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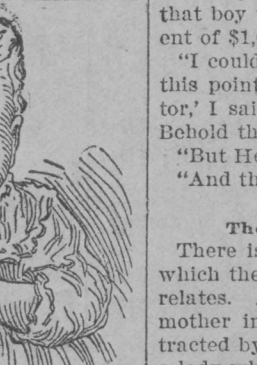
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AN ODD SUPERSTITION.

The Devil Hunting Cure For a Mad Dog Bite in Tunis. A woman, having been bitten by a mad dog, was subjected to a native cure in the market place at Tunis.

COLOR IGNORANCE.

It is a Matter Wholly Apart From Color Blindness. Color blindness was the topic under discussion. "They tell me I'm color blind," said the lawyer, "but I don't believe it."

BRUTAL COLT TRAINING.

How Farmer Perkins Used Strategy and a Bull Whip. There is a right way and a wrong way of breaking a colt to halt.

ORIENTAL SQUATTERS.

Most artists depicting the east show men sitting crosslegged, tailor fashion. Easterners don't sit like that.

How They Are Kept.

Miss De Style—He said I was a little flower, that he intended to keep me. Miss Gumbusta—I noticed him pressing you.—Smart Set.

His Idea.

Huntswill—It seems that in all railroad accidents the first and last cars are always the ones that are injured.

Accused.

"My wife and I agree perfectly about some things," remarked Mr. Meekton, with a gentle smile.

Agreed.

"Yes; when anything goes wrong I take it for granted that it is my wife and Henrietta always think so too."

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MET A SUDDEN DEATH.

Colored Youth Killed at Buckeystown Brick Works

Roger Garner, a colored youth employed at the Buckeystown Brick Works, was almost instantly killed shortly before 11 o'clock Tuesday morning by being caught between a loose belt and a revolving shaft on the second floor of the building at the plant.

Garner, who was employed to attend to a screen on the second floor of the building, had, it is supposed, stepped out upon a beam to look through an opening in the floor, at the men at work on the floor below. In stepping to the floor his left foot became entangled in a loose belt hanging near a shaft and which bound his leg to the revolving shaft. The sound made by his body as it was pounded against the floor attracted the attention of other workmen and the machinery was stopped and Garner released from the shaft. He was then unconscious, and though he continued to breathe for a short time he died soon after 11 o'clock. His left leg was badly mangled, but otherwise his body was not greatly disfigured and his death is supposed to have been due to internal injuries.

Garner was about 16 years of age and was a son of William Garner, of Buckeystown.

SWEPT OVER DAM.

Thrilling Wreck of a Canal Boat in The Potomac.

The Canal Towage Company's boat No. 5, in charge of Capt Joseph Kime, of Cumberland, was blown by a fierce gale at 10 o'clock last Friday morning over dam No. 5 in the Potomac river, six miles west of Williamsport.

Captain Kime's 8-year-old daughter, who was on the boat, was drowned.

Captain Kime himself was so badly injured that it is thought he will die.

Clara, another daughter of Captain Kime, aged 10 years, had her left arm broken and received other serious injuries.

Harry Newkirk, who lives at the lock, went down with the boat. He was seriously cut and bruised and had nearly all his teeth knocked out.

Five persons and two mules were on the boat, and the wonder is that all were not killed. A terrific gale was blowing. The boat was empty and going toward Cumberland. Lock Tender Daniel Sterling warned Captain Kime of his danger, but he went on. The boat passed through the guard lock and around the pier and out into the river. This was necessary on account of the canal being too shallow at this point for boats to go through.

The mule team had crossed the lock to the towpath on the right side of the canal above the lock, and as the boat was going out into the river the wind twisted the craft around. The tow line snapped and the wind drove the boat rapidly toward the dam, which is 25 feet high. Captain Kime's wife and two children, who were on deck, rushed for safety into the cabin. Captain Kime, who was steering, bravely stuck to his post. The boat was turned broadside about 150 yards from the edge of the dam, over which it plunged near the middle of the river. The boat struck on its side in water and rocks. Captain Kime was thrown 25 feet in the air and landed on his side on the boat. He was washed overboard. Inside the cabin his frantic wife and children were tossed from side to side. The eldest child was struck by the stove and wedged against the bank. The youngest child was carried through the window into the river and drowned in 10 feet of water. Mrs. Kime was knocked against the side of the cabin and rendered senseless. Newkirk was thrown into the water among rocks. After the boat struck it righted and was partly filled with water. It was badly damaged.

