

NEW STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

Washington, Feb. 7.—After a continuous sitting of almost nine hours the Senate, at 8.46 o'clock tonight, passed the Joint Statehood bill. As passed, the bill provides for the admission of the State of Oklahoma, to be composed of Oklahoma and Indian Territory, and New Mexico, according to the present boundaries, with Arizona eliminated.

The long session was characterized by exciting incidents and many surprises. Beginning promptly at the convening at 12 o'clock, the Senate proceeded to consider the various amendments which had been suggested by the Committee on Territories and which had been passed over.

The first surprise of the day came when the committee accepted Mr. Foraker's amendment providing for a separate vote by each of the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico on the constitution to be adopted by the proposed State of Arizona. That provision had scarcely been made a part of the bill when Mr. Bard (Rep., Cal.) presented his amendment, which had been originally offered by Mr. Patterson (Dem., Cal.) providing for the admission of New Mexico as a State without the addition of Arizona. This amendment proved to be the point around which all the subsequent proceedings of importance revolved. It was at first adopted by the close vote of 42 to 40. This vote was taken while the Senate was sitting in committee of the whole, and was reversed in the Senate proper by the tie vote of 38 to 38.

New Mexico Gets In.

Subsequently the Senate decided by a vote of 38 to 36 to entirely eliminate New Mexico and Arizona from the bill, and this result had scarcely been announced when Mr. Bard, in slightly changed form, renewed his proposition for the admission of New Mexico as a State, and this time the amendment prevailed by the vote of 40 to 37. One of the affirmative votes was, however, cast by Mr. Beveridge (Rep., Ind.), in charge of the bill, for the purpose of moving the reconsideration of the vote. He was prompt in entering this motion as soon as the result was announced, but the motion was laid on the table by a vote of 39 to 38. The effect was to eliminate Arizona from the bill and to establish a State of New Mexico and another of Oklahoma and Indian Territory. In this form the bill passed.

Child Burned to Death.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 6.—Florence, the 7-year-old daughter of Thomas Lassiter, of Scottsville, near Portsmouth, was burnt to death last night. The child was warning milk on the kitchen stove when her dress took fire, the flames spreading rapidly over her entire body. Her screams attracted the attention of Mrs. Lassiter, who went to her little daughter's assistance, but she was too late, the child having inhaled flames and every portion of her body having been burned. Mrs. Lassiter was also badly burned in aiding the child. Physicians were summoned but it was impossible to save the child's life. She died at 9 o'clock without recovering consciousness.

The contract for the armor plate for new warships was awarded to the Carnegie and Bethlehem companies, the Midvale company's bid being rejected.

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DR. WM. E. BOTELER'S WILL

Dr. William C. Boteler filed in the Orphans' Court, at Frederick, Tuesday a caveat to the will of his father, Dr. William E. Boteler, of Middletown, who died last August at an advanced age. Under the provisions of the will, which was probated on August 31, 1904, he left all his property, which was valued at about \$35,000, to his two daughters—Miss Mary L. and Miss Laura H. Boteler. The will also provided that his son, Dr. William C. Boteler, should be released from the payment of certain sums of money advanced to him at various times provided he rendered no account for services which he rendered the late Mrs. William E. Boteler while residing in the West. The will further stated that he had received ample compensation for these services and attention.

In his petition, filed by his attorneys, Hammond Urner and Frank L. Stoner, Dr. Boteler alleges that his father died testate, and further that he was not of sound mind and understanding at the time the supposed will was made, and also alleges that the will was obtained by undue influence; that it was obtained by fraud, and that the document was not legally executed by his father.

Fell 20 Feet Into Shiphold.

George S. Blanchard, aged 61 years, 2225 East North avenue, Baltimore, a shipfitter, sustained a fracture of the right arm and a lacerated scalp about 10 o'clock Monday morning, by falling a distance of 20 feet into the hold of the steamship Harrisburg, lying in the drydock of the Baltimore Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, at Locust Point. Blanchard was fitting a plate on the upper deck when he fell into the hold. Medical assistance was rendered by Captain E. R. Schreiner, surgeon at Fort McHenry, who was summoned. The man was later taken to the Maryland University Hospital in the Southern District, Monday afternoon, where the wound then reduced and his injuries attended to.

Low Rates to Inauguration Via Western Maryland R. R.

The Western Maryland R. R. Co. announce that special low excursion rates will be in effect via their line through Washington on the occasion of the Inauguration, March 4th. It is conceded by every one that this inauguration will be the most brilliant, spectacular and unique in the history of the United States. Excursion tickets will be sold March 3d and 4th, good to return until March 8th. Consult your local ticket agent regarding rates and route, Feb. 10-15.

