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Pastor—Rev. H. P. White, C. M. First Mass 7 o'clock a. m., second Mass 10 o'clock a. m., Vespers 3 o'clock p. m., Sunday School at 2 o'clock p. m.

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Pastor—Rev. Jesse C. Starr. Services every other Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting every other Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Class meeting every other Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Millers.**  
**Arrive.**  
Through from Baltimore, 11:19 a. m., Way from Baltimore, 7:00 a. m., Jagersdown, 7:00 p. m., Rocky Ridge, 7:35 p. m., Motter's, 11:10 a. m., Frederick, 11:10 a. m., and 7:02 p. m., Gettysburg, 3:30 p. m.

**Depart.**  
Baltimore, Way 8:10 a. m., Mechanicstown and Hagerstown, 6:40 a. m., Anover, Lancaster and Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., Rocky Ridge, 8:10 a. m., Baltimore, Way, 2:42 p. m., Frederick, 2:42 p. m., Motter's and Mt. St. Mary's, 2:42 p. m., Gettysburg, 8:30 a. m.  
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## A THIBET DEVIL DANCE

Strange Mummeries in a Great Buddhist Monastery.

The Lamastery of Himis, two days' march from the city of Leh, is the largest and wealthiest Buddhist monastery in Western Tibet, and is the scene of a very famous annual religious ceremony which attracts great numbers of devotees from Chinese Tibet as well as from Ladak. The proceeding takes place from the middle of June—at a date which is variable according to our calendar—and continue for two days, during which the Lamas, in grotesque masks and richly embroidered robes, of Chinese silks, engage in complicated mummery, with strange symbolical ceremonies, chanting and fantastic dancing, in the chief quadrangle of the monastery.

The most important feature of this mummery is what is known as the Devil Dance. According to the Lamas, when a man has died, his soul, winging its way to its next incarnation, is waylaid by demons with horrible faces and forms who endeavor to terrify it out of its road. Should the demons succeed the unhappy soul will wander about space for an indefinite period, in vain seeking its proper sphere. The Lamas, therefore, in this devil dance put on masks resembling the features of these demons, and imitate their antics and howlings; in this way the spectators are familiarized to the dread sights and sounds, and when they die their souls will not be so readily dismayed by the apparitions.

The monastery, which is some 12,000 feet above the level of the sea, is most picturesquely situated among the high crags of a savage gorge descending to the Indus valley, and is surrounded by snow mountains, whose summits attain the height of 20,000 feet. To wander through the great rambling building is a weird experience. One passes through strange courtyards fantastically decorated, where huge Thibetan mastiffs of yellow color, sacred creatures of the Lamastery, bark furiously and strain at their stout chains, eager to fly at the intruder's throat; through dim, narrow alleys, where dripping water turns the praying wheels, and where hand wheels and other facilities for devotion meet one at every turn; up steep, winding flights of stairs; across wooden galleries overhanging abysses. And everywhere one is surrounded by uncanny objects. Banners with monstrous designs were overhead. On the walls are frescoes representing aerial battles between hideous fiends and equally hideous gods; tortures of the damned, dreadful as only the Chinese imagination can evolve; gods and goddesses on the gigantic scale, with cruel, callous eyes, sitting unmoved among all the horrors, "careful of mankind." Idols of unclean and malicious deities stand in the niches of the walls. But among all these repulsive faces of degraded type, distorted with evil passions, one sees in striking contrast here and there an image of the contemplative Buddha, with beautiful pure features such as they have been handed down by painting and sculpture for two thousand years, and which the Lamas, with all their perverted imagination, have never ventured to change when designing an idol of the Great Incarnation.

The mummery takes place in an open quadrangle of the monastery. On one side is the chief gate of the temple with steps leading up to it, its columns and friezes being painted in rich red, green and brown tints. Towering over the buildings can be seen the houses of the little town of Himis perched on the bare crags. Last year the 16th and 17th of June were the days appointed for the festival. During the performance, which on both days commenced at an early hour and did not cease till sunset, a large crowd was assembled—Buddhists of Ladak; natives of Chinese Tibet, many of whom had traveled from

Lhasa; Lamas and nuns of both the red and yellow sects from distant monasteries; a sprinkling of Hindoos and scornful Musselmans—filling the galleries, covering the roof and squatting on the ground around the quadrangle. Lamas with scourges in their hands kept the spectators in order and prevented them from pressing on to the space reserved for the performers.

The principle motive of this mystery play appeared to be the lesson that the helpless soul of man has its existence in the midst of a vast obscure space full of demons, ever seeking to destroy him, harassing him with tortures and terrors; and that against this infinite oppression he can of himself do nothing, but that occasionally the exorcisms or prayers of some good Lama or saint may come to his assistance and shield him, and then only after fierce and doubtful contest between the saint and the devils; and only for a time, too, can this relief from persecution endure, for all the exorcisms of all the saints are of little avail to keep back the advancing hordes; the shrieking demons must soon close in upon the soul again.

The following are some of the incidents of the first day's performance: At one period, after there had been a wild dancing and howling, to loud and discordant music of successive troops of Lamas masked so as to represent the demons that meet the dead man's soul in space, the dim suddenly ceased, and all the demons scampered off shrieking as in fear, for a holy thing was approaching. To solemn chanting, low music and swaying of censors, a stately procession came through the porch of the temple and slowly descended the steps. Under a canopy borne by attendants walked a man clad in beautiful silk robes, and wearing a large mask representing a benign face. As he advanced men and boys, dressed very much as abbots and acolytes of the church of Rome, prostrated themselves before him and adored him with intoning and pleasing chanting. He was followed by six other masks who were treated with similar respect. These seven deified beings drew themselves up in a line on one side of the quadrangle and received the adoration of several processions of masked figures. It was explained to me that these were the four different incarnations of the Grand Lama of Thibet, which were being worshipped by kings, spirits and others.

Again there came a change. The solemn chanting ceased and there rushed on the scene a crowd of wan shapes, almost naked, with but a few dark rags about them, which they sometimes held up by the corners, veiling their faces, and sometimes gathered together round them as if they were shivering with cold. They wrung their hands in despair and rushed about in a confused way as if lost, starting from each other in terror when they met, sometimes feeling about them with their outstretched hands like blind men, and all the while whistling in long-drawn notes which rose and fell like a strong wind on the hills and produce a most dreary effect. These I was told represented the unfortunate souls of dead men which had been lost in space, and were vainly seeking their proper spheres through the darkness.

