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## HIGH LIGHTS.

Sentimentality is the foolish elder  
sister of sentiment.

When the heart loses freshness it be-  
comes sentimental.

Our facts are earthly; by our fancies  
touch heaven.

Experience teaches man long after  
he thinks he has taken a diploma.

Early to bed and early to rise makes  
even a scoundrel three parts to his family.

The wise man knows he is a frac-  
tion; the fool tries to be the whole  
thing.

The woman who is down on gossip  
doesn't say so until she has heard it  
all.

Women hope for the best and then go  
and buy articles that will be marked  
down.

The drawback to the noble ancestry  
is that it sets up a business a lot of  
bragging descendants.

It is an incurable rate husband who  
needs a new overcoat at the same winter  
that his wife needs a new cloak.

It would be a bet or world if women  
praised their husbands as heartily as  
they do their favorite baking powder.

A man thinks that in knowing one  
woman he knows the whole sex; where-  
as he may know the rest of the sex  
without knowing that one woman.

**SOME STATISTICS.**  
A single human hair will support four  
ounces without breaking.

At the present rate of combustion it  
is thought the sun will last from 7,000-  
000 to 15,000,000 years before burning  
itself out.

The Indian population of the United  
States is 248,340. In 1492 they were  
the lords of the whole country; now  
they have reserved for them 144,490  
square miles.

The largest mass of pure rock salt in  
the world lies under the province of  
Gallia, Hungary. It is known to be  
750 miles long, 20 broad and 250 feet  
in thickness.

Russia with a population of 127,000-  
000 has only 18,334 physicians. In the  
United States, with a population of  
about 75,000,000, there are 120,000  
physicians.

A French statistician has calculated  
that the human eye travels over 2,000  
yards in reading an ordinary sized  
novel.

The average human being is sup-  
posed to get through 2,500 miles of  
reading in a lifetime.

**How He Knew.**  
Fond Father—You mustn't see young  
McDonally again. He's no better than a  
common card sharp.

Dear Daughter—Why, papa! What  
makes you think so?

F. F.—I played poker with him three  
times and we broke even.

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markable gradual upheaval of an ex-  
tensive region ever known. Drift-  
wood-covered beaches are now 20 to 60  
or 70 feet above the water, new islands  
have appeared, and many channels and  
all the old harbors have become too  
shallow for ships. At the present rate,  
the shallow bay will disappear in a  
few centuries, adding a vast area of dry  
land or salt marsh to British territory  
in America.

**His Experience.**  
Isaac—Did you ever try counting  
backward from five thousand? You  
can't sleep?

Cohenstein—Yes; but dot counting  
backward makes me feel like I was  
losing money, and I can't go to sleep  
at all!

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By the time the busy bee clock  
in the corner pointed to one, the  
guests were pretty well assembled.  
Nearly all of them came in their  
own carriages.

The bisque dolls were about the  
most stylish. Miss Horner was a  
bisque. So was Lisbeth. In fact  
the great majority were of that  
class. Mademoiselle Alfonse  
Harvie was the most expensive.  
She cost around twenty five dollars  
at the Pittsburg fair. She was a  
regular silk-lined girl as distin-  
guished from the Tailor-made  
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coat and white cap, and when these  
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magnificent Nile green silk. Her  
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was simply but elegantly got up in  
white lawn and valenciennes lace.  
Still another cousin was Sarah  
Anne Handcock. She came from  
Philadelphia, and of course was  
the descendant of a quaker first  
family. She was training for a  
nurse at a hospital and always wore  
paper clothes, as she thought they  
were so much more germ proof than  
silk. On this occasion she was  
dressed in a delicate blue crepe  
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She was very accomplished, having  
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her beauty. She came enveloped  
in a handsome white coat and blue  
cap, and her dress was of pale blue  
silk, heavily trimmed with white  
lace. Her chair was of white  
enamel decorated with violets.

Miss Dewey Paterson was also a  
Baltimore girl, but of a different  
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tains for her health, she hired a  
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A real gentleman doll is such a  
rare thing that you can imagine  
what a pet Pretty was.

He was dressed in brown knicker-  
bockers and a bright blouse waist.  
A brown tam-o'-shanter cap com-  
pleted his costume. He wasn't  
very much spoiled considering he  
was the only real gentleman present.

Of course the Brownie was there,  
and Fol-de-rol, and even McHel-  
man; Miss Horner said something  
was better than nothing and the  
Brownie was a gentleman if he was  
only a rag doll. I almost forgot to  
mention the Pennsylvania Dutch  
doll from York. She, too, was  
bisque. Miss Horner had hired her  
to help Lisbeth wait on the table.

Henchen wore a pink and white  
striped calico and pink shirt waist.  
Her hair was nearly as tangled as  
Lisbeth's, but neither one would  
touch a comb to their heads. It's  
gude enuech," said Lisbeth, and  
Henchen answered "Its goot enoof  
for me."

Miss Horner only had one wax  
doll on her list of acquaintances.  
Since bisque dolls had become so  
stylish wax dolls had died out.

## Miss Ella Stella Eyster was about

fourteen years old and was immense  
for her age. She belonged to the  
Mother Hubbard period and her  
loose gown with its tiny tucked  
yoke looked quite antique. She  
wore a real child's cap on her head.  
She was a kind hearted lady and  
not only sent a child's chair for  
herself but also a little white high  
chair all tied with memory ribbons  
in case any baby should come to  
the party. It was she who sent  
the vases of white flowers for the  
tables and also a grindstone in case  
the knives needed sharpening.

There was a delicate, little wax  
doll from France invited, Made-  
moiselle Lauree Tance, but its  
mamma said it was too little to  
come in from the country.

There was a papier mache doll  
with a very shiny face who came  
from a Lutheran festival about  
1890. She looked as if she might  
have come from Nuremberg and her  
name was Mrs. Ursula Elias. She  
was dressed in yellow cheese cloth  
and her little girl Julie was also  
dressed in yellow. It was fashion-  
able about that time to wear artis-  
tic colored soft and clinging dress-  
es.

Those were the days of sunflower  
decorations, you remember. There  
were several China Victorian ladies.  
Before the Victorian era all the  
dolls considered brown eyes pret-  
tiest, but as soon as Victoria  
mounted the throne blue eyes be-  
came the rage. About the oldest  
of these was Miss Emmeline Wad-  
dles, and she was quite thirty years  
old. She was very odd looking  
with her black hair done up in a  
waterfall.

Probably Ida Adelina came in  
about 1855. She was a solid China  
child with black hair "shingled"  
over her head. She was dressed in  
a modern costume of white lawn  
and val lace. Her aunt Mrs. F. B.  
O. Gillen was also a Victorian doll  
of 1872. She was so proud of her  
lineage that she dressed like an  
English dowager. On this occasion  
she wore black lace over crimson  
silk and dark jewels fell in abun-  
dant around her plump neck. Both  
she and her niece were very small.

A second cousin Annabel Lee was  
about the same size but was con-  
spicuous for her golden hair.  
Nearly all the Victorian dolls had  
black hair. Some people said An-  
nabel had blackened her hair, but  
I think it was made that way.

There was a fine hand painted  
doll in pink gingham from Rose  
Hill. She had come all the way  
from Montana and was as fresh as  
the day she started. Somebody  
said she was only a rag doll if she  
was hand painted, but most of them  
thought she was a dear innocent  
little thing.

The widow Monroe came in  
after all the other bisque dolls had  
arrived. She was a nut brown  
bisque, own aunt to Annabel Lee.  
Her name was Marie Antoinette  
Raw before she married Carroll  
Monroe, who belonged to one of  
the first families of Maryland.  
Many of the dolls could remember  
the wedding when the bride was  
dressed in a trailing white dress  
and veil. But all that was over.  
Carroll Monroe was dead and his  
widow came to the party with scar-  
let bands around her black serge  
and a scarlet belt. Last of all  
came Miss Witherow attended by  
her faithful servant, "Black Tom."

She was well wrapped in a Scotch  
plaid shawl and red knit hood.

Miss Horner helped to assist her  
in for you must know that her  
dear old lady had no use whatever  
of her lower limbs.

"Great Dollkins Miss Witherow,  
what have you brought along?"  
asked Miss Horner, as she unpeeled  
her shawl. A curious black eyed  
baby face peeped longingly out.

"Hold its head," said Miss  
Isabel, as Miss Horner took it in  
her arms. It was dressed in an  
old fashioned calico wrapper and  
wasn't a day less than forty-five  
years old.

