that would hurt the party in that county and it has not known a boss and I do not think I will either. If I make a fight it will not be for the party, but for the people of the State. I will go directly to the people of the State. I think I know how to get an expression directly from the people if I should desire it, and I do not want to get into this fight. It is my desire to keep out of politics. I wanted to see, as I said in my letter announcing that I would not be a candidate, the Democratic party nominate a man who will carry the party to victory in November. I had desired to go to the State convention and to put up a ticket in putting up a man of the right kind and character. I wanted to see the party united and harmonious and to let the campaign along the right lines, but I am not going to sit by and see the party wrecked by a lot of selfish politicians. I am a Democrat and I intend to stay in the party to win. I do not want to see the State turned over to the Republican, but neither do I want to see it run by men who are scheming solely for their own advancement and not for the party nor the State."

Talk of Revenge. There has since the convention been some talk of an independent ticket in Howard county, and the Republican leaders are greatly encouraged over the splits in the Democratic ranks. The friends of Senator Gorman, however, profess not to regard the talk of opposition in Howard county as anything that would be really a harmonious and satisfactory one; that every nomination was made by unanimous vote, and that while some people were disappointed the ticket is a strong one.

So far as the failure to make Mr. Joshua N. Warfield one of the delegates to the State convention, it is said, that no promise or pledge was made to him and that the charges of bad faith and treachery are not well founded.

In reference to the ignoring of Governor Warfield and his administration, it is felt in the city that Mr. Gorman would have played better politics had he had resolutions endorsing Governor Warfield adopted. This would have tended to placate the Governor's friends and prevent trouble.

City politicians, however, say they do not blame Mr. Gorman for not doing so, notwithstanding that it was bad politics. They say that they felt by the Gorman family toward the Governor is intense. Senator Gorman considers, it is understood, that Governor Warfield was ungrateful to his father, who had, it is claimed, been his friend in both business and politics all his life.

The Governor, it is said, ignored the late Senator Gorman completely after he had been elected Governor that State Senator Gorman will never lose an opportunity to denigrate the Governor, and politically, it is a matter of family pride with him, it is said, and he would rather be defeated and not have endorsed Governor Warfield at the convention than win by having endorsed him.

Ex-Gov. Brown May Get In It. The situation in the county is not regarded as an encouraging one for the Democrats, but Mr. Gorman and his friends profess to believe that their ticket will get the usual majority. Governor Warfield's statement that he does not propose to sit idly by and see the politicians fix up slates, will make the leaders in various parts of the State "sit up and take notice." Should the Governor come out in the open as a candidate, announce his platform and appeal directly to the people in an effort to wrest from the hands of the old organization, and one of the results might be the announcement of his candidacy by ex-Gov. Frank Brown. If these two men should lock horns in Baltimore the fur would certainly fly.—*Balt. Sun.*

A New York City Undertaking. The *New York American Magazine* contains an article on "Manhattan: an Island Outgrown," which is the best description yet made of the extraordinary transportation improvements now being made in connection with the city.

The transit problem in New York City to-day has become the most difficult and vexatious which faces any American city; and twice as much money is being spent to solve it as is being expended on the construction of the Panama Canal. That trans-oceanic ditch will cost \$200,000,000.

"The Pennsylvania Railroad alone is spending \$100,000,000 to tunnel the two rivers and build a terminal in Manhattan. The McKeesport tubes under the North (or Hudson) River will cost \$75,000,000 more. The New York Central Railroad is going to erect an enormous new terminal station and bring all its trains into the city by electric power. The Belmont tubes under the East River to Long Island City and the city subway tubes from the Battery to Brooklyn represent the expenditure of millions more. And new subways under the East River and north through the city itself are being planned, while a new bridge is under way across the East River to Manhattan Island. The creative artists of the twentieth century are undoubtedly the

engineers (the creative instinct is not dead; it is merely working in another medium); and New York City will soon contain one of the greatest achievements, an achievement even more radical than at first glance it appears, for it is made possible by electricity and represents for the first time on a thorough-going scale the change in motive power on railroads from the steam locomotives of the past seventy years to the electrically driven train. In a short time—probably three years at most—four railroad systems will bring their enormous traffic into the very heart of Manhattan Island under rivers and streets and avenues without a puff of smoke or a sound of steam. Underground, in silence and clean air, they will come and so depart again, while the Hudson River steamers pass over the Washington Express and the barges on Park Avenue roll above the Bay State Limited. The achievement is stupendous and unique."

