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Observations on Life.

The most contemptible of all mean things is other people's selfishness.

The easiest chance to have your own way is by not wanting it.

The trouble with the theoretical reformer is that he expects a preacher to write briefs.

Discretion is the better part of a good many more things than valor.

Acknowledging small faults is a sort of stratagem to conceal great ones.

Wisdom is greater than wealth, but it is my wisdom and your wealth.

The only thing that makes a mean man feel good is to be with a meaner man than himself.

The road to riches is often a short cut over your neighbor's feelings.

The only thing a man wants after he gets everything is more.

All the world's a stage, and everybody wants to collect the fares.

When you turn over a new leaf it is sometimes well not to mention the page.

Nothing pleases people so much as being persuaded to do what they are going to do anyway.

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Jackson—"What did she sing?"

Fairleigh—"Tell me the old, old story."

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FARMING IN ALASKA.

When Secretary Seward purchased Alaska the new acquisition was supposed to be of very little account except for its fur seal trade. Since that time, however, it has become the chief centre of the salmon canning industry, the chief source of supply for halibut and other varieties, and is likely within a few years to become the chief source of the American gold supply. While its inhabitants were chiefly Indians, reinforced by a few fur hunters, the possibilities of agriculture were never given a moment's consideration.

The influx of a constantly growing population of gold seekers, fishermen and lumbermen and the difficulty experienced in providing this population with a suitable food supply during the long winter season, have led to some experiments in Alaskan grown grains and vegetables which have not proven altogether failures. Southern Alaska is not snow-bound three-fourths of the year, as most people have been led to believe. The climate is a very moist one, clouds, rain and fogs obscuring the sun's rays to a far greater extent than in our own climate, but grasses, grains and vegetables that mature quickly and do not require to much sunlight in the process of growth and ripening it is thought can be grown successfully in this section.

Provided with an appropriation of \$10,000, Professor Georgeson, of the Bureau of Agriculture experiment stations, has spent the summer at Sitka, where he succeeded in growing and maturing oats, barley, flax, potatoes and a number of other vegetables. He also planted several species of grasses and clovers, which made a good growth, considering the shortness of the season. The potatoes were excellent in quality. Professor Georgeson is very much encouraged by his first experiment, and will continue it on a more extended scale next year, spending the interim in collecting varieties of seed plants grown successfully in Northern Europe.

As the area of Alaska is upwards of 300,000,000 acres, if any considerable portion of it can be utilized for agricultural purposes the development of the other resources of the country will be greatly assisted. The greatest obstacle to the development of the gold deposits of Alaska is the high price of the food supply necessary for those who carry on the work. If a portion of this food supply can be grown near by the cost of food will be greatly lessened and the supply will become more certain. Alaska has proven a country of surprises, and if successful farming is shown to be possible this will be the greatest surprise of all.—*Phila. Times.*

THE DISARMAMENT IDEAL.

While the Czar is crying for peace, says the *Boston Globe*, he is pushing on preparations for war, and the same is true of every other European nation.

Russia now has a standing army, on a peace footing, of 870,000 men, Germany 595,000, France 590,000, Great Britain 361,000, Austria Hungary 359,000 and Italy 185,000. We have, therefore, in all, 2,960,000 men on a peace footing.

The war footing of these armies is as follows: France 4,000,000, Germany 4,000,000, Austria Hungary 2,500,000, Italy 2,000,000 and Great Britain 915,000 the total for all Europe being over 17,000,000 men.

As disarmament would mean the turning of all these millions of men loose to seek industrial employment at a time when millions are already seeking in vain for something to do, who can conceive of the consequences?

LITERARY GROWTH IN RUSSIA.

What public opinion amounts to in Russia may be gathered from the recent census of that empire, which shows that in a population of 129,000,000 there are only 743 newspapers, or one to every 170,000 people. Of these 589 are in Russian, 69 in Polish, 44 in German, 9 in French, 5 in Armenian and 2 in Hebrew. No English paper appears in the list.

CAN DEFY A DROUGHT.

While there are men now living who can remember the time when drinking water sold in the streets of San Francisco at a dollar a bucket, there is today no city in the world which surpasses her in the abundance and purity of its water supply, but this result has been achieved only by the expenditure of nearly \$30,000,000.

In one respect only were the engineers who had charge of this work assisted by the natural features of the country, ranges of mountains that traverse the peninsula upon which San Francisco is located providing admirable sites for artificial storage lakes. By the erection of massive dams across their outlets vast artificial storage of water were laid up from which supplies might be drawn in the event of prolonged droughts and during the intervals when no rain falls at all. The problem so successfully solved provides water in ample quantities for a city of, prospectively, 1,000,000 inhabitants. How this result has been accomplished is one of the great engineering feats of the century. Nothing to compare with it in municipal supply is to be found on the globe. London, Manchester, Liverpool, Glasgow, Philadelphia, Boston and New York would all suffer severely were a six months' drought to afflict their watersheds, while San Francisco could face a drought of even 36 months without curtailing its normal consumption of 750,000,000 gallons per month. Within the city limits there are ten high distributing reservoirs, the most elevated being 600 feet above the tide, while the lowest is 139 feet above the tide. The water flows from the reservoirs by gravity at a pressure of from 40 to 70 pounds per square inch at the hydrants, and the larger number of incipient fires are extinguished by means of private facilities made possible by this heavy pressure.

WONDERFUL RICHES OF LUZON.

An interesting talk on conditions prevailing in the Philippine Islands is given by Dr. Aylma Hood, formerly of Bombay, India, who has recently been living in Manila. Dr. Hood is now on his way to London to interest British capitalists in projects for the development of industries in the Philippines after they become American property.

"The Philippine Islands," said Dr. Hood, "probably deserve everything that has been said of them. There is no reason why Luzon should not produce everything that can be produced in a tropical country. Its coffee should be as fine as that of Java, its tea as good as that of Ceylon, its rice like that of Canton, its sugar as sweet as that from Hawaii, its tobacco as fragrant as the Cuban leaf, and its other indigenous and imported products as fine as to be found anywhere on the face of the globe.

