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Arlington, " 8:20 4:20 4:30

Rocky Ridge, " 8:25 4:25 4:35

Pikeville, " 8:30 4:30 4:40

Owings Mills, " 8:35 4:35 4:45

Myersdale, " 8:40 4:40 4:50

Westminster, " 8:45 4:45 4:55

New Windsor, " 8:50 4:50 5:00

Shippensburg, " 8:55 4:55 5:05

Frederick Junction, " 9:00 5:00 5:10

Frederick, " 9:05 5:05 5:15

Double Pipe Creek, " 9:10 5:10 5:20

Rocky Ridge, " 9:15 5:15 5:25

Emmitsburg, " 9:20 5:20 5:30

Loy's, " 9:25 5:25 5:35

Graceland, " 9:30 5:30 5:40

Mechanicsville, " 9:35 5:35 5:45

Sabillasville, " 9:40 5:40 5:50

Blue Ridge Summit, " 9:45 5:45 5:55

Pen-Mar, " 9:50 5:50 6:00

Blue Mountain, " 9:55 5:55 6:05

Edgemont, " 10:00 6:00 6:10

Waynesboro, Pa., " 10:05 6:05 6:15

Chambersburg, " 10:10 6:10 6:20

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Rocky Ridge, " 11:55 7:55 8:05

Emmitsburg, " 12:00 8:00 8:10

Loy's, " 12:05 8:05 8:15

Graceland, " 12:10 8:10 8:20

Mechanicsville, " 12:15 8:15 8:25

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6:42 a. m. and 1:27 p. m.; Chambersburg,

7:15 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.; Waynesboro,

7:32 a. m. and 2:17 p. m.; arriving

Emmitsburg 8:00 a. m. and 2:55 p. m.

Trains leave West, daily, except Sunday. Ed-

gemont 6:48 a. m. and 1:20 p. m.; Waynes-

boro 7:15 a. m. and 1:50 p. m.; Cham-

bersburg 7:57 a. m. and 1:47 p. m.; ar-

riving Shippensburg 8:27 a. m. and 1:10 and 9:05

p. m.

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THE ROBIN.

My old Welsh neighbor over the way,
Crept slowly out in the sun of spring,
Pushed from her ears the locks of gray,
And listened to hear the Robin sing.

Her grandson, playing at marbles, stop-
ped,
And cruel in sport, as boys will be,
Tossed a stone at the bird who hopped
From bough to bough on the apple tree.

"Nay," says the grandmother "have
you not heard,
My poor, bad boy, of the fiery pit,
And how, drop by drop, this merciful
bird,
Carries the water that quenches it?"

"He brings cool dew in his little bill,
And lets it fall on the soul of sin;
You see the mark on his red breast still
Of fires that scorch as he drops it in.

"My poor bron ruddyn! my breast-
burned bird!
Singing so sweetly from limb to limb,
Very dear to the heart of our Lord
Is he who pities the lost like him!"

"Amen," said I to the beautiful myth;
"Sing, bird of God, in my heart as
well;
Each good thought is a drop wherewith
To cool and lessen the fires of hell.

"Prayers of love like raindrops fall,
Tears of pity are cooling dew,
And dear to the heart of our Lord are all
Who suffer like Him in the good they
do!"

—John G. Whittier.

THE ARABIAN NIGHTS.

The Mystery of the Origin of the Tales

Partially Solved.

A famous literary problem which
has puzzled generations of scholars
has just been solved, or partially
solved. Ever since the great French

Orientalist, Galland, gave the
world the stories which Schcheraz-
ade told to her melancholy and

murderous lord have stood at the
top of popular fiction. Galland
translated his tales from an Eastern

manuscript which stopped short be-
fore the conclusion of the work.
Galland, however, filled in the gap.

He added eleven stories and thus
presented the world with the "Arabian
Nights" in the form in which it

is still most familiar. The im-
perfect manuscript from which he
worked is in existence; it contains
no trace of any one of the mysteri-

ous eleven stories, some of which
have become the most popular in
the whole collection. When we re-

member that they include such fa-
vorites as "Ali Baba and the Forty
Thieves," "The Sleeper Awakened,"

the story of "Prince Ahmed
and the Peri Hanou," the story of
the "Envious Sisters," and "Alad-

in and the Wonderful Lamp," we
need hardly be surprised if the pu-
zle of their origin has caused the

liveliest curiosity. These tales,
whose sources were unknown, have
made the deepest mark upon litera-

ture. Whenever Dickens, for ex-
ample, refers to the "Arabian
Nights" it is almost always to one
or other of these tales.

Where, then, did Galland get
these stories? Such has been the
riddle of Arabists ever since they

became famous. According to one
theory Galland wrote them himself.
In order to fill the gap in his

"Nights," he invented a serious of
stories which he palmed off upon
Paris and the world as genuine

Oriental fiction. This theory, how-
ever uncomplimentary to Galland's
honesty, was undoubtedly highly

flattering to his literary fame.
This theory of audacious literary
imposture, however, did not long

hold water. It was practically
knocked to pieces when the Breslau
text turned up containing the Ara-
bic original of the story of the

"Sleeper Awakened." When one
original had been discovered, the
discovery of the others was to be

hoped for. But the hope remained
unfulfilled. It was then suggested
that Galland had picked up these

stories during his travels in the
Levant. Students of the folk-lore
of other countries came across
tales of remarkable similarity.

There is a Greek tale of Syria, for
instance, the "Story of the two
Brothers and the Forty-nine Dra-

gons," which is strikingly like "Ali
Baba." The late Professor Palmer
was very skeptical as to the Arabic
origin of "Aladdin." But all this

was speculation. Nothing definite
could be proved about the mysteri-
ous stories. For much more than

100 years their origin remained a
mystery. During more than 100
years the original Arabic text of
only one single story out of them
all rewarded the perseverance and

stimulated the enterprise of scholars.
Now at last, within this month,
the mystery is partially, if not en-
tirely, solved. M. Hermann Zoten-

berg, keeper of Eastern manuscripts
in the Bibliotheque Nationale in
Paris, has published within the last
few days a volume called "Histo-

ire d'Ala Al-Din, ou la Lampe
Merveilleuse : Text Arabe, public
avec une Notice sur quelques Manu-

scripts des Mille-et-Une Nuits." This
book settles decisively the ques-
tion of the origin of Galland's

tales, of Galland's own authority.
M. Zotenberg has been fortunate
enough to find Galland's journal,

and Galland's journal records that
on Monday, 25th of March, 1709,
he met a certain M. Hanna, a Mar-

onite of Aleppo, who had accom-
panied M. Paul Lucas, the Eastern
traveler, to Paris. M. Hanna then,

and at several later dates, told him
Eastern tales, of which Galland was
careful to make copious summaries

in his journal. These tales includ-
ed "Aladdin," the story of "The
Blind Man Baba Abdallah," the

story of "Sidi Nouman," the story
of "The Enchanted Horse," the
story of the "Envious Sisters," the

story of "Ahmed and the Peri Ha-

nanou," the story of "Ali Baba,"
the story of "Khodja Hasan Al-Hab-

bal," and the story of "Ali-Khodja."
The Maronite Hanna even wrote
out for Galland the Arabic text of

the story of Aladdin.
Here is indeed an astonishing
revelation. The mystery of the

tales is solved at last so far as Gal-
land is concerned, but it has passed
from Galland to Hanna—to the

mystic Maronite who has vanished
into space like one of his own en-
chanters. Where did he get his

marvelous budget of tales? Who
will tell us what became of him.
Does Aleppo or Damascus rightly

claim him? M. Galland, in his
journal, attributes him indifferently
to both these cities. Did he

leave precious manuscripts behind
him, and if so, what has become of
them? These are questions which

must still tantalize the minds of the
curious. In any case, thanks to M.
Zotenberg, one vexed literary prob-

lem had been set at rest forever.
Antoine Galland was certainly not
the inventor of "Ali Baba," "Alad-

in" and the rest of the stories
whose origin was, till this month
veiled in obscurity. The year 1888

is, we are told by the wise, to be a
lucky year. It has certainly begun
luckily with the solution—partial,
indeed, but still highly satisfactory