The lock tender and several companions went in boats to the assistance of those on the boat. Mrs. Kime and one of the children were pulled out of the cabin and rowed ashore. The child was bleeding and unconscious. Captain Kime and Newkirk were picked up and taken to the lock house. A messenger on horseback was dispatched to Williamsport for Dr. W. S. Richardson, who hurried to the scene and remained five hours with the injured.

Captain Kime, who is 65 years old, is injured internally. The body of the drowned child was swept down stream by the current.

FAMOUS SNAKE CATCHER IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

It is Thought That He Has Been Poisoned By The Bites Of Serpents.

William Witmer, residing in Casaztown district, Washington county, at the foot of South mountain, who is familiarly known as "Rattlesnake Bill," having earned his sobriquet by his skill and daring in capturing and handling rattlesnakes and all kinds of poisonous reptiles, is reported to be seriously ill from a peculiar disease which some believe have been caused by snake poison.

For years Witmer has been catching rattlers and copperheads and every kind of snake that comes within his reach, and he has been bitten as many times probably as the number of snakes he has captured represents, but he has never suffered any effects from the poison. The secret remedy he possesses has never been known to fail, as he has used it in many instances and always with the same results. Witmer has such confidence in his antidote that he has allowed rattlers and copperheads to bite him on the arms and hands and sink their fangs into his bosom to prove the efficacy of his remedy.

While the exact symptoms of his malady are not stated, it is understood that he exhibits some signs of being affected with something like a slow poison, or it may be an incipient fever. He is described as lying in a half stupor, with light convulsions at intervals. He takes little nourishment and his condition is said to be such as to indicate a more serious trouble to follow. His wife, who is versed in the treatment of snake poison, has been administering to him herbs, teas and home made brews calculated to counteract the effect of any poisonous matter in his system or check a fever.

Since the first sign of spring and the awakening of snakes after their long winter sleep Witmer has been active in pursuing his occupation of catching rattlers, and his den now contains a number of these scaly reptiles and others, including copperheads and blacksnakes. He has been bitten several times already during his excursions into the mountains after snakes, but as usual he applied his remedy and apparently did not suffer any ill effects from the poison. Among the mountain people there is an opinion that Witmer's trouble is snake rabies, produced by being bit so many times. It is argued that the amount of poison that has been injected into his blood is just manifesting itself and the prospects for his recovery are doubtful.

CORPORATION ELECTION.

An Unusually Heavy Vote Pollled At The Election On Monday.

The annual corporation election for a burgess and six commissioners to administer the affairs of Emmitsburg during the ensuing year, was held at the Fireman's Hall, on Monday, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M. The election was held by Mr. William Morrison, as judge, and Mr. William Nune-maker, clerk.

There were no candidates in the field until the morning of the election, when there appeared two tickets. These tickets were headed: "Citizens' Ticket" and "Anti-Pole Ticket," the latter being the successful ticket. One hundred and fifty-four votes were cast on Monday, while at the election in 1902 only 64 votes were polled. This shows that considerable interest was taken in the election at the last moment.

The Successful Candidates

The following candidates were elected: For Burgess, P. J. Snoffer; Commissioners—Messrs. Oscar D. Frailey, J. Thos. Gelwicks, C. T. Zacharias, Michael Hoke, John T. Long, and Dr. J. W. Eichelberger.

The vote in full:

For Burgess	90
Enoch L. Frizell	63
For Commissioners	118
*Oscar D. Frailey	100
J. Thos. Gelwicks	88
C. T. Zacharias	87
Michael Hoke	87
John T. Long	87
Dr. J. W. Eichelberger	94
A. M. Patterson	68
H. M. Ashbaugh	72
M. F. Shuff	61
John Dukelhart	61
Charles O. Rosensteel	58
*Oscar D. Frailey was on both tickets.	