"Its Kitty Rowe," somebody  
said and everybody crowded round  
the funny baby.

"Will it cry?" Annabel Lee  
asked.

"It used to," said Miss With-  
erow, "but it has got over its crying  
stage long ago."

"Put it in the high chair," said  
Ella Stella Eyster.

Miss Witherow was once a magni-  
fiently made woman and even  
there was not a grey hair in her  
head. She wore it very high and  
little love locks fell in front of  
each ear. Her dress was of dotted  
Swiss, all yellow with age as were  
her dimity petticoats. Her dress  
was cut square in the neck and  
was almost, if not quite, Empire  
in shape. The pins that helped to  
hold her dress together were also  
very old.

"Misee," said Snive Lee,  
"there's a yellow kidee at the door  
and he wants to helpee make tea."

"Just send him away," said  
Miss Horner, "I don't want any  
yellow kids here."

"Miss Horner, dere's a leetle  
yeller and weiss dog outer here  
wot wants to come in but he's all  
kind o' skeeny." Said Henchen.

"What do I want with dogs at  
my party? send him away," said  
Miss Horner.

"Naw dianna send him a wa' "  
said Lisbeth. "It's on'y Wriggly  
and he's forty-five year auld and  
ready to dee. Lemme tak him wie  
me to the kitchen an' gi'e him a  
snack." But Wriggly wasn't go-  
ing to the kitchen but turned in  
under the green table.

"Goot gracious," cried Henchen,  
dere's Blackie trying to git up on  
to red table." And, gollie, I  
sawee Missee Elias's two pugs  
runnee in to bed chamber," cried  
Snive Lee. "Come, McHelman,  
and chase the beasties out and kill  
em," screamed the Brownie.

"If you kill my dogs I'll kill  
your cats," bawled Mrs. Ursula,  
rising in wrath.

All the animals were sent out  
without kicking, and when peace  
was restored, Miss Horner asked  
Miss Witherow to talk a little about  
"ye olden time."

"Jist wait a meent, Mee's Horn-  
er, dere's a white ting at te door  
wants to coom."

"What is it?" cried everybody,  
as a small child, like a white bear,  
came in and ran up to Sunbeams,  
as the doll from Rose Hill was called.

"It's only the Esquimaux baby  
that run off from Santa Claus, last  
Christmas," said Sunbeams.

"But I can't have Esquimaux  
here, Lisbeth, you'll have to carry  
it over to Doctor Anne's hospital,  
till the party is over." But the  
poor baby wouldn't leave Sun-  
beams.

"Oh, yes," said that young lady,  
"go-over and see all the dear little  
dolls without arms and legs and  
heads. Don't ee ittie baby wantee  
see all de doll



FRIDAY, FEB. 24, 1899.

AGERS USELESS JUNKET.

The government transport Berlin is now being fitted up for the use of Secretary Alger and those who will accompany him on a junket to Cuba and Porto Rico at the country's expense. The new fittings that are being placed in the vessel are of the most elaborate character, and everything possible will be done for the comfort and pleasure of the distinguished party. The guests of the Secretary will be the members of the Military Committee of both houses of Congress. It is reported that Secretary Alger will take none of the members of his family along with him, but the committee mean that their wives and children shall have part of the fun of the junket. Though the full list of the party is not yet made out, it is safe to say that all the cabins will be occupied, and that the Berlin, when she sails for Cuba, will have a passenger list nearly as long as that of an ocean greyhound during the busy season.

An estimate of the cost of this trip to the United States treasury was published by the "New York Herald." The total expense was figured up at \$200,000, and what is to be gained by such a trip? Nothing at all, except pleasure for Alger and his fellow junketers. There are as the "Herald" says, on file at the War Department reports covering every one of the questions which the Secretary says he wants to investigate. These reports, made by capable officers of the highest rank in the army, leave nothing to be learned of the conditions that now prevail in Cuba and Porto Rico.

This junket will be a wholly unnecessary expense to the government. Alger should be forced to abandon the worthless scheme—Baltimore American.

A BIG CONTRACT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—The contract for building the immense towers and spans for the new East river bridge, which, when completed, will be even greater than the Brooklyn bridge, has been awarded to the New Jersey Steel and Iron Company, of Trenton, N. J.

The bids of the other competing companies were as follows:

The Pennsylvania Steel Company \$1,209,444; Elmira Bridge Company, \$1,374,000; King Company, \$1,461,000; Phoenix Bridge Company, \$1,315,000, and Benjamin Marice & Co., \$1,230,000.

Although the bid of the Pennsylvania Steel Company was more than \$10,000 less than the New Jersey Steel and Iron Company, yet the contract was awarded to the Trenton Company because of its work on the anchorages of the bridge already built, it having been of a very satisfactory character.

The towers will be over 300 feet, and, along with the spans, will weigh 12,000 tons. The new bridge will be about 1,600 feet long, or a few feet longer than the famous Brooklyn bridge. The heavy wire cables for the new bridge will, in all likelihood, also be made in Trenton.

Hood's Sarsaparilla never disappoints. It may be taken for impure and impoverished blood with perfect confidence that it will cure.

The time limit set for Representative King, of the Delaware Legislature, who was ordered by a vote of the State House of Representatives to wed in thirty days or "set up" an oyster supper, expired Monday. It is reported that he is still fancy free.

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 & TRUX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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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.

Hall's family Pills are the best.

A convention to discuss the reorganization of the National Guard was commenced at Tampa, Fla.

MAYOR OF SHANTYTOWN.

Frank Sandbaner, huckster, known as the "Mayor of Shantytown," who was given up as frozen to death, returned Monday night. He had a remarkable experience on a lonely road in Hampshire county, W. Va., Tuesday, February 14. He left Charles Millison's place for Three Churches while the thermometer was 17 degrees below zero. The road crosses Jersey Mountain and there is not a house on the direct road between the two points. The wind was blowing a gale and the snow drifting furiously. He and his team were overwhelmed. He wrapped two horse blankets about himself and curled up in his buggy. He was fast becoming benumbed, when a commercial traveler, who had driven up, saw his predicament and drove off the road to a farmhouse for aid. With the assistance of a farmer Sandbaner was shoveled out. He had been in his buggy nearly six hours, and his ears and feet were badly frozen. At the farmer's house the drifts were so deep that wood could not be gotten from the mountain and trees in the orchard were cut down. A new church at Three Churches was so completely banked over with snow that it could not be recognized as a building.

DYING PREPARATIONS simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents, large for 50 cents. All druggists keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

YANKEE INGENUITY DID IT.

Only a few years ago practically all the canned peas consumed in this county were imported from France, the famous petit pois. At that time it was deemed impossible to produce the required quality in this country, consumers desiring firm, even, bright green goods, and though sulphate of copper was used in securing that color it made comparatively little difference with the trade, American packers, however, experimented with the object of producing a pea the equal of the French article, and how well they succeeded is now an old story. Starting with good seed, and under careful cultivation, the American pea now equals the imported product of France, and our packers have built up an industry which has become an important feature of the great canned goods trade of the country. The careful selection of seed has resulted in a variety, have all the desirable qualities of the French product and requiring the addition of no coloring substances to make them attractive. American canned peas stand on their merits. Wisconsin and New York are the leading peapacking States, although others are rapidly developing the industry.—Ely.

AN HONEST MEDICINE FOR LA GRIPPE.

George W. Waitt of South Gardine, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturer of an honest medicine." For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

THEN AND NOW.

One hundred years ago the typewriter, the saleslady, the lineman, the engineer, the fireman, the motorman, the gripman, the telephone operator, the telephone girl, the brakeman, the electrician, the elevator boy and a long list of other occupations did not exist. It is not often realized by labor that modern conditions have multiplied occupations and trades to a degree greater than any other increase of the nineteenth century.

BURNED ANYHOW.

An exchange tells of a man who refused to subscribe for his home paper because he could get a bigger one from the city for the same money. Subsequently he saw a fire escape advertised for \$1.00. He sent his dollar and got a yest pocket copy of the New Testament.

TWENTY YEARS' JOB DONE.

Mrs. Jacob Y. Miller, of Guilford Springs, has just finished a charm quilt upon which she has been working for about twenty years. This quilt contains 1,184 pieces, no two of which are supposed to be alike. All were collected and sewed by Mrs. Miller.

Are You Using Allen's Foot-Ease?