The change from one phase to another of this curious mummery was almost startlingly abrupt. One never knew when some peaceful anthem and stately dance of holy figures would be interrupted by the clashing discord of cymbals and gongs and the whirling rush of shrieking fiends. The variously figures flocked in, troop after troop—three eyed monsters with projecting fangs, their heads crowned with terrors of human skulls; Lamas painted and masked to represent skeletons; dragon-faced fiends, naked save for tiger skins about their loins, and others. Sometimes they appeared to be taunting and terrifying the stray souls of men, grim shapes who fled hither and thither among the performers

waving their arms and wailing miserably, souls who had not obtained Nirvana and had no incarnation.

Then the demons would be repelled again by holy men; but no sooner did these last exercise one hideous band than other crowds came shrieking on. It was a hopeless conflict. Sometimes Lamas and spirits contended with rival magic. Strange signs were made and rites performed on either side, all no doubt symbolical, but the meaning of which none could tell. It was unknown to the people and to the priests themselves, only the outward forms remaining to them of their ancient creed; the inward significance lost centuries ago.

And so on, hour after hour the ever-changing mummery proceeded, not coming to a conclusion until sunset, when, after a very hot day, the cold wind sprang up and it began to snow lightly, a not unusual occurrence, even in mid-June, at the elevation of Himis.

On the second day the performances were even more strange than on the first, the masks more fantastic. A little black image representing a human corpse was placed within a magic triangle designed upon the pavement. Over this there was a prolonged struggle between holy men on one side and fiends, skeletons and monsters on the other. Ultimately the powers of evil won the day, broke through the Lamas' magic and rent to pieces the image, which had been so constructed as to bleed realistically during the operation. Then there was a dedication of animals to the Lamastery. Several horses and mastiffs were brought into the quadrangle; buckets of red paint were thrown over them; they were violently dragged hither and thither and howled at by the whole crowd, till the unfortunate creatures were frantic with terror. Henceforth they would be regarded as sacred and exempted from all work, the horses to fatten in the monastery paddock, the mastiffs to be chained in the court yards and fret themselves into fury.

Not the least extraordinary feature of the performance was a sort of final Harlequinade of comically masked Lamas. Their buffoonery was received with peals of laughter by the crowd, though much of it was at the expense of the Buddhist religion. They coarsely caricatured the solemn rites that had preceded; and thus, with an air of blasphemy and indecency, the festival ended at dusk, when once again the cold wind sprang up after the sultry day and the snow began to fall.

**A Droll Council.**  
A correspondent says that the good citizens of Kempen, in Holland, where Thomas A. Kempis was born, do some droll things. At one time a fire broke out, and much damage was done because the engines were out of repair. The Council met, and after much argument it was voted that on the eve preceding every fire the town officers should carefully examine the engines, pumps, etc. One of the greatest profits of the town was the toll exacted at the gates. The Council wished to increase the income, and instead of increasing the toll it voted to double the number of gates. This same Council also ordered the sun-dial to be taken from the Court House common and placed under cover, where it would be protected from the weather. But of all the queer things that are told of Kempen and its people nothing is so absurd as this: Grass grew on the top of a very high tower, and the only way these droll Dutchmen could think of to get it off was to hoist a cow up and let her eat it. —New York Tribune.

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## Romance in Literature.

There is a well known gentleman who, when a young man at College, fell in love with a professor's daughter. Of course there is nothing remarkable about that. Both were young and she was beautiful. The professor was poor, but he was wise. There is nothing remarkable about that. Wisdom is often associated with poverty, especially that sort of wisdom that comes from books. The young man was also poor, but he was not wise—he wanted to marry the girl right off. And there was nothing remarkable about that. But the poor, wise professor told the poor, unwise young man:—

"Go forth, go and do something. I don't care what you do, but go and do it. Then we'll see about the girl. If she really thinks she can't get along without you she won't mind waiting a year or two. If she won't wait, you won't want her."

The poor, unwise young man filed the usual demurrer, but it was promptly overruled. Then he went forth. The first thing he did was to go and buy a package of cigarettes and sit down and think. He did so much thinking of this kind that he nearly starved to death. Then he tried something else and picked up \$2 a week and \$20 worth of self-respect. But he didn't see any opening for matrimony and tried something else. This, too, failed. Then he tried something else.

The professor said he was a shiftless fellow—a rolling stone. The daughter said he was a noble young fellow and would get there. The young man had that girl in his eye all the time. Yet he seemed to monkey with the great world. He tried literature—newspaper literature.

The professor said that settled it. So did the girl. It did settle it—for the young man now unwise and young no longer, grew to fame and wealth as the head of a great syndicate, makes \$15,000 a year, married the professor's daughter and hires the professor at \$15 a week to kill copy.

## The Dull-h Parson.

A sick man sent for the nearest spiritual adviser. It so happened that the minister was a new fledgling just emerging from the seminary. He was dudsish in the extreme. His coat was cut in true clerical style, and his face bore the expression of affected literary culture. Going to the poor man's house he sat on the edge of a chair, toying with his hat and stroking his downy mustache. Said he to the dying man, after a long spell of silence painful to all:—

"What induced you to send for me?"  
"You will have to speak louder," faintly replied the sufferer;—"I'm dull of hearing."  
"What induced you to send for me?" reiterated the clergyman.  
"No use, can't hear. What does he say, Mary?" turning to his wife.

And then in a loud, shrill and stentorian voice the woman replied:—"He says what in the deuce did you send him for."—Insurance Journal.

## In Toto.

The attorney had a very ignorant witness on the stand, and as is usual with that class he insisted on telling his story over and over again. At last the attorney grew tired.

"If you please," he said, with some feeling, "you will not repeat that story again. I have heard it in toto several times."  
"Huh?" asked the witness in surprise.  
"I say I have heard that story in toto, and I don't want to hear it again."  
"There's a rabbit in the garden, Jacques! Hand me a gun."  
"But, sir, it is 5 o'clock in the morning; everybody is asleep."  
"No matter. I'll fire on tiptoe."

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Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Oct. 2, 1892, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg at 7.50, 9.55, a. m., and 2.50 and 5.40 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.20 and 10.25 a. m., and 3.20 and 6.10 p. m.