There were a number of scattered votes polled.

FIVE MEN BADLY WOUNDED.

Henry Mobly And John Jacobs Fatally Injured.

At the Eckerson stone quarries, in Montgomery county, late Tuesday afternoon two men were fatally wounded and two others badly injured by a premature blast. Henry Mobly, aged 18 years, who had charge of the work of loading the blast, was standing over it and beside him was John Jacobs, time-keeper; William Price and Fred Dorsey, colored. Jacobs and Mobly were thrown up into the air. Price and Dorsey were thrown backward. Mobly received injuries that may be fatal; one side of his face having been blown away and probably both eyes put out, with a deep gash across his head. One side of Jacobs' head was partly crushed in and his face and nose were blown off. No hope is entertained for his recovery. Price and Dorsey received painful wounds also about the face and body. Jacobs is about 27 years old and came from Duffields, W. Va. Henry Mobly is a son of Malton Mobly, track foreman for the Baltimore and Ohio at Eckerson. William Price, aged 45, a native of Eckerson and has a wife and four children. Fred Dorsey, colored, is from Sugarland, Montgomery county, Jacobs and Mobly were sent to a hospital in Baltimore Tuesday night on a late train. The others will be held for treatment at Dickerson.

FOREST FIRE EXTINGUISHED.

Firefighters Overpower the Flames—Much Timber Destroyed.

The large fire which raged in the mountains northwest of Highfield, since Thursday evening was practically extinguished Sunday. Large areas of valuable timberland were burned over, entailing a loss of thousands of dollars. The land is owned by a large number of individuals. Nearly all of it was covered with timber and in a number of cases sawed wood and poles were destroyed. The land burned over included 100 acres belonging to the Buena Vista Springs Improvement Company. Some of the individual losers are as follows: Miller & Donnelly, 100 cords of hickory wood, ready for the market, and about 50 cords of wood, Nicholas Bonebrake, a cord of timber on a 100 acre tract; Daniel Bessler, a lot of telephone poles and about 40 cords of wood; Benjamin Shockey, several hundred crosses, a number of poles and some sawed lumber; Dr. Benjamin Frantz, on whose farm about one-half of the fencing was burned, Harry J. Gehl, Lorenza Criley, C. C. Shockey, Mrs. Sprentel Mrs. Hess, D. Y. Snowberger, Mrs. Mary Friedley, Milton McClary and others, all of whom lost heavily of timber and fences. For a time Buena Vista Hotel was in danger. W. E. Harbaugh, who has charge of the hotel during the closed season, had a force of two dozen men at work fighting the fire.

AN UNKNOWN SUICIDE.

Stranger Takes His Life Near New Market. Slashed Throat With Razor.

The body of an unknown man, with his throat cut from ear to ear, was found last Sunday night by John Thomas and Frank Sewell, two colored men, lying beside the fence of Mr. George Rena's property, along the Baltimore turnpike, a short distance east of New Market. A razor with which the man had cut his throat was lying beside him.

Justice Smith, of New Market, was notified and held an inquest. The jury of which Charles M. Utz was foreman, rendered a verdict of suicide. The body was taken under charge by Falconer Brothers, undertakers. A photograph was taken of it and Monday afternoon it was taken to Montevue and buried.

The man was apparently about forty years of age. He had dark brown hair and was partly bald. He had blue eyes and a beard of a few days growth. He wore a brown coat and vest, black trousers, black slouch hat and kangaroo shoes. In his pockets were found \$20.81 in money and a piece of paper on which was written: "Mrs. Pluster, 185 First avenue between 11th and 12th St."

The man was seen about 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening when he entered the yard at the residence of Miss Will-Jess, near the place where the body was subsequently found, and ask a colored man for a drink of water. It is not known how long after that time it was when he ended his life.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

John Welsh was placed on trial Monday for killing Motorman Charles Grimes, of the Cumberland Electric Railway at Narrows Park on January 17. Grimes was shot by Welsh as the former, according to the statement of Mrs. Welsh made on the stand, was handing her a bottle of laudanum which he had purchased for her. She further testified that she requested Grimes to walk away from the light, as they might be watched. They had walked a short distance when Welsh came up with a revolver and exclaimed: "I've got you!" She then attempted to shield Grimes, but her husband shot around her twice.