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder, it cures Corns, Bunions, Chills, Itching, Sweating, Swollen Feet, It all disappears. Sample Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

UNLESS there is a compromise in the Senate on the army reorganization bill, it is probable there will be an extra session of Congress.

BIG ORDER FOR LOCOMOTIVES.

The Baldwin Locomotive Works has just closed a contract for the building of eighty-one locomotives, the largest single order ever received by that company. The locomotives are for use on new railroads now under construction in China. The contract was under consideration about a year ago, but the breaking out of the war with Spain opened up such an element of doubt regarding the safe delivery of the engines that the matter was dropped for the time. The negotiations were recently renewed, and have just been brought to a conclusion, and the contract signed. Over \$800,000 is involved in the work, and the Baldwin Company will rapidly push the construction of the engines. Shipment to China will begin probably in the course of a few weeks.

LUNG Trouble

Lung troubles, such as pleurisy or acute inflammation of the lungs, should be carefully treated to avoid serious consequences. These ailments are quickly overcome by the prompt use of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, a wonderful remedy, which always gives relief at once, eases coughing, allays all inflammation, and by its healing influence soon effects a thorough cure.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

Cures all Lung and Throat Trouble. Doses are small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cents. At all druggists.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY's statement, controverting the charges of the Navy Department has aroused great interest. Senators who are conversant with the facts allege that he is the victim of a conspiracy on the part of the administration officials.

THE Central Pacific Railroad Company has settled its obligations to the government, giving the United States Treasurer Roberts notes aggregating \$58,812,715, secured by bonds covering all the property of the company.

Secret of Beauty is health. The secret of health is the power to digest and assimilate a proper quantity of food. This can never be done when the liver does not act its part.

Do you know this? Tutt's Liver Pills are an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, torpid liver, piles, jaundice, bilious fever, biliousness and kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

EMMTSBURG MARKETS.

The following market quotations, which are corrected every Friday morning, are subject to daily changes.

Corrected by Zimmerman & Maxell.  
Wheat, (dry)..... \$ 66  
Rye..... \$ 50  
Oats..... \$ 30  
Corn, shelled per bushel..... \$ 35  
Hay..... \$ 4 00 @ 5 50

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.  
Butter..... \$ 13  
Eggs..... \$ 15  
Chickens, per Do..... \$ 7 00  
Turkeys, per Do..... \$ 9  
Ducks, per Do..... \$ 7  
Potatoes, per bushel..... \$ 5  
Dried Cherries, (seeded)..... \$ 6  
Raspberries..... \$ 8  
Blackberries..... \$ 4  
Apples, (dried)..... \$ 5  
Peaches, (dried)..... \$ 5 @ 10  
Onions, per bushel..... \$ 65  
Lard, per Do..... \$ 14  
Beef Hides..... \$ 7 @ 7 1/2

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers.  
Steers, per Do..... \$ 4 @ 4 00  
Fresh Cows..... \$ 20 @ 25 00  
Fat Cows and Bulls, per Do..... \$ 3 1/2 @ 3 1/2  
Hogs, per Do..... \$ 4 @ 4 1/2  
Sheep, per Do..... \$ 3 @ 3 1/2  
Lambs, per Do..... \$ 4 1/2 @ 4 1/2  
Calves, per Do..... \$ 5 1/2 @ 6

Order Nisi on Audit.

N. O. 6964 EQUITY.

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

JANUARY TERM, 1899.

In the Matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 17th day of February, 1899.

Joshua A. Stansbury and H. Oliver Stonestifer, Executors, etc., of Joshua Stansbury, deceased, vs. Samuel J. Maxell and wife.

ORDERED, That on the 11th day of March 1899, 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 11th day of March 1899.

Dated this 17th day of February 1899.  
DOUGLASS H. HARGETT, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick Co.  
True Copy—Test:  
DOUGLASS H. HARGETT, REFSIDERS & REFSIDERS, Sols. Clerk, feb 24-3ts.

Strong, steady nerves  
Are needed for success  
Everywhere. Nerves  
Depend simply, solely,  
Upon the blood.  
Pure, rich, nourishing  
Blood feeds the nerves  
And makes them strong.  
The great nerve tonic is  
Hood's Sarsaparilla,  
Because it makes  
The blood rich and  
Pure, giving it power  
To feed the nerves.  
Hood's Sarsaparilla  
Cures nervousness,  
Dyspepsia, rheumatism,  
Catarrh, scrofula,  
And all forms of  
Impure blood.

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Monuments, Tombstones and cemetery work of all kinds. Work neatly and promptly executed. Satisfaction guaranteed may 29-1yr

W. J. Valentine,

Dealer in General Merchandise, Grain, Hay, Straw, Flour, Mill Feed, Coal, Portland Cement, Plaster, Post and Rails of all kinds. This week and at all times hereafter my stock will be complete to suit all seasons. No great display. No Misleading offers. Only fair and square dealing with all, at prices absolutely the lowest. Shoes and boots a specialty. Highest cash price paid for grain, hay and straw. MOTTET'S, MD.

JUDGE OF THE ORPHANS' COURT.

I hereby announce my self as a candidate for Judge of the Orphans' Court, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention. Respectfully,  
VICTOR E. ROWE,  
dec 24-6 Emmitsburg District, No. 5

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MALAY OIL CURES  
MALAY REMEDY CO.  
BALTIMORE, MD.  
SAMPLER POST PAID 25c  
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American Lever Watches,  
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G. T. EYSTER.

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PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM  
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never fails to restore Gray Hair to its youthful color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. Sold by all first druggists.

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SEWING MACHINES and Repairs.

Needles for all the leading machines. I am selling a leader in the way of Washing Machine.

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UNDERTAKING a Specialty. Embalming done by the latest, best and most improved method. A fine stock of coffins, caskets, trimmings and burial robes always on hand. I also carry in stock the New Boyd Patent Improved Grave Vaults, made of the best rolled steel, and costs but little more than the walling and cementing of a grave, and is guaranteed to be perfectly air tight, water proof and indestructible. Prices and terms reasonable. Calls promptly answered, day or night.

Very Respectfully,  
M. F. SHUFF,  
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**SUNLIGHT**  
Automatic Gas Machine.  
(IMPROVED.)  
YOU CAN NOW BE YOUR OWN GAS CO.  
PUT THE MATERIAL INTO ME and I WILL DO THE REST.  
NO LIMIT TO SIZES.

We have added important improvements to our SUNLIGHT GAS MACHINE. Seeing that it was all important to condense and purify the gas before being delivered to gasometer, and to dispense with the opening and closing of valves, which after many experiments, we have succeeded beyond our expectations. All the parts are now automatic. No valves to open or close or be neglected. There is not the smallest part about the machine which requires adjustment. The only attention required is putting in carbide, and a sufficient quantity can be put in to run ten, fifteen, twenty or thirty days, as may be desired, and as simple as putting coal into a stove. The machine being automatic in all its working parts, requires no expert to put in carbide. The carbide is put into retorts and only so much generated as will supply the burners whilst lighted. The form of the retorts makes a very convenient means for carrying out the slack. They are attached or detached by simply turning a T handle screw and carried away without relaxing hold on T handle, and can be attached with one hand in a few seconds. A very important point to be considered, as it is not possible to run out slack through a spigot, as some claim to do. It must be hooked or scraped out of all machines that throw carbide into water. The slack will solidify under water, making it impossible to run out through gas or light. One retort or all may be changed while lights are burning, as may suit convenience, and the odor so small it can only be detected by the most sensitive. The carbide will remain in retorts intact for any length of time, ready for use as gas may be wanted, and by this process the bell of gasometer never risks high enough to open blow-off valve, which would be a waste of gas, which has been a most difficult problem to solve, which we have done, and can hold the gas under perfect control, which shows the true work and safety of machine. We do not throw an uncertain quantity of carbide into water to make an uncertain quantity of gas to be blown out into their air when there is excess of gas. There is no complicated machinery, no levers, chains or trips that may fail to work. No variation in pressure by attachments to bell of gasometer which will vary lights. As to the bright light produced from Calcium Carbide, it is the most brilliant and beautiful light ever discovered. It gives fifteen times the light of ordinary illuminating gas per cubic foot. It is a pure white light. Its rays being almost identical with sunlight. Its cost is far less than any known illuminant. The lighting of burners starts the machine and when lights are put out the machine stops, and no gas is generated until burners are again lighted. The gas is not affected by heat or cold. As the new gas is far superior, and costs far less than coal gas, the gas companies finding they have a strong competitor, are hesitating nothing to do to warn the public of the danger of calcium carbide gas, which is less dangerous than coal gas or coal oil, with proper care. We have been testing the properties of calcium carbide, and we have been running machine for nine months, with gas jets burning directly over machines which clearly proves the safety of machine. All the working parts are made of brass and aluminum, and material, workmanship, etc. are of the best.