—of a literary problem which has
perturbed scholars for many irri-
table generations.—London Daily

News.

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VOLUME X.

The EMMITTSBURG CHRONICLE
felicitates itself on beginning its
Tenth Volume, and improves the
opportunity in presenting this first
number of that important stage in
its existence, to thank its patrons
for their unflinching confidence in
the past, and trust it may be con-
tinued and extended in the time to
come.

In the conduct of our work, we
have always aimed to make it con-
ducive to the interests of our native
Village and its vicinity, and in re-
viewing our progress, it greatly re-
assures us to have a lively sense of
having conscientiously laboured to
that end, whilst the success that
has marked our course lightens even
the memory of many discouraging
moments, of hopes deferred, and the
trials and weariness that have often
attended it. We cannot advance
beyond the force of the circumstan-
ces that surround us. Our efforts
reflect their conditions, and they
will necessarily represent the inter-
est, and the practical results of the
public concern for progress. With
the united confidence and support
of that mighty instrumentality, the
way is open, and the encourage-
ments for future success, are lim-
ited only by the proper manifesta-
tion of its sympathy. We have one
of the best equipped offices in the
county, and have been equal to the
demands made upon us for work,
and with increased patronage, that
will more and more open the course
of business opportunities, work
may be indefinitely extended. We
desire our friends to look upon our
enterprise in this view of its possi-
bilities, and to comprehend our po-
sition as one that points out the
medium through which their per-
sonal affairs may be advanced.

What we have done heretofore
must be the basis for reckoning
what may be accomplished hereafter.
We indulge not in promises for the
future. We hope to meet issues as
they arise. With our extremely
low prices, for the work of our
hands, there is need that these shall
be given promptly and according to
our terms, as set forth in our col-
umns.

Those whose subscriptions date
from the beginning of the new vol-
ume, will best cheer us by a good
and off of the advance payment
thereof, without further solicitation;
and others who please observe and
act accordingly as the dates occur,
and we trust one and all will try to
lend a helping hand towards our
progress, which means that of the
community.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

The Prohibition Convention
which met at Indianapolis on Wed-
nesday of last week, nominated for
President Gen. Clinton B. Fisk of
New Jersey, and Rev. John A.
Brooks of Missouri, for Vice-Presi-
dent.

The Democratic National Nomi-
nating Convention met at St. Louis
on Tuesday last, and nominated
Grover Cleveland of New York, as
their candidate for President by ac-
clamation; on Thursday, Allen G.
Thurman of Ohio, was nominated
for Vice-President, of him the New
York World says:

Thurman is a national name. It
stands for rugged honesty, indom-
itable courage and uncompromising
Democracy. There is no scent of
Standard Oil about it, nor any trail
of the great Corporation serpent
that has its folds around so many
of our public men.

The Republican National Nomi-
nating Convention will be held at
Chicago on next Tuesday a week,
the 19th inst.

GENERAL SHERIDAN had a very
severe relapse on Tuesday, with
hemorrhages and came very near
dying; On Wednesday he demand-
ed the news from the St. Louis con-
vention. What with his wonderful
vitality and the skill of his physi-
cians there is yet hope of his ulti-
mate recovery.

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

The statue of Giuseppe Garibal-
di, the gift of Italians resident in
America to the city of New York,
was unveiled in Washington Square
of that city on Monday.

The Lick Observatory has at last
been completed at a cost of over
six hundred thousand dollars. It
rejoices in being the most costly
observatory in the world. The pos-
sibilities of the additions that it
will make to our astronomical
knowledge are great, but this reali-
zation is likely to be disappointing.
—American.

CIVIL WAR OR THE WAR OF THE REBELLION.

The Presbyterian General Assem-
bly in its action in reference to De-
coration Day, changed the terms of
the resolution to read "Civil War"
instead of "the War of the Rebel-
lion" as was first proposed.

If historical facts are worth trans-
mission "to the generations follow-
ing," the above action coming from
the learned body of Reverend and
highly influential representatives of
the leading thoughtfulness of the
country, is worthy of earnest consid-
eration on the question.

It is one thing to acknowledge
terms arising from party necessities
and another to recall the actual
course of events as they occurred.

In the early stages of the late
conflict, when the first instalments
of prisoners had to be disposed of—
the government decided they were
prisoners of war. In the Mason
and Slidell case, the belligerent
rights that were accorded to the
armed South by the European pow-
ers, settled the question by the laws
of nations, beyond dispute; and
not to cite other facts, every body
but the politicians thereafter recog-
nized the status of the warfare as
being a Civil one. Hence the cap-
itulation at Appomattox, and all
the subsequent acts growing out of
it, that at no time involved execu-
tion by reason of the engagements
of persons in the war settled the
whole matter for history.

Those who would, if they could
prevent the completest reconcilia-
tion between the North and the
South, having viewed the battle
from afar or being governed by
party prejudices, even yet employ
the language that party needs cal-
led forth, in the early stages of the
conflict.

Opprobrious terms can heal no
wounds, and one-sided reconcilia-
tion can have no binding force for
contending parties of the past. The
war settled the issues on which it
was fought, and settled them con-
clusively, for all time, and there
they should rest, and they do rest
with all who are not blinded by
prejudice or malice ill concealed.

The interpretation to which we
have above referred, while it injur-
es no one, settles for its own pur-
poses the correct terms for repre-
senting the dire and unnatural war,
that so long shook the government
to its foundations, and spread deso-
lation and sorrow throughout the
country, and auspiciously ended
in the restoration of the Union of
the States as one and indivisible.

PARTY COHESION—UNCERTAIN.

The tenure of office for political
parties is an inconstant factor.
The Democracy held the governmen-
tal control for fifty two years; the
Federalists twelve years; the Whigs
twenty four years; and each in turn
has been reluctant to release its hold.
With the diffusion of knowledge
among the masses, the spirit of en-
quiry enlarges; the edicts of man-
agers are set aside, and the number
of those who do their own thinking
and act from their own convictions
regardless of the dictation of the so-
called leaders continually increases,
and thus the issues of the great or-
ganizations are changed, disintegra-
tion follows; new combinations
arise; and new officials replace the
old ones, and the course of events
becomes unsettled.