Some Fair Play Ideas. No intelligent man will indulge a prejudice against a railroad. In a certain sense, says the Ohio "State Journal," every citizen is a part owner in a road, and it is against self-interest to see such an enterprise hampered or destroyed.

The first thing asked of a railroad, in which the public has no interest, is that there shall be no discrimination in the treatment of its patrons. When there is, it is the law most correct the abuse.

The two-cent fare was the logical consequence of the "railroads' fault. The people saw thousands of big, fat, prosperous fellows traveling for nothing, while they had to pay three cents a mile. In Pennsylvania it would take 10 great trains every day to carry the free passengers. So the people reasoned that if a railroad charged some three cents and some more and it could get along by charging everybody two cents. The railroad forced that logic on the people.

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There is a law against it, and the law should be obeyed. This republic is facing a new direction, and that is toward the welfare of the people in business, in politics, in courts, in society, in church.

In distributing the fruits of our civilization, the benefit of our Republican institutions, one man is as good as another if he works for it. It is essential to get it at a low price, as civil and good accommodations, whether he wears a bolted coat or a Prince Albert, whether he has a fat pocket book or just enough money to pay the bill. There is not a bit of the stain of demagogism about these words; it is simple American justice. It is what our religion and education are forcing us to.

Our Poverty of Riches. Nobody connected with the government's fiscal business is able to find a figure of speech strong and graphic enough to deal for everybody in business, in politics, in courts, in society, in church.

Two short years ago there was a deficit. There was talk that it was dangerous. Something must be done. Then the tide turned, receipts went larger and larger month by month, and despite two billion dollar sessions of Congress since, the surplus is beyond all management. The problem of what to do with the money is certain to be a serious one for a long time, unless business depression changes very notably the course of things. Tariff revision might be made to reduce the revenues considerably, but chances are that it would be conducted on the theory of making the revenues maintain about the same total.

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Don't have a falling out with your hair. It might leave you! Then what? That would mean thin, scraggly, uneven, rough hair. Keep your hair at home! Fasten it tightly to your scalp! You can easily do it with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is something more than a simple hair dressing. It is a hair medicine, a hair tonic, a hair food.

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"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and I can truly say that it has restored my hair to its former state, and I feel much better than I have for many months past."
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CHERRY FURNACE, PA.

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Hammock Chairs, 89c.
Frame of straight grained heavy hardwood; 1-piece adjustable seat and back of best striped duck; folds into a 2 inch flat space.

Ice Cream Freezers.
Full size and measure. Finest white cedar tubs.
2-quart - \$1.69
3-quart - 1.95
4-quart - 2.19.

Ice Tongs, 9c.
For family use, anti-rust 12-gauge steel; 4-in. wide.

Ice Picks, 9c.
7-in. Flat head and pick; solid steel, polished and nickle plated.

Water Coolers, 89c.
12-gal. galvanized, heavy iron; painted outside, nickle plated lever faucets; inside decorated iron.

Coil Springs, 7c.
Extra steel spring wire, Japanned, ring end and screws.

Sprinkling Cans, 31c.
Good tin, painted green; strong handle, decorated iron.

Hammocks, 89c.
Medium close weave, full size pillow, concealed spreader at head, deep fringed valance.

Rakes, 10c.
10-tooth, malleable-steel. Black lacquer finish; long handle.

Ice Box, \$2.89.
Ice box, complete with water tank, all metal; packed with mineral wool; galvanized inside.

Sun Bonnets, 15c.
Ladies' Sun Bonnets, all patterns and colors; laundered and finished as they should be.

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Feb. 9, 1904.....352,944.58.	Feb. 9, 1904.....346,794.53.
Feb. 9, 1905.....356,266.52.	Feb. 9, 1905.....363,190.84.
Feb. 9, 1906.....451,179.68.	Feb. 9, 1906.....424,944.25.
Feb. 9, 1907.....473,300.04.	Feb. 9, 1907.....479,167.13.

Capital and Surplus \$50,000.

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The only exclusive clothing store in the county. Special inducements on these fine suits this month. Big values in \$5, \$7 and \$8 Suits.

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A lot of handsome patterns to make to Order at big reductions.

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See our 3c Underwear, a 50c quality. We can show you all the latest in Shirts, Ties, Collars, Belts, Hosiery, etc.

The 1900 Roller Bearing Gravity WASHING MACHINE.
Put out on Trial Free of Charge. Invites Competition. Easiest Running Washing Machine on the Market.