We ask an examination of our machine, and will guarantee all as represented. We are now ready to furnish the Improved Machine. Carbide will be furnished at cost to users of Sunlight machines.

J. T. HAYS & SON,  
Manufacturers and Patentees.  
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Fine Cambric and Nainsook Embroideries  
Laces, Etc.

We might spin a long yarn of where Embroideries and Laces come from; what the tariff is on them, how some are good and others are not, etc., all of which might be interesting to some, but the story we have to tell is of interest to all embroidery users—that is:—that we have opened up almost

Ten Thousand 10,000 Yards of these Goods

—and we assert—AT A PRICE FULLY

ONE FOURTH LESS THAN THE USUAL,

of most stores. How so? Why? Buying the quantity from the right people, the people who import them—putting only the usual profit on; our way, tells the whole story. Don't however, take our unsupported word for it. Come and see them, or if that is not practicable send for samples—but be sure and tell us about what widths you want, we'll cheerfully send them if we know what to send.

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# Emmitsburg Chronicle.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

NOTICE.—All announcements of concerns, festive, 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.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, FEB. 24, 1899.

The snow disappeared rapidly this week.

Another case of small-pox is reported in Cumberland.

Three cases of small-pox are in Pocomoke City, Worcester county.

The citizens of Rockville raised a large sum of money for the relief of local sufferers.

In Washington county large numbers of partridges were found lying on top of the snow, frozen to death.

A mad dog scare prevails in Montgomery county. Several mad dogs are running at large in that county.

Five oyster dredgers tramping from Drum Point through Calvert county toward Baltimore, perished during the past week in the blizzard snows.

The Public School teachers of Frederick county, will hold their annual institute meeting in the City Opera House, Frederick, for one week, commencing February 28.

At Upton, the stock farm of Captain William H. Baugher, near Ellicott City, sixty lambs and a number of hogs froze to death during the recent extremely cold weather.

NEGOTIATIONS are in progress in Baltimore for the consolidation of the Continental National Bank, the Traders' National Bank and the People's Bank, which is a State organization.

A FRAME building, 50 by 200 feet, owned by W. P. Towson & Co., Hagerstown, collapsed under its weight of tons of snow, crushing some machinery in the building.

FRED C. SCHOFIELD, Frostburg, got stuck in a snowdrift. Leaving his team for help, he returned to find his overcoat and other articles valued at \$50, stolen.

MR. JEREMIAH CROMER, well known throughout Frederick county, died Tuesday at his home, near Mount Pleasant, aged seventy-five years. He leaves a widow and six children.

An election was held on Saturday in four wards of Cambridge to decide whether or not the raising of hogs in that section of the town should be permitted. Three of the four wards voted overwhelmingly in favor of hogs.

JACOB F. LEMES, living on Route 1, near the depot, carried thirty-three hives of bees into his dwelling house out of the recent storm. He says they surely would have perished if he had left them out in the cold. Some persons at Sharpsburg took their pigs into their kitchens and put the chickens in cellars to prevent them from freezing to death.

AN INGENUOUS CLOCK. Mr. Ulsey Jeanneret, of Ellicott City, has constructed a novel and ingeniously contrived clock to indicate the differences in time at the principal cities of the world. On a brass plate eighteen inches square are twelve sets of hour and minute hands and as many separate dials. All the hands are moved with precision by the machinery that operates the central or Washington time dial.

JUDGE STAKE'S DECISION. When the civil appeal docket was taken up in court at Hagerstown, Judge Stake decided (the question being brought up by an attorney who asked if the costs had been paid by the appellant in a certain case) that the old statute, requiring the costs to be paid by the appellant before the appeal could be heard, was unconstitutional because the constitution guarantees to everyone the right to a trial by jury. Judge Stake has held this view ever since he went on the bench, in 1891.

SEVEN DAYS WITHOUT FOOD. Seven days without anything to eat or drink seems almost incredible, yet it appears that a horse in Rockville went through that trying ordeal. The report states that George Meade, found a horse in the fire engine house of Rockville, which had been confined there for seven days without food. Last week a man under the influence of liquor put the horse in the fire engine room to shelter him from the storm, tying him securely. Upon sobering he had for gotten what he had done with the animal and offered a reward for its recovery. Last Friday Meade went to the engine room to examine things and found the poor starving creature tied there. The horse had gnawed every thing within reach, including a blanket and several other articles. Upon being taken out the horse refused water, but ate the food given him ravenously.

CAN CUBANS GOVERN THEMSELVES? One of the best known diplomats recently declared that the Cubans are incapable of governing themselves, and that the United States must maintain its present control indefinitely, or else annex the island. There will be those who will dispute this, but there are none who dispute the well established fact that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is capable of controlling the common diseases of the stomach. It is a remedy that is backed by fifty years of success. It is an ideal medicine for constipation; a strength builder for those who are predisposed to lung troubles, and for nervousness it is a wonderful benefit. As an appetizer it is incomparable. Those whose stomachs are out of order should not fail to try a bottle.

## PERSONALS.

Rev. J. B. Manley has returned from his European trip.

Mrs. Lillie Steckman has returned to Carlisle, Pa.

Miss Fannie Hoke has returned home from Carlisle, Pa.

## WORK THIS PROBLEM.

The following arithmetical problem was handed to the CHRONICLE by a young mathematician:

Suppose a man had an iron bar one inch square at the end, what would be the side of a square at the end of a bar of the same length and half of the weight?

Let us have your answer.

## THE MODERN WAY.

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

## WILLIAM CROUSE DEAD.

Mr. William Crouse, a prominent aged citizen of Myers' district, Carroll county, died at Silver Run Saturday, aged eighty-four years. Shortly after the funeral services, which were held Tuesday, his widow suddenly expired. Her death was caused mainly by the infirmities of age and the intense strain occasioned by the death of her husband.

## A TEACHER TO BE TRIED.

Mr. W. E. Bangly principal of the Salysbury school, Garrett county, has been arrested on the charge of assault and battery upon two of the boys attending his school. The charge is that in administering punishment to the boys he used violence and beat them severely. The cases will probably go to the court, and counsel has been retained by the parents of the boys to assist the State's attorney in prosecuting the cases.

The report recently completed by State Surveyor Inspector Harvey Jones, at St. Michaels, Talbot county, shows that, beginning September 1, 1898, and ending January 1, 1899, a period of only four months, there have been caught by tongs no less than \$1,100 bushels of oysters, and the average price paid for them was fifty cents per bushel, or about twice as much as they averaged during the same period last year. This would make a total of \$40,580 paid to the tongs alone.

## PARTED IN A DREAM.

This song is a charming story of the parting of a brave American soldier, who fell at Santiago de Cuba, from his sweetheart. He appeared to her in a dream, the instant of his death, and in the waking dream he told her to wait for him, a rose in her hair, that he might surely know her when she came to meet him. The song makes one wish to take it home with him. The words and music were both written by our fellow craftsman, Hubert L. Hinkel, of Fort Arkinson, Wis., a son, by the way, of ex-Governor W. D. Hoard, of Wisconsin. The song (25c net) may be ordered of him.

## WILL SUCCEED MCCOMAS.

President McKinley on Tuesday sent to the Senate the nomination of Attorney-General Harry M. Clabaugh, of Maryland, to be associate justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. Mr. Clabaugh was elected attorney-general of Maryland and the clerk with Governor Lowndes and Comptroller Goldsborough in 1895. He was a leading member of the republican party and a close associate of the State central committee four years before his election as attorney-general. He was thoroughly identified with the "good government" section of his party and influential in its councils. He is a native of Carroll county and about forty-five years of age.

## A BLIZZARD VICTIM.

One tragical incident of the blizzard is revealed in Talbot county by the melting snow. Monday morning the corpse of a negro youth was found in a melted snowdrift by two colored men near Cordova. It was identified as the body of Perry Miller Debris, who must have died during the storm of Monday, Feb. 13. He was at Cordova that day and brought meats and gun boots. His body was found within 200 yards of his home, and the surrounding conditions showed that he had made a struggle for life. He was eighteen years old and in good standing among the people of his neighborhood.