"It is remarkable how the Spaniards could have so long neglected such a garden spot. Years ago there was a coffee plantation at the northern end of Luzon. It was abandoned, but a few of the seeds were carried by birds to the surrounding hills and gradually the plants have spread all over that portion of the island. Thousands of pounds of these berries are gathered by the natives, but no effort has been made for systematic cultivation of the coffee plant.

"From the coconut tree the native gets his food, wine, oil, vinegar, fuel, ropes, fishing lines and clothes. A properly planted grove will yield \$200 an acre every year."

"Do you have any rule to regulate shaking hands?"

"Well, I never shake hands with any man oftener than he shakes hands with me."—*Chicago Record.*

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STAY ON THE FARM.

From many parts of the State have come reports that the tenant farmers are abandoning their crops, throwing the onus of gathering upon the landlord, and are preparing to flock into the different cities of the State.

In a time like this, when the country is suffering from public stringency, it is the duty of all our people to stand together. Nowhere is this duty stronger than in our country places, where, upon the lack of credit and of means, so large a part of the population is dependent upon the land owner for support throughout the year. If poor men leave the country with unfulfilled obligations behind them and rush into the towns, what are they going to meet? It is just as well for them to understand first as well as last, that the towns are overcrowded; that there is no work for them to do, and that they will simply swell the list of the homeless and the wandering. Even in times when towns and cities are prosperous, the man who makes his living by farming is very foolish to seek its allurements. Expert skill and trading qualities are what thrive in cities. The man who has his living to make by manual labor is at all times and under all conditions infinitely better off in the country than he can be in the city.

The Constitution would urge upon the country people of Georgia to stand together in this great emergency and to avoid the temptation of moving into town, when it is so well settled there is nothing there for them. The man who leaves the country simply loses the credit which he has had, and coming to town where he is unknown, can get no work and has no credit. As a consequence he can only have himself to blame for the evil into which he enters.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

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THE WORD YANKEE.

A collector of rare books in North Carolina, says the *Indianapolis Journal*, has recently called attention to a derivation of the word "Yankee" which seems likely to be the correct one.

The new derivation of the word is based on a statement in a work entitled "Travels Through the Interior Parts of America, in a Series of Letters by an Officer of the British Army." The author was Lieut. Thomas Aubrey, of the British army, who was taken prisoner at the battle of Saratoga and sent with other prisoners to Charlottesville, Va., for safe-keeping.

Here he mingled with the neighboring planters and rode about the country. The letters began August 8, 1776, and ran to October 30, 1781. In one written from Cambridge, Mass., November 25, 1777, occurs the following:

"The lower class of these Yankees—apropos it may not be amiss here just to observe to you the etymology of this term is derived from a Cherokee word, *yanke*, which signifies coward and slave. This epithet of Yankee was bestowed upon the inhabitants of New England by the Virginians for not assisting them in a war with the Cherokees, and they have always been in derision by it. But the name has been more prevalent since the commencement of hostilities. The soldiers at Boston used it as a term of reproach, but after the affair at Bunker Hill the Americans gloried in it. 'Yankee Doodle' is now their paean, a favorite of favorites, played in their army, esteemed as warlike as the 'Grenadier's March.'"

As this was written in 1777 it comes pretty near being contemporaneous evidence, and as Lieutenant Aubrey had spent considerable time in Virginia he may have obtained his information from trustworthy sources. If there is or was such a word in the Cherokee language as *yanke*, signifying coward, the evidence would seem to be almost conclusive.

MOVING THE EARTH.

Statisticians sometimes have queer ideas. One of them, says La Nature, has amused himself by calculating how much tenebris, water and coal it would take to move the earth a foot, supposing that it was subjected throughout its mass to a force equivalent to terrestrial gravitation. This is a gratuitous supposition; for, in spite of its enormous mass, the earth weighs nothing, and it is only by piling up hypotheses that we can get an idea of Archimedes' famous lever. Starting with the fact that the earth's mass is about 6100 million million-million tons, our statistician calculates that we should require 70,000 years for a 10,000 horse-power engine to move our earth a foot. The boiler that should feed this engine would vaporize a quantity of water that would cover the whole face of the globe with a layer three hundred feet deep. The vaporization of this water would require 4000 million-million tons of coal. This coal, carried in cars holding ten tons each, and having a total length of thirty feet, would require four hundred million-million cars, which would reach 80,000,000 times around the earth. This train, moving at the rate of forty miles an hour, would take more than 5,000,000 years to traverse its own length. It would require for storage a shed that would cover a thousand times the area of Europe. If we realize that this fantastically huge amount of energy is as nothing at all compared with what the earth possesses in virtue of its rotation about its axis, its revolution about the sun and its translation in space with the solar system, of which the earth is but an infinitesimal part, and which itself is but an infinitesimal part of the universe, we may get some idea of the importance of man in the universe and estimate his incommensurable pride at its just value.—*Phila. Record.*

THE FARMER WAS SURPRISED.

A farmer, who lives near Oconee, Fla., had been annoyed considerably by calls from hungry tramps. One day he took a trip to his brother's, a few miles away, and found a tramp standing at the gate, and his brother's wife, who was alone, very much frightened. He was so exasperated he jumped out of his buggy, gave the tramp a good thrashing with a buggy whip, and later in the day returned to his home, where he found the identical tramp seated at a side table in the kitchen, and his wife furnishing him with all the victuals he could consume.

A RULER'S PERILS.

It is estimated that the world has had 2,530 Kings or Emperors of whom records are known, and who have reigned over 74 peoples. Of these rulers 300 were overthrown, 64 were forced to abdicate, 28 committed suicide, 23 became mad or imbecile, 100 were killed in battle, 123 were captured by the enemy, 25 were tortured to death, 151 were assassinated, and 108 were executed.

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Dyspeptic—Oh, I know all that now. I ought to eat everything I don't like and avoid everything I do.—*Tri-Bills.*

FIRST Reformer—I suppose you are in favor of the movement for a single tax?

Second Reformer—I have taken a position much in advance of that. I am in favor of having no tax at all.—*Boston Transcript.*

MALLARY—Braggish boasts that no living man could forge his name successfully to a check and get it cashed. Has he such a very peculiar signature?

HOMANS—No. But he hasn't any bank account.—*Truth.*

MORE THAN 200 LOST.