Agents Wanted.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning June 30. BY REV. S. H. DOYLE. Topic—Foreign Missions.

Africa has been called the darkest of the world's continents, and it is not only the darkest, but also the poorest...

Africa today is populated with a great mass of people widely separated in their intelligence, civilization and their religions.

The opening verses of our lesson chapter tell us of many in Israel who having been redeemed from Egypt...

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The idea of helpfulness. One of the central ideas of the Christian Endeavor society is this helpfulness. The society that lives for itself and not to help the church is not a true Christian Endeavor society.

Climbing a Water Stair. Even a steamboat can climb a hill by going up one step at a time.

Spider Talk. (In the kitchen, a spider is giving a natural history lesson.)

Scott's Emulsion strengthens enfeebled nursing mothers by increasing their flesh and nerve force. It provides baby with the necessary fat and mineral food for healthy growth.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson XIII.—Second Quarter, For June 30, 1907.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, 1 Cor. x, 23-33. Memory Verse, 31—Golden Text, Rom. xiv, 21—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The lesson is taken from the section of the epistle which concerns the believer's attitude in reference to things offered to idols...

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Codfish Cakes. Pick enough salt codfish into small pieces to make two cups full. Soak over night, drain and bring to a boil...

Ray Stannard Baker's article on the Negro in the July American Magazine contains a most interesting description of the Southern Negro farmer.

Purely Chance. Kicker—Purely chance? Backer—Purely. Sometimes my wife finds it out, and then again she doesn't—Harper's Bazar.

The fear of work is the card index to the catalogue of troubles—Richmond Missouri.

A Plea For the Dandelion.

A woman's club at Kokomo, Ind., has a dandelion. It is a dandelion that has been planted in a garden...

When I get down to grandpa's house I'll be with you and your family.

Womaning has a great deal to vex it, but nothing causes it more exasperation than the general depravity of hats.

Two travelers trudged along the road together, talking as neighbors do...

When the hat has changed or her face has changed, no woman can ever determine but everyone of the sex knows.

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Chamberlain's Cough, Croup and Whooping Cough Remedy.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm (an antiseptic liniment) for cuts, bruises, burns, sprains, swellings, lameness and rheumatic pains.

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THE GRANGE.

Conducted by J. W. DARROW, Chairman, N. Y. Free Correspondent New York State Grange.

I Am That I Am

By L. H. Bailey.

I lie on my back on the single shore Subdued by the wind and the pebbly roar.

I see the white clouds in their dome of air And the specks of birds that are floating there.

I forget the sense of my time and charge I am lost in awe of the Great Program— Only this I know: I know that I am.

The wild earth it is swinging free From its place, It is rolling adrift on the limitless space.

It is sailing away past cerulean bars, It is passing the moon and the sun and the stars— And the wind and the wind it is following fast.

Oh carry me out to the bold deep sky, Oh blow me away through the blue, I will snatch the years as they hasten by.

And scatter their days as the dew: For this year and year are but shapes profound That are bred in the depths sublime, And that ride and ride in their fruitless round.

Oh carry me out where the starlight burns, Where the world stuff billows and sweeps— Yet will I grasp the orbs as they pass in turn.

I find them adrift on the deeps: For the worlds and worlds may vanish as air, And schemes of the universe fall, And my domain o'er all.

A WISE POSITION. New York State Grange refused to endorse a bill that would have reduced the salary of the State Grange.

Leg Weakness. Sane Methods of Feeding Will Usually Correct This Trouble.

Squab Breeding. Truths Which Are Frequently Overlooked by Pigeon Raisers.

Americans Likely to Be Barred. The rumor that Frank Greer, the sculler, might row for the Diamond sculls at the Henley regatta in England...

Prizes For Balloon Races. Word has been received by the Aero Club of America that prizes aggregating \$5,000 have been offered by the Aero Club of St. Louis for aeroplanes and dirigible balloons.

Football Outlook at Columbia. There is a well defined rumor about Columbia university that the virtual consent of the authorities to the restoration of football had been obtained.

Use of Scrapbooks. To keep clipings where they can be found readily it is a good idea to have several cheap scrapbooks.

USE AN INCUBATOR.

In these days it does not pay to rely on natural methods. In spite of the fact that last season's sale of incubators is estimated at over 250,000, not every poultry keeper operates an incubator.