## ICE IS INCHES ON THE HUDSON RIVER.

Mr. A. Annan Horner, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., writes the CHRONICLE as follows:—"I noticed in your paper of the 17th the estimate of snow and ice on the Hudson River, and I thought I would tell you how much more there is on the Hudson River. At this point there is 18 inches of ice and over 24 feet of snow. Large teams are driving across and it looks like a street. I walked out to the middle as the traffic was going on. The scenery is sublime at this point. There is a railroad bridge here that is 212 feet high. It is a fine structure."

## G. A. R. STATE ENCAMPMENT.

At the Annual State Encampment of the Department of Maryland, G. A. R., held in Baltimore, this week, Captain Lewis M. Zimmerman, of Post No. 2, Frederick, Md., was elected Department Commander, G. A. R., for Maryland.

The other officers elected were: David H. Moberly, Dunham Post, No. 3, Baltimore, senior vice commandant.

George Prochelt, Gosnell Post, No. 39, Arcadia, Baltimore county, junior vice commandant.

Dr. J. W. C. Cuddy, Veteran Post, No. 46, Baltimore, was re-elected medical director.

Rev. J. L. Grimm, of Harrisburg, Pa., who is a member of Dunham Post, No. 3, Baltimore, was re-elected chaplain.

## LIBERTY TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

The election for local township officers in Liberty township, Pa., on Tuesday was closely contested, although the republicans elected their entire ticket. The vote follows:

For Judge—Lewis Kries, rep., 65, Wm. Stahley, dem., 64; For Inspector—A. M. Manahan, rep., 72, James A. Baker, dem., 54; For Justice of the Peace—John D. Overholzer, rep., 73, Thomas Myers, dem., 48; For Supervisors—Charles Summers, rep., 66, Henry Boyd, rep., 67, George Shryock, dem., 63, J. Frank Topper, dem., 60; For School Directors—P. H. Riley, rep., 72, J. E. Zimmerman, rep., 86, D. H. Guise, dem., 55, John J. Sanders, dem., 43; For Auditor—Chas. Warren, rep., 67, Harry Plank, dem., 56; For Clerk—George Welty, rep., 73, James Sanders, dem., 49; For Constable—John Wagerman, rep., 81, Jas. A. Boney, dem., 51.

The democratic nominations were not filed with the County Commissioners in time to be printed on the official ballots, which necessitated the democrats to vote for their candidates in the blank column.

## DEATH OF HOWARD HOBBS.

Howard Hobbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hobbs, died at his home on West Railroad street, Urbana, Ill., on Friday Feb. 17, after an illness of several days. His ailment was membranous croup. It will be remembered James Hobbs, a brother of the deceased died on Tuesday, Feb. 14, from the same disease.

The deceased was born in Omaha, Neb., July 1, 1890, and has been a resident of Urbana for some time. He was a manly little fellow and bore his sufferings, which were beyond description, with much fortitude. About an hour before he died he told his parents he would soon be with Jimmie, meaning the brother that died a few days before. The grief stricken family have the sympathy of the entire community.

The remains were taken to Harrisburg, Pa., for interment. Mr. Hobbs is a former resident of this District, having removed to Urbana last fall. The two boys, whose deaths are recorded above, had the scarlet fever last fall, from which they never fully recovered.

## DEATH OF MRS. BAKER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, relict of the late James E. Baker, died at her home in Liberty township, Pa., last Friday morning, in the sixty-sixth year of her age. The deceased had been in ill health for sometime, suffering from the effects of paralysis, from which she never fully recovered.

The deceased is survived by five children, viz: Joseph E. Baker, of Easton, Mo.; J. Edward and Charles Baker, Mrs. Wm. J. Goulden, and Mrs. James A. Baker, all of this vicinity.

The funeral services were held at St. Joseph's Catholic church, this place, at 10 o'clock on last Monday morning. The interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. Rev. E. J. Leleux, officiated.

## GREENMOUNT HAPPENINGS.

A great deal of trouble has been experienced in getting the county roads open for travel, which were blocked by 6 to 10 feet of snow. At this writing the most of them can be traveled safely. "Poodle," the jumbo cat, of your correspondent, is dead, from the effects of old age. Poodle tipped the beam at 124 lbs.

The water in the creeks and runs is swollen considerably, the result of the melting snow.

Some of our people are nursing frozen feet, fingers and ears, caused by the recent blizzard.

Mr. Geo. Bowers is reported sick, also, Mr. Abraham Gering, who has the Grippe.

A great many upsets in sleighs has been reported, but we are glad to say no serious accident resulted.

The voters turned out well at the election on Tuesday, but we are unable to give the result of the election at this writing.

## CRIMINAL CHARGE.

FREDERICK, Md., Feb. 21.—Leonard A. Grossnickle was arrested this afternoon by Deputy Sheriff John Groff and committed to jail in default of \$1,000 bail. He was indicted by the grand jury, charged with forging a note for \$250 several months ago. The matter was discovered and the note promptly paid, but the paper got into the hands of the officers of the law, and the case was presented to the grand jury.

Mr. Grossnickle is forty years of age. He is prominently connected in Frederick county, and his father is a member of the board of county commissioners. He resides in the country, but came to town today to collect some insurance on some property destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.—Sun.

BEYOND THE DISCOVERY of One Minute Cough Cure, the money was greatly disturbed by coughing convulsions. No excuse for it now. T. E. Zimmerman & Co.

## SALE REGISTER.

February 25, Frederick Hahn will sell at his residence, on the David Giese property, on the road leading from Keyville to Donkey Creek, horses, cattle and real estate.

March 2, Chas. F. Hiteshaw will sell at his residence near Mott's Station, horses, cattle and farming implements.

March 4, D. G. Gillelan will have public auction in Gelwick's Hall, of store goods.

March 6, Joseph B. Trester will sell at his residence on the road leading from Keyville to Donkey Creek, horses, cattle and real estate.

March 8, John A. Bollinger will sell at his residence on the Littleton road, midway between Emmitsburg and Harney, horses, cattle and farming implements; also at the same time and place, Jacob Westright will sell farming implements.

March 20, John Sanders, Jr., will sell at his residence on the Oscar Sprenkle farm, near Jack's Mountain station, horses, cattle and farming implements.

March 23, J. C. Rosensteel will sell at his farm, near Mott's Station, stock and farming implements.

## A FAMILY IN PERIL.

The family of Mr. David Flock, residing about three miles southwest of Middletown, in Frederick county, had a narrow escape from death by asphyxiation from the gas of a coal stove on Saturday.

The family consists of five persons, namely, Mr. Flock, his wife, two children, aged four and six years, respectively, and Mr. Flock's sister-in-law, Miss Annie Sulzer. They all retired about 9 o'clock Friday night, and at noon on Saturday neighbors noticed the house was still closed and that none of the family were stirring.

Mr. Charles Bowles went to the front door and upon finding it locked kicked it in. As the door flew open a wave of coal gas rushed out of the room, almost overcoming him. He found all five of the family lying in bed with their eyes wide open. He exclaimed, "Why, folks, what does this mean?" Not a member of the family moved or replied. He then discovered that all were unconscious. Running to the stable, he jumped on a horse and rode to Middletown for Dr. E. L. Beckley, being compelled to go a roundabout way because the direct road was closed by snowdrifts. Mr. Beckley and Liveryman B. F. Groff were compelled to go over the same route and did not reach the house until 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. After considerable work Dr. Beckley succeeded in restoring all the members of the family. Mr. Flock was in the most serious condition of them all. The family had been in bed eighteen hours when discovered, and in all that time the gas had been escaping from a coal stove in an adjoining room, with the doors to the sleeping apartments open. The stove was throwing out gas when the family retired, as Miss Sulzer was made so sick that she fell and had to be helped to bed. The stove was defective and had been filling the house with gas for some time, but the family paid no attention to it, notwithstanding they were frequently made sick and had been warned of their danger by neighbors.

Mrs. Flock says she remembers her husband getting up during the night and falling. Thinking he was sick she got up and assisted him to bed and was about to get him some medicine, when she became unconscious and knew nothing until revived. Had they not been found as soon as they were they would have suffocated.—Sun.

## FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

FAIRFIELD, Feb. 21.—Mr. Wm. Reed, of Franklin county, is a visitor to this place.

Mr. Daniel Stoner, of this place, is very ill at this time.

