

How Milk is Analyzed.

The chemical analysis of milk is not complicated or difficult, says a writer in the Dairy. A small dish is accurately weighed, the weight noted. Into it is now introduced a small portion of milk, and both are again weighed. By subtracting the weight of the dish from the weight of both, the weight of the milk is found and carefully recorded. The dish is placed over a steam jet, and the water of the milk evaporates, leaving a residue. It is this residue which passes under the name of "solids." A last weighing of the dish with the milk residue, less the weight of the dish, gives the solids, and by a single calculation the percentage is found.

The solids of the milk have been found by numerous analysis to average about 13 per cent., and, while the fat varies in the milk from different cows, the solids left after extracting the fat is a very constant quantity, hardly ever falling below nine per cent. This gives the chemist a positive basis for his calculations, and enables him to state with great certainty whether or not the milk has been watered. The fat or oil in milk is determined by dissolving it, by means of ether, out of the total solids, the residue remaining after the operation being termed "solids, not fat." The average fat or oil found in cow's milk is three per cent., and any amount less than this is commonly taken in showing that the milk has been skimmed. If analysis shows a decrease of fat, and solids not fat, it is said to be certain that the milk has been watered, while if the fat only is low, it shows that the milks has been skimmed.

A Store and Dwelling Blown Up.

At an early hour Friday morning Chas. E. Flohr, living four miles west of Dillsburg, York county, Pa., near the Adams county line, was alarmed by some one prowling around his store and dwelling and peeping in at the windows. Flohr reached for his revolver and went to a rear window, when a terrific explosion took place. The merchant was thrown to the floor and stunned. Neighbors heard the explosion and hurried to the scene. They discovered that the store building had been cracked in two. The dwelling-house was also badly shattered. Mr. Flohr was found insensible and was removed with difficulty. It was feared that both buildings would topple over any minute. The structures then burned to the ground. Little or nothing was saved. After the insurance is paid the loss to Mr. Flohr will amount to over \$3,000. A search of the premises was made and part of the barrel of an old gun was discovered. Mr. Flohr is of the opinion that a dynamite bomb consisting of the gun barrel was used in wrecking his store and dwelling.

Two Dredgers Drowned

Two dredgers from the Maggie L. Marshall, commanded by Jacob T. Bradshaw, were drowned in Kedge's Straits on Sunday at noon. The men had been on board another vessel and while returning their boat swamped. Instead of clinging to the boat they struck out for the Marshall and before they could reach it both sank. The son of the captain was picked up by the Marshall. Captain Bradshaw tried to attract the attention of the E. R. Gandy, which was about 300 yards distant, but failed. The dredgers' bodies have not yet been recovered. The names which they were known by were George Washington and Minna.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TEVAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Dynamite in Lancaster.

An attempt was made Tuesday night to blow up the Cherry street bridge, Lancaster Pa., over the Pennsylvania Railroad. The instrument used was a bomb made of gas pipe, sections of which were found embedded in the superstructure of the bridge twenty-five feet from the point of the explosion. The bridge is not badly damaged, although the concussion smashed windows and broke open doors of neighboring houses, and tore down telephone and electric-light wires.

Many people in the vicinity at first thought it was an earthquake and rushed from their homes panic-stricken, but on recollecting that it was election night concluded that some one had fired off a cannon in celebration of the republican victory.

The bridge is a wooden structure, and it is believed that the intention of the miscreant was to wreck the Western express, which was due a few minutes after the explosion occurred. There is no clue to the perpetrators.

There is great excitement over the affair, as it is only a month since a huge dynamite bomb was found under the foundation of a big four-story brick building adjoining the police station. The fuse had been lighted, but was defective and failed to explode the bomb.—Sun.

She Swallowed A Shoe Nail

Miss Mintzer, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Frederick S. Mintzer, a West Philadelphia shoe dealer, died last Sunday night from injuries caused by swallowing a nail three years ago. Miss Mintzer, who was a bright scholar, was taken ill while at school on Thursday last. She was removed to her home, and Drs. Barrett and Montgomery were summoned. They were unable to relieve her sufferings, and came to the conclusion that there was some obstruction of the intestine, and had made up their minds to hazard an operation when the young patient died. An autopsy was held, which resulted in the discovery of a nail, two inches long, in the vermiform appendix. After the finding of the nail in that mysterious portion of the human anatomy, whose use has never been revealed to science, it was remembered by the young lady's family that she had swallowed the nail three years ago. Everybody had forgotten the fact.

A Hint to Young Men.

Alas, how prevalent are those dread diseases which make young men prematurely aged, pale, listless, low spirited, languid, and swell the lists of suicides; separate husbands and wives; bring untold suffering to millions, even unto the third and fourth generation.

A complete and scientific treatise on these ailments, prepared by an association of medical men, who have had vast experience in their treatment and great success in their cure, will be mailed in plain sealed envelope, secure from observation, to any sufferer sending ten cents, (the cost of postage) enclosed with this notice, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, 603 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Kearsarge Breaking Up.