There are good incubators which are a material help to all who raise poultry and indispensable to those who raise any appreciable number of chicks.

No person can now profitably raise poultry without an incubator and a system of brooding.

The Sporting World. Murphy 'Unblets For the Limit.' Chubby Charley Murphy, president of the Chicago National Baseball club, champion of the league, has developed into a plunger—that is, he is getting reckless with the club's money.

Government officials who have heretofore had no expense allowance for tipping on railroad cars...

There were 120 camps and roadhouses in Alaska provided with telephones.

PITH AND POINT. A newcomer in a town can never make much of a hit by telling how to improve it.

MEN MAY NOT HAVE AS MUCH CURIOSITY AS WOMEN.

There are very few family quarrels which can be traced directly to this origin.

Let us have your Job Printing this Summer. Look ahead a little and don't wait until the Fall rush is on.

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BREVITIES.

THE HALL OF FAME.

Jake Kilrain, the ex-puglist, is now a special policeman in Somerville, Mass.

During the honeymoon trip of Hon. William Bourke Cochrane to Europe and Egypt he spent part of the time with his wife in a tent on the desert of Sahara for the benefit of Mrs. Cochrane's family.

In the will of Moses B. J. Giddard of Providence are mentioned his brothers, Robert H. J. Giddard and Thomas P. J. Giddard—a remarkable instance of multiplicity of individual names in one family.

Among the textile kings of New England, Walter H. Langstaff of New Bedford, Mass. rose to pre-eminence as the position of barefooted bobby boy to a man who now controls the most successful cotton mill in the world.

Read the Record. Nobody can afford to let-up in keeping posted on what is going on.

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Items of Local News of Special Interest to Home Readers.

All copy for ADVERTISEMENTS on this page must be in hand early on Thursday morning of each week, except Special Notices and short advertisements.

Miss Mary Martin left, last Friday evening, on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. Sentman Sheets, at Dayton, Ohio.

Miss Eileen Schwartz and Miss Annie Hagan left, on Monday, on a visit to the Jamestown Exposition.

M. C. Duttera was appointed assistant marshal, by the Littlestown committee for the P. O. S. of A. parade, July 4th.

Miss Virginia Shriver, of Baltimore, paid a flying visit to Mrs. E. C. Crouse, and other friends in town, this week.

Earl Buffington Wagner, from New Freedom, Pa., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Buffington.

Mrs. Upton Bering, of Philadelphia, arrived last Friday evening for her customary summer visit to her sister and brother.

Miss Beulah Englar arrived home, on Saturday evening, from Raitan, N. J., where she has been teaching for ten months.

David Trimmer has sold his property, in this district, to Nathaniel D. Fessler. Mr. Trimmer has not yet decided what he will do.

Children's day services will be held in the Lutheran church, on Sunday, July 7, in the morning, taking the place of regular services.

Mrs. R. H. Sheffer, of Glen Rock, Pa., is visiting her father, Mr. Michael Humbert, of this district, and will afterwards visit the Jamestown Exposition.

The Farmers' picnic will be held on July 25, 26 and 27. Tuberculosis will be discussed scientifically in all its tendencies. Further information will be announced later.

Our thanks to Miss Abbie R. Fogle, for a supply of the finest strawberries we have seen this summer, and that is a pretty strong endorsement, as berries generally have been fine.

What is ripening slowly, but it is probable that the most of it will be cut next week. Opinions as to quality and yield vary greatly, but all agree that the crop will be less than the average in both respects.

Robert S. McKinney, accompanied by his son, Andrew, is attending the annual meeting of the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association, which is being held this week, in connection with a trip to the Jamestown Exposition.

The "kids" have organized a "Junior" Fire Company, of nine or ten members, the equipment consisting of a reel and 50 ft. of hose, and a pump. Uniforms are now in order, then they will be ready for drills and parades, as well as fires to suppress.

The Gettysburg Ministerium, at a recent meeting, in view of the summer vacation of pastors and public, decided to hold Sunday evening services, during July and August, each service to be in charge of the pastor in whose church it is held.

A carrier pigeon, very tired and hungry, arrived at John E. Buffington's last number, but no address. It was carefully fed and housed, but has likely been let out, by this time, to find its way home, if it can.

The Dog Hill Fire Insurance Company made the Taneytown Fire Co., a present of \$25.00 in consideration of their services at the recent fire which destroyed Mrs. Motter's barn, and endangered the dwelling which is located outside of the corporate limits.