The roads in this neighborhood were all drifted shut, as high as the fences. Many people who were visiting, were unable to return to their homes for a few days, until the roads were opened.

Your correspondent will never forget that eventful morning of March 25, 1865, thirty-four years ago, March 25, next, whilst the 20th Regiment, P. V., were encamped at Mead's Station, near Fort Steadman. On that morning the 20th regiment was ordered out quite early in the morning. The first command was "fall in every man," the Fort is taken. The rebels were loudly cheering, and it did not take long to get into line. Then came the command at will; loaded we were. The command was then given to charge on the enemy. The 20th had advanced far enough to have a cross fire on the enemy. We gave them all they were looking for. The enemy was driven back to their works. Our loss was very light, whilst that of the enemy was quite heavy. Your correspondent's mess was the following, all of whom are living at this time: J. C. Shertzer, of Fairfield; Hiram Eshelman, of Shertzer, Ill.; P. H. Riley, of Liberty township; Trimmer Riley, of Franklin county, Pa.; Joshua Cense, of near Orrtanna, and F. Shully. Five of the above are brother-in-laws. The 20th belonged to the 3rd Division 9 A Corps, General Hartraft.

## HARNEY ITEMS.

On Saturday Mr. R. S. Hill had a reception for Mr. and Mrs. George Valentine, who were married recently.

Miss Nettie Slagle is visiting friends in Hanover and Sell's Station.

Miss Cora Z. Herr returned to York last Monday.

The snow is fast disappearing and the sleighing is about over.

Mr. George and Elmer Eyer, who were here on account of the illness of their mother, have returned home.

"Old Uncle Jim" Eckenrode, who has been very ill, is out again.

Miss Nettie Herr, who has been visiting her parents, returned to Taneytown last Saturday.

The young folks from our vicinity who are attending Milton Academy, in Taneytown, were unable to attend last week on account of the blizzard.

Mrs. Kate Shoemaker is visiting friends in Emmitsburg, and before returning home expects to visit in Frederick.

Mr. James Slick and wife, who were visiting in Leitersburg, returned home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Charles H. Myers who has been spending a few weeks in Baltimore, visiting her sister, Mrs. Shaw, returned home last Saturday.

## FOR LA GRIPPE.

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash av., corner Jackson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia. For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

Mr. Charles E. Fink, of Westminster, has been appointed on the committee for admission to the bar by the State Bar Association.

## FROZEN TO DEATH.

The Pathetic Story Of An Old Man Who Lived By Himself In Howard County.

A special dispatch from Ellicott City, Md., to the Baltimore Sun, dated Feb. 19, says:—The death of Daniel Fredericks, an aged hermit, near Ellicott City, was in all its circumstances the most horrifying case of the kind ever brought to notice here. His body, which had been a prey to rats, was found in a little log cabin where he lived, Justice James F. Melvin, acting coroner, viewed the body. Evidences were so plain that the old man perished from the cold that a formal inquest was considered unnecessary.

The home of Daniel Fredericks, which he owned, with twenty or thirty acres of land, is back among the hills from Ellicott City, two miles from Ellicott City. It is almost inaccessible, the road to it leading up a ravine with steep sides and strewn with rocks. With snow banks many feet deep along the way, the journey to get there was hazardous. The cabin is scarcely ten feet square, with a room the same size forming its upper story. There were two beds upstairs, but it appears that the hermit lived his solitary life altogether in the lower room. In this was a stove and cooking utensils, a table and a lounge, the latter enlarged for sleeping purposes by the use of three chairs. Scant bedclothes were used, though there were plenty to keep a man warm if they had been brought down from the upper room. By the stove was a pile of kindling wood, still damp from the snow that had been driven in upon it by the raging blizzard.

The old man was lying on his back on the bed, both his feet touching the bare floor. He wore all his clothes except a coat, and his feet were inclosed in heavy socks. His right arm lay across his breast exposed. Over his face was a dark cloth that hid a fine head and regular features.

Except for the work of rats, which had gnawed away what little there was of the fleshy part of his arm and hand, the hermit looked as if lying in peaceful sleep when the coroner entered the room.

In a stable not far off, in every way in keeping with the dwelling in misery and neglect was found a dead horse, which had perished like his master from the cold. Two box-wood bushes by the path leading from the dwelling to the stable were the only evidences about the place that any attention had ever been given to its ornamentation.

Agnella Fredericks, the only son of the deceased, whose home is a quarter of a mile away, down the ravine, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, reported his father's death in Ellicott City. He said he visited his father's home for the first time since Wednesday, when he went up to take him food and to see after him. "I hurried to Ellicott City," he said, "when I found my father dead. When I was with him last he complained of having suffered some little from the cold. I got him more wood and started up his fire. He ate with hearty relish some hot soup I carried him. I would have climbed up the hill to see after him again the next day, but I had to go to town. I was horrified to find him dead. It was against my wishes that he persisted in his mode of life. Most of the time he would have nothing to do with anybody, but preferred to be by himself. He had three dogs, which I took home with me, and a horse, which I found had perished from hunger and cold. The dogs would have died also if I had not taken them away."

In a well-preserved family Bible is recorded the date of the old man's birth as January 28, 1821, so that he was in his seventy-ninth year. He came here when a young man from the neighborhood of Cokesville, Md., and his ancestors were well to do people of Pennsylvania.

## DANGERS OF THE GRIP.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. It will cure la grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by C. D. Eichelberger.

## Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home New York, break up colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Sore Throats. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

## CROWS EATING CROW.

Samuel Thomas, near Keedysville, Washington county, while watching a flock of hungry crows, which have not been able to get anything much to eat since the blizzard, noticed that six or eight of them commenced fighting several others until they were dead and then ate them.

J. SNEER, Sedalia, Mo., conductor on electric street car line, writes that his little daughter was very low with croup, and her life saved after all physicians had failed, only by using One Minute Cough Cure. T. E. Zimmerman & Co.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

As previously announced I will sell at public auction in Gelwick's Hall, beginning at 1 o'clock on the afternoon, and at 7 o'clock in the evening, of March 4, 1899, and continuing every Saturday afternoon and evening until all the goods are sold. D. S. GILLELAN.

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## KILLED WITH A RIFLE.

At 8:30 o'clock last Saturday morning Matthew H. Jones, aged thirty-three years, shot John Muir, aged twenty-two years, with a Winchester rifle in Lonaconing, Md., and the victim died in the afternoon at 4:45 o'clock, after lingering in an unconscious state for nine hours.

John Muir formerly lived with his parents in Lonaconing, but several years ago moved with his father William C. Muir, to Midland, Allegany county, where they were employed in the Ocean mine of the Consolidation Coal Company.

The parties to the tragedy and some other young men went, during the night or early morning, to the salar shop of William E. Bowden, where they had half a gallon of whiskey, which they drank. Jones fell asleep, and on waking said he had lost a five-dollar bill. The other members of the party resented his accusations and, Jones says, "I shot at him with my rifle about 4 o'clock in the morning, while the others were asleep. Jones left the place and went to the bar of the Maryland Hotel, where he had left his rifle with the barkeeper during the night. He put on his cartridge belt, which was also there, with thirteen cartridges in it, and proceeded across the town to the Bowden shop.

Witnesses say he rapped on the door and asked those within to come out; some say he called for Muir, who finally did go out, when Jones fired and a 32-calibre ball took effect in Muir's head, two inches above the left ear. It was also stated that immediately after firing the first shot Jones immediately reloaded the rifle.

The firing caused a number of persons to assemble quickly, among them Sub-Treasurer James M. Sloan, who had gone to his home in Lonaconing an hour before from Baltimore. Mr. Sloan's store is in the neighborhood where the shooting took place. He persuaded Jones to hand over the rifle, which he did. It was found to contain a cartridge. It is not a "repeating" rifle.

Drs. C. Brokawack and W. Q. Skilling were summoned and gave the wounded man proper attention, but it was evident from the beginning that the shot was mortal.

Jones was arrested and committed to jail in Cumberland, where he is now. A jury was summoned and after taking the testimony of a number of witnesses the jury rendered the verdict that "John Muir came to his death from a wound inflicted by a bullet fired from a rifle in the hands of Matthew Jones."

Jones is much worried over the affair and does not wish to see anyone. He threw his arms around the neck of a sympathetic officer and cried when he was put in prison. The officers say he was not yet over his debauch when he reached Cumberland. He is small in stature and of slender build. When not drinking he is quite unobtrusive. He has been always well liked. He is a native of Nova Scotia, having accompanied his parents to the Cumberland coal region when he was a child.