There is now little hope entertained at the Navy Department that the old Kearsarge, wrecked on Roncador Reef, will ever again figure on the naval lists, for Secretary Herbert has been advised that the staunch old hull has yielded to the pounding of the heavy seas and is going to pieces. In this state of affairs it is consoling to naval officers to learn that none of the guns which did such effective work in the battle with the Alabama off Cherbourg were aboard the ship when she was cast on the reef. The two 11-inch guns are now on hand at the Mare Island (Cal.) navy-yard. The smaller guns were sold as junk at the Boston navy-yard.

An Old Society Goes Out of Existence.

The Washington Monument Society, created in 1833 and incorporated in 1839, has become extinct as an organization by the resignation of the remaining members, who were: Gen. Silas Casey, chief of engineers; Gen. Horatio King, Justice McArthur, of Washington city, and Justice Cox, also of Washington. This society was created years ago for the purpose of raising funds for the erection of the monument which now stands on the banks of the Potomac, south of the Executive Mansion. The completion of the monument some years ago ended the usefulness of the society.

Garden Waste for Poultry.

On most market gardens there is a good deal of waste vegetable matter thrown out of the wash-house daily and dumped into the hog pen or on the manure pile, says the Independent. Much of this, such as cabbage leaves, coarse celery stalks, lettuce leaves, etc., are just what the poultry need in winter, and it will pay any poultryman who lives near a market garden to secure a supply of it. Of course, the market gardener who keeps poultry will have the advantage of a constant supply of this waste at hand without the trouble of transporting it to his farm. Where a good supply of vegetables cannot easily be obtained, clover hay is the most convenient substitute. If cut in a hay-cutter and wet with boiling hot water, and then covered up for an hour, the hens will eat it greedily and leave very little of it behind them. Dry hay or straw should also be given them to scratch among for exercise.

Cement for Steam Pipes.

A cement of specially valuable properties for steam pipes, in filling up small leaks, such as a blow-hole in a casting, without the necessity of removing the injured piece, has been compounded. The cement in question says the American Gas-light Journal, is composed of five pounds of Paris white, five pounds yellow ochre, ten pounds litharge, five pounds red lead, and four pounds black oxide manganese, these various materials being mixed with great thoroughness, a small quantity of asbestos and boiled oil being afterwards added. The composition, as thus prepared, will set hard in from two to five hours, and possesses the advantage of not being subject to expansion and contraction to such an extent as to cause leaking afterward, and its efficiency in places difficult of access is of special importance.

One of the Best.

"The best compliment I ever had," said a well known lawyer the other day, "was paid by an old lady in an adjacent town, where I once went to take part in a Fourth of July celebration. I was a young man and always availed myself of every chance I got to sport. That day I was on the programme to read the Declaration of Independence, and I put all the power I had into the lines.

An Ancient Game.

"Say, Red and Green, do you know that football's one of the oldest games known?" "So? Where did you learn that?" "Here in Exodus, where Pharaoh's daughter found Moses in the rush line."—Philadelphia Call.

Coins with dates referring to "Anno Domini" (A. D.) cannot be found bearing an earlier date than that of the fourteenth century.

The little island of Iceland, with about 70,000 inhabitants, has the same number of newspapers as the great empire of China.

The apple pie was given to the public in 1893. At the present day one eastern firm makes over 27,000 a year.

FALSE REPORT.

A report is in circulation to the effect that I attended a revival meeting at Key-ville, and conducted myself with undue respect, and I desire to inform the public that the report is without foundation, and that I did not attend any of the meetings at the above stated place.

Order Nisi on Audit.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity. JANUARY TERM, 1894.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN

A NICE little property, beautifully situated on the pike leading from Emmitsburg to Mechanicstown, half mile south of Mt. St. Mary's College, opposite "Thornbrook," home of the late Geo. H. Miles, containing

7 ACRES

of well improved land, a house of eight rooms, newly painted and piped, stable and other outbuildings, an abundance of fruit and a well of good water.

Address.

M. E. O'DONOGHUE, Emmitsburg, Md.

A battle between Maryland dredgers and the Virginia oyster police boat Tangier is reported to have taken place on Saturday in Tangier sound.

THE work of rescuing the entombed miners in the Gaylord mines near Wilkesbarre, Pa., is progressing slowly.

THE interest on the public debt of the United States approximates \$100 per minute.

Memory.

There are 100 different varieties of memory, and perhaps we cannot altogether choose which we will possess, though every sort, when we have the germs of it, may be cultivated.

To learn anything by heart the best plan is to read a sentence and repeat it without a book, then read the next sentence and repeat the two, and so on. Repetition is of great importance, "It is upon line." More is learned and remembered by reading through one book twice than by reading two books once.

Her Indignation.

A pretty little woman came out of a big dry goods store the other day. Her eyes were flashing fire, and her face was flushed with indignation.

What's the matter?

"I inquired a friend who met her at the door. 'Why,' she said, 'I just saw a man do a thing in there that makes my blood boil.' I went over to the dress goods counter and found him there sitting on a stool and letting his wife stand. When I came along, he got up and offered me his seat. And his wife stood there meekly and never said a word. If he'd been my husband, I would have smothered him baldheaded. Can you blame her?—Buffalo Express.