SALES.

March 11, Rev. J. B. Kerschner will sell his farm and mill property, known as "Locust Grove," at the public square in this place, at 1 o'clock. See bills.

March 15, H. J. Krollholz, will sell at his residence near this place, horses, cows, farming implements and household goods.

March 16, Osborne and Ferdinand Green will sell at their residence near this place, horses and farming implements.

March 20, Samuel J. Overholzer, will sell a lot of personal property at his residence in Freedom township, Pa.

March 27, James A. Helman, Assignee of Mortgages, will sell the John Donoghue farm, at the Western Maryland Hotel, in this place.

March 28th, I. M. Fisher's annual sale of personal property.

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Natural gas has been discovered in Wisconsin County.

The public schools in Carroll county, will close on April 14.

731 deaths were reported in Baltimore during the month of February.

50,000 people are said to have travelled on the B. & O. Railroad in the inauguration.

The Latz Spoke and Bending Works, of Hagerstown, have been sold to Thos. W. Latz for \$2,750.

Mrs. MARY MORRISON died at her residence near Petersville, this county, Tuesday evening, aged 91 years.

GOVERNOR BROWN is very ill with peritonitis, caused by exposure in the inaugural celebration at Washington.

FREDERICK has been selected as the place for holding the next annual meeting of the Baltimore M. E. Conference.

WATER was turned into the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal at Brunswick on Monday, preparatory to resuming navigation.

TWENTY-ONE horses were shipped from the Aberdeen Stock Farm, in Harford county, Md., to Philadelphia, on last Saturday.

The body of John Freudenburg was found in Druid Hill Park, Baltimore, on Wednesday. Twenty-eight persons have taken their lives in that park.

On Wednesday morning of last week, the safe in the ticket office of the Western Maryland Railroad, in Gettysburg, was broken open and about \$75 in money taken.

The report of the Superintendent of Montevue Hospital, at Frederick, shows the present number of inmates to be 216, of whom 126 are insane patients, and 28 tramps.

The town officials elected at Boonsboro, Washington county, on Monday, are pledged to light the town by electricity. The vote on water works was carried by a majority of 27.

REV. M. L. FIOR, of Union Bridge, has been elected pastor of St. Paul's Reformed church, at Mechanicsburg, Pa. Mr. Fior is a son of Mr. Jacob Fior, of Fairfield.

The Brunswick Herald, with its issue of March 3rd, entered upon its third year of usefulness. Judging from the tone of the paper, it has a bright and prosperous future before it.

MISSIS J. FRATR & BROS., Clothiers, of Union Bridge, have rented the Hyler Store room, in this place, and will open a branch clothing store about April 1st, with a large assortment of Gents' furnishing goods.

Col. Wm. A. Boykes will resign his command of the Fifth Maryland Regiment, owing to a difference in Washington, with Brigadier-General Stewart Brown, on last Saturday.

MR. THOMAS SHERIDAN, an old and respected citizen of Cumberland, was instantly killed by being struck by an engine on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, at Fair Hope, Pa., on Monday evening. He was in his seventy-sixth year.

That old established cough remedy, Down's Elixir, still more than holds its own in the public estimation, despite sharp and active competition. It is a "home remedy," and in this locality needs no words of praise from us, so well and favorably known is it. It is the standard remedy for coughs, colds and all throat troubles, with great numbers of our people, and their continued use and unsolicited recommendation of it speaks volumes in its favor.

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By J. A. Egan.

Five Times out of Ten

Dr. Fahrney's Peerless Liniment will prevent Pneumonia and Croup, if used in time. So say hundreds who have used it. Sold by all druggists for twenty-five cents.

The supper given by the members of the Lutheran Church in this place, on last Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening was largely patronized. The receipts netted about \$40.

The services in the Reformed Church in this place, on next Sunday morning and evening, will be conducted by Mr. David Milton Jones, a student at the Theological Seminary, Lancaster, Pa.

The Modern Way

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DEPUTY SHERIFF D. K. CRAMER, of Frederick city, took to the Maryland Penitentiary on Tuesday, five prisoners, who were convicted at the February term of court. Frederick county is slowly getting rid of its bad subjects.

New Pastor.

Rev. Henry Mann has been appointed pastor of the Mechanicstown Circuit of the M. E. Church, which embraces this place. Rev. J. C. Starr, the present pastor of this Circuit, will take charge of the Hancock Circuit.

Communicated.

Thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who responded so liberally to the call on their charity for Mrs. Kimmel, Judging from the well filled purse and baskets she received, many fervent prayers were offered up for the donors by the poor old lady.

The burglar at midnight may be feared by the timid; but he is not so much to be dreaded as an insidious cough, which stealthily enters the system, and undermines the constitution. When the cough first appears use Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup, the effectual remedy for all such troubles.

Fifty Horses Buried.

About fifty horses and several cows were burnt in the barn of Mr. G. O. Wilson, at his stock farm at Loch Raven, Baltimore county, on Wednesday night. The barn, a carriage house nearby and hay and straw were destroyed by the fire. The loss on buildings and stock is estimated to be about \$45,000, partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known. The trainer and stable hands were at supper when the fire was discovered, and they were unable to save any of the stock.

Dead in a Road-Cart.

Mr. Eugene Pennington, a prosperous farmer living in Queen Anne's county, near Bridgetown, Caroline county, was found dead Monday night on the county road leading from Ridgely to Bridgetown, about a half mile from Ridgely. Mr. Pennington had been to Ridgely making some purchases and started home in his road-cart about 6 o'clock. It is supposed that in driving over a rough road he lost his balance and was thrown to the bottom of the vehicle, his head lodging between the spokes of the wheel. -Sun.

G. A. R. Notes.

Arthur Post No. 41, had quite a good meeting on Tuesday night. The members were much gratified to learn that Comrade Vernon of Baltimore, had accepted the invitation to deliver the oration at this place, on next Memorial Day. A resolution of approval and a vote of thanks to Commander Horner for his efforts in securing the services of a comrade who has come to the front in grand army matters, was passed by the Post. Col. Vernon has been the commander of Reynolds' Post No. 2, of Frederick, and has also filled the honorable position of commander of the Department of Maryland. He is a good speaker, well versed in Grand Army affairs and in thorough sympathy with the work of the order.