The love of change is inherent in
the people, and it is often made for
its own sake, by reason that same-
ness has become tiresome, besides
the people are always inclined to
fair play, and ready to lend a help-
ing hand to meritorious applicants,
as they appear. These tendencies
will actualize themselves in the face
of the most skillfully laid plans of
the politicians, so that questions of
policy are often of small moment
when contrasted with the influences
of personal attractions.

The press of to-day is most in-
fluential in its independent bear-
ings; its leanings may be apparent,
but in its refusal to be governed by
the plans and suggestions of cliques
and bosses it proves a bulwark of
defence to the people, and leads the
course of opinion.

Parties must and will exist as the
necessary outgrowth of our form of
government, but they will have
their periods of rise and decline as
surely as the revolution of the heav-
enly bodies in space.

In these tendencies lies the high-
est encouragement for patriotic en-
deavour, for while thought is free,
the inestimable blessings of popular
liberty can never fail.

PRESIDENT and Mrs. Cleveland
celebrated the anniversary of their
wedding on the 2d inst.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Special to the Emmitsburg Chronicle.
The prevailing question just now
is, who shall take second place on
the ticket at St. Louis.

Many persons think that the can-
didate for Vice-President should be
taken from some of the retired poli-
ticians. But this is not likely.
The Vice-President is no sinecure
—no honorary mark of distinction
merely. It belongs of right to men
of courage, matured powers and po-
litical convictions fully abreast with
the requirements of the times—men
who, if called upon in a grave Sen-
atorial emergency, would give a
casting vote with full knowledge of
the meaning and consequences of
such action. There is no lack of
material for the position, and it is
not necessary to go to the retired
list for it.

Politicians who have withdrawn
from the field have done so either
from choice or by reason of advanc-
ing infirmities or by force of some
adverse party vicissitude. It is not
necessary to disturb their privacy,
it is not just to urge them against
their will, for strong and vigorous
men have stepped into the ranks to
supply their places, and, bearing
the brunt of the battle, are entitled
to share in its rewards.

Great interest is being felt in
Washington as well as in all sec-
tions of the country with regard to
the health of Gen. Sheridan. We
have bulletins three or four times a
day, and this naturally keeps the
feelings of all more keenly alive to
him, and his condition than could
be the case in a remote section of the
country.

The rank made for Grant, has
been conferred on him.

The bill is passed reading as fol-
lows:

Be it enacted, etc. That the grade
of Lieutenant General of the Army
is hereby discontinued and is merged
in the grade of General of the
Army of the United States, which
grade shall continue during the life
time of the present Lieutenant
General, after which such grade
shall cease; and the President of
the United States is hereby author-
ized to appoint, with the advice and
consent of the Senate, a General of
the Army of the United States.

Section 2. That the pay and al-
lowance of the General be the same
as heretofore allowed for that grade.

Within one half hour after its
passage the bill was reported back
as duly enrolled by the Committee
on Enrolled Bills, and after receiv-
ing the signature of the Speaker
pro tempore (Mr. Cox) and the per-
siding officer of the Senate, it was
dispatched to the President for his
approval. It received the Execu-
tive approval and was returned to
the Senate at 2:35 p. m., together
with the nomination of Lieut. Gen.
Philip Sheridan to be General.
The Senate proceeded immediately
to its consideration in executive ses-
sion and within a few minutes con-
firmed the nomination.

The bill was taken up for consid-
eration by the House at 12:45 and
received the approval of the Presi-
dent before 2, and at 2:45 Gen.
Sheridan had been promoted under
its provisions.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon
Senators Hawley and Manderson
drove to Gen. Sheridan's residence
with the commission that the Presi-
dent had just signed making him
General of the Army. They were
at once admitted and were soon
joined by Mrs. Sheridan. As she
entered the room Senator Hawley
handed her the commission with
the remark, "Madame, I hand you
this with great pleasure." Mrs.
Sheridan was much moved, and ex-
claimed: "I know he will now get
well." She thanked the gentlemen
with much earnestness, and retiring
said that she would at once hand
the commission to the General. She
had previously been told that the
bill making him General had passed
the House. He had been asleep,
but awoke shortly after.

No one was in the sick room when
Mrs. Sheridan gave him his new
commission except the doctor, the
nurse even being out of the room at
the time. He was much gratified,
and seemed contented and happy.

He ordered ink and paper and
dictated the following acceptance of
his commission:
WASHINGTON, D. C. June 1, 1888.
The Honorable Secretary of War:
Sir: I have the honor to ac-
knowledge the receipt my commis-
sion as General of the Army, to
which position the President has to-
day appointed me. I hereby accept
the same.

P. H. SHERIDAN, General.
The signature was written with a
lead pencil in a large and perfectly
legible hand.

He then took the oath of office
and directed the issuance of a gen-
eral order, being his first official act
as General.

ALIC.

EXIT THE GALLOWS.

On Monday Governor Hill
signed the bill abolishing hanging
for all murders committed after
Jan. 1, 1889, and substituting death
by electricity therefor.

The bill consists of elaborate and
carefully drawn amendments to the
Code of Criminal Procedure, pro-
viding that the prisoner sentenced
to death shall be immediately con-
veyed to one of the State prisons
and there kept in solitary confine-
ment until the day of execution, to
be visited only by officers, or by his
relatives, physician, clergyman or
counsel. The Court imposing sen-
tence shall name merely the week
within which the execution is to
take place, the particular day with-
in such week being left to the dis-
cretion of the principal officer of
the prison. The execution is re-
quired to be practically private, only
officials, clergymen, physicians and
a limited number of citizens being
allowed to be present. After the
execution funeral services may be
held within the prison walls, and
the body shall be delivered into the
custody of relatives, if requested,
otherwise it shall be decently in-
terred within the prison grounds.

The bill is the outcome of a re-
commendation contained in the first
annual message of Governor Hill in
1885.—N. Y. Star.

TAMMANY HALL ABLAZE.

The famous Tammany Hall in
New York City, the wigwag of the
Democratic organization of that
name was partially destroyed by fire
early on Wednesday morning. The
fire arose from the stage of Tony
Pastor's theater, which for some
time has been in the same building.
The theater was consumed. The
Hall was very seriously damaged.
It and the theater together involv-
ing losses of about \$100,000.

The Society which it represents
was organized in 1789, and at first
was composed of moderate men of
both political parties. In the time
of Jefferson, it became a party in-
stitution and has continued as such.
The birthday of Washington was
first celebrated in the Hall, and it
was resolved to commemorate the
occasion forever afterward.

The corner stone of the new
building just burned was laid on
July 4, 1867, the building and the
site cost \$270,000. It contained
many valuable paintings and pic-
tures, with statues of Washington,
John Kelly, &c. The most of these
were saved. It will soon be
rebuilt, the insurance being ample.

A CHILD eleven years old was de-
voured by a bear in Whitehall twp.,
Va., recently.

SEISMIC disturbances of a pro-
nounced character have been ex-
perienced recently in certain sec-
tions of Columbia, S. C.

WHAT you need is a medicine
which is pure efficient, reliable.
Such is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It
possesses peculiar curative powers.