## NINETY PER CENT.

Of the people are afflicted with some form of humor, and this causes a variety of diseases. The reason why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail is found in the fact that it effectually expels the humor. Scrofula, salt rheum, boils and all eruptions are permanently cured by this great medicine.

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## KILLED HER YOUNG SON.

David M. Wachter, a well-known farmer of Lewistown, nine miles north of Frederick, went to Frederick city about 9 o'clock Tuesday night with his wife, Clara E. Wachter, and going to police headquarters turned her over to the custody of the law, charging her with having killed their sixteen-year-old son by suffocation Tuesday afternoon at their home during his absence.

Mr. Wachter drove up to the station with his wife, both of whom are about forty-two years of age, and gently assisted her from the spring wagon. Going up to Justice White he told him that his wife, who stood by his side, had, while laboring under temporary mental aberration, took their son, Robert E. Lee Wachter, a deformed and feeble-minded boy, and wrapping him up in a blanket, threw him into a large-sized trunk and, closing the lid down tightly, smothered him to death. He stated that she said "the child's time had come to go."

Mrs. Wachter all the while stood by utterly indifferent to the grave charge and did not seem to comprehend its nature. She merely remarked that she knew this act of hers would certainly kill her parents and bear heavily upon her husband, but she could not help it, as his time to go had come, and now that he was gone she was going to kill herself at the first chance, as her time had also arrived and she wanted to go and join Robert.

In reciting the facts to the magistrate the husband seemed distracted with grief and it was only by great effort that he did compose himself. After making his formal charge, which brought tears streaming down his cheeks, he escorted his wife, who was as composed and calm as she could be, down the steps to the street and helped her into the wagon again, and taking a seat by her side, Deputy Sheriff John Groff conveyed her to the Montevue Hospital, where she was placed in the insane department and a watch placed over her.

Mrs. Wachter was once before at the hospital for several months, where she was treated for insanity, and was only released recently and returned home by her husband and child. She is a daughter of Joshua Zimmerman, a farmer near Keedysville, who was killed by the Wachter home, near Lonaconing, to hold an inquest.

HAPPY is the man or woman who can eat a good hearty meal without suffering afterward. If you cannot do it, take KODOL DYSPEPSIA CURE. It digests what you eat,



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THE "KILLERS" OF TWO-FOLD BAY WHICH HELP THE FISHERMEN.

A Strange and Terrible Fish, and Its Peculiar Characteristics—Death to Whales and Sharks But Will Never Injure a Man—It Has Enormous Strength.

Two-fold bay, a magnificent deep-water harbor on the southern coast of New South Wales, is a fisherman's paradise, though its fame is but local, or known only to outsiders who may have spent a day there when traveling from Sydney to Tasmania in the steamers which occasionally put in there to ship cattle from the little township of Eden. But the chief point of interest about Two-fold bay is that it is the rendezvous of the famous "killers" (orca gladiators), the deadly foes of the whole race of cetaceans other than themselves, and most extraordinary and sagacious creatures that inhabit the ocean's depths. From July to November two "schools" of killers may be seen every day, either cruising to and fro across the entrance of the bay or engaged in a Titanic combat with a whale—a "right" whale, a "humpback" or the long, swift, "fin-back." But they have never been known to tackle the great sperm whale, except when the great creature has been wounded by his human enemies. And to witness one of these mighty struggles is worth traveling many thousand miles to see; it is terrible, awe-inspiring and wonderful.

The killer ranges in length from ten feet to twenty-five feet. Their breathing apparatus and general anatomy is much similar to that of the sperm whale. They spout, "breach" and "sound" like other cetaceans, and are of the same migratory habit as the two "schools" which haunt Two-fold bay, always leaving there about November 28 to cruise in other seas, returning to their headquarters early in July, when the humpback and finback whale make their appearance on the coast of New South Wales, traveling northward to the breeding-grounds on the Bampton shoals, the coast of New Guinea and the Moluccas.

The head of the killer is of enormous strength, the mouth being armed in both jaws with fearful teeth, from two inches to three inches long and set rather widely apart. In color they show an extraordinary variation, some being all one hue—brown, black or dull gray; others are black, with large irregular patches or streaks of pure white or yellow; others are dark brown with black and yellow patches.

And now comes the curious and yet absolutely truly described part that the killers play in this ocean tragedy. The killers, the moment the whale is dead, close around him, and, fastening their teeth into his body, bear him to the bottom. Here they tear out his tongue and eat about one-third of the blubber. In about thirty-six to forty hours the carcass will rise again to the surface, and as the spot where he has been taken down has been marked by a buoy, the boats are ready waiting to tow him ashore to the trying-out works. The killers accompany the boats to the head of the bay and keep off the sharks, which otherwise would strip off all the remaining blubber before the body had reached the shore.

The killers never hurt a man. Time after time have boats been stove in or smashed into splinters by a whale, and the crew left struggling in the water, to be rescued by the "pick-up" boat, and the killers swim up to them, look at—aye, and smell them—but never touch them. And wherever the killers are, the sharks are not, for Jack Shark dreads a killer as the devil dreads holy water. "Jack" will rush in and rip off a piece of blubber if he can, but he will watch his chance to do so.

**A Queer Legacy.**  
A gentleman who died at Mons, France, left a legacy of \$3,000 to five friends, the money to be spent on dinners served in different restaurants, and at each meal a certain dish to be eaten and a certain wine, of which he was very fond, to be drunk. Furthermore, his memory was to be toasted at dessert, the five companions were to dine in black clothes and black gloves, and enter the room preceded by a flag and the music of an accordion.

**A Funny Sight.**  
An English paper says that the hat of a certain short sighted master at Eton blew off one day, and as he started in pursuit a black hen dashed out of the gateway. The schoolmaster saw the hen, and thought it was his hat, and all Eton was electrified by the spectacle of a hatless and breathless schoolmaster hunting a black hen from one end of the street to the other.

**Jews of the World.**  
The Jewish year book estimates that there are about 11,000,000 Jews in the world, half of them still under Russian jurisdiction, notwithstanding their wholesale expulsion from the empire. Of the race in general it may be said that, numerically speaking, it is extremely small for its age, its chance of getting bigger apparently not increasing with its years.

**War Correspondents.**  
War correspondents were employed as far back as the time of Richard II. Scribes, specially commissioned, were sent up with the English army, which invaded Scotland at that time. But, incredible as it may seem, not one of the London newspapers was specially represented at the battle of Waterloo.

**Raffle of Bibles.**  
A raffle for Bibles takes place every year in the parish church of St. Ives, in Huntingdonshire. This quaint custom has been observed for 200 years.

**Champion Burglar.**  
In Vienna there is a burglar who has been convicted of breaking into 330 houses.

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**To Beautify Scrawny Necks.**  
Now that it has been discovered that the linen collars worn by women for several years are ruining the beauty of their necks, remedies for scrawny and wrinkled necks are in demand.

If there be a general absence of flesh on the body, careful dieting will do all that is required. As many as five meals a day may be indulged in, but they must be taken at regular hours, allowing sufficient time for digestion in between. Plenty of milk, milk puddings, eggs, bread, cakes, sweet fruits and all kinds of vegetables, meat well cooked and fish should be partaken of till signs of improvement are visible. Then care must be observed that one does not err in the other direction and become stout. When trying to put on flesh, avoid everything acid, take plenty of warm baths, and sleep and rest as much as possible.

But if it be only the neck and shoulders which are scraggy, and more flesh is not required or desirable on the rest of the body, a different method must be pursued. Cod liver oil can be easily taken in a little cold water, with a pinch of salt afterward to remove the taste.

The neck and shoulders must be bathed in warm water before retiring for the night, and olive or sweet oil well rubbed in. In the morning, after bathing, rub gently and in a circular direction for about ten minutes, followed by ten minutes' exercise with dumbbells.

Singing lessons always greatly improve the shape of the throat, as this has a great deal to do with breathing properly. Take a deep breath and hold it as long as possible. Keep the neck always well and warmly covered.

**Danger of Children Sucking Thumbs.**  
Although many babies thrive and grew up in spite of sucking their thumbs, perhaps many who died might have been saved if their mothers had prevented their doing so. At least that is the theory of Dr. Monae Lesser, who says that fever germs and all sorts of other germs may be carried to the system by putting the fingers in the mouth.