A Sick Lady Shoots and Cuts Herself.

Mrs. Springer, wife of Mr. David Springer, is lying seriously ill at her home, No. 1322 N. Fisher street, Baltimore, from wounds inflicted by herself during an attack of nervous prostration. Mr. Springer said that at 5 o'clock Monday morning he was awakened by the sound of pistol shots, and, rushing into another room, found his wife bleeding profusely from a razor cut, four or five inches long, on the right side of her neck, three bullet wounds on the right side of the head and one bullet wound in the abdomen. He summoned Dr. John Neff. Owing to the dangerous character of the pistol wounds the bullets were not removed. Mr. Springer said his wife had been suffering from nervous prostration for three months. She did not seem to be seriously ill, and on Saturday last was able to leave the house. He and his wife slept in the same room and he did not discover her absence until he heard the pistol shots. He thought his wife's attempt to kill herself was due to temporary derangement. Mrs. Springer is thirty-two years old. She has been married to her present husband thirteen years. They have no children. -Sun.

Nature's Surest Ally.

If nature did not struggle against disease, even weakly constitutions, swift indeed would be the course of a malady to its fatal termination. While nature thus struggles let us, less severe befall us, aid her efforts with judicious medicinal help. Experience must be our guide in battles with disease, and that "lamp to our feet" indicates Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a safe, tried and thorough ally of nature. If the blood be infected with bile, if the bowels and stomach are inactive, if the kidneys fail to excrete their wastes, if there is a natural outlet, a course of the bitters is the surest and most beneficial. It is the surest and most beneficial remedy for nearly half a century. No American or foreign remedy has ever been so successful in its remedy for a cure and preventive of chronic liver complaint, malaria, constipation, indigestion, etc.

LETTER FROM ROCKY RIDGE.

Owing to the blockade of the roads by snow drifts, Rev. G. W. Whitmore, was unable to fill the pulpit at the last regular appointment.

Mr. Joseph Eichelberger, wife and son Charlie, of Uvilla, W. Va., have returned home after spending several days at Mrs. Eichelberger's parental home.

There are certain aspects of the year which should have a prominent place in our thoughts. We refer to those periodic changes that are uniform, and which we often overlook, just because they are uniform and always come regularly, and if political changes or revolutions, as for instance, the removal of Presidents, and the change of postmasters, awaken such an interest in our minds, why should not those noiseless revolutions, which all powerful hand is carrying on? i. e., the turning of our ponderous globe, upon its axis around the sun, giving us day and night, winter and summer, spring and autumn. In their courses these seasons are ever faithful. Now as we are verging upon the entering of spring, all nature is wrapped in a mantle of pure white snow which will cheerfully resign for the warm sunshine, making life circulate again in trees, shrubs and plants.

One of the greatest social events of the season was the reception given at the residence of Mr. G. W. Barrick, on Feb. 25th, from 12:30 to 4 o'clock, P. M., in honor of the marriage of his son, Mr. J. W. Barrick, to Miss Lizzie Miller, who returned home on the 11:40 o'clock train, from their southern trip. There was quite a number of invited guests present to welcome their return. Among whom were relatives and friends from Union Bridge, Middleburg, Double Pipe Creek, Graceham, Mechanicstown, Rocky Ridge and vicinity. In the parlor was displayed potted plants and blooming flowers, where the groom and his best man, Mr. E. Buckley, and the bride, dressed in black silk and lace, which became her pretty figure, received their many friends. At 12:30 o'clock the company was invited to the diningroom, where they were handsomely banqueted. The tables were decorated with blooming lilies, ferns and ivy. The menu consisted of chicken croquettes and peas, roasted turkey, cranberries, potatoes, tomatoes, pickles, jellies, rusks, cakes, oranges, bananas, ice cream, &c. The drinks were coffee, tea and lemonade. All present expressed themselves as having a pleasant time and by 5 o'clock, the company had bid good-bye. The Misses Faudie and Ida, with their brother, R. E. L. Barrick, deserve special mention for the manner in which they prepared the reception. V.

To Prevent the Grip.

Or any other similar epidemic, the blood and the whole system should be kept in healthy condition. If you feel worn out or have "that tired feeling" in the morning, do not be guilty of neglect. Give immediate attention to yourself. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to give strength, purify the blood and prevent disease.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, jaundice, biliousness, sick headache, constipation.

Death of Baby Catharine.

When death enters the household of a friend, how easy is it to utter words of comfort, to picture the peace and safety of the life beyond the grave, as contrasted with the danger, suffering and sorrow to which all in the world's life are exposed, and to tell the grief-stricken mourner, that the Heavenly Father who has taken the loved one into His own keeping, knows what is best for all of us.

When our own homes are darkened by the shadow of the grave, when the light suddenly goes out of the life of one to which our own hearts cling, how empty the words of comfort sound to us!

The little one so lately and so suddenly taken from our midst filled a place in heart and home which is desolate indeed, now that the prattling voice is still and the mother's arms, which never wearied with the burden they enfolded, are weary and aching now, in their emptiness. We could not realize that the little one was only lent to us, though her gentle loveliness seemed less of earth than heaven, and when God recalled her to himself our rebellious hearts cried out in bitter protest, even whilst our lips were uttering "They will be done." But God's ways are not as our ways, and if the little life, begun on earth, to expand and brighten through eternity shall serve to help us on our journey to that "Happy land" she will not have lived and died in vain.

The current issue of The Eclectic opens with an incisive paper on the needs and tendencies of modern education, by Prof. Mahaffy. Madame Darmstetter contributes a paper on the social aspects of medicinal life. Mr. George Miller in the article called "Female Brains and Girls' Schools" is racy and timely. Frederick W. Myers writes on "Modern Poets and the Meaning of Life," with great suggestiveness, and the article on "The Correlation of Moral Forces" will be found no less stimulating. Herbert Spencer contributes a great paper entitled "The Inadequacy of Natural Selection." Tennyson's poem narrative under the name of "The Dolorous Stroke," of one of his own great poems will rivet attention. Other articles of general interest include "Authors, Publishers and Reviewers," by Alfred Wickes, "The Tomb of Alexander the Great," by Rev. Haskett Smith, and "John Greenleaf Whittier," by Mary Negrepoint. The long picturesque poem by Edward King, "The Fool's Gem," "Memory," by Charlotte Bronte, are of much high interest. There are two short stories, "A Victim of Circumstances," and "A Defeated Transcendentalist," of noteworthy originality and power. The number as a whole is one of the best we have seen.