Thursday next July 4, being a postal holiday, there will be a delivery of mail by rural carriers on that day. The Post office will be open between the hours of 8.30 and 10.30 a. m., and 3.30 and 6 p. m. Baltimore mail will be received on ten o'clock train.

Miss Mollie Winemiller, of her home, has returned to her home, after spending several weeks, visiting friends, in Waynesboro, Pa. She also attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Lotta E. Kemp, of Waynesboro, to Mr. Clarence V. Hagerstrom.

Fireworks and fire-crackers should be confined to use on vacant lots, or outside the corporate limits. It is certainly not a proper display of joy over our National independence, to grant victory to the few, to the annoyance and danger of the many; especially considering the positive torture that crackers are to the sick and nervous.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton E. Foglesong, of near Marker's Mill, entertained on Friday, June 21, Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, wife and family, Mr. Uriah Foglesong and wife, Mr. Francis T. Brown, wife and family, Mrs. Grace B. Myers, wife and little Miss May Myers. The day was much enjoyed by all. The children, especially, had a good time.

The Kroon office closes, each evening, at 5.30, instead of Saturday evening when the hour is five o'clock. Those who desire job work, after these hours, should give instructions as to where it may be left for them, as we do not go back to the office after it is once closed. The editor can usually be seen at his home, in the evening, by those who want to leave items for publication, or to pay subscriptions.

Last Saturday night, in Taneytown, was not exactly a credit to the town. An immense crowd of people gathered, no doubt to enjoy the various attractions but none of them forgot to do their buying until about 12.30 Sunday morning, and some were as late as 1 o'clock in starting for home. At 12 o'clock, the streets were alive with teams and people. We think that those who have entered into an agreement on early closing, should also have agreed to close on Saturday nights at 11 o'clock, and that all those who have not agreed to close at any hour, should, for the sake of decency close at 11.30.

Children's day service will be held in Piney Creek Presbyterian church, Sunday, next, June 30th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. There will be an address by Rev. Thos. L. Springer. Church service in the Taneytown church, on same date, at eight o'clock p. m. The joint communion service of the two congregations will be held in the Taneytown church, Sunday, July 7th, at 10 a. m., services conducted by Rev. Kenneth M. Craig, of Emmitsburg, Md. Preparatory service, Saturday preceding, at half past two o'clock. There will be a congregational meeting, after service, on Saturday, for the purpose of electing a new Board of Trustees.

Miss Effie E. Hess is in attendance at the State Teachers' Association, which convened this year at Jamestown Exposition, and also held a session on the boat on the way down the bay.

Rev. W. H. Riser, pastor of First Lutheran church, Norfolk, Va., desires it to be known that he will gladly assist all Lutherans who expect to visit the Jamestown Exposition, in securing rooms in private homes. When writing him, enclose postage for reply.

Washington Camp No. 2, Md., P. O. S. of A., will attend the dedicatory exercises of the new Hall, in Littlestown, Pa., on July 4th, in a body, accompanied by the Taneytown Band. A special train will leave Littlestown for Taneytown, at about 9.30 p. m., for the accommodation of those who do not wish to leave earlier.

Taneytown Election Officials.

The following are the election officials for Taneytown district:

FIRST PRECINCT:
Democratic—Registrar, Charles A. Elliott; Judge, Samuel Harnish; Clerk, Oliver J. Stonestiel; Gatekeeper, Uriah Zent.

REPUBLICAN—Registrar, David A. Bachman; Judge, John J. Reil; Clerk, L. N. O. Smith; Gatekeeper, John Byers.

SECOND PRECINCT:
Democratic—Registrar, Ervin L. Hess; Judge, George Knox; Clerk, Thos. D. Eckenrode; Gatekeeper, James Kilham.

REPUBLICAN—Registrar, Harry L. Feerer; Judge, J. Henry Lambert; Clerk, James A. Reid; Gatekeeper, Emanuel Kipple.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

(For the Record.)

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Doyler, of near Hagerstown, Saturday evening, June 22, in honor of their son, Samuel. The evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner. At seven o'clock they were invited to the dining room, where a table was spread with many nice cakes and confectioneries. Those present included Mr. Doyler and wife, Joseph Froenter and wife, Melville Ott and wife, Saint Scott and wife, Hildebrandt and wife, Mrs. Harry Sell, Miss Lillie, Miss Gertrude, Gertrude Benninger, Edna Froenter, Anna Hildebrandt, Anna and Cora King, Annie and Martha Staley, Malinda Carter, Rebecca, David, Edna and Ernie Harnes, Messrs. Percy Benninger, Neville Staley, Raymond Crouse, Ernest Oiler, Raymond Hildebrandt, Thos. Samuel, Raymond George and Luther Harnes, Charlie and Russel Froenter.