A Little Early Riser

now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectively, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if there use is continued for a few days, there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

THE ANNAPOLIS TEA PARTY, OCT. 15TH, 1774.

Some people would have it that the shrewd Yankees who disguised as Indians threw the tea-chests into the harbor of Boston, did not let it go to waste, but had friends in rowboats who rescued the jetsam and enjoyed many and many a tea party at their own homes in consequence. The proud Marylanders disdained such questionable conduct, and showed the earnestness of their opposition to the Stamp Act, by burning a ship-load of the tea in the harbor of Annapolis the Capital of the Colony, and still the Capital of the State of Maryland. A gentle singer on the fair banks of the Hagdon thus relates the famous deed:

Peggy Stewart Tea Party, Annapolis, 1774

More than a hundred years ago, When George the Third was King, The grave and solemn parliament, Thought a tax the proper thing: So that the American Colonists For royal states should pass, And be they governed well or ill, Never a word should say.

Both heads and tongues wagged busily, In the Thirteen Colonies; When news of this unjust Stamp-Act Was brought across the seas, They argued early, argued late, And made a federation Resolved upon resistance, To say such taxation.

Then news came from old England The duty should be paid, From some of their taxed comforts And levied only upon tea, Then vowed each good colonial dame The cheering cup to shun, Though very thirsty might go From more till set of sun.

On the fifteenth of October, Seventeen hundred, seventy-four, The staunch brig Peggy Stewart, Approached the Chesapeake shore, She brought good stores from England, Within her generous hold, Which for her owners' profit Once landed, should be sold.

But alas for Peggy Stewart! And for her owner bold, She bore parcels of the tobacco tea, Just seventeen, all told, And the skipper Anthony Stewart, The duty on them paid, That the landing of his merchandise, Might be by no means galled.

This made a great commotion, In Annapolis, they say, For all the party citizens, They nearly met that day, They assembled the Convention, Which held a lengthy session, To pass sentence on poor Peggy, And teach Anthony a lesson.

Poor Stewart now in wild alarm Plead guilty to his treason, And straight declared that he would pay Any fine that was in reason, The citizens should lay on him And would destroy the nation, That had caused all this trouble sore, Where the populace could see.

This did not suit the people bold Who with loud condemnation, Made vow to burn his vessel prim Despite the English nation, The skipper was a weather-wise man And saved the only way, He said he'd burn his lovely Peg Before the close of day.

He ran her down to Windmill Point, And when she was ashore, Set her on fire with his own hands, To burn her out to core, The crowd did shout and cheer him, As away from her he fled, And they watched her burning madly, With all her tratorous load.

So paid up Tony Stewart then His crime against his friends, And the good brig Peggy vanished thus For his treason the amends, Thus the sons of Maryland, In broad daylight material, Their right to say what tax they'd pay Nor was their deed in vain.

The flame from Peggy's funeral pyre Lit every colony, And soon on every hillside blazed The torch of Liberty, Then let us ever praise the Lord And ever do his will, That he who gave us Freedom then May guard it for us still.

—Santa Maria Reading Circle, Foughtkeepsle, N. Y., May 1, 1903.

INSPECTION OF ORCHARDS.

Several cases have occurred recently where fruit growers have taken the advice of unknown or irresponsible agents to destroy their orchards infested with San Jose Scale or other insects or diseases, the agent thus securing a sale of trees for a new orchard at the expense of the grower, who with proper care might have saved his trees and made them profitable for many years.

Local inspectors have been engaged in various parts of Maryland to assist the officers of the State Horticultural Department in inspecting orchards for San Jose Scale, peach yellows, etc., and they will be given certificates, showing their identity. This certificate can be seen by any person whom they visit. These inspectors are men of experience in horticulture and are familiar with our injurious insects and diseases, and are responsible to the State Horticultural Department for their actions. They can give necessary advice to growers on horticultural subjects and may often assist them in spraying or otherwise caring for their trees. Further information on this subject or anything relating to horticultural work and injurious insects or diseases, may be obtained by addressing the State Horticultural Department, College Park, Md., Thomas B. Symons, Acting State Entomologist; J. B. S. Norton, State Pathologist.