Office of the County Commissioners for Frederick County, Maryland.

Notice is hereby given to all TAXABLES in Frederick County, that the County Commissioners will meet

On Monday, March 5th, 1894,

for the purpose of hearing appeals from assessments, and the following schedule will govern their proceedings, viz:

FIRST WEEK.

Monday, March 5—Will attend to General Business.

SECOND WEEK.

Monday, March 12—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 13—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

THIRD WEEK.

Monday, March 19—Urbana and Lincolnton Districts.

FOURTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

FIFTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

SIXTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

SEVENTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

EIGHTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

NINTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

TENTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

ELEVENTH WEEK.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

Twelfth Week.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

Thirteenth Week.

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Sixteenth Week.

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Seventeenth Week.

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Eighteenth Week.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

Nineteenth Week.

Monday, March 26—Creeks-town District Tuesday, March 27—Emmitsburg, Catoctin and Jackson Districts.

Snow fell in the vicinity of Kokoma, Col., to the depth of six feet.

Beyond Description

The Misery Before Taking

AND

The Happiness After Taking HOOD'S.

"Dear Sir: I have been in poor health for 20 or 25 years, and have been taking doctors' medicines more or less all the time. I did not get much relief. My blood was in a bad shape and my system was all run down. I thought I must die, but noticing several testimonials in the papers in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla I bought three bottles and found that it did me so much good that I continued taking it. I was without appetite, slightly sleepy, and had a headache most all the time. In fact I cannot describe my feelings. After using one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla I found it was doing me

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MY LINE OF

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"LONG-WEARERS?"

No better shoes made. Every article sold guaranteed as represented and repairs are repaired free of charge.

I manufacture a high grade of Boots and Shoes to order, all of the latest styles and best material at reasonable prices. Fits guaranteed. Try a pair of my

KANGAROO - SHOES,

and you'll never regret it.

Respectfully,

M. FRANK ROWE, Emmitsburg, Md.

Order Nisi on Audit.

No. 6161 EQUITY.

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

JANUARY TERM, 1894.

In the Matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 5th day of February, 1894.

JOHN L. JORDAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Feb. 9-11.

RUPTURE

EMMITSBURG Marble Yard

CEMETERY WORK

Of all kinds promptly done. Orders filled on short notice and satisfaction guaranteed.

W. H. HOKE, Proprietor, EMMITSBURG, MD.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoes. \$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Soles. \$2.50, \$2 for Workingmen. \$2 and \$1.75 for Boys. LADIES AND MISSES, \$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75

CAUTION.—If any dealer offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price, or says he has them without the name stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better satisfaction at the prices advertised than any other make. Try one pair and be convinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas' name and price on the bottom, which guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them. Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a low price, and we believe you can save money by buying all your footwear of the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

M. FRANK ROWE.

INVENTORY OVER!

That means to us the necessity of cutting down our stock much more. The prices are made to the end of getting rid of the goods.

ALL WINTER GOODS MUST GO SOON!

Some Spring goods already here.

THE LEADERS.

G. W. WEAVER & SON

GETTYSBURG, PA.

N. B.—Special prices now on Carpets, Curtains, Shades, &c.

New Advertisements.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM

Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp disease & hair falling. Price 25c. and 50c. per Bottle.

CONSUMPTIVE

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

On and after Oct. 1, 1893, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7.50 and 10.00 a. m. and 2.55 and 4.50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.30 and 10.30 a. m. and 3.25 and 5.20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH. Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8.20 and 10.37 a. m. and 3.30 and 6.25 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8.50 and 11.07 a. m. and 4.00 and 6.59 p. m.

WM. H. BIGGS, Pres't.

SALES.

Feb. 28, Samuel G. Ohler, ag't for Ephraim S. Sheely, executor of Balzer Sheely, deceased, will sell at the residence of said deceased, 24 miles east of Emmitsburg, horses, cows, farming implements, &c.

Established 1837.

Wetly's all rye whiskey. It has no rival for superiority, is absolutely pure, and has a reputation of the highest standard for excellence and purity, that will always be sustained.

YESTERDAY WAS WASHINGTON'S BIRTH DAY.

This is said to be the time of the year to trim trees.

JOHN JACKSON sprained his foot whilst coasting last week.

MR. JOHN W. JONES, aged 66 years, died at Harney, on the 13th inst.

THE Baltimore Methodist Episcopal Conference will meet at Frederick, on March 4th.

ON last Saturday, Mr. W. Irving Parsons purchased the Frederick Shoe Factory for the sum of \$3,100.

FRANK W. MISH has been appointed receiver for the Surbridge Manufacturing Company, of Hagerstown.

WILLIAM KELLY, who left Snow Hill fifteen years ago, and was supposed to be dead, unexpectedly returned.

FOR RENT.—The house formerly known as the "McDivitt House," in Emmitsburg. Apply to N. BAKER, 2231.

AT the election in Pennsylvania on Tuesday, Hon. Galusha A. Grow was elected Congressman-at-Large.

SNOW commenced falling at about 10 o'clock Wednesday night and on Thursday morning the ground was clothed in white.