Colic and Diarrhoea.

Pains in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by S. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

Apples Selling at \$1.00 Dozen.

Apples that were gathered from Pennsylvania and Delaware orchards last fall, and since then have been kept in cold storage, are selling on the stairs in the Reading Terminal market at 90 cents to \$1.00 a dozen. Wholesale they are quoted at \$1.20 to \$1.50 per barrel by Dock street commission merchants. These apples are in the best of condition, and are of the "Stamen" and "York Imperials." The former are grown in Kent county, Delaware, and the latter in Adams county, Pennsylvania. Other varieties prominent among which are the "Baldwin," "Spitzenberg" and "Rome Beauty," range all the way from 25 to 60 cents a half peck, according to size and condition.

The reason given by local produce commission men, and retail dealers for the unusually high price of apples is a belief that a surplus remaining in cold storage may become exhausted before the ripening season begins, in view of the fact that the condition of the market. Reports from fruit growers in nearby states are all to the effect that late crops will likely prevail this season.

The "harvest" apple, the first variety to ripen, is not maturing this season as early as in previous years. The average crop of apples was above the average in recent years, according to the bureau of entomology connected with the Department of Agriculture, Washington. More than 25,000 barrels of apples, from all over the country, were put in cold storage last fall in the Reading Terminal market. This was exclusive of many more thousands of barrels put in cold storage plants in Philadelphia.—*Dover (Del.) Index.*

Automobile Accidents in Germany.

In Germany a very accurate record of motor accidents and fatalities is kept and an analysis of the statistics on this subject shows that during the half-year ended September 30 last, there were 2,290 automobile accidents in that country, of which 673 caused injury to persons.

The number of persons killed was 327, and 1,270, including 51 killed. Of the latter, 9 were chauffeurs, 9 passengers of the automobiles and 33 other persons. In 1,023 cases the cause of the accidents was determined, and in 478 of these too rapid running or failure to give the alarm signal was given the cause, while in 290 were caused by unskillful steering, 26 through disregard of stop signals, 53 through failure of brakes, 174 through lack of proper attention on the part of persons on the streets or roads, 48 through slippery pavement, 20 through breakage of parts of the machine and 5 through explosions. Sixty seven of the causes in 625 were against chauffeurs.

AN EDITOR'S DIARY.

The Indianapolis News claims to have discovered a Hoosier editor who has taken time, despite his heavy duties as a member of public opinion, to keep track of his material and mental progress during the year, and offers the following summary of his experience:

Been broke 30 times.
Had money 65 times.
Praised by the public 6 times.
Asked to drink 9 times.
Refused to drink 0 times.
Missed prayer meeting 52 times.
Washed the 621 times.
Been roasted 52 times.
Washed the toilet towels 3 times.
Missed meals 0 times.
Taken for a preacher 11 times.
Taken for a capitalist 0 times.
Found money 0 times.
Taken bath 6 times.
Delinquents paid 27 times.
Got whipped 0 times.
Whipped the other fellow 8 times.
Cash on hand beginning \$1.40; cash on hand at present, 6 cents.

No Mosquito Netting.

A friend from the North had gone to visit the colonel who lived in the swampy Mississippi river bottoms of Louisiana. There was no mosquito netting over the bed, and in the morning, when the negro came with the water and towels, the doctor said to the colonel:

"Sam, why is it that you have no mosquito netting over the bed? Doesn't the colonel have any in his room?"

"No, sir," replied Sam.

"I don't see how he stands it."

"Well, sah," said Sam, "I reckon it's his way. In the fo'rtay day 'n' night, de colonel's mos' generally 's 'toxicated dat he don't pay no 'nition to de skeeter; an in de last part of de night, sah, de skeeter 's mos' gen'rally 's 'toxicated dat they don't pay no 'nition to de colonel."

Well Acquainted.

Magistrate—Stay! I cannot allow you to address the bench in this familiar manner. Prisoner—Beg your honor's pardon, but you and me has met so often we seems like old friends.

It is only by labor that thought can be made healthy, and only by thought that labor can be made happy.—Huxkin.

HUMOR

THE LOVER.