BRAIN-FOOD NONSENSE.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aids digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get this reliable remedy at T. E. Zimmerman & Co., Price 25c and 75c.

John J. Hess, a well digger, of near Hancock, was arrested in Fulton county, Pennsylvania, charged with disposing of his property after he had applied for the benefit of the Bankruptcy law. When the Pennsylvania officer attempted to turn him over to the Maryland officer, at the Maryland line, Hess broke away and fled into the forest.

Spring Medicine

There is no other season when good medicine is so much needed as in the Spring.

The blood is impure, weak and impoverished—a condition indicated by pimples and other eruptions on the face and body, by deficient vitality, loss of appetite, lack of strength, and want of animation.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Make the blood pure, vigorous and rich, create appetite, give vitality, strength and animation, and cure all eruptions. Have the whole family begin to take them today.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been used in our family for some time, and always with good results. Last spring I was all run down and got a bottle of it, and as usual received great benefit. Miss BEULAH BOWEN, Stone, Va.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keep the prosaic.

LAW SUCCESS

The result of the first year's trial of the new magistrates' law for Hagerstown, just closed, has been a financial saving and a mitigation of evil.

Under the new law Justice Ernest Hoffman and Charles Johnson have been in office for a year and their report shows that during the time there have been 532 state cases, 346 before Justice Hoffman and 186 before Justice Johnson. The two justices turned over to the county \$900 in fines and costs collected. The salary of each justice is \$75 a month from the county. It is claimed that the expenses under the new law are two-thirds less than under the fee system.

The Wastes of the Body

Every seven days the blood, the muscles and bones of a man of average size loses two pounds of wortnut tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength kept up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions, the strength lets down, health gives way, and disease sets in. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

FOR REST.—The two-story brick house on Gettysburg street, known as the Houck property. Apply to Vincent Sebold, Trustee. Feb.-27-tf.

Strength and vigor come of good food duly digested. "Force," a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates. Mar. 20-tf.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder for the feet. It cures Swollen, Scalded, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. At all Druggists and shoe stores. 3c. Ask to-day.

CHILD'S FACE AND BODY SEVERELY BURNED.

The 4-year-old daughter of John Flauser, of Highfield, was severely burned about the face, chest and hands last Thursday afternoon, while playing near some burning shrubbery. Her dress caught fire and her screams brought her father to the scene. He quickly extinguished the flames but burned his hands badly. Dr. Percy D. Hoover, of Waynesboro, was summoned and rendered the necessary surgical aid.

Many have "Blues," Tired Feeling, Headaches, Constipation, or indigestion. A positive cure may be had in Victor Liver Syrup.

Dr. G. G. Green, of Woodbury, New Jersey, Sole Manufacturer of Green's August Flower and Bechee's German Syrup, whose advertisement appears in our paper regularly, will send to anyone mailing a two cent stamp to pay postage, one of his new German Syrup and August Flower Puzzles, made of wood and glass. It amuses and perplexes young and old. Although very difficult, it can be mastered. Mention this paper.

WRAPPING FACTORY FOR ROCKVILLE.

The Rockville Business Men's Association has advertised for seventy-five women to work in a wrapper factory which it is proposed to establish there. A Mr. Walderman, of Pennsylvania, recently visited Rockville and was favorably impressed with the place for the location of such a factory. He agreed to start the industry if the association would guarantee the help stated. Twenty-five of the required number have already been secured and it is believed that the others will be obtained before the expiration of the time specified by Mr. Walderman. The association is also working for other industries there.

DIED.

MILHENNY—On May 8, 1903, at the home of his brother, William McIlhenney, near Rhodes' Mill, in Freedom township, Pa., Mr. James McIlhenney, aged 76 years, 4 months and 28 days. The deceased was a private during the Civil War in Capt. McKinley's Company, (C. 165th, Pa. Regiment). The funeral service were held at his home on Tuesday, in the Lutheran cemetery, in this place. Rev. Charles Reinevald, officiated.