A JURY at Hagerstown awarded \$1,000 to F. D. Thompson, who sued R. E. Thompson of Baltimore, for 24,000 wisp bottles.

DENTAL NOTICE.—I will fill my next appointment to Emmitsburg, February 28th. T. E. FILLER.

It is estimated that not less than thirteen new houses will be erected in the vicinity of Highfield and Buena Vista this spring.

THE United Fire Company, of Frederick has organized a real team to compete in the races at the firemen's gathering in Hagerstown, next June.

AN oyster supper and camp-fire was held at Moritz's School House, near Fairplay, on last Friday evening, under the auspices of Arthur Post No. 41, G. A. R., of this place. After the supper a camp-fire was held.

Muscle and Vigor.—A Difference. Many muscular men succumb to fatigues more with ease by persons far their inferiors in physical strength.

It is not difficult to find that athletes do not live as long nor enjoy as good health as the average individual who is vigorous—that is to say, whose digestion and sleep are untroubled, whose nerves are tranquil, and who has no organic tendency to disease.

Those qualities of vigor are conferred upon those who habitually work no less than upon those debilitated through wasting diseases, by a thorough, judicious course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the leading national tonic, and is recommended by physicians as a remedy for all nervous and muscular weakness, and for all the ailments which attend the system, such as indigestion, constipation, and general debility.

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Collector of Internal Revenue, Murray Vandiver has appointed Wm. H. Biser, storekeeper and gauger at Horseshoe's Distillery, this county, vice J. P. Biser.

Mr. WALLACE MOSER recently caught a large otter near the mouth of Tom's Creek. It measured four feet, three inches from tip to tip.

EVERY mother should have Arnica & Oil Liniment always in the house in case of accident from burns, scalds or bruises. For sale by Jas. A. Elder.

COSTIVENESS can be permanently cured by the use of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters. For sale by Jas. A. Elder.

Go to J. Traub & Bro., at Union Bridge for fine clothing and ladies cloaks, &c.

THE dead body of Jacob Kachel was found lying on the street in Baltimore, on Wednesday. Heart failure is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

JACOB STONER, republican, was elected Burgess of Waynesboro, on Tuesday, and it was decided to increase the town's indebtedness of \$15,000 to \$44,000 to improve the streets.

Hope It Is True. It is rumored that the big coke furnace at Catoctin will go into blast shortly. It will be good news to many idle men about Catoctin Furnaces.—Clarion.

JOSEPH A. STELL, eye specialist, will be at Mr. Geo. T. Eyster's jewelry store, in this place, on Monday, Feb. 26. Call on him and have your eyes examined free of charge all who have eye trouble.

THERE is a movement on foot to introduce an independent telephone line and system in Hagerstown in competition with the present system operated by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company.—Times.

Nine Times out of Ten Dr. Fahney'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 Chisel Slipped. Mr. Theodore Burdner, fireman on the Emmitsburg Railroad, whilst making a wheelbarrow on Friday last, the chisel which he was using slipped, cutting an ugly gash in his right leg, above the knee, causing much pain.

MR. H. BEELER, of Hagerstown, has thus far fed between 600 and 700 bushels of wheat to his dairy cows. Mr. Beeler states that he can get more for his wheat by feeding it in this way than by selling it at the prevailing low prices.

COUGH SYRUP.—Yes I am tired of hearing and seeing the word; yet if you want a good, reliable, pleasant-to-take, Cough Syrup, and a large bottle for the money, ask your druggist for Dr. Fahney's and take no other.

ANOTHER noisy crowd was on the streets last Friday night sleighing. Surely such action adds nothing to the pleasure of such occasions and the sooner it is done away with the better it will be.

ON going to the barn one morning last week, Mr. Edward Harman found one of his horses standing in the stall with one of its legs broken. In what manner the animal broke the leg is a mystery. The horse was killed in order to relieve its suffering.

\$1.25 To Washington via the B. & O., Saturday, March 3rd. Tickets good on all trains and good for return until following Monday.

ON some day tickets will also be sold from Washington to Baltimore at same rate.

FOUR fires, for which seven alarms were sent in, occurred in Baltimore, last Friday. The steamboat Ida, of the Maryland Company, was destroyed at Clark's ship-yard. The loss is estimated \$75,000. The Church of the Disciples, Calhoun street, was damaged \$4,000. The other fires did not cause much damage.

SNOCATED by Gas. Miss Rebecca Hilberger, aged 26 years, was found unconscious at the home of Mrs. H. Rosenstock, Baltimore, Monday morning. The gas was turned on and she was rapidly passing into eternity. Dr. Poe was summoned and after working with the young lady for some time, pronounced her out of danger.

Attendance at Hayfield School. The regular attendance at Hayfield School No. 10, for the term ending Jan. 31, was not so large as that of the preceding term, owing to the prevalence of the grip among the scholars. Felix Lingg was in attendance each day of the term, whilst those missing two days or less were Henry Rosensteel, James Lingg, Clarence Nunemaker, Mary Marshall and Blanche Lingg.