His Experience With the Father of the Girl of His Choice.

"I suppose," he said, approaching her father's desk and furtively looking for the quickest and easiest way out in case haste became necessary—"I suppose you—ah—have noticed—that your daughter and—ah—"

"Well? I have a daughter. You are correct in that assumption. Go on."

"You may have noticed that your daughter and—ah—I have—ah—been—ah—I may say rather good friends for several months past."

"The fact has not escaped my notice."

"Your daughter, if I may—ah—say so, is very beautiful."

"Thank you kindly for this testimonial. Her mother and I have always thought that she was, as you say, very beautiful. But parents are sometimes poor judges in these matters. I am glad that your opinion agrees with ours."

"Miss Allibama, in addition to being beautiful, has always lived in luxury."

"Yes, it would be only fair to call it that."

"You may never have felt sufficient interest in me to make any inquiries concerning my condition in life. I feel that my income is only a very few thousand dollars a year and being, as I am, without any hope of inheriting money, for me to—ah—to—ask you—ah—"

"Of course I am, I take pleasure in it. Oh, yes, I am very happy. You may have her."—*Chicago Record-Herald.*

On the Job.

"Oh, yes; I know them all. The first one was Spoeder, the young millionaire. He thinks nothing of a ninety mile gait."

"Indeed? Who's the second?"

"That's Dr. Van Kufen, the celebrated surgeon."

"Well? And the third?"

"Makeup Luke Natchral, the fashionable undertaker."

"Great! Who's the?"

"The fourth belongs to a bustling young florist."—*Puck.*

Safety in Numbers.

Old Uncle Abner, an ex-slave, was very ill, and the daughter of his former master had called to see him and bring him aid and comfort.

"I hope, Uncle Abner," she said sympathetically, "that you are thoroughly acquainted with the goodness of the Lord."

"Of course I is, 'sah," the old negro replied. "Why, honey, I 's been converted 'bout fourteen times."—*Lippincott's.*

Aesthetically Considerate.

Mrs. Smith of Tothington, the front steps are dreadfully dirty, cook."

"Cook?—they are that, but the new girl won't clean 'em till her trunk arrives."

Mrs. Smith—Indeed. And why not, pray?"

"Cook—Well, ma'am, she says she never cleans steps unless she wears her best black silk stockings with the gold colors."—*Tatler.*

Difficulties in the Way.

"There are so many disadvantages connected with any kind of a profession—

"How do you mean?"

"Well, to get along a dentist has to have a pull, a doctor must have lots of patience and he gets into a bad way at the best can look forward to but a brief career."—*Baltimore American.*

Draft Tunnels.

Daft Tunn, as he was called, wandering through the village one day, got severely bitten by the village dog.

Proceeding to the inn, he showed the mistress what he "dawg" had done.

"For my sake gang the inn, or else ye'll gang daft."

"Hoos, woman; ye're biethern. Daft folk canna gang daft twice."—*Dundee Advertiser.*

Pat Took the Prize.

An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotchman were one day arguing as to which of the three countries possessed the fastest train.

"Well," said the Englishman, "I've been in one of our trains, and the telegraph poles have been like a hedge."

"I've seen the mileposts appear like toasting sticks."—*Puck.*

"Babers!" said Pat. "I was one day in a train in my country, and we passed a field of turnips and a field of carrots, also a field of cabbage and parsley, then a pond of water, and we were going that quick I thought it was broth."

Pepsys on Shakespeare.

Pepsy's Diary, 1659-1668, commenting on Shakespeare's plays, says of "Midsummer Night's Dream," "It is the most insipid, ridiculous play I ever saw in my life, and upon reading 'Othello, Moor of Venice,' which I have hitherto esteemed a mighty good play, but having lately read the 'Advantages of Five Hours,' it seems a mean thing."

ENGLISH ETCHINGS.

The British government owes \$5,000,000 to the American people.

Every year there are over 6,000 summary convictions for betting in the streets of London. One man has been convicted fifty-four times.

Corwall has less crime for its population than almost any other British county, while Glamorgan and Devonshire are the most criminal counties.

About 6,500 people go bankrupt yearly in England, and it is a curious fact that their liabilities average almost exactly £1,000 apiece and their assets £250 apiece.

Of every 1,000,000 persons in England, 102,844, or more than one in ten, are engaged in conveying the rest of their commodities, or, in other words, are employed on railways, steamers, trams, cables and other vehicles.