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 30.—The extent of the loss of life on the New England coast from the storm of Saturday and Sunday cannot be estimated yet with accuracy, but it is known that more than 200 persons perished.

Of these nearly 150 were on the steamer Portland, which was swallowed by the sea off Cape Cod with not a survivor to tell the tale.

The exact number of persons who were carried from Boston by the Portland will probably never be known, as no complete list of passengers was retained on shore when the vessel left Saturday. It is probable that 144, including passengers and crew, is near the correct number.

This number is larger than the estimate of Wednesday, because anxious inquiries from many quarters have added many names to the incomplete list. The story of the disaster will never be told, but it is probable that the vessel was foundered some distance out at sea, because no trace of the hull has been discovered in shoal water, though much wreckage came to land.

Sixteen bodies have come ashore, and it is likely that many more will be recovered.

The estimate that more than 200 persons perished in all along the coast is made on the basis of only one from each crew reported missing, and each of which would include at least three, while the larger schooners would have seven or eight men aboard.

It appears that the bulk of the damage was done between Cape Ann, where a score or more of vessels were lost, and Citty Hudk, where the steamer Fairfax is on the rocks.

It is known that fifty-six vessels have been totally wrecked, while forty-nine are ashore, with hardly a chance of being saved. Of the fifty-six total wrecks, barges not included, forty-three craft aggregate 12,202 gross tonnage. Of these in perilous positions twenty-eight aggregate 7,159 tons.

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SPAIN YIELDS ALL.

The Spanish peace commission in Paris Monday agreed to the final demand of the American commissioners—that for the cession of the Philippine Islands, including the Sulu group, in exchange for \$20,000,000.

A Paris dispatch says it is understood that the United States will also purchase the Island of Ualan in the Caroline group, although this will not be demanded as in the case of the Philippines.

The terms of peace exacted and obtained by victorious America from conquered Spain are now practically completed. These are: Abandonment of sovereignty over Cuba.

Cession of Porto Rico and all the other islands known as the Spanish West Indies.

Cession of the Island of Guam, in the Ladrones.

Cession of the Philippine Islands, including the Sulu group.

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ATTORNEY-GENERAL MONTAGUE, of Virginia, has given an opinion in which he holds that all State officers who went into the federal service vacated their places.

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THE steamer Portland, which left Boston for Portland with 65 passengers and a crew of 15, is missing.

THE storm caused more than a hundred wrecks on the New England coast and at least seventy and possibly a hundred and fifty lives were lost.

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Tutt's Liver Pills Executives of Mortgagee's Sale OF A DESIRABLE Mill Property.

BY VIRTUE of the power and authority contained in a mortgage from Samuel J. Maxwell and Mary E. Maxwell, his wife, to Joshua Stansbury, bearing date April 15th, A. D. 1889, and recorded among the Land Records of Frederick county in Liber W. L. P., No. 8, folio 429 &c., the undersigned executor of said will and testament of Joshua Stansbury deceased, mortgagee, will sell at public sale on the premises, on Thursday, December 29, A. D., 1898, at 1 o'clock P. M., all that parcel of land described in said mortgage containing 14 ACRES AND 9 PERCHES, more or less. The improvements thereon are a Large Three Story, with basement, STONE GRIST MILL, with all the machinery therein. Two and One-half Story Weatherboarded Dwelling House, Frame Stable, Wagon Shed, Summer House, Hog House, and other out-buildings, orchard of apple and other fruit trees on the premises. The land is in a good state of cultivation and there is a due proportion of meadow land. This property is in the Fifth Election District of Frederick County, is on Tom's Creek, on the public roads leading from Keysville to Emmitsburg, and from Motter's Station on the Emmitsburg Rail Road to Bridgeport, is about 2 miles from Keysville and about the same distance from Emmitsburg and Motter's Station and adjoins the lands of Harry F. Maxwell, Andrew Annan and others. This property is desirably located and has good water power. Terms of sale—Cash on the day of sale. Conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser. JOSHUA A. STANSBURY, H. OLIVER STONESIFER, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Joshua Stansbury, deceased. REPSNIDER & REPSNIDER, Solicitors, dec 2-4ts.

PUBLIC SALE

THE undersigned will sell at public sale in front of the Western Maryland Hotel, in Emmitsburg, Md., on Saturday, December 3rd, 1898, at 2 o'clock, P. M., a farm containing 73 ACRES, 3 ROADS and 24 Perches of land, more or less, situated one-half mile South of Motter's Station, on the road leading from Motter's Station to Rocky Ridge, adjoining the Emmitsburg Railroad, lands of Eliza Gilbert, Cornelius Dubel, Eph. G. Eckenrode and others, known as the Joshua Norris farm. The improvements are a One and a Half Story FRAME HOUSE, containing five rooms and a summer kitchen, a New Barn, Hog Pens, Smoke-house, and Corn Crib. A never-failing Artesian well of good water at the house. Cistern water at the barn. The land is in a good state of cultivation, has nearly all been limed within the last three years. Plenty of good fruit trees, Apples, Peaches, and Pears. Terms will be made known on day of sale. A deposit of \$50 will be required on the day of sale. MRS. MARY E. HALEY, nov 18-3ts R. A. HALEY.

PUBLIC SALE

BY VIRTUE of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from David B. Shields and Mary M. Shields, his wife, and John H. Shields and Eve A. Shields, his wife, to Joseph Hays, bearing date the 14th day of December, A. D., 1888 and duly recorded in Liber A. F., No. 8, folio 128 &c., one of the Land Records of Frederick County, the undersigned assignee of said mortgage will sell at public sale on the premises, on Saturday, the 10th day of Dec. A. D., 1898, at 2 o'clock, P. M., all the following described real estate, situated in Hampton Valley, in Frederick County and State of Maryland, on the public road leading from Emmitsburg to Eyer's Valley, about 3 1/2 miles west from Emmitsburg, consisting of 23 ACRES OF LAND, more or less improved by a good Two-Story Dwelling House, rough-cast, Bank Barn and all other necessary outbuildings, a spring of excellent water near the house. There is also an apple orchard and other good fruit trees on the premises. The said property adjoins the lands of Granville Miller, T. C. Wilks, John Muth and others. This is a very desirable property. The land is in a good state of cultivation and under good fencing. Terms of sale as prescribed by the mortgage—Cash. Conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser or purchasers. JAMES T. HAYS, nov 18-4ts. Assignee of Mortgage.