A BILL before the Postoffice Com-
mittee proposes to authorize the
Postmaster-General to construct
postoffice buildings at all places
where the gross postal receipts ex-
ceed \$30,000 a year, no building to
exceed in cost \$25,000. Where the
receipts are less than \$20,000 the
building shall not cost over \$15,000;
where they are over \$20,000 and un-
der \$25,000, the building shall not
cost over \$20,000. The number of
towns which would be entitled to
buildings under the bill, if passed,
would be about 1,500, and \$25,000-
000 would be required to supply
them all. It is said the bill will be
reported favorably.

Home Evidence

No other preparation has won success at
home equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. In
Lowell, Mass., where it is made, it is now,
as it has been for years, the leading medicine
for purifying the blood, and toning and
strengthening the system. This "good name
at home" is "a tower of strength abroad."

It would require a volume
to print all Lowell people
have said in favor of Hood's
Sarsaparilla. Mr. Albert
Estes, living at 28 East Pine
Street, Lowell, for 15 years
employed as boss carpenter by J. W. Bennett,
president of the Erie Telephone Company,
had a large running sore come on his leg,
which troubled him a year, when he began to
take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The sore soon grew
less in size, and in a short time disappeared.

Joe Dunphy, 274 Central
Street, Lowell, had
swellings and lumps
on his face and neck,
which Hood's Sarsaparilla
completely cured.

Mrs. C. W. Marriott, wife of the First As-
sistant Fire Engineer of Lowell, says that
for 16 years she was troubled with stomach
disorder and sick headache, which nothing
relieved. The attacks came on every four-
night, when she was obliged to take her bed,
and was unable to endure any noise. She
took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after a time
the attacks ceased entirely.

Many more might be given had we room.
On the recommendation of people of Lowell,
who know us, we ask you to try

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Sold by all druggists. \$1.50 per bottle. Prepared only
by C. L. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.
100 Doses One Dollar

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has yet been discovered; but, as at least
four-fifths of human diseases have their
source in Impure Blood, a medicine
which restores that fluid from a de-
praved to a healthy condition comes as
near being a universal cure as any that
can be produced. Ayer's Sarsaparilla
affects the blood in each stage of its
formation, and is, therefore, adapted to
a greater variety of complaints than any
other known medicine.

Boils and Carbuncles,
which defy ordinary treatment, yield to
Ayer's Sarsaparilla after a compara-
tively brief trial.

Mr. C. K. Murray, of Charlottesville,
Va., writes that for years he has been
afflicted with boils which caused him
much suffering. These were succeeded
by carbuncles, of which he had several
at one time. He then began the use of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and after taking
three bottles, the carbuncles disap-
peared, and for six years he has not had
even a pimple.

That insidious disease, Scrofula, is
the fruitful cause of innumerable com-
plaints. Consumption being only one of
many equally fatal. Eruptions, ulcers,
sore eyes, glandular swellings, weak
and wasted muscles, a capricious ap-
petite, and the like, are pretty sure in-
dications of a scrofulous taint in the
system. Many otherwise beautiful faces
are disfigured by pimples, eruptions,
and unsightly blotches, which arise
from impure blood, showing the need of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla to remedy the evil.

All sufferers from blood disorders
should give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a fair
trial, avoiding all powerful cathartics,
purgatives, and especially cheap and
worthless compounds, which not only
fail to effect a cure, but more frequently
aggravate and confirm the diseases they
are fraudulently advertised to remedy.

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PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a decree passed by the
Circuit Court for Frederick county,
sitting in Equity, in No. 5383 Equity in
said Court, the undersigned as Trustee,
will sell at public sale

On Monday, June 4th, 1888,
at the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., at the
Western Maryland Hotel in the Town
of Emmitsburg, Frederick county,
Maryland, all that

REAL ESTATE
which David W. Horner died, seized
and possessed, situated in said Town.
East of the public square and on the
North side of the main street thereof,
adjoining Lot of W. G. Horner on the
west and Lot of Chas. D. Eichelberger
on the east, the same being part of the
Lot designated on the Plot of said Town
as Lot No. 8, fronting on said street 26
feet and 6 inches and running back to
an alley in the rear. Said Real Estate
is improved with a

Brick Dwelling House & Stable

Terms of sale as prescribed by the decree:
—One-third of the purchase money to be
paid in cash on the day of sale, or
on the ratification thereof by the Court,
the residue in one and two years from
the day of sale, the purchaser or pur-
chasers giving his, her or their notes,
with approved security and bearing in-
terest from the day of sale. When all
the purchase money has been paid the
deed will be executed. All the expenses
of conveyancing to be borne by the
purchaser or purchasers.

EUGENE L. ROWE,
may 12-4t Trustee.

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ageon Manhood, Nervous
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etc., etc. Full and complete
information sent free to all
applicants. Send now. The Gold
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Medical Association, Address P. O. Box 186,
Boston, Mass., or Dr. W. H. PARKER, graduate of Har-
vard Medical College, 35 years' practice in Boston,
who may be consulted confidentially. Office No.
1 South St. Specialty, Diseases of Man.
Cut this out. You may never see it again.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1888.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after June 3, 1888, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg at 8.30 a. m. and 3.25 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 9.00 a. m. and 3.55 and 6.15 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.43 a. m. and 4.02 and 6.36 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.13 a. m. and 4.32 and 7.06 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

We are always pleased to receive communications from our friends, containing an account of the news of their localities. Incidents of interest to the public, given in a few words setting forth the facts, are always acceptable. We will give them the shape proper for publication, when the name of the writer accompanies them, thus we must have. Articles for insertion must be in this office not later than Thursday morning of each week.

LOCAL ITEMS.

SAMPLE COPIES.

We send sample copies of this first number of Volume X, of the *Emmitsburg Chronicle* to persons residing in our village and its vicinity, in the hope that they may be induced to become regular subscribers, and thus aid in advancing an enterprise so intimately connected with the progress of the community.

The subscription price, *One Dollar a Year*, in advance, is extremely low for the paper, it being entirely home-made and devoted to home interests, discarding all misleading projects and free of all sensational tendencies.

We challenge comparison with other publications, and without disparagement of any, claim that ours is eminently one for the home-circle. The amount of reading matter in general; the editorial composition; and other features reflecting the life of our locality; the high moral tone and conservative character of the paper give it just claims for home support, and it should be in every family. Every citizen owes it to himself or herself and to his or her neighbors to advance the common prosperity. To this end there is no more potent agency than the local paper.

We ask no personal favors, but demand as our right that this enterprise shall have the recognition of the social, the commercial and other interests of our surroundings.

No one will be considered a subscriber until the desire to that end shall have been given, by sending in the individual names.

Mr. Geo. LAWRENCE claims to have raised the largest strawberry this season.

Quite a heavy frost was reported for some parts of Washington county on Monday last.

FREDERICK W. HARDMAN had a slight stroke of paralysis week before last, which partially paralyzed his tongue.

STRAWBERRIES and ice-cream, with sliced meats make a delectable evening repast these days, with blooming roses at hand for a background.

At a recent meeting of the Town Commissioners, W. H. Ashbaugh was appointed town constable, and Samuel Rosensteel lamp-lighter.

