

MR. WITHEROW'S MOVE ON THE BIG TRUST.

My me! what perils do environ the man that meddles with cold iron? This is what a poet said long ago. Now we are impressed with the fact that to meddle with cold iron is equally perilous and to meddle with hot steel is even worse in a financial way than to meddle with cold steel.

It will become apparent in explaining the present troubles that those who meddle with the United States Patent Office also become envolved with occasional perils.

KNOW TAKES THE OATH. WASHINGTON, April 9.—Mr. Philander C. Knox, of Pittsburg, who succeeded Attorney-General Griggs at the head of the Department of Justice, was sworn in at 10.30 this morning in the Cabinet room of the White House.

Mr. Knox and his son arrived in Washington from Pittsburg at 8.30 o'clock this morning. They were accompanied to the White House by C. O. L. Cooper, who was Attorney-General Griggs' private secretary and who may continue with Mr. Knox in a similar capacity.

250,000 FIRE IN RICHMOND. RICHMOND, Va., April 10.—The large retail dry goods store of Julius Meyers' Son was destroyed by fire this morning.

AVOID ALL DRYING INHALANTS and use that which cleanses and heals the membrane. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and cures Catarrh easily and pleasantly.

ANOTHER TRUST BEING PLANNED. MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 9.—Allis, representing the great plant of the E. P. Allis Company, is in New York in connection with a proposition to consolidate all the big machinery and stationary engine plants of the country.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable.

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CLAIMS ARE LARGE. Of the great Powers that took a prominent part in suppressing the Boxer outbreaks in China, Russia is the one that demands the largest cash indemnity.

Further advice received by the State Department from Commissioner Rockhill report progress in the consideration of the indemnity question, but give no assurance that the tremendous total to be demanded from China will be materially lessened.

The Japanese Minister, Mr. Takahara, received official advices from the Foreign Office at Tokio entirely dispelling the alarming reports as to a Russo-Japanese rupture and showing that the Japanese Government accepted the latest declaration of Russia on Manchuria with the same sense of satisfaction that it had been received in the United States.

DRY GOODS TRUST A REALITY. NEW YORK, April 10.—The rumors of a projected consolidation of department stores in this city have been confirmed.

TO TEST CHEAP ARMOR PLATE. An interesting test of a new kind of armor plate for warships will be conducted in a day or two at the Indian Head proving grounds.

125 MILES AN HOUR. Experiments with fast-flying electric trains between Berlin and Hamburg, Germany, have demonstrated that a speed of at least 125 miles an hour can be attained without difficulty.

MRS. SARAH COOPER, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., celebrated her one hundred and third birthday last Saturday.

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WILL CUBA BOYCOTT US? The commercial advantages which the United States Government had hoped to foster and enjoy as a result of its proteratorate and uncertain future relations with Cuba have not followed in the expected channels.

Perhaps when it is found that the Cubans have undertaken a more or less serious commercial boycott the Administration will speed the fulfillment of its promises.

DO NOT LEAVE HOME ON A JOURNEY without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be procured while you are on board the cars or steamship.

BOTTLE FLOATED NINE YEARS. After having been tossed about on the Atlantic ocean for nine years a note enclosed in a bottle that had been thrown overboard in mid-ocean by Miss Ada A. Griffith, of Newark, while she was returning from Europe, has just been returned to that young lady from Norway.

"I HAD piles so bad I could get no rest nor find a cure until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. After using it once, I forgot I ever had anything like piles."

SO MANY PENNSYLVANIAN have preceded Mr. Knox in the office of Attorney General that he ought to find a home-like atmosphere prevailing in his new quarters.

IF YOU are scrofulous, dyspeptic, rheumatic, troubled with kidney complaint, general debility, lacking strength, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

EMMIT HOUSE. JACOB SMITH, PROP. W. MAIN ST., EMMITSBURG, MD.

Perfect Health. Keep the system in perfect order by the occasional use of TUTT'S Liver PILLS.

PERSECUTED FOR 20 YEARS. INDIANAPOLIS, April 7.—John Matthews, a prosperous farmer of Dayless county and a victim of a mysterious persecution for 20 years, moved to this city today.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? Benson's Plaster is Pain's Master.

IN HARMONY. In Nature this season of the year, when bursting buds and flowers vie with the sweet chorus of the songsters of the air.

STIEFF PIANOS. Produce a chord of harmony at the fireside and bring cheer and happiness to all.

"PLANE" TO BE SEEN. It is plain to be seen that "International" Suits are perfect suits.

25 TO 75 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES. I have from 25 to 75 head of Horses and Mules on hand at Littlestown at all times.

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THE Rev. Jacob Schiegel, pastor of the Dutch Reformed Church in New York, holds a record of having married 3000 couples since he came to this country in 1877.

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G. W. Weaver & Son. GETTYSBURG, PA.

Dry Goods, Notions, Carpets. Let us talk about CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS, and those who have moved their residence, must buy furnishings from some one.

G. W. WEAVER & SON. WE know that the saving we give in prices in addition to a larger stock and assortment than can be found anywhere else, is worth a trip of some distance.

FINE HORSES. I have at my stables in Emmitsburg, a lot of unusually fine Virginia Horses and Mares, suitable for all purposes.

PARKE'S HAIR BALSAM. Cleanses and beautifies the hair, promotes its growth, and prevents it from falling out.

ORDER NISI ON SALES. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. FREDERICK, MD., March 18, 1901.

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

COUNTRY PRODUCE ETC. Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.

AXMINSTERS, WILTON VELVETS, 5 GRADES TAPESTRY, BRUSSELS, PARK MILLS INGRAINS, GRANITES, DOMESTIC STRIPES, 10 Grades of Homemades, Jap and China Matting, LINOLEUMS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, SHADES--All Grades--Plain and Trimmed, Lace Curtains 40c. to \$7.00, PORTIERES \$1.85 to \$14.00, Curtain Fixtures, Etc., Etc.

MEETING OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS. A regular meeting of the Board of County School Commissioners of Frederick County, Maryland, will be held in their office at the Court House, on WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, APRIL 24th and 25th, 1901.

HOKE & ANNAN'S Marble Yard, EMMITSBURG - MARYLAND. Monuments, Tombstones and cemetery work of all kinds.

Funeral Directors. THE UNDERTAKING BUSINESS, formerly conducted by Topper & Hoke, will be continued by the undersigned at the old stand on West Main Street, in Emmitsburg.

VINCENT SEBOLD, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, EMMITSBURG, MD. Office on East Main Street, near the Public Square.

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Wheat, (try) \$.70 Bys. 45 Oats 35 Corn, new, shelled per bushel \$.80 @ 12 50

Butter 16 Eggs 7 Chickens, per lb. 19 Spring Chickens per Bu. 10 Turkey, per Bu. 10 Ducks, per Bu. 8 Potatoes, per bushel 5 Dried Cherries, (seeded) 9 Raspberries 5 Blackberries 5 Apples, (dried) 3 Peaches, (dried) 5 Onions, per bushel 50 Lard, per Bu. 5 Beef Hides 6

STEERS, per Bu. \$ 4 00 FRESH COWS, per Bu. \$ 20 00 Fat Cows and Bulls, per Bu. \$ 12 00 Hogs, per Bu. 6 50 Sheep, per Bu. 8 00 Lambs, per Bu. 4 00 @ 4 50 Calves, per Bu. 5 00