"Little Bo Peep." had lost her sheep and couldn't find them to find them." So the old nursery rhyme says, and it goes on to bid her "leave them alone and they'll come home and bring their tails behind them." All this may be true of lost sheep, but if you have lost your health, you cannot afford to leave that alone. It will not come back of its own accord. Some people brag that they never bother about colds. They "let them go the way they came." Alas, too often the victims go to a consumptive grave. Remember that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery removes eruptions, blotches, pimples, ulcers, scrofulous humors and incipient consumption which is simply scrofula of the lungs. It enriches the blood, making it pure and the whole system new.

A Sociable. A sociable was held at the residence of Dr. J. W. Eichelberger, Sr., on Tuesday evening. During the evening many interesting games were played and some fine music was rendered. After refreshments the guests departed for their respective homes, well pleased with the pleasures of the evening.

How often we hear middle-aged people say regarding that reliable old cough remedy, N. H. Down's Elixir: "Why, my mother gave it to me when I was a child, and I use it in my family; it always cures." It is always guaranteed to cure and money refunded. For sale by James A. Elder.

Joshua Klinedinst Dead. Mr. Joshua Klinedinst, of Cold Spring, Pa., died on Thursday, the 15th inst., of pneumonia, and was buried on last Sunday morning, at Stauffer's Church. The deceased was an elderly man, the father of a large family, and widely known as a highly respected citizen.

Struck With a Shovel. Dr. Wm. T. Hearn and Dr. Thomas J. Hallway, both of Bishopville, Worcester county, had a dispute Tuesday over some sand which Dr. Hallway was hauling from Dr. Hearn's premises. Dr. Hearn received a blow on the back of the head with a shovel, and was unconscious about four hours. He is in a critical condition.

The Modern Invalid Has tastes medicinally, in keeping with other luxuries. A remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, purely wholesome in composition, truly beneficial in effect and entirely free from every objectionable quality. If really ill he consults a physician; if constipated he uses the gentle family laxative Syrup of Figs.

Disease Among Horses. C. C. Cecil, a prominent farmer living near Ijamsville, this county, complains of a mysterious disease among horses. A few days ago he entered his stable and found one of his finest dying. At noon of the same day another was found affected in the same way, and the next morning another. All three of the animals died. Mr. Cecil cannot account for their death, unless it was caused by something fed to them in their food, or to a malady, the nature of which is unknown.

G. A. R. Honors. Major O. A. Horner, Commander of Arthur Post No. 41, G. A. R., of this place, has again been honored by the State Encampment, having been elected Senior Vice-Commander, Department of Maryland, by a unanimous vote, on the 22 inst., at Hagerstown, which will entitle him to a seat in the next National Encampment, which meets at Pittsburg, next September. We congratulate the Major as well as Arthur Post, upon the compliment received.

Economy and Strength. Valuable vegetable remedies are used in the preparation of Hood's Sarsaparilla in such a peculiar manner as to retain the full medicinal value of every ingredient. Thus Hood's Sarsaparilla combines economy and strength and is the only remedy of which "100 Doses One Dollar" is true. Be sure to get Hood's.

Hood's Pills do not purge, pain or gripe, but act promptly, easily and efficiently.

Chautauqua Notes. The chautauqua Circle held its regular weekly meeting on last Friday night at the home of Miss Martha Simonton. After roll call, Roman History was taken up and led by Mr. E. B. Fockler. After a minutes intermission, Roman and Medieval art next occupied the attention of the Circle. The committee appointed at the previous meeting to arrange a programme for the social, submitted its report and it was adopted unanimously. The meeting adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. Kerschner this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mad at the Railroad. The Pennsylvania Railroad has taken off the early freight and the 7.55 passenger train to Frederick. This action on the part of the railroad has caused no little indignation among the business men of our county seat, as it deprives them of many advantages which they had been accustomed to, and according to accounts published they are real mad at the railroad authorities and no doubt they have a right to be not in a very good humor over the affair. The Frederick News speaking on the subject says: "Under the present schedule of the Pennsylvania Railroad, if a Frederick citizen wants to transact an hour's business in Baltimore it will take him three days to do so."

New Church Dedicated. Trinity Presbyterian Church, at Church Hill, which has just been completed, was formally dedicated Sunday. The dedicatory service was held in the evening, with a sermon by Rev. A. N. Keigwin, D. D., of Wilmington, Del. The music for the occasion was furnished by the choir of the Methodist Protestant church at Centreville, under the leadership of Prof. M. J. Woodford. Rev. A. E. Keigwin, pastor of the church, made the presentation of the memorials and gifts to the church at 10.30 a. m. The church edifice, the first of that denomination to be built in Queen Annes county, was erected through the efforts of Rev. A. Edwin Keigwin, and is one of the most complete and beautiful structures on the Shore. It is Gothic in architecture, and was designed specially by Mr. Keigwin who also made all the drawings. The interior woodwork is finished in hard wood. The windows are all of cathedral glass, of elaborate designs. The church is comfortably carpeted and provided with heating and lighting equipments of the latest improvement. It contains six memorial windows,

G. A. R. Encampment. The eighteenth annual encampment of the Department of Maryland, Grand Army of the Republic was held at Hagerstown on Wednesday and Thursday. A camp-fire was held at the Academy of Music, on Wednesday evening when speeches were made and many reminiscences of war times were told. A parade took place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, which was participated in by several posts from towns in Maryland and Pennsylvania.