SORE LUNGS

Sore lungs, pain in the chest and painful breathing are quickly relieved and cured by the old reliable specific, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. This remarkable remedy breaks up a cold in one night and is, without doubt, the very best medicine for all affections of the throat and lungs. It has cured thousands and will cure you. It never disappoints. Try it at once.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Md., being No. 21, Judicial in Dec. Term 1897 in Said Circuit Court upon a Judgment obtained in said Circuit Court duly recorded in favor of Charles A. Dorsey against Daniel L. Seiss I have levied upon, seized and taken in execution, and will sell at public auction in front of the Western Maryland Hotel, in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Md., on Saturday the 3rd Day of December, 1898, at 1 o'clock, P. M., all the right, title, interest and estate at law and in equity of the said Daniel L. Seiss in and to the following described Real Estate to wit: A tract or lot of land containing SIXTEEN -- ACRES, more or less, lying and being in Emmitsburg Election District No. 5, of Frederick County, Md., on the east side of the road leading from Emmitsburg to Cregarstown, adjoining the lands of Wm. H. Weaver, Geo. Smith and others, improved with a One Story DWELLING HOUSE, about one half being brick and the other half frame (weatherboarded); Stable, Hog Pen, and other out buildings, a good well of water on the premises, being the same property which one Daniel Seiss died, seized and possessed and described in a deed to Daniel Seiss from Joshua A. Adelsberger dated April 30th, 1862, and duly recorded in Liber B. G. F. No. 7, Folio 409, etc., one of the land records of said Frederick County, Md. Terms of Sale—Cash. Conveyancing to be at the expense of the purchaser. ALBERT M. PATTERSON, Sheriff, nov 11-4ts.

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Order Nisi on Audit.

No. 6935 EQUITY.

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

NOVEMBER TERM, 1898.

In the Matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 28th day of November, 1898.

J. Henry Rowe, assignee of mortgage of John Donoghue and wife on Petition.

ORDERED, That on the 10th day of December 1898, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid, in the above cause, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for two successive weeks prior to said day.

Dated this 28th day of November, 1898.

DOUGLASS H. HARGETT, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick Co. True Copy.—Test.

DOUGLASS H. HARGETT, Clerk. dec 2 3ts.

INSURANCE

Fire, Life & Accident.

REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned will visit Emmitsburg WEEKLY on THURSDAY; will be found at the EMMIT HOUSE.

All classes of risks written in the above lines of Insurance. No. Misleading

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Oct. 2, 1898, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7.50 and 10.00 a. m. 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 8.26 and 10.40 a. m. and 3.31 and 6.24 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 8.56 and 11.10 a. m. and 4.01 and 7.04 p. m.

WM. A. HIMES, Pres't.

NOTICE.—All announcements of concerts, festivals, picnics, ice cream and cake festivals and similar enterprises, got up to make money, whether for churches, associations or individuals, must be paid for at the rate of five cents for each line. When posters are printed at this office, free notice of such festive occasions will be given in the Chronicle under the proper heading.

Five inches of snow is pretty good for a starter.

The Railroad Y. M. C. A. opened a hospital at Hagerstown.

FRANK DELANEY, an oysterman was drowned in Dorchester county.

When you help your local paper you help the town in which you live.

The snow of last Saturday and that of Tuesday night of this week were just like winter.

Wm. J. TIPPETT, of Elkton, a railroad track-walker, was struck by a locomotive and killed.

Within the year there has been seven deaths in Crisfield attributed to drinking Jamaica ginger.

POSTMASTER HONNER was confined to the house several days this week, suffering with a sore throat.

Snow fell in this section of the country all day last Saturday. Sleighting was indulged in to some extent.

OYSTER PLANTERS in Somerset county have organized an association to protect their beds against depredation under the form of law.

MR. JOHN HAMBLY BAWDEN, cashier of the Second National Bank, Baltimore, died suddenly while in Sunday-school at East Baltimore Station Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Benevolent Society of the Reformed church has postponed the sale of ice cream, cake and candy until Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 10, in Mr. Lewis M. Motter's house.

WHEN you ask for De Witt's Witch Hazel salve don't accept a counterfeit. There are more cases of "Witch" being cured by this, than all others combined. T. E. Zimmerman & Co.

GEORGE RENNER, while driving a team near Indian Springs, was thrown under the wagon by the rubber lever breaking and the hind wheel ran over his face, breaking his jaw in two places.

We take pleasure in informing our readers that our townsman, Mr. Victor E. Rowe, announces himself in the columns of the CHRONICLE, as a candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court. This is the first time Mr. Rowe has actually stepped into the political arena, and we wish him success in his efforts to secure the nomination.

A few weeks ago the Messrs. Zimmerman Brothers had an artesian well bored on their farm in Liberty township. Water was struck at the depth of about 37 feet; the vein being an unusually strong one. The water flows between three and four feet above the surface of the ground, which is something unusual for this section of the country. It is thought that the head of the vein is on some hill, which gives the water such a strong force. The water is soft and of a fine quality.

FIRE destroyed the log and frame barn on the farm of George Robertson, about one mile south of Westminster, Sunday morning. One horse was burnt to death and another horse and one cow were also burnt, but not fatally. A lot of hay, straw, harness and farming implements were consumed, and very little was saved from the burning structure. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is between \$500 and \$600. Neither the building nor contents was insured.

A LINEMAN'S FALL. William Brengle, electric light lineman for the Frederick city plant, fell from a 25 foot pole Tuesday morning and was badly shaken up, but sustaining no serious injuries. He was removed the line from the old poles to a new set of poles, and when he took the last wire from the old pole it broke off near the ground and fell. Fortunately he held to the falling pole until it was near the ground, when he jumped.