Boy Killed in Silk Mill.

Luther Brant, aged 14 years, son of Grant Brant, was crushed to death by the plant of the Klots Throwing Company, Central, Monday afternoon. No one saw the accident. When found he was lying on his stomach, his neck was broken and his lower jaw crushed. He was a "hobbin" boy at the silk mill.

Man Changes Hands.

Mr. Ona Ahalt, residing a short distance southwest of Middletown, son of Mr. Matthias S. Ahalt, living near Burkittsville, purchased from Mr. Chas. E. Moberly, the latter's hotel property in Middletown. Mr. Ahalt will take charge of the property on April 1 and will continue the hotel business.

Thurmont May Get Industry.

The residents of Thurmont are considering a proposition to locate a wrapper factory there. A committee has been appointed to secure information concerning the project. The committee is as follows: Dr. J. K. Waters, chairman; Messrs. M. J. Abangh, J. W. Creeger, M. L. Creeger, Evers Weddle, R. E. Black and Charles M. Mackley.

Farm Sold.

Mr. James O. Bussard, of Middletown, has sold his 188 acre farm, known as the Daniel Bechtel farm, situated about 1 1/2 miles north of Middletown, along the Harmony road, to Mrs. Elizabeth Holter, widow of William Holter, for \$15,000.

After Potomac Power.

Capitalists of Washington and Baltimore, headed by Stevenson A. Williams, late Republican candidate for governor of Maryland, are said to be organizing a big stock company for the purpose of purchasing the old pulp mills and getting possession of the tremendous water power at Harper's Ferry, W. Va., where the erection of a big electric power plant is contemplated. It is said that stock to the amount of \$150,000 has already been subscribed, and that the venture has assumed definite shape.

It is expected to make this plant a central point for supplying electric power for commercial and lighting purposes to a number of towns and negotiations are pending with Winchester, Brunswick, Harper's Ferry, Charlestown, Berryville, Hagerstown, Shepherdstown, and other places. This project has been discussed among capitalists for several years in connection with plans to operate a belt line trolley connecting with the important towns in the Cumberland Valley as far south as Berryville, starting from Hagerstown, running south by way of the Antietam Battlefield and returning by way of Martinsburg and Williamsport. The establishment of a fine park and summer resort along the Potomac is also a part of the general scheme.

Mr. Williams is one of the chief stockholders in the Martinsburg Electric Company, and was at Martinsburg a few days ago in consultation with other gentlemen regarding the proposed plant at Harper's Ferry. The Martinsburg Company, has just completed a big power plant at Dam No. 5, on the Potomac River, and this plant would be utilized to furnish power for the northern end of the trolley line.

Counsel for W. R. Hearst argued that the increased price of coal imposes a burden of \$40,000,000 on the public.

THE NAVAL APPROPRIATION

While the naval appropriation decided upon by the committee is \$101,000,000 for \$13,000,000 less than had been asked for by the Board of Construction and the Secretary of the Navy, the reduction cannot be regarded as a defeat of the President's plans. The principal reduction is of one battleship, allowing two, instead of three. On the other hand, the increase in the number of enlisted men is allowed, which is more important in strengthening the Navy than one more battleship. It is conceded by the advocates of the large appropriation asked for that it was intended as the climax of the building program. The purpose was to settle down afterward to one battleship in each bill or less. Under the existing necessity for economy it is probable the next bill will carry two battleships, the one cut out this time and another. The next bill will probably fall several millions below the total of this one, with a decrease for a few years thereafter. With the ships now authorized and those building the American Navy will command respect in every quarter. It will be neither first nor second in the number of vessels or weight of guns among the navies of the world. It will, however, be first in the efficiency of its units and not to be trifled with by any. That is where it ought to be in the interest of the peace of justice. The cost has not been burdensome upon the productive resources of the country, and when this fact is appreciated by other nations it is not probable they will court further competition in the matter of spending money for defense.—Pittsburg Gazette.

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Canal Contracts Let.

Albany, New York, Feb. 7.—A start on the \$101,000,000 canal improvement was made today with the letting of two contracts by N. V. V. Franchot, Superintendent of Public Works.

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Galena Hotel Burned.

The new hotel in Galena, Md., was burned at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning. The fire was discovered in the kitchen in time to allow the guests to escape and to save most of the furniture. The Galena Bank, a branch of the Farmers' Trust Banking and Deposit Company, of Baltimore, was located in the hotel and saved all its books, but the office furniture was burned. The hotel was owned and managed by W. L. Spry, and was insured in the Home, New York; Norwich Union and Continental Insurance Companies for \$4,000. Galena suffered a conflagration in 1893, this hotel having been built on the site of one of the buildings burned at that time.