JUNE is the month for trimming apple and other fruit trees. The weather favors the rapid healing of the cut off points, and the free sap hurries on the growth.

EX-MAYOR HUMBERT of Cumberland, a director of the C. & O. Canal and a prominent citizen of Cumberland, died suddenly on Tuesday morning of heart failure.

Members of the Choral Class Please Notice.

The meeting of the Choral Class is postponed from June 12th to the 19th, on account of Bishop Newman's Lecture. By Order of the President.

An exchange says:—

You see a good deal of advice in the papers now about raising small fruits, but none about raising small potatoes. No one is so stupid as not to understand the old old way of—lay hold and pull!—Ed.

Victor Horse and Cattle Powders.

Pays every Farmer 500 per cent for feeding them. Stock fatten much faster, increases the flow of milk. It cures Hog Cholera, Chicken Cholera and Choler. Fowls will lay one-third more eggs if fed regularly. feb 18-6m.

Editor Knobe of the *Hanover Citizen* is a candidate for Assembly in York county, Pa. If this thing goes on, we too may run before November. St. Paul says all may run, but all don't win. So far we've always got there, even if we didn't go high up.

List of Letters.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., June 4, 1888. Persons calling will please say *advertisers*, otherwise they may not receive them: Michael Clinging, Jennie Triplett.

The Time Cards.

The changes in the time cards of the W. M. and Emmitsburg Railroads which went into effect on Sunday, the 3d inst., are presented in this issue in their usual place. It should be noticed by all that the morning train for Baltimore, starts 15 minutes earlier than heretofore.

Property Sold.

E. L. Rowe, Esq., trustee, sold the house and lot of the late David W. Horner in this place, on Monday for \$1002.08. Mr. Geo. P. Beam was the purchaser.

Mrs. Charles J. Shuff sold her property in this place recently to Mr. J. L. Hoke, the price paid being \$950.

The life-giving properties of Ayer's Sarsaparilla have established its well-earned reputation, and made it the most effective and popular blood purifier of the day. For all diseases of the stomach, liver, and kidneys, this remedy has no equal. Price \$1.

PROF. WILLIAM E. A. AIKEN the well-known analytical chemist and for fifty years a Professor of chemistry in the university of Maryland School of Medicine was found dead in his bed early on Thursday of last week. He was born in Rensselaer county, N. Y., in 1808. He was lecturer at Mt. St. Mary's College for several years.

Grand Army.

At a meeting of Arthur Post No. 41, G. A. R., last Tuesday evening, a vote of thanks was extended to the Emmitt Cornet Band for the music so kindly furnished on Memorial Day. Also a vote of thanks to all citizens who contributed flowers for the occasion, and to Mr. A. Eyster for the use of his Opera House.

THE Commissioners, Col. Theodore L. Long, Chairman, Baltimore, Hon. Wm. D. Burchinal, Chestertown, Hon. Milton G. Urner, Frederick, Hon. Charles D. Gaither, Baltimore, Capt. Frank Nolen, Secretary, 102 W. Lexington street, Baltimore, George R. Graham, M. D., Corresponding Secretary, Baltimore, will meet on the Battlefield of Gettysburg at noon, on Tuesday, June 14th 1888, to locate sites for the monuments of the Maryland Regiments, &c., to be erected there. They are ready to receive proposals for contracts for the work.

Lost—"I don't know where, I can't tell when, I don't see how—something of great value to me, and for the return of which I shall be truly thankful, viz: a good appetite."

FOUND—"Health and strength, pure blood, an appetite like that of a wolf, regular digestion, all by taking that popular and peculiar medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. I want everybody to try it this season." It is sold by all druggists. One hundred doses one dollar.

Journalism.

We congratulate the esteemed *Emmitsburg Chronicle* upon attaining its 10th year of steady growth and prosperity. The *Chronicle* is one of the most conservative, sensible and original papers in the State, it publishes a fine local page and caters to the wants of the community in which it has its home to the extent that it has won the admiration and patronage of a large constituency. May it ever grow and prosper as it grows.

The above is from the *Frederick News* of last Tuesday. We reproduce it on the ground that, it is well betimes to learn how one's neighbors estimate their fellows; and our readers have a right to know, how others view us, and not from any emotions of vanity. We have the consciousness of having done our work, in our own way, without pretending to overreach our capabilities; and vanity itself may pale before the idea of doing one's work honestly and without assumption.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word *Malaria* was comparatively unknown,—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and *Malaria* are intended to cover what our grandfathers called *Biliousness*, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, *Malaria*, *Biliousness*, *Fever*, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

The Remarkable Cures.

Which have been effected by Hood's Sarsaparilla are sufficient proof that this medicine does possess peculiar curative power. In the several cases of scrofula or salt rheum, when other preparations had been powerless, the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla has brought about the happiest results. The case of Miss Sarah C. Whittier, of Lowell, Mass., who suffered terribly from scrofulous sores; that of Charles A. Roberts, of East Wilson, N. Y., who had thirteen abscesses on his face and neck; that of Willie Duff, of Walpole, Mass., who had hip disease and scrofula so bad that physicians said he could not recover, are a few of the many instances in which wonderful cures were effected by this medicine.

At the first indication of disorder, the deranged or enfeebled condition of the stomach, liver, or bowels, should be promptly rectified by Ayer's Cathartic Pills. These Pills do not gripe, are perfectly safe to take, and remove all tendency to liver and bowel complaints.

An excursion train will run straight through from Emmitsburg to Union Bridge on next Wednesday evening, leaving here at 7.30, to attend the Firemen's Fair and Festival at that place. A Delegation of the Vigilant Hose Company will attend in uniform. Returning the train will leave Union Bridge at 11.45. Fare 50 cents for the round trip.

The waving grain fields, are now beautiful to the view; they bow their heads to every passing breeze and quickly receding, and ready to sway back and forth, again in continually recurring curves, and all the while the sunlight is reflected in ever changing streams, or it may be the scene is darkened by the shadow of a receding cloud above, in its course.

Officers Elected.

At the annual election of the Emmitsburg Water Co., held on Monday afternoon, the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. President, I. S. Annan; Vice-President, James A. Elder; Secretary, E. R. Zimmerman; Treasurer, O. A. Horner; Directors, I. S. Annan, Jas. A. Elder, O. A. Horner, E. R. Zimmerman, L. M. Motter, E. L. Rowe and J. Thos. Gelwick.

A FIRE broke out at midnight on Tuesday, at Hagerstown in a carriage and agricultural implement warehouse, and resulted in destroying the building and its contents. When the firemen went to work it was found there was not enough of pressure to cast forth the water; caused by a defective main, which shows the importance of constant investigation in such matters.

A Foundling.

A basket, containing a white male child, comfortably dressed and wrapped up, was hung to the doorknob of John A. Horner's residence, some time on Tuesday night, which was discovered by the family early on Wednesday morning. Justice Stokes will arrange for the disposal of the foundling unless some clue can be found to the perpetrators of the outrage.