SOMETHING FOR THE NEW YEAR. The world-renowned success of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and their continued popularity for near half a century as a stomachic, is scarcely more wonderful than the welcome that greets Hostetter's Almanac. This medical treatise is published by the Hostetter Company, Pittsburg, Pa., under their own immediate supervision, employing sixty hands in that department. The issue of same for 1899 will be over eleven millions, printed in nine languages. Refer to a copy of it for valuable and interesting reading concerning health, and numerous testimonials as to the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The Almanac for 1899 can be obtained, free of cost, from druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the country.

LUKE POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

The postoffice at Luke, Allegany county, Md., was robbed of a quantity of postage stamps and two desperate traps robbed a number of other tramps in a sandstone Monday night. Sergeant Maner Jenkins and Editor J. M. Stanley attempted to arrest them in Peter Codrre's saloon, in Piedmont, Tuesday, when a desperate fight occurred, a number of men refusing to assist. Stanley used a poker on one and received an ugly cut on the head and arm. The men escaped by a rear door, but Jenkins arrested them later at the point of a Winchester rifle. Both men had a loaded revolver and the one that struck Stanley had a razor, an ugly knife and a number of cartridges. They were given a hearing at Piedmont Wednesday and sent to jail to await action of the grand jury. They stripped a tramp printer of a good suit of clothes Tuesday night, and the authorities are anxious to get him to appear against them. He left for Cumberland.

HARNEY ITEMS.

Recently six of our young sportsmen went out to hunt for game, and while going through a small forest, a rabbit sprang up from the bushes, and while trying to make his escape, there came forth a volley from the six guns, and none of them succeeded in shooting the "cotton tail," but the rabbit proceeded on his journey, and looked back with a happy countenance as if to say, "Well done. I'll be around again next year."

On last Sunday an interesting Thanksgiving sermon was delivered in St. Paul's Lutheran Church by the pastor, Rev. W. G. Minnick. He related how God has blessed this glorious nation of ours, during the past year by the inventions and the many developments of our country, and for the successful war which has just been concluded. He stated the war was not waged for gain or glory, but for humanity.

ADVENT SERVICES AT THE PARISH CHURCH, MT. ST. MARY'S.

The First Sunday of Advent was celebrated at the parish church with extra services in charge of volunteer members of the College Faculty, Father Reynolds being obliged to give Mass at Thurmont. Rev. Bernard J. Bradley, Treasurer of the College, was celebrant, and Rev. John T. Hill, Prefect of the Seminary, assisted in the Sanctuary; while Rev. Dr. McSwiney, Professor of Moral Theology, preached the sermon. The Doctor in the course of his remarks alluded very feelingly to the death of Rev. Bernard Aloysius Sweeney, recently deceased, who was known and respected both as a student and as a priest by the College clergy, as well as by the people of the Mount, and requested the prayers of the congregation for his soul.

Rev. Dr. O'Hara, President of the College, attended Father Sweeney's funeral at St. Ann's Church, Baltimore, on Tuesday.

HENRY BITZEL WOUNDED.

Mr. Henry Bitzel, a farmer residing near Smallwood, Carroll county, was badly injured in a gunning accident Monday. Mr. Bitzel, with the assistance of several farm hands, was hauling wood. He took his gun along and on the way home with the wood he endeavored to shove the gun in the rear of the wagon with the muzzle toward him in his right hand. The gun was discharged, the shot tearing away part of his hand, breaking the bones both in the wrist and hand. The wound was very severe. Dr. Silas N. Gorsuch and Dr. Joseph T. Hering, of Westminster, were summoned. Dr. Hering operated on what was left of the hand and believes that amputation will not be necessary. Mr. Bitzel is in a serious condition, occasioned by the shock and the loss of blood.

TO TEACH AT MT. ST. MARY'S.

Rev. Dennis J. Flinn, LL. D., of Wilmington, Del., has resigned as pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, of Wilmington to join the faculty of Mt. St. Mary's College at Emmitsburg, Md. Dr. Flinn will leave for his new field of labor on February 1.

Father Flinn is a native of Jefferson county, Ky., and is forty-two years old. He was graduated from Mt. St. Mary's in 1880, studied for the priesthood and was raised to holy orders by Bishop Becker at the Pro-Cathedral, in Wilmington, in 1883. He was made assistant priest at St. Mary's Church, that city; then priest at St. Denis and Galena, Md.; returned to St. Mary's as priest, and in 1894 was appointed to St. Patrick's. In all these labors Father Flinn has been very successful.—Sun.

TEN PRISONERS PLEAD GUILTY.

In the Circuit Court at Hagerstown, on Monday a large number of prisoners were arraigned. Judge Stake warned the prisoners that if they intended to plead guilty to do so at once and not put the county to the expense of trying them. Those who would not do this could not expect leniency from him when he came to sentence them. Ten prisoners followed the judge's advice and plead guilty to indictments.

UNFORTUNATE PUSEYS.

POCOMOKE CITY, Md., Nov. 28.—Mr. W. W. Pusey was poisoned by eating a leaf which he mistook for the leaf of a tea berry vine. The man is in a pitiable condition, with little hopes for his recovery. Aleck Pusey, son of A. D. Pusey, residing near here, met with a terrible accident while gunning this morning, the loads from both barrels of the weapon lodging in his stomach. He is not expected to recover.

PERSONALS.

Miss Margie Whitmore, who has been visiting Miss Ella Maxell, has returned to her home in Greencastle, Pa.

DEATH OF REV. BERNARD A. SWEENEY.

Rev. Bernard Aloysius Sweeney, assistant pastor of St. Ann's Catholic church, York road and Twenty-second street, Baltimore, died last Friday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Francis' Hospital, on North Caroline street, Baltimore. The cause of his death was septic infection from appendicitis. He was operated upon at the hospital on Saturday, Nov. 19. He had been in ill health for several months past and had a number of attacks of appendicitis. Father Sweeney was a native of this place and son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sweeney. He was in the thirtieth year of his age. He was a kind and affectionate son, and much thought of by the people of this place. He spent nearly all of his life in preparing and equipping himself for the sacred priesthood, which was the goal of his ambition. The foundation of his early education was laid in the parochial school at this place, and later entered St. Charles College. He made the studies for the priesthood at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore. On December 18 last he was ordained by Cardinal Gibbons and was assigned to St. Ann's Church. He said his first Mass at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, in this place, on last Christmas morning. He was a talented young priest and gave evidence of attaining prominence among the clergy of the Catholic Church.