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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

NOTICE—All announcements of concerts, entertainments, lectures, and other events, and similar enterprises, not 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, MAY 8, 1903.

FREDERICK COUNTY PHONE 33

Miss Frances Savilla Gouff, daughter of Silas W. Gouff, died in Hagerstown, aged about 30 years.

Millions are ignorant that continued colds invite Pneumonia. Buy Victor Lung Syrup and escape for your life. Your Druggist keeps it.

Forty merchants in Allegany county were fined \$20 and costs each in court there Monday, having pleaded guilty to selling goods without license.

Charles Welsh, who was injured at Clear Spring, Md., by a rail falling on his leg while employed on a ballast train had his leg amputated Monday at the Western Maryland Hospital.

George Julius, aged 85 years, died at Bellevue Asylum, in Washington county, Monday. For many years he was a conspicuous figure in Hagerstown.

Ruth, 5-year-old daughter of Mervin R. Marshall, Blue Ridge Summit, was playing about a feed-cutter when her left hand was caught between the driving and cog wheels. The flesh on the palm of the hand was torn out and a bone was splintered.

Every saloon at Salisbury was closed last Thursday night and will remain closed for at least two weeks, and if sentiment which now prevails does not change liquor will not again be sold there until after the next session of the legislature.

The semi-annual session of the Middle Synod of the Maryland Lutheran Conference will meet in the Pleasant Hill Church, three miles northwest of Frederick, next Monday evening, May 11, and continue in session until Wednesday following.

The work of rebuilding the Presbyterian Church in this place, which was destroyed by fire last August, was begun this week. Messrs. Lingg Brothers have the contract for the mason work, and Messrs. Tyson & Lausinger are doing the carpenter work.

Joseph Hockensmith, son of Samuel Hockensmith, died at Brunshton, Pa., on Saturday morning, of blood poisoning, aged 22 years. He was a fine, promising young man, a great help to his father, and a regular attendant of St. Mary's Church, McSherrystown, from which church his funeral took place Monday.

McDonald Chapel of the Methodist Episcopal Church South was dedicated at Quince Orchard, Montgomery county on Sunday. The chapel is named for the late Rev. W. A. McDonald, who began the movement leading to its erection. The dedicatory sermon was delivered by Rev. J. P. Stump, of Alexandria, Va.

Through the kindness of Dr. L. D. Sheets, of Bloomfield, N. J., we have received a copy of the New York Mail and Express, special Stock Exchange Magazine, containing interesting reading concerning the New York Stock Exchange, together with a picture of Rudolph Keppler, president of the Stock Exchange, and many illustrations of the Exchange.

State Senator Jacob Rohrbach has been elected chief marshal of the big firemen's parade to be held in Frederick on June 10 in connection with the tenth annual convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association. Chairman William M. Crippmins, of the general committee of arrangements for the convention, states that replies already received to invitations indicate that the meeting will be the largest of its kind ever held in Maryland.

Blue Island, Ill., Jan. 14, 1901.

Messrs. Ely Brothers,—I have used your Cream Balm in my family for nine years and it has become my family doctor for colds in the head. I use it freely on my children. It is a Godsend to children.

Yours respectfully, J. KIMBALL.

Messrs. Ely Bros.—I suffered greatly with catarrh and tried different remedies without effect. After using one bottle of your Cream Balm I found relief and I cannot praise too highly such a remedy.

Miss CORA WILLARD, Albany, N. Y.

Family Bowed Out By Fire

A dwelling and summer house of Mr. Chas. W. Leese, near Melrose, Carroll county, were destroyed by fire, last Friday morning, and the family narrowly escaped with their lives. The summer house, which caught first, was entirely destroyed and the dwelling was in flames before any of the inmates were awakened. They escaped attired only in their night cloth.