THE Vigilant Hose Company turned out on Tuesday evening and tested the fire plugs. The company divided into two sections, one operating at the east, the other at the "west end." The testing is done monthly in the summer time. It serves not only to assure the due flow of water in case of fire, but rids the mains of the sediment that may collect within them. Our water is always pure and free of impurities to the taste.

No Whiskey—No Gambling.

By a vote of 26 to 14 the members of the Frederick County Agricultural Society, at their annual meeting, Saturday last, determined that hereafter they will not allow any intoxicating liquor to be sold on their grounds, and also that they will not sell any privileges for gambling purposes. This is not the first time the society adopted such resolutions, year after year has it been done, and the Board of Managers never thought it advisable to carry the resolutions out, but we feel sure from the action taken by the members on Saturday that the proper course has been followed. We see that they are carried out to the letter. The free use of whiskey and gaming privileges on the grounds of the society in many instances have been shamefully abused, and have been the cause of untold trouble and sorrow among the citizens, whose children attended the annual fairs of the society. What effect financially this will have on the receipts of the society remains to be seen. Many are of the opinion that it will be the cause of a tremendous falling off, and others think it will be the cause of the society becoming financially embarrassed. We are willing to give it a trial and see what will be gained. From these privileges the society get about \$1,800, and as the present Board of Managers have increased the amount of premiums, in many instances, it will require an extra effort on the part of the people of this county to lend a helping hand to make the amount up by another way. The meeting was attended by many of our citizens, and representatives of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Hon. John A. Lynch, John C. Harit, J. Wm. Birely, E. A. C. Eux, Dr. D. E. Stone and Miss Mattie Carlisle spoke in favor of the adoption of the resolution, whilst Messrs. James H. Gambrill and J. Alfred Ritter were favorable to conducting the fairs in the future, with the exceptions of the gaming privileges, as they have in the past. Before the society adjourned Miss Carlisle offered a fervent prayer for what had been accomplished. Miss Carlisle evidently understands her business, as good talk, no doubt, is one of the means of changing the minds of some of the gentlemen who came there for the purpose of voting for the privileges of selling liquor and gaming.—*Examiner*.

The above is a move in the right direction and the Board of Managers should have the co-operation of all well-disposed citizens. Now let the movers in the matter come forward and see if the amount the Society is likely to lose cannot be at least partially made up in another direction. There is likely to be an increased attendance of that class of people likely to elevate the fair, and an effort should be made to present special attractions to that end. The fair will always be just what the enterprise and energy of the Managers choose to make it.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. Howard C. Waddle of St. Joseph, Mo., is visiting his parents in this place. We are pleased to see him in such good health and fine spirits.

Miss Edith Motter has returned home from Baltimore.

Miss Missouri Crouse made a visit to Bruceville.

Mr. J. L. Hoke was in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. John Reifsnider has returned home from a visit to Martinsburg and Bedford.

Dr. J. W. Miller of Graceham called to see us on Friday morning.

Home Again.

Mrs. S. R. Grider of this place, who about four months ago was supposed to be at the point of death and by the advice of her physicians, Dr. Annan of this place, and her brother, Dr. George W. Welty, went to Brooklyn to place herself under the treatment of the celebrated specialist Dr. Skene, returned home on Saturday last, perfectly well. Her friends welcomed her, as almost one from the dead, and feel prepared to unite with her in commending the wonderful powers of electricity, as that was the only agent used in the treatment of her case.

The Telegraph.

The office of that great Anacostia, the Western Union Telegraph Company, was closed in this place on Sunday last. The facts as we have learned them are, that this great Company has desired the people of this village and its community to supply a new lot of poles between this place and Mechanicstown, about eight miles distant, and the polls not being forthcoming and unlikely to be so, under the circumstances, this grinding monopoly, that makes its big dividends from the necessities of the people has shut down on us. The telegraph has been in operation here for about twenty years, and the close up, occurring at the season of the year when its services are most in demand. St. Joseph's Academy and Mt. St. Mary's College being so near the end of their sessions for the season, when they usually need the services for the arranging of their business, makes the outrage the greater. The movement to our view, is about the nearest exhibition of overbearing arrogance and contemptible exhibition of greed of which a great corporation could be guilty. Their charges however oppressive have not been disputed, and the attempt to compel the petty concession from the community which has learned to depend on the facilities afforded by telegraphic communication is a petty and contemptible vengeance even for a soulless corporation.

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THE Baltimore people are having their yearly visitation of disgust over their drinking water. Prof. Rensen of the Johns Hopkins University attributes the cause to the growth and decomposition of fresh-water sponge in the lakes; the sponge is a low order of animal that decomposes rapidly. But Mr. Martin the water engineer thinks the contact of the water with the metal pipes is the cause, and so they go. Our Water Company could send daily supplies to some thousands of customers and they would have water almost as pure as that distilled.

Items from the Mt.

Mr. St. Mary's College, June 6.—The preliminary contest for the gold medal for Elocution took place to-day. A large number entered the contest from which the following were selected as best fitted to compete at the final contest which will be held June 26th: First, S. J. Marlin, Brookville, Pa.; Second, John Morresey, Little Falls, N. Y.; Third, James D. Casey, Pittsburg, Pa.; Fourth, Thos. Mooney, New York City; Fifth, John F. Seton, Baltimore, Md. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons has promised to preside at the next Commencement which is to take place June 27. Bishop McGovern of Harrisburg and several other distinguished guests are expected to attend.

We are indebted to Mr. Samuel Gamble for several boxes of the finest strawberries we have seen this season, which is a saying a good deal, as Emmitsburg has been supplied with a remarkably fine assortment of the luscious fruit through the enterprise of dealers who have imported them from Baltimore. There can be no doubt however, that the berries raised at home, which are offered for sale as soon as gathered, must be superior in many respects to those brought from a distance, and Mr. G., the products of whose gardens are always of the best, assures us that his crop will be large enough this season to supply the demands of the neighborhood for some time yet. The Crescent and Cumberland Triumph were the varieties brought to us, and they were simply enormous in size as well as fine in flavor.

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Get your house painting done by John F. Adelsberger, who will furnish estimates upon application, work done on short notice and satisfaction guaranteed.

A FULL stock of fine and coarse city made Boots and Shoes; also Gum shoes and boots. Sew home-made work and mending of all kinds, done with neatness and dispatch, by Jas. A. Rowe & Son.

Have your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired by Geo. T. Eyster, who warrants the same, and has always on hand a large stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware. feb 8-87.

NO. — ROADS.

WHEREAS, Charles A. Dorsey, William H. Dorsey and other citizens of Frederick County, aforesaid, after having given thirty days notice of their intention to do so, as required by Law, have petitioned the County Commissioners of Frederick County to open a public road, commencing for the same at Monocacy and running with the old road through the lands of Ephraim Sharer, John Sharer, Charles A. Dorsey, Ezekiah Fox, George Smith, Isaac M. Fisher, W. H. Dorsey and Mary M. Smith, to intersect the Emmitsburg road at the corner of Mary M. Smith's lot.

Said road to be not less than thirty feet wide in compliance with the Public General Laws, in such case made and provided.