His remains were embalmed and removed to the rectory adjoining St. Ann's Church. At noon on Sunday the remains were placed in the church. Representatives from the Catholic Benevolent Legion, Society of the Nocturnal Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, the Society of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin, the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Knights of Columbus kept watch over the remains until the time of the funeral and also attended the funeral.

The funeral services took place on Tuesday morning from St. Ann's Church. The requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. William E. Bartlett, pastor of the church. Rev. John M. Barry, of St. Mary's Church, Potosi, and Rev. Hugh A. Curley, of St. Vincent's Church, sub-leader. The sermon was preached by Rev. Edward J. Lefevre, of Emmitsburg.

Cardinal Gibbons administered the absolution. The deacons to the Cardinal were Very Rev. A. L. Magnien, of St. Mary's Seminary and Rev. J. L. Andrews, of St. Leo's Church. The active pall bearers were Messrs. P. de Murguondo, Richard Coghlan, Charles J. Landers, W. O'Brien, Jr., W. Andrew A. Bokel, George Carpenter, W. Armstrong Jenkins and John J. Neilligan. The honorary pall bearers were Revs. Thornton, of St. Andrew's; Gilbert McDonald, of St. Martin's; Frederick T. Leland, of St. Bridget's; Thomas Smyth, of St. Thomas; Woodruff; Peter Hughes, of St. Ann's; Wilmington; John J. Keenan, of St. Paul's, Baltimore; P. C. Gavan, of St. John's; and Philip J. Walsh, of St. Gregory's.

His remains were brought to this place on Tuesday evening, and Wednesday the funeral services were held in St. Joseph's Church. Rev. P. V. Kavanagh, was celebrant; Rev. Father McNeil, master of ceremonies. The sermon was preached by Rev. John M. Barry, of Potosi, a native of this place, and also god-father of the deceased. The pall bearers were: Robert Raymond and Cecil Toney, J. M. Kerrigan, Dr. Jno. Foreman, Dr. A. A. Mitchell, F. A. Adelsberger and David Geise.

The interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. MR. D. S. GILLEAN has made a great reduction in the prices of nearly everything in his store. Read his advertisement in another column, and if you are in need of anything in his line, give him a call. He will make you happy by selling you goods at way down prices.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

FAIRFIELD Nov. 29.—Mr. Ruel Musselman, of Highfield, is a visitor at this place. Mr. George Neely, of Fairfield, had tugging in getting over his route on last Monday, on account of the snow drifting the roads in Liberty Township.

Mr. Isaac Pecker, of Liberty Township, is hauling a big lot of hickory cut for spokes, to the Fairfield Station. He will likely ship the cuts to York.

A party composed of two men, and women and children are encamped along the Fairfield road. They say they are not gypsies, only basket makers. They are begging their living. They promise to make baskets for what they get, but they always fail to make the baskets.

Mr. Thomas Fite, of near Emmitsburg, is the guests of F. Shulley and family. Mr. Daniel Sanders, lost 3 hogs on Monday last by cholera. Is there no remedy for the disease? It seems not. F. Shulley and Joel Musselman are the appraisers for the estate of E. Heysler. They will appraise the grain on Tuesday.

THE MODERN MOTHER.

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GREENMOUNT HAPPENINGS.

Mr. Ulrich, of Emmitsburg, who has been spending the last two weeks with Mr. Samuel Wortz, fishing and hunting, reports game very plentiful, but fails to capture the witty game. The new store of Messrs. Reiley & Brier, at this place, is well stocked with goods.

Our first snow made its appearance last Saturday and some of our young folks enjoyed a sleigh ride. Mr. Isaac Snowden has bought a tract of land near Gettysburg, and is building a "Biltmore" home for his wife and to move in the spring. He intends to move in the spring. Messrs. James and John McDonnell, of Gettysburg, spent a day with their brother, Mr. Geo. McDonnell, of this place.

Mr. John Eiker, our lusty blacksmith, has planted a lot of fruit trees, on the track of land which he purchased from Mr. Jerry Strawbaugh. Your correspondent, wife and daughter, Miss Lena, spent a day with Mrs. A. L. Wood, of near Emmitsburg, last week.

When you have eaten too much, or when you suffer from any form of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, remember that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It cures the worst forms of Dyspepsia. T. E. Zimmerman & Co.

A BRILLIANT RECEPTION.

Mr. Wm. F. Maxell, one of our energetic and enterprising young men, was married to Miss Ada Longenecker at the home of the bride's parents, on the evening of November 23rd. The following day, (Thursday) the wedding breakfast was given at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Maxell, near Emmitsburg, where there was a large number of friends and relatives in waiting to receive the bride and groom. The bride and groom were accompanied by their respective parents and a number of invited guests satisfied their craving appetites at the heavily laden tables prepared by the groom's parents in honor of the occasion. Oh! how the poor turkeys did suffer.