SABILLASVILLE ITEMS.

Mr. Wm. Sheffer, of Bolivar, was at Mr. M. E. Sheffer's last week. Miss Gertrude Harbaugh, of Chewsville, is visiting relatives in this vicinity. Robert, son of Samuel Moorehead, Sr., of this place, is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Nettie Harbaugh recently spent a week with relatives in Washington county.

Mrs. M. E. Coffman, of Quincy, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harbaugh.

Mrs. Fannie Alexander and little daughter Edna, are visiting relatives in Burkittsville and vicinity.

Mrs. Jennie Harbaugh spent several days this week with her brother, Mr. James O. Harbaugh, near Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Columbus Willard, of the State of Kansas, formerly of this place, is spending several weeks with relatives here.

An oyster supper was held at the residence of Mrs. Cornelia Harbaugh, of near this place, on Tuesday evening. About thirty were present.

Frederick Lemuel, son of Harry and Margaret Willard, died at his home near Deerfield on Wednesday morning, March 1, aged 28 days. Interment was made in U. B. Cemetery at this place, on Thursday, Rev. John Willhide, officiating.

A very interesting revival is in progress under the auspices of Rev. Mr. Roche, at Hawley Memorial Chapel, Monterey. There has been forty-one conversions and many more are expected to follow their example, with the best wishes of your correspondent for their future happiness.

"The Blood is the Life."

Runs the old saying, and everything that ever makes part of any organ of the body must reach its place therein through the blood. Therefore, if the blood is purified and kept in good condition by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, it necessarily follows that the benefit of the medicine is imparted to every organ of the body. Can anything be simpler than the method by which this excellent medicine gives good health to all who try it fairly and patiently?

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Mrs. Smith, an aged lady, was buried on last Friday, in the cemetery, near Fairfield.

Mrs. Lillie Mehring, of Littleton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Landis, of this place.

Mr. Christian Musselman has built a very nice stable on his property at the Union School House.

Mr. John Clark, of Smithsburg, Md., is a visitor at this place. He formerly clerked at the Station.

Mr. Peter Harbaugh attended the encampment at Lebanon, as a delegate of Post 83, G. A. R., of Fairfield.

Mr. S. A. Fior, of this place, went to Washington, D. C., to witness the inauguration of President Grover Cleveland.

James Dixon Post, G. A. R., of Fairfield, has received an application for membership from an old veteran who is 77 years of age.

Three young men of this place, took Horace Greely's advice, and went west this week. They are, Howard Musselman, Thaddeus Stultz and Harry Polly. We wish them success.

Mr. Samuel King, whose illness was reported in these columns, died on Tuesday morning of last week, aged about 73 years. James Dixon Post 83, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body. The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church, and Rev. W. J. D. Scherer, officiated, after which the remains were taken to the cemetery for interment, preceded by Post 83, the Sons of Veterans acting as guard of honor, commanded by the Officer of the Day. The guards fired three shots over the grave, representing the honors of war. The pall bearers consisted of members of the G. A. R.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. James Neal made a visit to Philadelphia.

Mr. James F. Hickey, of Hagerstown, was in town this week.

Mr. George Slate, of New York, is visiting his family in this place.

Mr. John White and sister, Miss Estelle White, of Greenacres, are visiting at Mr. F. A. MacCall's.

Mrs. Joseph Bullington, of Pittsburg, is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Simonton, in this place.

Mr. Whipple Gehr, a prominent lawyer of Chicago, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Cora Gehr, of this place.

Messrs. A. M. Patterson and G. M. Patterson and wife, and Miss Grace Shoemaker, were in Baltimore this week.

Miss Minnie Boyd, of Liberty twp., Pa., who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Fuss, near town, returned home on Sunday.

Mr. David Miller, proprietor of the Clermont House, at Monterey, Pa., made a visit to Mr. Wm. P. Nunnemaker, in this place.

Mrs. Geo. T. Motter, and Miss Snyder, of Taneytown, and Mrs. Oliver C. Roth, of Baltimore, spent Wednesday at Mr. E. R. Zimmerman's.

Mr. E. R. Zimmerman, of near this place, started for Chicago on Tuesday morning, where he expects to secure employment. We wish him success.

Mrs. Anne Hoover, who spent several months visiting her son in Kansas City, returned to her home in this place on Monday, accompanied by her brother, Mr. James Knoff.

It beat the doctors. - Mrs. Boyd, 22 Weeden St., Providence, R. I., says: "I suffered for three months from rheumatism and neuralgia. The doctor's medicines not giving me any relief, I tried Salvation Oil, and after using two bottles consider myself perfectly cured."

MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE NEWS.

Date of the Alumni Banquet. The Philadelphia Committee has appointed Wednesday, April 20th, as the date of the coming Alumni banquet and it will be held at the Continental Hotel, 9th and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, at 6 P. M., on that date. The price per plate will be \$8 and it has been decided that members of the Alumni who so desire may each procure one additional ticket for a friend at the same rate per plate.

A. V. D. Watterson, Esq., President of the Alumni Association of Mt. St. Mary's College, has appointed the following Committees to aid the Philadelphia Committee, heretofore named, in getting matters in shape for the banquet to be held in Philadelphia, next month. Washington, D. C., Lawrence Gardner, Chairman, James F. Barbour, Thomas M. Chatarel, Boston, Joseph A. Campbell, Frank R. Campbell, Joseph P. Donohue, Cleveland, Christy J. Greeves, Eugene R. Grasselli, Thomas S. Grasselli, New Orleans, Louis J. Verret, Felix A. Lurie, Ernest J. Lagarde, Harrisburg, Haldeman O'Connor, Scranton, Edward F. Boyle, Rev. M. B. Donlan, Rev. Jeremiah Dunn, Chicago, Rev. J. F. Callahan, Francis Bush, Rev. Hugh McShane, L. M.; Newark, John J. McGrath, Rev. H. F. Murray, Rev. S. B. Walsh; Jersey City, Rev. P. J. McCarran, John W. McCarran; Baltimore, Hon. N. Chas. Burke, Austin Jenkins, Frank J. Coughly; New York, Thomas J. McTigue, Chairman, John J. Rooney, Rev. M. J. Murray; Brooklyn, Leo J. Rooney, Rev. Joseph Kilkpatrick, Myers R. Jones; Lancaster, Richard M. Reilly, Samuel W. Altick, John E. Malone; Pittsburgh, Francis C. McGill, Esq., Thomas J. Maloney, Joseph M. Bruckerhoff, M. D.