In the report of Assistant Adjutant General Manghin, the number of posts in the department was stated to be 61; membership, 4,654. There have been ninety-nine deaths in the department during the year. Assistant quartermaster general reported total receipts by him during the year to have been \$2,327.98; disbursements, \$1,820.83; cash balance, \$507.25. Relief to destitute veterans, expended from department fund, \$181.20; expended by posts, 1,534.12; total \$1,715.32. Eight ex-Union soldiers, non members of the Grand Army, were buried at the expense of the department. The finances of the posts reported to the quartermaster general show: Receipts, \$10,322.15; disbursements, \$12,347.69; balance in hands of post treasurers, \$3,884.46.

On Thursday morning an election for officers of the Association took place, and the following were elected to serve during the ensuing year: Myron J. Rose, of Custor Post, Baltimore, Commander; Major O. A. Horner, of Arthur Post, Emmitsburg, Senior Vice-Commander; T. C. Allen, of Dushane Post, Chaplain; John W. Cable, Junior Vice-Commander, and A. A. White, of Baltimore, Medical Director.

After An Electric Road. A bill in Equity was filed at Gettysburg, Friday last, by the J. G. Brill Company and F. W. Wood, receivers of the Maryland Steel Company, against the Gettysburg Electric Railroad Company and E. M. Hoffer president. The bill avers that the defendant corporation owes the complainants about eleven thousand dollars; that the person now in charge of the affairs of the company has mismanaged them, kept no accounts and are utterly unable to complete the road or raise sixty thousand dollars to pay the floating indebtedness; that E. M. Hoffer has caused to be taken from the treasury of the company and to be appropriated as security for the debts upon which he himself or others of the management were liable, bonds of the company amounting to forty-five thousand dollars, without proper value being received by the company, and that Hoffer has threatened to ignore and repudiate a large part of the floating debt now outstanding.

The complainants asked for a preliminary injunction restraining the company from making any sale of its property, the appointment of a receiver to take possession of the property, complete the road and guard the interests of the creditors, who hope by this management to have their claims paid in full. Sidney G. Fisher and Francis Rawley, of Philadelphia, and S. McSwope are the attorneys. This is the road about which there was so much contention last summer.—American.

After Four Years' Absence From Home. On last Tuesday the 13th inst., William Ensor unexpectedly returned home after a residence of four years in the State of Washington. His trunk did not arrive promptly and he seemed worried because of the delay. On Saturday afternoon the trunk came. Between 3 and 4 o'clock young Ensor went upstairs to open it. A few minutes later a pistol shot was heard and his mother rushed to her son's room and found him lying on the floor beside the open trunk, with a revolver in his hand. He had placed the pistol over his right ear and fired. The ball passed through the brain and came out near the left temple. The young man lived about one hour after inflicting the wound, but was not conscious during that time. He was twenty-three years old and the son of Mr. Hamilton Ensor, a farmer of Sam's Creek postoffice, Carroll county. No cause for the young man's act is known.

The Election in Liberty Township. On Tuesday the Spring election took place in Pennsylvania, and the State was carried by the Republicans by an overwhelming majority.

In Liberty Township, the two opposing factions fought a hard battle for supremacy, and the Republicans came out of the fight victorious and quite jubilant over the result. The Democrats electing only three of their candidates. The following officers were elected: Judge—William Hill, republican. Inspectors—Martin L. Baker, republican, and James Bouey, democrat. Justice of the Peace—P. H. Riley, republican. Supervisors—Elijah Baker and John E. Diehl, republican. School Directors—D. B. Martin, rep., 1 year; J. W. Carbaugh, rep., 3 years; John Sanders, Sr., dem., 3 years. Tax-Collector—George J. Zimmerman, republican. Auditor—David P. Riley, republican. Clerk—A. L. Mondorf, democrat.

Mr. Doll's Wayward Fowls. It is seldom that a man buys his game first and then goes after it with a gun, but that is what Mr. Charles D. Doll did in Frederick. At the City Hotel Monday evening he bought a flock of guinea fowls. He turned them into the hotel yard without clipping their wings. Tuesday morning they explored the town. Twenty of them flew into the trees in Court Square and some went to other sections of the city. Mr. Doll was in a quandary as to how he would recover his fowls, when Col. Leo Simmons the expert shot of Frederick county, agreed to go gunning for them. It was only a short while before twenty-five of the birds were returned to the hotel proprietor. The affair caused much excitement in the town.—Sun.