The reception in the evening proved a grand success. The table in the dining room was highly decorated with ribbons, ferns and lighted candles. The ushers and waiters were, Miss Ella Maxell, sister of the groom; Miss Edna Otto, of Middleburg; Miss Margie and Belle Whitmore, of Greencastle, Pa., and Miss Marion Hoke, of Emmitsburg. The gentlemen were Mr. Charles Maxell, brother of the groom, Mr. Mark Snyder, of Harney; Mr. Luther Zimmerman and Mr. Leslie Maxell, of Emmitsburg. The bride wore a brown cloth trimmed in white satin. The groom wore the usual black. The lady ushers and waiters were all dressed in white, trimmed with pink and blue ribbon. At an early hour the guests began to arrive and were escorted by the ushers to the dining room to partake of refreshments, consisting of cream, cakes, oranges, bananas, grapes, confectioneries, hot coffee, etc. The ushers had quite a busy day of it. One hundred and six guests made their appearance in the evening to pay their respects to the newly wedded couple. Fifty during the day, making a total of one hundred and fifty-six persons to be waited on, and served. They seemed however, to enjoy their task, and stuck to it manfully, and performed their duty well. At a late hour the guests began to depart for their homes and the hearty congratulations of all. It was a day long to be remembered by those present.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents, and a very large Bible by the parents and family of the groom. P. Gardner and wife, set silver teaspoons; N. C. Stansbury and family, silver pickle stand; Miss Hannah Gillean, silver butter knife and sugar shell; Mr. Shreeve and wife, silver ladle; Mr. Well, this morning, set silver spoons; Wm. R. Gillean, set silver knives and forks; Chas. Rowe and wife, set silver teaspoons; Rev. Chas. Ruelnewald and wife, set silver nut-picks; J. L. Hoke and wife, pair silver sugar shells; F. A. Zimmerman and family, chamber set; Miss Edna Otto, silver pitcher; Samuel Hockensmith and sister, silver tea pot; Joseph D. Caldwell and wife, carving set; Miss Margie Whitmore, fine lamp; Miss Belle Whitmore, pair fancy dishes; Miss Edna Otto, six fancy plates; Miss Anna Shriver, dozen fancy tumblers; Mrs. Hay, fancy bread plate; Miss Anna Danner, pair of towels; Miss Lulu Bishop, pair of sugar shakers; James Bishop and wife, glass pitcher; Harry Maxell and family, fancy rockers; Mrs. E. A. Whitmore, pair of towels; Sallie Krise, China spittoon; B. D. Snider and wife, dozen napkins; Lewis Krise and wife, counterpane; Samuel Rowe and wife, pair of towels; Mrs. Mae Shoemaker and daughter, counterpane; Mrs. Eva Danner, fancy inkstand and dish; Wm. Longenecker, pair sugar shakers.

TWO POINTED QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

What is the use of making a better article than your competitor if you can not get a better price for it? Ans.—As there is no difference in the price the public will buy only the better, so that while our profits may be smaller on a single sale they will be much greater in aggregate.

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CUPID WON THE RACE.

Miss Mary Davis and Mr. Edgar Miller, of Bakersville, drove hastily to Boonsboro' Sunday and were married at the Reformed parsonage by Rev. G. W. Snyder. The bride's father and brother appeared at the parsonage shortly after the marriage ceremony, intending to prevent the ceremony if they could, but they were too late to interfere. They then forgave the bride.—Sun.

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BRUNSWICK POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

The postoffice at Brunswick was broken into and robbed Monday night. The robber or robbers entered by prizing open the back door. The postmaster stated that 75 cents in money had been taken, but declined to give the amount of stamps taken.

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REPLY TO "FREDERICK COUNTY."

MR. EDITOR.—It was with exultation, he may add exultation, and, as he proceeded, with an irresistible tendency to laughter that "Vindex" read the article, which appeared in your last week's issue, signed "Frederick County," intended as a defense of the Administration. With exultation, because "Vindex" may as well avow right here, that there was a little malice in "his" use of the columns of your paper to "air his views about our dispute with Spain," to use Frederick County's style. This is what has gladdened "Vindex," he wished to draw out certain doughty champions of the Administration, who forgetting the philanthropic mission upon which the government has entered, chose to sit like Rhadamanthus and settle every vexed question that came up "anent our dispute," with that arbitrary rule which is self-constituted. Next, Vindex read the article with exultation because in forcing public debate he satisfied an honest desire to promote an open and free discussion of the foreign policy of the Government. Finally, he broke out into irrepressible laughter here and there, as he recognized the old make-shifts of his opponents, who, having no resort to stand on the way of argument, resort, as the specious reasoner does, to the tricks, which, when subtly or ambiguously not serve the purpose, seldom fail to raise a laugh, though out of place.

By the way, before he attacked any one in giving his knowledge of historical facts, and of the principles of Constitutional and International Law. When he quotes he is scrupulous to give the exact words of his authority and should he make omission of words which he does not deem proper to quote, he marks the omission by asterisks.

In taking up the statements of "Frederick County," he will not dignify them with the name of arguments—"Vindex" will proceed in the order in which the statements are made.

By the way, before he proceeds, "Vindex" wishes to refer to the third paragraph of "Frederick County's" article, in which the writer says:—"that he (Vindex) is inextricably 'set' in his opposition to the measures of the present Administration." This "word 'set'" recalls to Vindex an old friend of his from way back, a great wielder of words, not in their rhapsody nor yet "wild and whirling" ones, but of the character called "pat" and suited to the action and the thought. Well, this man, whose name is not noted for the lynx-eyed sharpness of his logic, deprecates the loss of many old Anglo-Saxon vocabularies, in our every day English, and could he play the part of the grand Mogul over the dominion of words, he would have many examples of the vocabulary. Possibly "Frederick County" has this love also when he uses the word "set," for he is not slangy, "Vindex" hopes. Possibly, again, this love may be so strong on him, that "Frederick County" may yet tell you, Mr. Editor, to say—"I was over to tell you that I was 'drag' into this argument again my will."

Now for the statement that "Vindex" in quoting the words of Washington or of Jefferson used them to show the opinions of these fathers of the Government, as to the question of "territorial expansion." Who, besides "Frederick County," says that? Does Vindex? Let us see? In the first paragraph of his article, Vindex speaks of a "national doctrine" laid down by Washington and Jefferson, and shows how serious those who follow that doctrine are pointed at in refusing to join in the competition of the Nations of the world for supremacy in its distant markets. No reference, implied or expressed here, to territorial expansion. Next comes a passionate cry, deprecating the sacrifice of life and blood, which is welded to the traditions of his country—he loves them and he cannot see them bartered away for "mere extensive commercial relations." In both paragraphs, Vindex refers to "commercial relations" and Washington and Jefferson from whose Farewell Address he learned the lesson—"in regard to foreign nations" "in extending our commercial relations" "have with them as little political connection as possible."

Does not every one know that the extension of our commercial relations in the East is predicated on the keeping of the Philippines? Very blind indeed, to the greed of England is he who can believe that the Philippines being in our keeping, the rapacious Englishman will not strive to entangle us into broils with other powers in order to retain what the British Government now possesses, eighty per cent. of the commerce of those islands.