The Societies.

The Philanthropic Society reorganized for this session Sunday evening, March 5th. The meeting was held in the Reading Room and the following officers were elected: President, Joseph Gray, '93; Vice President, William T. Cushman, '93; Secretary, J. Mitchell Farrell; Treasurer, James O'Reilly, '93; and Censor, J. J. McCloskey, '94. Rev. William O'Hara's resignation as critic was received and accepted. The members are enthusiastic and hope to make the work of this session a success. Mr. John Connelley, '94, was elected to membership. General declamations will be given at next meeting.

The Purcell.

The Purcell Lyceum held its regular meeting in the Reading Room, Thursday evening, Mr. Wm. E. Martin was the choice of the committee appointed to select a critic. Mr. Martin was heartily applauded when he took the chair. A better selection could not have been made. Mr. Martin is thoroughly acquainted with the work and we doubt not that his judgment will be highly instructive. The program for the evening, which was next taken up, was as follows: Debate, "Resolved, that Utah be admitted to the Union." Those debating were, affirmative, Messrs. Doyle, O'Connor and Leo Stock; negative, Messrs. O'Brien, Pillion and Munson. Messrs. Doyle, Leo Stock, O'Brien and Pillion deserve special mention for the manner in which they upheld their respective sides. The Critic awarded the debate to the affirmative. Declamations were given in an acceptable manner by Messrs. Doyle and Bigley. An extempore debate, "Resolved that capital punishment by electricity be abolished," was taken up. Messrs. McTigue, Hicks, Doyle, Ferguson, Donovan and Munson made it very interesting. The critic entered his decision in favor of the affirmative and then in a few well chosen words congratulated the society on the work done during the meeting, hoping that it would be continued and that every member would work earnestly until the close of the year.

The Carroll.

The Carroll Lyceum held its regular meeting in Carroll Hall, Thursday evening. The meeting was interesting throughout. The program was as follows: Debate, "Resolved that Grant was a more accomplished general than Lee." Affirmative debaters were Messrs. Gamber, Garvey and Wade; negative, Messrs. Beistien, Cleary and E. Munson. After an exceedingly warm contest the critic decided in favor of the negative. Declamations were given by Messrs. Malloy, Havelly, Milgo, Schuring and Hussey in an acceptable manner, after which the society adjourned.

Personals.

The Baltimore Sun, in a report of the piano recital recently given in that city, Prof. Ferrata, and of which mention was made in last week's Chronicle, gave a glowing account of the manner in which Prof. Ferrata acquitted himself. His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, many priests of the archdiocese, and members of the first circles of Baltimore society were in attendance.

Prof. Legrie has completed his cast for the Shakespearean tragedy of Hamlet. Active work will now begin in rehearsing.

Sporting Notes.

The Gymnasium presents a gay scene every afternoon, owing to the fact that quite a number of athletes have gone into training for the spring sports, baseball, etc. The younger members of the senior division marshal their forces during the hours of recreation in some show of vigor near the Gymnasium, and play all sorts of games, chief among which is one that may be facetiously called "Potpourri." The base ball has made its reappearance on the Campus, and among those who toss the sphere daily may be mentioned: John Munson, Michael Commey, T. J. McTigue, and under the eye of vice president Donahue, who strolls out to see how the colts are doing, they are progressing very well. There is a large number of good players that have not as yet made their appearance, but we hope to hear from them soon.

The Science Club.

The Science Club held a regular meeting in the club room, Wednesday evening. Prof. Mitchell's paper on "The Moon's Radiated Heat, its Absorption by our Atmosphere and the manner in which it was discovered," was not only interesting, but highly instructive. We regret that we cannot publish the paper in full, since it treated the subject in a masterly manner. Prof. Mitchell fully described the thermopile and the fundamental principle of its discovery, the fact that we not only receive a "horrorful light" but also a "horrorful" or radiated heat from the moon. Prof. Mitchell assisted the astronomer to Lord Rosse in experimenting on this subject and hence we all are acquainted with it. We hope the professor will favor the members of the club with another paper before the end of the session. On resuming his seat at the end of his lecture, he was heartily applauded and the club tendered him a

vote of thanks. Mr. Thos. S. Grasselli, President of the club, also favored the members with an instructive and well written paper on "The Diamond, an Allotropic Modification of Carbon." Mr. Grasselli, in the course of his remarks, described the large diamonds now in possession of certain monarchs, and worked names for their value before adjoining Messrs. Dennis Z. Behen and William T. Cashman were named as the persons who would read papers at the next meeting. The Science Club is doing everything that was expected of it, but members look forward anxiously to the meetings, and all work in cooperation with the Reverend Critic, whose remarks on the papers and subjects broached are especially instructive.

Mercedes of Castle.