Notice is hereby given to all persons and parties concerned, and to the public, that the undersigned Examiners will meet at Monocacy, near the residence of Ephraim Sharer, on Saturday, the 30th day of June, 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., and will proceed to examine and determine whether or not the public convenience requires that the said road should be located and opened, and if upon examination we should be of opinion, and so determine in our judgment that the public convenience requires that the said road should be located and opened, we will proceed to locate and open the same agreeable to said commission and the Code of Public General Laws, in such cases made and provided, and will continue in the execution of said commission from day to day if necessary until the same shall have been fully completed.

NICHOLAS C. STANSBURY, JAMES W. TROXELL, WILLIAM H. FUSSELL, may 19-87. Examiners.

Order Nisi on Sales.

NO. 5383 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

MAY TERM, 1888.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 5th day of June, 1888.

Silas M. Horner, Theodore McAllister and J. Harvey Coburn, Executors of John Withrow deceased, vs. Oliver A. Horner and Winfield G. Horner, Administrators of David W. Horner deceased, et al.

ORDERED, That on the 2nd day of July, 1888, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Eugene L. Rowe, Trustee in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for three successive weeks prior to said day.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$1002.00.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1888.

W. IRVING PARSONS, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick Co. True Copy—Test.

Emmitsburg Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1888.

GROWTH.

The living stream must flow, and flow,
And never rest, and never wait,
But from its bosom, soon or late
Cast the dead corpse. Time even so

Runs on and on, and may not rest,
But from its bosom casts away
The cold dead forms of yesterday—
Once best, may not be always best.

That which was but the dream of youth,
Begot of wildest fantasy,
To our old age, perhaps, may be
A good and great and gracious truth.

That which was true in time gone by,
As seen by narrow ignorant sight,
May in the longer, clearer light
Of wiser times, become a lie.

I hold this true—what ever wins
Man's highest stature here below,
Must grow, and never cease to grow—
For when growth ceases, death begins.

—Alice Carey.

A MILLIONAIRE MENDICANT.

The Possessor of Barlets of Gold Living on Charity.

If the story told by Mrs. Mary Bridge to Justice Schiellen, of East New York, is true, it illustrates the aphorism that truth is stranger than fiction. The story, briefly told, is that she and her husband, John M. Bridge, were married in England forty-five years ago, and had one child, Louis, now living and working on the Brooklyn bridge. The old man was a sailor, but gave up the sea some years ago.

A few months ago Mrs. Bridge met an old shipmate of her husband, who expressed surprise at not seeing her in affluent circumstances.

"Why," he said, "what has become of the £50,000 your husband had ten years ago?"

"Fifty thousand pounds! You are crazy," exclaimed Mrs. Bridge.

"Not at all. He has trunks full of gold."

The astounded Mrs. Bridge went home and charged her husband with concealing his wealth, and he owned up, but implored her not to mention it, or the Saug Harbor authorities by whom he had been supported would charge him for seven years' board. He also confessed that he recently had left another fortune. A few days later he disappeared altogether. Justice Schiellen referred Mrs. Bridge to the commissioners of charity.

It is now known that Bridge is a miser, and it is suspected that he has been a pirate. It is said that he has money in half a dozen New York banks. The old couple lived in a tenement house on Dean street, near Stone avenue.

The World's Waterfalls.

According to a recent calculation, the highest waterfalls in the world are the three Krimbs Falls in the Upper Pringau; these falls have a total height of 1,148 feet. The three falls next in height are found in Scandinavia—the Nerne Foss, in Romsdal, 984 feet; the Vettis Foss on the Soane Fjord, 853 feet; the Rjukan Foss, in Thelemarken, 804 feet. With a decrease in height of 213 feet, the three Velino Falls, 521 feet, near Zerni (the birthplace of Tacitus), follow next in order, and they are succeeded by the three Tessa Falls, in the Val Formazzo, 541 feet. The Gastein Falls, in the Gastein Valley, 469 feet, rank between the Skjaggedal Foss, in the Hardanger Fjord, 424 feet, and the Boring Foss, in the same Fjord. If the width of the falls is taken into consideration, the most imposing are those of the Victor Falls of the Zambesi, which are 394 feet high, with a width of 8,200 feet. A long way behind these falls come the Niagara Falls, 177 feet high and 1,968 feet wide.—*Sylvania (Ga.) Watchman.*

Encourage Your Minister.

Encourage your minister now and then. He has not too much sunshine, and a kindly word or a thoughtful deed will often cause the deepening shadows to depart. Do not wait to express your gratitude by the costly shaft upon his grave, eulogizing virtues which you have failed to recognize when such a recognition would have been his strength and solace. People are not intentionally neglectful in this respect; each has his cares and worries. But the average clergyman's life is never so bright and hopeful that he will resent your encouragement.—*Jewish Messenger.*

GUEST—Have you a fire-escape on this house? Landlord—Two of 'em, sir. Guest—Yes, I thought so. The fire escaped from my room last night, and I came near freezing.

Miscellaneous.

A Word To Farmers' Daughters.

Last month we had a few words to say to our good friends, "the boys," now we desire to hold brief commune with their sisters, and hope to be able to show to the fairer members of the family that for them, also, rural pursuits offer many attractions which promise more profit than can be found in or drawn from many of the occupations which are regarded as essentially feminine. While the farm-house presents to willing hands a varied round of duties, the garden, the orchard, the dairy, and the poultry-yard seem to us fields of remunerative enterprise awaiting those who enter them. Young girls just emancipated from school weary of what they regard as the dullness of country life, and according to their tastes and attainments seek occupation in offices or gravitate to factory life. Shops swallow up a few, and city and village stores engulf thousands and tens of thousands. The wages of sewing girls are proverbially small; the hours in stores are long, and though the work is termed light it is dull and monotonous from year to year. Many are the hardships of working girls, yet all of these are braved, cheerfully at first, by countless generations of young women who prefer an aimless life of unrestricted freedom to the fulfillment of home duties and the trammels of everyday family intercourse.

Long ago the baking and the manufacture of many necessities were one and all home duties; now, as the baker is a man, who sells dyspeptic buns and oleomargarine pastries to his unhappy customers, and from his profits keeps fast horses. In the place of wholesome preserves the tables of the multitude are served with canned fruits, put up in the cheapest manner in factories. Women of to-day have to contend for existence under the pressure of a severely restricted area of usefulness, the confines of which grow narrower and narrower as years pass on. This condition of life is due in part to the wider ambition and superior capacity of men, who little by little have taken to themselves the filling of the places formerly occupied by women, not themselves as workers, but as employers; and as women work cheaper than men, these unwise ones are to-day in the ranks of the great wage-earning population of the world, when once they were the honored heads of home life. To go back to old methods is impossible, still a remnant can be saved, and young girls can be led to see that preserving apples in "mother's" kitchen is not harder work than bottling pickles in a factory; that dairy work on their father's farm is not worse than standing twelve hours a day in a store, to earn from three to seven dollars a week.