ARM CUT OFF BY RIFLE SAWS

Henry Parker, one of the sawyers in the planing mill of the E. S. Adkins Co., Salisbury, lost his right arm Friday afternoon by coming in contact with a gang rip-saw. Mr. Parker threw the belt to the loose pulley. The saws caught the sleeve of his jumper and pulled his arm into the saws. One cut the arm below the elbow and one above, sawing the arm in a frightful manner. Amputation was performed at the Peninsula General Hospital.

MARYLAND CLASSIS.

Eighty-fourth Annual Session in the Clear Spring Church

The eighty-fourth annual session of the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church opened in St. John's Reformed Church, Clear Spring, Washington county, Tuesday night, and will continue until Saturday evening and probably over Sunday.

Following services were conducted, by Rev. Dr. J. S. Schick, pastor of the Reformed Church, in Washington, attended by President Roosevelt, and Rev. C. W. Levan, of Baltimore. The annual sermon was delivered by Rev. Atwill Connor, of Adamstown, Frederick county, the retiring president. His text was "Ye are witnesses of me."

The Classis organized by electing the following officers: President, Rev. George W. Snyder, Boonsboro; vice president, Elder Ephraim Connam, Washington, D. C.; corresponding secretary, Rev. William S. Fisher, of Burkittsville.

DISPUTE OVER A PARSONAGE.

Split In The Myersville Lutheran Charge.

A split in the Myersville Lutheran charge has been caused by a dispute as to the location of the parsonage. The charge has heretofore consisted of congregations at Myersville, Church Hill and Wolfsville, and the parsonage has been located at Church Hill.

The Myersville congregation wished to have the pastor reside at Myersville, but the proposition was voted down by the Church Hill and Wolfsville congregations.

After a somewhat acrimonious quarrel the Myersville congregation has withdrawn from the charge and proposes to have a pastor of its own. Since the resignation of Rev. W. L. Ramsburg, who accepted a call to Shanksville, Pa., the charge has been without a pastor.—*American*.

CEMENT MILL BURNED.

Destructive Fire At Hancock, And Loss \$25,000.

The Round Top Cement Mill, three miles west of Hancock, was destroyed by fire Monday morning. The fire spread rapidly to every part of the building, which was soon a mass of flames. The building was a frame structure, 30 by 120 feet, and filled with machinery and manufactured cement. The mill had an output of 50,000 barrels of cement a year. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$25,000, partly insured. The owners were Bridges and Henderson. Of the insurance on the building \$6,500 was placed by the McComas and Armstrong agencies in Hagerstown.

NOTICE

I desire to announce to the public that the use of my name on the Citizens' ticket as a candidate for the office of town commissioner of Emmitsburg at the election this week, was without any authority from me, either express or implied, and that I did not know my name was on the ticket until a short time before the polls closed.

A. M. PATTERSON.

APPOINTED STOREKEEPER

Maurice A. Bowlus, of Middletown, has been appointed a storekeeper and gager in the United States Internal Revenue service and qualified as such on Monday last. Mr. Bowlus is at present the deputy under County Treasurer Charles C. Biser, and he recently underwent a civil service examination in which he attained a ranking position. Mr. Bowlus will continue at his present position until he gets an assignment as storekeeper and gager.

PERSONALS.

Mr. V. E. Rowa, of Washington, D. C., visited his parents in this place, this week.

Rev. W. C. B. Shulenberger is attending the Maryland Classis of the Reformed Church, now in session at Clear Spring, Washington County, Md.

Wages Increased.

The Hagerstown Street Commissioners granted an increase of wages to the street hands of from 12 1/2 to 15 cents an hour. The sub-bosses received an increase of from 15 to 17 1/2 cents an hour, and Street Superintendent Samuel Johnson from \$45 to \$50 a month. The increase was granted upon a petition signed by street workmen and sub-bosses.

As the body of Capt. Joseph Kime, who was killed by being swept over dam No. 5, was being lowered in the grave at Clear Spring, a telegram was received directing that the body be sent to Cumberland. This was done.

America's First Recorded Eclipse. The first observations of an eclipse of the sun taken by American astronomers were made on Long Island, Peconic bay, on Oct. 27, 1780.