American literature has much of which to boast, but preeminent among those toward whom we turn with pride and respect is James Fenimore Cooper. There is much diversity of opinion as to the place he occupies in the literature of America, but also in English literature. We will not discuss this question at present. Students of literature are apt to overlook Cooper, the historical novelist, in Cooper the purely descriptive novelist. They were aware of the Leather Stockings and Sea Tales, or other of his novels closely connected in thought with the above, without paying sufficient attention to such of his works as are founded on historical events or persons. It is to this latter class of his works in general and to the subject of this article in particular that I wish to call the reader's attention. When one reads "The Spy," a tale of the American Revolution, "The Bravest," a tale of Venice, or Mercedes of Castle, he deeply regrets that Cooper did not employ his talents more in the direction of the historical, than the merely descriptive novel. In his works of the former character we find, that he has many points in common with Sir Walter Scott, the acknowledged leader, and further more we find him surpassing Sir Walter in certain important respects. Their styles differ, it is true, Sir Walter being loftier and more affected than Cooper, whose chief merit in all his work is his simplicity. There is that, too, in their natures, in their belief, religious and political, which make them differ widely. Both were fond of indulging in "casual" Scott to plunge into some disquisition on the armorial bearings, ancestry, or castle of his characters: Cooper to moralize on the philosophical phases of political and religious measures. Scott aping at nobility, of which character he was as truly deserving as any, would fain shield the actions of his titled class. Cooper, on the other hand, a republican, founded on the equality of men, was not governed by distinctions of birth, so that he could look up on all with an impartial judgment. The result of this difference was, that Scott, while he could and did tell us of noble characters in whom there was aught of good, at the same time, could not but give their dearest to those really meriting worse. We cannot, however, charge him with being in the wrong in the latter character of the common people. But even in this he was slightly at fault, for though living among them, he was not of them, and therefore not so intimately conversant of their true character. His Danae diamonds are not ours, and we must admit, but there is a want of naturalness in them. Cooper's daily life, his business, his nature, all was directed toward the study of the most intimate natures of those with whom he came in contact. He was, therefore, we must admit, but there is a want of naturalness in them. Cooper's daily life, his business, his nature, all was directed toward the study of the most intimate natures of those with whom he came in contact. He was, therefore, we must admit, but there is a want of naturalness in them. Cooper's daily life, his business, his nature, all was directed toward the study of the most intimate natures of those with whom he came in contact. He was, therefore, we must admit, but there is a want of naturalness in them.

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TALENTS WASTED.

I was wandering around in Battery Park the other afternoon when I came upon a dilapidated looking man who was asleep on one of the benches. His hat was full of holes, his toes out to the weather and he had used pins and strings to hold his garments together and make himself half way presentable to the public. I was noticing how soundly he slept and wondering how hard the policeman who found him would strike when a chap who might have been a twin brother of the sleeping man came around a curve in the path and stopped to ask:—"Do you know him?"

"No."  
"Name's Jim. Looks hard, don't he?"  
"He does that."

"But it's all his own fault. Jim hain't got no sense about him, he hain't. If I had his face and his voice I'd be boarding at a first class hotel."

"How do you mean?"

IT TOUCHED THE POLICEMAN.  
"Why, when he strikes a feller for a stake he kin lock the heart-broken of any galoot I ever saw in the business. You'd jest naturally say to yourself that he'd lost every friend and relation on earth within the last two days. And such a voice! It's full of sobs and tears and anguish. Why, sir, I've known a policeman of fifteen years' standing to give Jim a quarter and pat him on the back in a fatherly way."

"But how is it his fault?" I asked.  
"Hain't got no business head on him, sir. What d'ye think he did yesterday? Went to a hotel up here and paid fifteen cents for a bath—reg'lar bath tub, with reg'lar towels and soap! Enough to keep him high a half week paid out for a bath which didn't last him over half an hour! And look there! He's got suspenders and a cellar lord collar on, just like a Murray Hill dander! I wasn't over four weeks ago when he lays down twelve cents for a pair of socks—reg'lar socks like a millionaire wears! Is it any wonder he's a failure?"

A DIFFERENT STYLE.

"And you don't take baths nor wear suspenders and collars and socks?"  
"Me! Me! Look here! I hain't even got a shirt on! I'm barefoot in my shoes. I hain't playin' no Fifth Avenue business down here, I hain't! Look at the top of my head. Is it full of hills and valleys or is it level? I'm business, I am!"

"Well?"

"I kin prove it, too. If Jim was awake he'd strike you fur a quarter."

"Yes."

"And away it would go, fur to get a shirt washed, or to buy a new collar, or mebbe to ride on a Broad-way car and pretend he owned the hull line. Now, what I strikes you fur is ten cents. That's a savin' of fifteen to you, and I lays up nine of it in the bank, see? You is a man who kin appreciate figgers, you is. You sees the difference between economy and extravagance, you does. Thank you kindly, sir, and it's a great encouragement to me to feel that my figgers is recognized as correct."

I halted behind a bush at the turn in the path and looked back.

"Poor Jim" was wide awake and on his feet, and the other held up the dime and said:—"Tobacco."

"Jim, it's a go! While you sleeps I talks figgers, and we hits 'em right between the eyes every time!"

A LITTLE girl had sent back her plate for turkey two or three times, and had been helped bountifully to all the other good things that go to make a grand Thanksgiving dinner. Finally she was observed looking rather disconsolately at her unfinished dish of ice cream.

"What's the matter, Ethel?" asked Uncle John. "You look mournful."

"That's just the matter," said Ethel. "I am more'n full."

And then she wondered why everybody laughed.

Sooth the frou frou and the laugh faugh of the untidy, unwholesome and altogether unsuitable pavement trail will be gone and, to whisper a secret, nobody will be quite so glad as the women who wore it.—Eo.

The Gray Wolf. The large wolf of North America is commonly known as the timber, or gray wolf. It was formerly generally distributed throughout North America from the Arctic regions to the tropics, but has of course disappeared from all settled portions of the country.

Over the large portion of its range this wolf is gray in color, but in Arctic regions it is white, or nearly so, while in Florida and some of the Gulf States and in British Columbia a black form exists. In Texas there are red or bay wolves.

Except in its color, the large wolf of North America (Canis occidentalis) is everywhere the same, but in its habits there is more or less difference, caused by the circumstances of its environment. The wolves of the north feed to a considerable extent on reindeer and caribou, those of the east on deer, while those of the south prey on deer and the wild hogs which run at large through the pine forests and swamps. A few years ago the centre of abundance of the gray wolf in America corresponded very closely with the centre of abundance of the buffalo. Great bands of these gaunt and ever hungry animals accompanied the buffalo herds, killing calves or old bulls, and sometimes cutting out from the herd strong young heifers, which they had little difficulty in pulling down, if they could once separate them from the companionship of their fellows.

Notwithstanding the fact that ever since the settlement of America the wolf has been pursued with guns, traps and poison, it is certain that no blow was ever dealt this race so severe as the extinction of the buffalo. Their natural prey gone, the wolves turned their attention to the herds of the stock men, and for years now their depredations have resulted in very serious losses to raisers of horses and cattle on the northern plains. They do not attack the herds when they are alarmed, and closely bunched together, but prowl about their outskirts, trying to cut off the young stock, which they can easily pull down. Sometimes a small band of wolves will round up a little bunch of cattle, which stand in a close circle, their heads outward, prepared for the attack. After circling about them for a short time, two or three of the wolves will dash at the bunch, and if they can scatter the animals it is the work of an instant only to pull down a yearling or to kill two or three calves. We have seen two wolves thus destroy a yearling steer with no greater apparent effort than a setter dog would use in killing a cat.—Forest and Stream.