"What is the title of Vindex's article?" "The Problem of the Philippines." A problem is a question to be solved. A question may embody more than one topic. The topic on which Vindex quotes Washington and Jefferson is the extension of commercial relations and the political connection with foreign powers. The words quoted bear on this point. "Frederick County" says he read the words with much care—let him read them over again with much more care. Is it pretended to bear on one of the points at issue—"territorial expansion"? But assuredly asks "Frederick County" "Vindex" has "territorial expansion" in mind? "Vindex" does not deny that, for if "Frederick County" had not read the quotation to find out upon what it did not bear, he would not now be convicted of trying to put the fallacy where it does not belong. Vindex did not quote Jefferson or Washington to show their view on the topic of territorial expansion, but on a "national doctrine" of which it is true, territorial expansion may be considered as one of the elements; and on which Vindex will proceed to quote Jefferson, not in the words of "Frederick County," who, looking about him for a shadow of authority, goes not to the fountain head itself—Jefferson—but to a barely trickling rill of information—"Fiske's School History"—and makes the Harvard professor speak for Jefferson when Jefferson himself could have been so fully heard on the subject. Had "Frederick County" gone to his library and picked out Jefferson's works Vol. IV, p. 500, after having blown away the dust which has accumulated on the venerable pages, still less or incorporating foreign nations into our Union. The executive in seizing the fugitive occurrence, * * * have done an act beyond the Constitution." And in the paragraph preceding this, after paying the Senate and House to ratify any act for a treaty of acquisition, he adds: "But, I suppose they must then

appeal to the nation for an additional article to the Constitution approving and confirming an act which the nation had not previously authorized.

Having settled, not on constitutional grounds, but on the basis of expediency, that it is the policy of this government to favor the idea of the acquisition of foreign territory; "Frederick County," leaving everything that obstructs expediency, turns into ridicule the status of the thirteen original colonies and in thus belittling the mighty effort of the heroes that have made our country great, is deaf to the warnings of the founders so that "the phenomenal resources, the multiplied industries and world-wide commerce of this vast country of to-day" may find a profitable outlet and exploitation in the jungles of the Barbarian, who offer us in exchange for the buccolic recreation of pristine Americans in "pumpkin-rolling," the dark deeds of blood and lust.

Vindex regrets that "Frederick County" being unable to meet his argument in its bearing on international law, takes to the trick of the street urchin and the gaudy of the village crowd; when a gentleman resorts in the costume of "rigueur" goes dignified by the use of the bumpkins with jeers. So "Frederick County" when he finds Vindex in company with such dignitaries as Grotnia, Vattel, Mably, Wheaton and Woolsey tries to raise an empty laugh by suggesting an acrobatic feat which none can perform who has not occupied the same ticklish altitude.

Does "Frederick County" flatter himself that he has made out his case when he refers to the capture of the Philippines by Villalobos? In those days the title of the ground of discovery was good; for, of the natives very little account was made. "Being heathen, they were not, in the age succeeding the discovery of America, regarded as having rights; but might be subdued and strip of sovereignty over their country without compunction." Wood, p. 73.

"Frederick County" says that "any superficial historian can cite instances galore to prove that the capture of territory does give the capturer (capturer is good) the right to occupy it permanently." But those who have made a life study of the history of civilization know differently. Hear Mably, Droit Public, Vol. I, 109: "A prince is doubtless in the right to conquer a province which belongs to him and of which arms of themselves give no title; they suppose an anterior one. Were it otherwise, a prince despoiled by his enemy would have no right to the countries taken from him and it would be ridiculous for the victor to demand from him a ransom in territory." We may add here a simple argument; it is conceded by their nature form a legitimate right of possession to the conqueror, it is indifferent whether the war be undertaken on just or unjust grounds." Does this clinch the subject?

Let not "Frederick County" think that the thronical brag that he will return to the charge intimidates "Vindex," who, although he feels that he has disarmed his opponents, true to the instincts of chivalry, will be glad to see "Frederick County" pick up his sword again and "play another bout."

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A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

For the Chronicle. The changing Autumn leaves bring with them many changes and surprises in the life of the farmer. The pushing work being completed, and the nights becoming long, creates within them a desire to do something that would be a surprise to their neighbors. Many at the same time a pleasure to themselves. Such was the case at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rowe Oher, on the evening of the 23rd ult. Whilst the host and hostess were busy with their work preparatory to retiring, lo, and behold! the door opened and a number of about thirty of their friends and neighbors. It is needless to say there were long breaths drawn, and eyes suddenly enlarged, but those things soon passed away and the guests were at home. In a few moments the stove was all boiling, and light and warmth irradiated all. The guests were also somewhat surprised a little later when they were all invited out to the large dining-room, and their eyes rested upon a table, extending almost the whole length of the room, and covered with delicious cakes of many kinds, crackers, apples, confectionery, steaming hot coffee, &c. The persons who enjoyed the privilege and pleasure of surrounding it and partaking of its contents were: Samuel G. Oher, the venerable father of the host; Mr. Wm. Stansbury, (the mother of the hostess) Wm. A. Devillis and wife, Mrs. Geo. Ritter, Mr. Martin Valentine and wife, Mr. Wm. Little and wife, Mr. Jas. O. Harbaugh and wife, Mr. Jno. Zurbale and wife, J. R. Mac Shoemaker, Miss Lumma Shoemaker, Miss Belle Oher, Miss Maggie Weisbright, Miss Lilly Valentine, Miss Alice Hockensmith, Miss Mary A. Valentine, Miss Mary Bucher, Miss Clara Hockensmith and her sister Ruth Little, Masters Samuel, Luther and Edwin Valentine, Samuel Hockensmith, Robert Gillean, Ralph Little, and Jno. Koontz.

Josh Billings says, "Surprise parties are contagious and that those who take an active interest in them are sure to fall victims." Not that Mr. and Mrs. Oher take any interests in such things by no means, but there was one in the neighborhood some time ago, and somehow by accident, or otherwise, our host and hostess got mixed in the affair, and I presume sympathized with, and endeavored to cheer those who needed consolation, and by so doing came in close contact with it and caught the malady. Be that as it may, it was taken in a mild form and needed no opium. But to return to our narrative after partaking of refreshments, and being greatly refreshed, the guests enjoyed themselves in any way they felt disposed. The older in chatting; the younger in playing until a late hour when they departed for their different homes, all having spent a pleasant and delightful evening.

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