The "air bog," the balloonist who, with dragging anchor or otherwise, does damage to windows, houses, fences, etc., and does not pay up, is causing trouble in England, and it is proposed to number balloons for their identification.

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St. George and the Dragon.

Other nations besides England have fought under the banner of St. George, and other knightly orders as well as that of the Garter have been instituted in his honor. He was the guardian saint of Sicily, Aragon, Valencia, Genoa, Malta and Brunswick, a Venetian order, of St. George was created in 1200, a Spanish in 1317, an Austrian in 1470, a Genoese in 1472 and a Roman in 1492.

Modern orders bearing his name are those of Bavaria (1729), Russia (1767) and Hanover (1839). The device of St. George slaying the dragon forms part of the arms of the czar and appears on several Russian coins.

The conjecture that this was owing to Ivan the Terrible, a Venetian who fought with Ivan Vassilievitch has no foundation in fact, for Chancellor, the first outspoken Englishman to visit Russia, speaks of a dispatch sent in 1554 from Ivan Vassilievitch to Queen Mary, the son of which was much like the broad seal of England, having on the one side the image of a man on horseback in complete harness fighting with a dragon.—*London Chronicle.*

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Susy's Opinion of Her Father.

Before Susy began the biography she let fall a remark now and then concerning my character which showed that she had it under observation.

In the record which we kept of the children's sayings there is an instance of this. She was twelve years old at the time. We had established a rule that each member of the family must bring a fact to breakfast—a fact drawn from a book or from any other source; any fact would answer. Susy's first contribution was in substance as follows: Two great exiles and former opponents in war met in Ephesus, Sulpio and Hannibal. Sulpio asked Hannibal to name the greatest general the world had produced.

"Alexander," he explained why.

"But where do you place yourself, then?"

"If I had conquered you, I would place myself before the others."

Susy's grave comment was: "My father, he is so frank about his books."

So frank in admiring them, she meant. From Mark Twain's "Auntie" biography in the North American Review.

Impossible.

A year or so ago an American student in Berlin was attending a lecture in the town drawl close through lack of ventilation. To keep awake he began whispering to a German at his side the story of Mark Twain about the man who lived all his life in a chronicle of freckles.

The lecturer, who was a tall man, as is well known, decided after his death to have his remains cremated, and the climax of the story occurred when the undertaker, opening the door of the oven to see whether the operation was complete, was appalled to hear the corpse speak out and request him to close the door and shut off the draft.

The American sprung the joke as effectively as he could, but never a smile was to be seen on the German face.

He remained for several moments in a perplexed state; then he leaned over to the American and said: "But how could that be? The man was dead?"—*Harper's Weekly.*

Power of Falling Water.

It is perfectly well known to every one that water constantly dropping upon a stone will wear it away, and there is a little old proverb regarding this fact: The groove of a single drop of water falling from a height is not great, but the results of this throb when it is many times repeated are astounding. There is a story of one poor wretch who was bound with his back to a stone wall and had a stream of water of the bigness of a man's finger directed on to his bare head.

The receptacle from which this apparently harmless stream trickled was a barrel holding only twenty gallons, but before the water had more than half run out the man was dead, with a hole in his skull which exposed the brain.—*Popular Mechanics.*

All She Had.

In the absence of his wife and the illness of the servant Mr. Taylor undertook to help three-year-old Marjory to dress.

He had succeeded in getting her arms in the sleeves and through the armholes of her garments and had buttoned her into them. Then he told her to put on her shoes herself, and he would button them.

He soon discovered that she was really striving to put a left shoe on her right foot.

"Why, Marjory," he said impatiently, "don't you know any better than that? You are putting your shoes on the wrong feet."

"They's all de foote I doot, pap," replied Marjory tearfully.—*Youth's Companion.*

Just a Suggestion.

"Oh, my!" exclaimed the excited woman who had misled her husband. "I'm looking for a small man with one eye."

"Well, ma'am," replied the polite shopkeeper, "if he's a very small man maybe you'd better use both eyes."

A Thoughtful Wife.

"Why did you tell your husband that there would be three parts to the concert? There are only two."

"Yes, I know, but he will be so pleased when it leaves off sooner than he expects!"—*Flegende Blätter.*

The Jury.

"When I goes to de co'thouse," said Uncle Eben, "it sometimes looks to me like de jury was a committee to award a prize to de smartest lawyer."—*Washington Star.*

Culture indicates superiority, and superiority impresses others.—Marden.

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