Cured the Wrong Throat.

A most disreputable-looking drunkard went to an inebriate's retreat where they squirt sobriety into people's arms and give them whisky dosed with ipecac to get them disgusted with it. He said to the man in charge of the factory: "I have the whiskey habit badly and want to get cured. I don't desire ever to touch another drop."

"Pay \$25 a week, sign the by-laws and the thing's done," said the manager.

After three weeks the patient went into the business office looking very sour.

"See here," he said, "I find that I'm losing my liking for brandy. I'm about that? You must have given me the wrong medicine. I came here to be cured of the whiskey habit."

"Certainly," replied the manager blandly. "Our treatment will relieve you not only of the taste for whisky, but of all craving for alcoholic stimulant, be it brandy, whisky, cider or gin."

"Holy Caesar!" roared the patient in a rage. "I came here distinctly to be attended to on account of my liking for whisky, and now you've been monkeying with my predilection for brandy. What kind of a skin game is this you're running? Why, I had a brandy thirst on me that I wouldn't sell for \$1,000,000. My scheme was to get up a dislike for whisky so I'd have all my taste to devote to brandy. I've been taken in, sir. The thing's a scheme of the most contemptible order. I'll find out in the courts whether you can go around making people turn against brandy against their will."

His suit will be awaited with interest by lawyers as well as drunkards. A jury may be called on to assess the value of a brandy thirst.—New York Herald.

Diphtheria Remedy.

First, strips of linen or cotton fabric, about eight inches wide, folded several times, and long enough to reach from ear to ear, should be wrung out of ice water (if in winter), and if in summer put directly upon ice, and then applied externally to the throat, and as fast as one cloth gets warm another should be ready to take its place. If the child complains of being cold, its feet and hands should be bathed in as hot water as it can stand. When the child is very young, it may readily be ascertained if it be cold or not by feeling its hands and head. Under no circumstances should hot applications be made to the throat. If the child is old enough, it may be given broken ice to suck constantly, even if the water is spit out. The cold applications inhibit the growth of the microbes. The patient's hands should be washed frequently—and here let me say so should those of the attendants—and the vessel used for the purpose should not be used by any one else.

The patient's clothing needs protection in front. This may be done by pinning back of the neck a large piece of linen or cotton fabric which will cover the whole front of the child and reach as far as the knees. A material should be used which can easily be boiled or burned when soiled. The little patient, if old enough, will want to spit, and for a spittoon a small wooden box, with an inch of sawdust on the bottom, is capital. Fresh sawdust should be supplied at least once a day—three times a day would be better—and that which has been used should be emptied upon a good, hot fire, and thus burned at the time the change is made. If there are any flies about the box should be kept covered, and, as a matter of course, only uncovered when the patient desires to spit; otherwise the flies alighting upon this spittle would carry the germ of the disease with them, and then alighting upon the family's food and drink necessarily infect them, and thus indirectly infect the whole family. This is by no means chimerical, but a well-established fact.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Richard Schiefflin, of Los Angeles, was at the Palmer yesterday, and attracted considerable attention by his peculiar Western attire and long flowing hair. Mr. Schiefflin was famous a few years ago as the discoverer of Tombstone, in Arizona. He was a poor prospector on the Arizona desert, in search of gold which he believed was located in the southern part of the Territory. After getting a "grab stake" at a store in Yuma he started out alone to cross the arid waste lying west of Yuma. As he left the town he was told that instead of finding gold he would find his tombstone. For weeks the daring prospector struggled on until his provisions were nearly exhausted.

One night, while camping beside a small, dry stream, he was obliged to dig in the sand of the river-bed to get water, and while thus employed unearthed several nuggets of gold. The next day he staked his claim and started back to Yuma, where he reported that he had found his tombstone, but that it was lined with golden nuggets. From this the present city of Tombstone sprang, and to-day "Dick" Schiefflin is one of the wealthiest men in Los Angeles.—Chicago Tribune.

Business and Sympathy.

A bright printer's clerk, who was instructed to write a letter of condolence to a firm, the head of which had recently died, did it in this way:

"We are greatly pained to learn of the loss sustained by your house, and extend to you our heartiest sympathy. We notice that the circular you send us announcing Mr. —'s death was lithographed in the provinces. We regret that you did not see your way clear to let us estimate for the work. The next time there is a bereavement in your house we shall be glad to quote for your printing, and are confident that we can give you better work at less cost than anybody else in the business. Hoping soon to hear from you, we remain, with profound sympathy, yours truly."

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Real Estate Transfers.

We copy from the Frederick News, the following transfers of real estate which have taken place in this county, as recorded in the Clerk's office during the past week:

Martin L. Cordell and wife to John W. Snoots, 1 acre of land, more or less, \$900. John F. Viris and wife to Cephas E. Lakin, 3 acres of land, \$350. Christopher M. Riggs and others to Lemuel and Henry P. Mussetter, 135 acres of land, \$200. Titus J. Day, attorney, etc., to Wm. A. B. Walker and wife, 964 acres, etc., of land, \$2418.80. The same to same, 964 acres, etc., of land, \$2418.80. Charles M. Wenner and wife et al., to Lorenzo S. Gardner, a lot at Brunswick, \$135. George Houck and wife to John E. Nield and wife, lots in Brunswick, \$1,000. Samuel B. Preston to Anna M. Derby, a parcel of ground in Knoxville, \$1,000. The same to Job M. Miller, 3,320 square feet of land, at same place, \$150. David C. Winebrenner and J. Hanshaw Markey, trustees, to Josephina Rodgers, lots in Frederick city, \$2,800.

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Health Hints.

Hot water for sprains. Raw oysters for hoarseness. Turpentine for lockjaw. Raw egg for a cut. Salt water for falling hair. Quicklime in water for poison. Tar on sugar for weak lungs. Hot lemonade for colds. Hot milk as a stimulant. Sugar moistened with vinegar for bilious dyspepsia.

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"Then why do you give so few dinner parties?"

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