Couple in Suicide Pact.

John Williams, 55 years, old, and his wife, Margaret, 54, were found dead in bed in their room at Patrick McNabb's Raines Law Hotel at 276 Van Brunt street, South Brooklyn, Tuesday morning.

The pair had apparently made a death pact to kill themselves by poison. On a window ledge in the room was a small paper tube, half filled with beer, which showed a murky sediment at the bottom when the liquid was removed. An analysis will be made. Williams was a rigger by occupation, and lack of steady employment had compelled him and his wife to live apart. The woman worked out as nurse and servant.

Sneak Thief Captured.

A man giving his name as Gardener entered the home of H. F. Exline, at Hancock, on Wednesday night and took a gold watch and chain, pen knife, silver heart, two napkins, a silver watch and other articles. He walked in the front door, proceeding up the stairs and lighted a lamp as an aid in finding the valuables. Mrs. Exline was playing the piano at the time, but, hearing a noise, became suspicious and called her father, Mr. Wm. Faith, who grappled with the man and kicked him down the stairs. The man earlier in the evening seized hold of Mrs. May Hays and Miss Gertrude Little on the street. He was arrested and searched. Mrs. Exline got nearly all her articles back and the thief went to jail.

STOLEN \$10,000 BOND FOUND.

New York, Feb. 7.—Three arrests made today by agents of the United States Secret Service Bureau in this city may result in solving the mystery which for 26 years has enveloped many of the details of the great bank burglary that ever occurred.

In the Zena National Bank, at Warren and Greenwich streets, was presented as collateral for a loan a United States 4 per cent. \$10,000 consol, which was one of the identical bonds taken from the vault of the Manhattan Savings Institution, at Broadway and Bleecker street, on Sunday morning, October 27, 1878, when a band of burglars, notorious as masters in their craft, took from that institution cash and securities aggregating \$2,757,700. The men who presented it are now prisoners in the hands of United States authorities, under charges of conspiracy in connection with the forging and altering of the United States bond.

The men arrested are Lewis O. Wilgerson, M. D., promoter of Klondike mining schemes, residing at the Waldorf-Astoria, formerly of Chicago; Joseph A. Taylor, broker, of White Plains, and James Smith, promoter, formerly of Mobile.—Baltimore Sun.

MACHEN IN PRISON.

Moundsville, W. Va., Feb. 8.—The former head of the rural free delivery division of the Postoffice Department, August W. Machen, with Diller B. Groff and Samuel A. Groff, who were sentenced to imprisonment in the Moundsville Penitentiary as a result of the postal investigation, arrived from Washington today. Eleven other prisoners were also in the party.

Machen and the Groffs had nothing to say and appeared unconcerned. Owing to the absence of Warden Haddox, the prisoners will not be assigned to their duties until his return Thursday. Samuel Groff is broken in health and will not likely be put to work for some time. The trip from Washington to the prison was made without incident.

The large expenditures of \$2,149 were demanded by the proper classification of patients caused by increased demand made upon us by their greater number, which is now more than ever known in the history of the Institution. The slaying of the herd of cows, which was ordered by the State Veterinarian, has also been replaced. The laying of 310 feet of 2 inch water pipe connecting reservoir line with Montevue, and the purchase of a young team of males to replace the old teams of horses.

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STATEMENT OF BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.

Table showing receipts and expenditures for the year 1904. Columns include Receipts from all sources, Amount expended for maintenance, and Total Receipts/Expenditures.

Notice to Creditors.

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Frederick County, Maryland, letters of administration on the estate of

JOHN P. MOSER, late of said County, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of August, 1905; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 10th day of February, 1905. EDGAR C. MOSER, Vincent Sebald, Atty. Administrator, feb 10-5ts