A Pleasant Time For the Chautauquans. Communicated. The Chautauquans believing in that old and familiar adage. "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," determined to dispense with an evening of study and devote it to entertainment and play. As stated in a former issue of the CHAUTAUQUAN, the circle set apart the evening of Feb. 22, for holding a social. Accordingly at eight o'clock last evening the members of the Circle met in the parlor of Miss Belle Rowe, where the social was held. The parlor was beautifully and artistically decorated with flags and bunting and certainly had a patriotic air about it, and as it was viewed by the different members of the Circle the love of Country was more deeply instilled into their hearts. As the members entered the room their eyes were directed to a beautiful banner which contained the letters "C. L. S. C." (Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle), which is the title of our organization. After viewing the decorations the following programme was rendered by the members of the Circle: Roll Call, Responded to by relating an anecdote of Washington; Question Box; Mind Portraits; Reading, Miss Mary Kerschner; Music, Miss Ruth Hoke; Verbarium; Reading, Miss Annie Dumphorne; Soul Thoughts; Refreshments; Hatchet Party; Singing—"Chautauqua Songs, Circle. The programme which was very interesting throughout was greatly enjoyed by all, especially the principal part of it, viz. refreshments. To attempt to describe the costumes of the members individually would be too much of a task, so I will give but a brief account of them collectively. The female members of the Circle wore continental costumes and the quaint gowns of "ye olden time" with kerchiefs, caps and powdered hair added to the festive appearance of the occasion, and made one think they really belonged to the time of Washington whose birthday they were celebrating. Thus passed the second pleasant evening spent by the Chautauquans since their organization for the present year, and it is to be hoped will not be the last. The exercises of the evening were under the management of Miss Martha Simonton, Miss Belle Rowe and Mr. E. B. Fockler.

A CHAUTAUQUAN. PERSONALS. Miss Mary Jordan is visiting in Baltimore. Mr. C. T. Zacharias was in Baltimore, this week. Mr. Wm. K. Black was in Baltimore, this week. Mr. Annie M. Seton made a visit to Baltimore. Mr. William Morrison was in Baltimore this week. Mr. George L. Gillelan was in Frederick, Monday. Mrs. O. A. Horner is visiting at Williamsport, Md. Miss Gertrude Annan is visiting friends in Taneytown. Miss Fonce White, of near town, is visiting in Baltimore. Mr. Jacob Hoke, of near Fairfield, was in town on Thursday. Miss Helen Annan left on Wednesday for an extended visit to Washington, D. C. Mrs. M. J. Slick, of Mercersburg, Pa., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alfred M. Schaffner, in this place. Miss Helen Hoke, Mrs. Cora Rowe and son, Master Joseph Rowe, were in Frederick on Monday. Mrs. Will Smith and Miss Grace Wolf, of Waynesboro, are visiting Mrs. M. A. Winter, in this place. Mrs. George Fleagle and daughter, Miss Fannie, of Pen-Mar, are visiting Mrs. Mary A. Gillelan, in this place. Mr. Charles C. Kretzer has returned home from Martinsburg, W. Va., where he had been called to attend the funeral of his sister. Mr. Isaac M. Fisher, who had been at Hot Springs, Ark., undergoing medical treatment, returned to his home at Motter's Station, on last Saturday, much improved in health. Mr. Robert Crooks Withersow, who had been spending the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Withersow, near Greenmount, Pa., has returned to Longmont, Colorado. Maj. O. A. Horner and son, Annan, Messrs. Wm. A. Fraley, George L. Gillelan and Samuel Gamble and wife, attended the Eighteenth Annual Encampment of the G. A. R., Department of Maryland, which was in session at Hagerstown on Wednesday and Thursday.

Surprise Party that Was a Surprise. A surprise party was given Mr. Wm. Stansbury, near Motter's Station, last Thursday evening, in honor of his birthday, having passed his two score and five years. Those who were instrumental in getting up the party were Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Stansbury, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fuss. The party was a surprise in reality as neither Mr. Stansbury nor his family knew anything about it until their home was taken possession of by about sixty of their friends. The evening was spent in social chat, and amusing games, and the occasion was one long to be remembered by all who indulged in the festivities of the evening. Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and candies were served about 10 o'clock, shortly after which the jolly surprisers bid their host and hostess adieu and departed for their respective homes.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS. Viola Council No. 845, J. O. U. A. M., of Fairfield, raised a pole 61 feet long at the Miney Creek School House, on last Wednesday night. The teacher, Mr. Lewis B. Flohr, had the school house tastefully decorated with flags. He had an interesting programme prepared for the occasion. After the pole was put into position, there was an entertainment. The meeting was organized by electing Mr. Wm. Mickle, president and Mr. L. B. Flohr, the teacher, secretary, after which the school sang the opening piece, "Flag of Columbia." The flag was then presented to the School in a neat speech by Mr. F. Shulley, and was accepted on the part of the school by Mr. L. B. Flohr, after which there were speeches and recitations by the following pupils of the school: Grace Baker, Lillie Baker, Hiram Eshelman, Grace Wetzel, Norman Eshelman, Ivan Riley, James Wetzel, Norman Riley, Select Reading, by W. S. Flohr, Edith Baker, Dearthie Flohr and Ivan Riley. Interesting speeches were then made by Wm. Stultz, C. J. Sefton, D. Ditzler, after which the flag was hoisted by four little school girls, while the boys sang "Rally Round the Flag." This was followed with three cheers for the flag. The schoolhouse was crowded. The teacher and scholars extend their thanks to the Order which presented the flag and to all who assisted in any way. Miss Dora M., a thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. John M. Stoner, of Harney, pieced a quilt that has 6,550 patches in it. Who can beat it? Let us hear from some one. Mr. P. G. King, of Emmitsburg, made a visit to this place. Mr. James Gladhill, of Pennsylvania College, is visiting in this place, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Sefton. Rev. Mr. Slifer of the Theological Seminary, at Gettysburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Walter. It is said that the three greatest men who ever lived in our country were George Washington, "the father of his country," Abraham Lincoln, who freed the slaves, and Grover Cleveland, who freed the laborers. Mr. Harry Bennett, of McKnightstown, drove a two-horse sled to Fairfield on last Saturday evening, and hitched at Mr. Aaron Musselman's store. When Mr. Bennett went for his team to go home, it was gone. Some parties had driven the team away. Up to Sunday noon he had not heard anything of it. In the afternoon he found his horses and sled at Mr. Andy Weikert's.