The careful mother of to-day, in her wholesome fear of deadly germs, must have no sympathy for her little one's determination to suck his thumb. She should exert all her self-control, when the temptation comes to her to yield to the little tyrant, to keep him quiet. Should the habit be a fixed one, she should treat the rebellious thumb to a coating of aloes, or its possessor to the more heroic remedy of a good spanking.

**Can Abuse Their Husbands.**  
In the matter of woman's rights Abyssinia is far ahead of Europe. According to an authority, the house and all its contents belong to her, and if the husband offends her she not only can but does turn him out of doors till he is duly repentant and makes amends by the gift of a cow or the half of a camel—that is to say, half the value of a camel. On the other hand, it is the privilege and duty of the wife to abuse her husband, and she can divorce herself from him at pleasure, whereas the husband must show reasons to justify such an act on his part.

**Accounted for.**  
Two Russian Jews who had concluded to take a bath went to a bath-house, where they were given tubs in the same apartment. They had finished their ablutions, and were rubbing themselves dry when one of them, looking into the tubs, exclaimed: "Vy, Isaac, your yater is dirtier as mine." "Vell," responded Isaac, "I was three years older as you are."

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## BITS OF KNOWLEDGE.

One swallow will do away with at least 6,000 flies a day.

Jingo is the name of a cemetery in Miami county, Kansas. Bicycles are now largely used in place of horses on little ranches. Hearing, as a rule, is more acute with the right ear than with the left. A German has invented a thimble of felt or gum for the use of pianists. The Mexico dog has no hair. The hot climate makes such a covering superfluous.

The average of wrecks in the Baltic sea is one every day throughout the year.

A physician declares that people who sleep with their mouths shut live longest.

A mixture of oil and graphite will prevent screws from becoming fixed, and protect them for years against rust.

The comptroller of Georgia estimates that \$300,000,000 of intangible property escapes taxation each year in that state.

Sweden is Europe's great timber field. Russia has the largest forests, but they are much less accessible than those of Sweden, which are usually near rivers or the coast.

The baya bird of India has the curious habit of fastening fire flies to its nest with moist clay. On a dark night such a nest might be taken for an electric street lamp.

**HERE AND THERE.**  
No fewer than 1,173 persons have been buried in Westminster Abbey.

The present system of musical notation was invented in the eleventh century.

Russia is said to own 3,000,000 horses nearly one-half of the whole number in existence.

A cubic foot of newly fallen snow weighs five and a half pounds, and has twelve times the bulk of an equal weight of water.

Among the Chinese a coffin is considered a neat and appropriate present for an aged person, especially if in bad health.

Stockings were first used in the eleventh century. Before that cloth bandages were used on the feet.

It is said that the ordinary carp, if not interfered with, would live about 500 years.

It took seven years to make a handkerchief for which the Empress of Russia paid \$5,000.

Ants have brains larger in proportion to the size of their bodies than any other living creature.

**ODD ITEMS FROM EVERYWHERE.**  
There are more than 6,000 known languages, of which the Chinese is the most.

The deer really weeps, its eyes being provided with lachrymal glands.

Russia has a business college at Kioff that was founded in 1588.

Fully 2,500 persons commit suicide in Russia every year.

The empire of Japan comprises today about four thousand rocky islands.

The sea coast line of the globe is computed to be about 36,000 miles.

The mines of Bavaria (coal and metal) yielded only \$2,700,000 last year.

In a hot night Paris consumes 55,000 quarts more water than when it is colder.

The fir tree is the commonest of all trees, being found in every part of the world.

No person in Norway may spend more than six cents at one visit to a drinking place.

New theatres to be erected in Paris will hereafter have to be approachable from all sides.

**GREAT THOUGHTS.**  
Who has not known misfortune, never knew himself or his own virtue. —Mallet.

Mankind in the gross is a gaping monster that loves to be deceived and has seldom been disappointed. —MacKenzie.

Leave not off praying to God; for either praying will make thee leave off sinning, or continuing in sin will make thee resist from praying. —Fuller.

More bashfulness without merit is awkward, and merit without modesty insolent. But modest merit has a double claim to respect. —Hughes.

Try to be happy in this very present moment and put not out being so to a time to come, as though that time should be of another make from this, which is already come, and is ours. —Fuller.

When all is done, human life is, at the greatest and best, but like a forward child that must be played with and humored a little to keep it quiet, till it falls asleep, and then the care is over. —Sir William Temple.

**SNAP SHOTS.**  
A tight fit—the delirium tremens. Always listen to an honest reason. Cupid is the only genuine optimist. In the house of the tambourist all dance.

The seed life—into a new life, and so does a man. Labor to show more wit in discourse than words. The joy that isn't shared with another eludes you.

God makes a character, and man makes reputation. Employment and ennui are simply incompatible. A smart man can learn a great deal from a fool.

He who stirs honey must have some stick to him. The man who wins the fight doesn't mind the scar.

## THE ELECTRICAL FAN.

It Makes Aunt Hannah Panicky About Her Work in the Kitchen.

An electric fan placed in a southern dining room, discomfited one of the colored attaches of the household. One of them, a stout "auntie," stopped and gaped ostentatiously every time she passed before it.

"What de matter, Aunt Hannah?" asked the boy who was supposed to help around the kitchen and who was her especial aversion. "What makes you keep shyn' like a hoss?"

She disclaimed to answer, but chancing to pass the fan again, gave another gasp.

"Is you got de asthma, or is you jes' panthin' 'cause it's wahm?" "Sonny," she responded, slowly, "I desires to ax you sumpin'. Is you fishin' for trouble? Case if you is, you wants ter watch you cark. You's got a bite right now."

"No 'indeed. I isn' lookin' foh no trouble. I was merely 'quirin' afteh you health an' comfort. I wanted ter make sho' whether you was a-skyah't o' dat fan."

"Me a-skyah't a' dat!" she exclaimed, with great contempt. "Tse humiliated. Dat's whut I is. An' I guess dey is mo' service places don dis, so's I won' hafter quit workin' when I's left."

"Is you gwine away?" "I is."

"What's yoh dissatisfaction?" "Laziness. White folks' laziness. I doesn't speck quality folks to wuck hard. But dah's such a thing as kyahnyin' luxury an' ease too far foh respectability. I doesn't blame 'em foh gettin' red o' de cookin' an' clamin' an' passin' de dishes at dinner. But when dey gits so dey's got ter set up machinery to help 'em draw their bref, I tells you, chile, dey's got clean past de limits ob gentility."

**He Didn't Collect It.**  
"I shall have to ask you for a ticket for that boy, ma'am."

"I guess not."

"He's too old to travel free. He occupies a whole seat and the car's crowded. There are people standing up."

"That's all right."

"I haven't any time to argue the matter, ma'am. You'll have to pay for that boy."

"I've never paid for him yet, and I'm not going to begin to do it now."

"You've got to begin doing it some time. If you haven't had to put up any fare for him you're mighty lucky, or else you don't do much traveling."

"That's all right."

"You'll pay for that boy, ma'am or I'll stop the train and put him off."

"That's all right. You put him off if you think that's the way to get anything out of me."

"You ought to know what the rules of this road are, madame. How old is that boy?"

"I don't know; I never saw him before. If you want a ticket for him you'd better ask that old gentleman down the aisle. He got on with him."

**Leaving Out Personal Prejudice.**  
A Texas judge was robbed of a horse not long ago, and the thief, being apprehended, was brought before him for trial. The judge eyed the prisoner with deep satisfaction for a minute or so, and then delivered himself of the following:

"Owing to a personal prejudice, the court will not hear this case. It will be tried by the bailiff, who will find a verdict in accordance with the facts. In the meantime," he added, impressively, "the court will go outside and bend a rope and pick out a good tree."

**Cake Joke.**  
He—"What is this, dear?" She—"Pound cake."

"Isn't it rather small for its weight?"

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"Is you got any possessions dar?" "No; I ain't got no regular possessions; only jes, a coal'n' station."

**Watch Children's Ears.**  
Mothers should be careful in tying a cap or bonnet down over the little one's ears. The ears should be laid flat against the side of the head instead of carelessly folded forward. It is this carelessness on mothers' part that results in the wide spread ears that deform so many grown people's heads.

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9:50	Great Spring	8:50	1:10
9:55	Charle	8:55	1:15
10:00	Smithsburg	9:00	1:20
10:05	Williamsport	9:05	1:25
10:10	Williamsport	9:10	1:30

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