A Remarkable River. On the African shore, near the gulf of Assak, with the main ocean, may be found one of the most wonderful rivers in the world.

A Clever Retort. A local preacher on the Isle of Man who was dividing his sermon into an interminable number of heads was interrupted by a shout from one of the congregation, impatient for the more solid matter of the sermon itself.

That Blessed Baby. "My dear," said a frightened husband in the middle of the night, shaking his wife, "where did you put that bottle of strychnine?"

"Oh, Lord!" he groaned. "I've swallowed it!" "Well, for goodness' sake," whispered his wife, "keep quiet or you'll wake the baby!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Way to Succeed. If you would win success in life, don't waste time reading maxims and taking advice from the successful. Just get busy.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal.

Base Instigation. Book Agent—Madam, have you read Bunyan's—Mrs. Pepper—No, you impudent man, nor even corns!—Boston Post.

The Eyes of the Musk Ox. The skull of the musk ox is remarkable for the development of the eye orbits, which project sufficiently beyond the plane of the frontal bones to compensate for the interruption the horns would otherwise make in the range of vision.

Nasal CATARRH. In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane.

THE DORFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT THE ORIGINAL LIVER MEDICINE. A sallow complexion, dizziness, biliousness and a coated tongue are common indications of liver and kidney diseases.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer.

UNSEEMLY KNOWLEDGE.

How It May Bar the Road to Pleasure in Conversation. The social law against "talking shop" is an indication of the very widespread opinion that the exhibition of unmitigated knowledge is unseemly outside of business hours.

In a Maori Wooing House. Among the Maoris sometimes in the wares maturo (the wooing house), a building in which the young of both sexes assembled for play, songs, dances, etc., there would be at stated times a meeting.

Their Last. "Yes," remarked the sad looking stranger, "I have seen the last of many a good man."

A Deep Thought. "In a brown study, eh?" "Yes, I was just thinking."

How He Will Receive a Reward. He—Well, the man who has found it will receive a handsome reward.—Town and Country.

Based Out Immigrants.

Uncle Sam has a black list of birds and quadrupeds which it is absolutely prohibited to introduce into this country, says the Chattanooga Times.

Sure. "How did the doctor tell you to take the medicine, Larry—internally or externally?" "Nayther wan, sor."

Animals and Alcohol. Many animals yield to the seduction of rum drinking, especially elephants, horses, cows and swine.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

OF THE CORPORATION OF Emmitsburg,

For the Year Ending April 30th, 1903.

RECEIPTS.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like 'From W. D. Colliflower, taxes, etc.' and 'From P. J. Snouffer, burgess, fines and licenses.'

DISBURSEMENTS

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes items like 'Theo. Bollinger, Constable, 8 months, ending May 1, 1902.' and 'John Glass, laying sewer pipes and plowing.'

LIABILITIES.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'J. Thos. Gelwicks, notes, \$200 00'.

Audited and found correct, May 1st, 1903. C. T. ZACHARIAS, JOHN T. LONG, Auditing Committee.

PERSONAL To Sufferers From Kidney and Bladder Diseases. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. No matter how long you have suffered, FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will help you. It has cured many cases of Bright's Disease and Diabetes.

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Table with 4 columns: Read Downward, Stations, and Read Upward. Lists stations like 'Cherry Run', 'Big Pool', 'Clear Spring'.

THE SUN at 1 Cent. THE SUN'S special correspondents throughout the United States, as well as in Europe, China, South Africa, the Philippines, Porto Rico, Cuba and in every other part of the world make it the greatest newspaper that can be printed.

THE READER GETS FOR ONE CENT.

The Sun is the best type of a newspaper, morally and intellectually. It is an educator of the highest character, constantly stimulating to noble deeds in individual and national life.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE. On and after Sept. 28, 1902, trains on this road will run as follows: TRAINS SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7.50 and 10.00 a. m.

Eugene Field's Views on Ambition and Dyspepsia.

"Dyspepsia," wrote Eugene Field, "often incapacitates a man for endeavor and sometimes extinguishes the fire of ambition." Though great despite his complaint, Field suffered from indigestion all his life.

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