There is a widespread want, unsupplied for the luxuries of country life; the two most sought for and most difficult to obtain are the products of the dairy and the poultry-yard. Farmers are said to be grasping; we think otherwise, as they, for lack of ambition, sell their milk to dealers and creameries. If the farmers' daughters made as good butter and cheese as their grandmothers did, there would be no need of protective milk associations; if farmers' daughters used incubators and raised and fattened poultry, the present dearth of plump chickens and fat capons would cease. Last March broiling chickens sold wholesale at thirty-eight cents per pound, and the same month capons reached twenty-eight cents per pound. These are remunerative prices, and better rates could be obtained by serving first-class hotels and restaurants. Dairy butter sold down to eighteen cents per pound last March, when more than one owner of dairy cows, through superior skill as a producer, and greater enterprise as a merchant, received one dollar per pound for butter, and his eager customers clamored for more.

Farming is said not to pay; farmers are always poor. Now just let the girls step in and see if they cannot make as good butter as the great creameries put on the market, and when they do, fathers, see to it that your daughters have their just share of your increased profit. It is "the ready penny," the actual possession of money, that we all desire, and this universal longing sends girls to the mill, the factory, and the store. Farmers' daughters who remain at home are fed and clothed but rarely paid for their service. This is what so frequently discourages them. Then again many girls lack manual skill, and at home receive no training which tends to diminish this evil. They know nothing, therefore they "go out." The woman who would most benefit her sex would be the one who, having the means at her command, will place within the reach of farmers' daughters an education which would enable them to gain a comfortable living in the area of country pursuits. She would be a benefactress in two ways, as she would thin the ranks of wage earners and open new fields of industry to worthy ambitious women.—*American Agriculturist, for June.*

Miscellaneous.

A SIBERIAN PRISON.



THE PRISON-YARD AT TIUMEN.

From a sketch made by an exile, in the June "Century."

Mr. Kennan describes the marching away of an exile, and gives, also, a graphic picture of a convict barge. The illustrations of this article are remarkably interesting.



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Garlic.

Philosophers and scientists have given us satisfactory explanations of many natural phenomena in the world of matter, but who among them all can tell us the cause of the unaccountable appearance of garlic in the lands, of which farmers everywhere are complaining. In fields where it was never seen before, it has sprung up as if by magic. The pastures and the green rye patches just ready for feeding are redolent with it to the great dismay of the dairyman who forges the great trouble he will have with his customers on its account. If this pest, far more to be dreaded than daisies or wild carrots, or even Canada thistles, has set in to make a permanent stay, we see no other way to meet the misfortune than for our people to acquire a fondness for it, as the Spaniards, Italians and some other nations have done. But mayhap, like the locust, it has its periodical returns after long years and then lingers but briefly. We trust so.

"If I were to give a son of mine advice," General Sherman said recently to a tourist at Saratoga, "I'd tell him to master the trade of a blacksmith or carpenter or some such honorable or manly vocation." Then, after chewing his cigar vigorously: "One of the greatest evils of the day is a lack of thoroughness in everything. There is not as much sound knowledge to-day as there was 50 years ago. Why, when I was a young man, the average failures to pass at Annapolis was 33 per cent. This year the failures ran up to 50 per cent. We have too much snobbery and veneer these days, and not enough good, substantial, honest, sterling worth in the maturing generation."

How An Alligator Dines.

It is a Southern writer who compares an alligator's throat to an animated sewer. Everything, says this correspondent, which lodges in the open mouth goes down. He is a lazy dog, and instead of hunting for something to eat he lets his victims hunt for him. That is, he lies with his great mouth open, apparently dead, like the possum. Soon a beetle crawls into it, then a fly, then a gnat and a colony of mosquitoes. The alligator doesn't close his mouth yet. He is waiting for a whole drove of things. He does his eating by wholesale. A little later a lizard will cool himself under the shade of the upper jaw. Then a few frogs will hop up to catch the mosquitoes. Then more mosquitoes and gnats will alight on the frog. Finally a whole village of insects and reptiles will settle down for an afternoon picnic. Then all at once there is an earthquake. The big jaw falls, the alligator blinks one eye, gulps down the entire menagerie and opens his great front door again for more visitors.—*American Angler.*

Humorous.

A MAN down town is so bow-legged that his tailor is obliged to use a circular saw in cutting his pantaloons.

"WHAT are the pauses?" asked a teacher of the primary class. "Things that grow on cats," piped the small boy at the foot.

If anything will impress the human mind with awe, it is the expression of a man's face who has just been aroused from snoring in church.

WHEN you see a couple on the street, if the man carries the bundles they are engaged. If the woman carries the bundles they are married.

JUDGE—This man seems sufficiently intelligent. You will please take your seat in the box. Jurymen—So hellup me, Shudge, I vas not guilty!

"Yes," said Quiggles, "I have a good deal on my hands just now." "So I perceive," replied Fogg; "why don't you try a little soap and water?"

"Do you get many letters from your intended, Sue?" "Yes, indeed, Mame; I get one every day." "Does he send you k's and h's?" "Only k's. He's English you see."

ST. LOUIS Book Dealer (to customer)—In selecting a library, madam, you will, of course, want a set of Dickens's works, complete? Mrs. Ippie River—No, I think not. Everybody has Dickens's works.

"Do you know the gentleman?" asked a San Francisco lady of her little girl in reference to the minister who was making a pastoral call. "Of course I do," said the little dear. "He does the hollering at our church."

"How does it happen there are so many single women among school-teachers?" asks an inquirer. Well, it is just possible that a girl who has taught school is afraid to marry. She knows what sort of cubs men are.

THIS is the order which a little girl brought into a Lewiston druggist's store the other day. It was written on a dirty piece of note paper, as follows: "Mister Druggist: Please send ipeace enough to throw up a four-year-old girl."

At a Stamford Hotel.

Guest—Bill of fare, waiter. Waiter—Bill of what?

Guest—Bill of fare. Waiter—Wait'll yer git yer fare, an' ye'll be blamed sure ter git a bill of it. What yer want?

Guest—What have you? Waiter—Boiled clams, clam fritters, stewed clams, fricasseed clams, roast clams, clam patties, chopped clams, clam hush and clams.

Guest—Give me some plain clams—Judge.

LITTLE FRED D. and his father and mother were going to board with a neighbor for two weeks, while the house was undergoing repairs. Fred was delighted at the prospect.

"Mamma," he said, "didn't you say I must thank God for every good thing?"

"Yes, Fred."

"Shall I thank Him because we are going to board?"

"Yes, if you like."

When the two weeks had expired and the last dinner at the boarding house had been eaten, Fred leaned back in his chair, and, heaving a long sigh of relief, said, in the hearing of his hostess:

"Now, let's thank God we've got through boarding!"—*Boston Globe.*

"My good man," said the village pastor to one of the elders in his church, "I trust you will withdraw your resignation. We cannot afford to lose so staunch and true a Christian from our membership roll. What caused this sudden change of heart?"

"Waal, past'r," replied the elder, "see I bought a cow 'bout five weeks ago, an' she's the all-fireddest kicker ever ye laid eyes on. Saturday evening I figgered et out, 'tween you 'n me 'n the bed post, ez haow I'd either hev ter give up ther caw or withdraw from ther church, an' ez I don't 'low any four-legged beast on my farm ter best me, I'm ergoin' ter keep ther caw. Ef yeon think my soul's in great danger, yeou'd better buy ther caw; I'll sell her cheap."—*Drake's Magazine.*

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