Pretty Home Wedding. A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fitez, near this place, on Thursday, the 22nd inst., at 12 o'clock, by the Rev. Charles Reinwald. The occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillie B. Fitez, and Mr. Grant S. Lantz, of Eyer, this district. The ceremony was performed in the presence of seventy-one relatives and friends of the contracting party. The bride was attired in a pretty brown hock-sacking gown, trimmed with brown silk. After the ceremony a sumptuous repast was served. The happy couple received many valuable and useful presents. Among those present from a distance were, Mrs. Lizzie B. Fogle, of Double Pipe Creek; Messrs. Asa H. Clayton and Charles A. Keith, Misses Tacy F. Fitez and Ella M. Fitez, of Baltimore.

The Yankee Girl. "How brilliant and mirthful the light of her eye, Like a star glancing out from the blue of the sky; And lightly and freely her dark tresses play O'er a brow and a bosom as lovely as they." The Yankee girl is not always blest with abundant health. There are unfortunately hundreds of Yankee girls and matrons who are dragging out an existence. They suffer from ailments peculiar to their sex. Life is a burden. Where can they obtain relief? The question is not hard to answer. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will bring the brilliant and mirthful light back to their eyes and the blush of health to their cheeks. It cures all irregularities, weakness, nervousness and general debility, spasms, St. Vitus's

THE LAND OF THE LIVING. The land of the living, the happy life, removed from vexation, from sorrow and grief...

MINOT LEDGE LIGHTHOUSE. The Historic Story Which Vindicated the Original Structure Out of Existence. The lighthouse on Minot's ledge stands within the shadow of a tragedy...

Table Manner in Argentina. "We encamped near a swamp," says a gentleman, describing a meal he had with some car drivers in South America...

Curios About Respiration. In each respiration an adult of the human species inhales one pint of air. A healthy man will respire 16 to 20 times per minute...

Battles of the Future. Writers on military science unite in claiming that future battles will begin with a series of hot skirmishes along the front...

Wrestling With English. All strange tongues hold pitfalls, but the English language seems to be rather more provided with traps for the unwary than almost any other...

A Violent Duel. I witnessed a strange duel on one of President Crespo's big cattle ranches in the interior of Venezuela. Two vaqueros, or cowboys, were engaged in the same dark eyed little Indian girl of the great Orinoco plains...

The Ways and Means of Insurance agents for securing customers are many and varied. The modus operandi seems to be to get the victim interested and then bombard him with argument, eloquence and statistics...

The Human Elephant-Say, the india rubber man got full last night. The Double Headed Man-What did they do to him? The Human Elephant-Bounced him. -Kansas City Times.

THE TEMPERAMENTS.

The Fourfold Classification That Was Made Two Thousand Years Ago. It is interesting to find that so thoroughly scientific a man as Professor William Preyer has adopted the fourfold classification of temperaments made nearly 2,000 years ago...

Then, if you went on still through Sinai and Palestine-the regular eastern tour-you would find at each step the tints getting lighter and the faces more Semitic. Passing farther through Constantinople, Athens, south Italy, you would observe at each change a lighter complexion and more European style...

"Cautious Woman." He was showing them the various pictures hanging on the wall. They were gazing, for he really had excellent taste in art. They were choice bits of landscape, lovely ideals of humanity, studies of still life and hints from the impressionist school...

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There was no lad handsomer than Willie was the day that he came to father's house. There was none had an eye as soft as blue as Willie's, nor a smile as sweet as his. To a laboring life though bound ties he, As 'twere his father's hand and his free, 'Till into these, I said, for thy unmanly grace, Thy forty years, now since we were wed, We are all alike an eye as soft as blue, But Willie's eye is as soft as his, As the day when he wed me in father's shed.

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THOUGHTLESS MINISTERS.

The Cheeky Drummer Catches Two Divines on a Simple Proposition. Abashed at nothing, a commercial traveler in the south once propounded a question to a couple of clergymen, whom he encountered on a railroad train, which illustrates how easily a man may be tripped on a simple little patch problem. The drummer entered into a conversation with the ministers and entertained them amazingly with his brilliant conversation, touching men and affairs. Gradually the topics changed, until at last the talk was of Dr. Talmage and his visit to the Holy Land.

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