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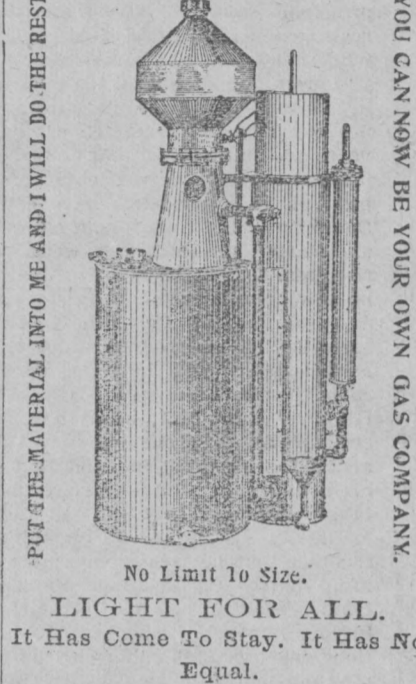
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more or less, divided into six fields and lying south of the village or town of Emmitsburg. This property is improved by a large brick dwelling house of 8 rooms and two hall-ways, barn, corn crib and all necessary outbuildings. The whole farm is well watered and is set in grass, and is now in a good state of cultivation. Terms of sale as prescribed by said decree.—One-third of the purchase money cash on the day of sale or on the ratification thereof by the court; the residue in two equal payments of six and 12 months, secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers bearing interest from the day of sale, with approved security; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. J. ROGER McSHERRY, JOHN M. ROBERTS, F. NEAL PARKER, Trustees. N. B.—This sale will be positively made on the day named. BOND & PARKE, ROBERTS & CROUSE, J. ROGER McSHERRY, Solicitors. W. P. EYLER, Auct. Jan 20-1yr

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TRUSTEE'S PEREMPTORY SALE.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE In EMMITSBURG DISTRICT, FREDERICK COUNTY, MARYLAND.

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WHOLESALE MILK.

Comparative Condition of Milk Drawn in Open and in Covered Pails.

In a bulletin of the Connecticut State Station W. A. Stocking, Jr., reports the results of comparative studies of the sanitary condition of milk drawn in open and covered pails. Two pails were used in these experiments. One was a regular open pail; the other was a pail with a cover of special design. An illustration of the latter is here given. It is an ordinary milk pail with a closely fitting cover, which has an opening near one side, into which is soldered a funnel four inches in diameter having a wire gauze of fine mesh soldered across the bottom. This funnel extends slightly above and below the cover and slopes somewhat toward the side of the pail. Another funnel,



A FORM OF COVERED MILK PAIL.

which is loose, fits inside of the first one. When the pail is to be used a few layers of clean cheesecloth are placed across the opening of the lower funnel and the loose funnel is pushed in to hold the cheesecloth in position. The whole apparatus is simple in structure and can be easily cleaned.

The amount of dirt in the milk from the covered pail was only 37 per cent of that in the open pail, while the amount of dirt in the strained milk was 53.4 per cent of that in the milk not strained. In other words, the cover excluded 63 per cent, while the strainer removed less than 47 per cent.

By the use of the covered pail an average of 29 per cent of the total number of bacteria and 41 per cent of the acid producing bacteria were excluded from the fresh milk. By straining the milk as soon as drawn into the ordinary open pail an average of but 11.4 per cent of the total number of bacteria and 17 per cent of the acid producing species were removed.

NITRATE OF SODA.

Its Profitable Use on Field Crops, Such as Hay, Wheat and Rye.

Experiments that have been followed with much interest have been those of the New Jersey agricultural station, which have demonstrated the profitable use of liberal applications of nitrate of soda on high value market garden crops. Experiments in this line have been continued and extended to include field crops of lower commercial value, such as hay, wheat, rye, etc. These show that, provided the soil is well supplied with the other plant food constituents—phosphoric acid and potash—the lower value crops also respond profitably to the application of nitrate of soda.

Of hay specifically it is said that nine years of experiment in different sections of New Jersey show that upon soils that will produce hay crops ranging from one to three tons per acre a gain in yield of from 9 to 54 per cent, or an average increase of 32.7 per cent, may be expected from the use of from 100 to 150 pounds per acre, which would show an average gain in yield of 54 pounds per acre. Based on an average yield of 125 tons per acre, the gain would be 8.25 tons per acre. This increase, at an average of \$12 per ton, would mean about \$9 per acre, or \$2 more than the cost of the material.

A Good Top Dressing Mixture.

The experiments suggest that, owing to the difficulty of evenly distributing a small amount of nitrate of soda and owing also to the fact that on soils that have been seeded with grass there is frequently a deficiency of mineral elements, a mixture of nitrate of soda and phosphate is probably preferred. One-half, the balance consisting of acid phosphate, ground bone and muriate of potash. The soluble minerals are readily carried to the roots of the plants, and the ground bone feeds the surface roots, and the nitrate is absorbed quite as readily as if not used with any other material. This method is to be recommended whenever the land is in good condition and it is desired to keep up the content of the mineral constituents in the soil as well as to avoid any danger of overfeeding with nitrogen, which would have a tendency, particularly in the warmer climates, of causing a softer growth and formation of mildew. This is liable to occur where the nitrate is used in excess and the mixture is not well balanced. A good mixture for top dressing may be made up as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Substance and Pounds. Includes Nitrate of soda, Ground bone, Acid phosphate, Muriate of potash.

It should be applied at the rate of 200 to 250 pounds per acre.

Irrigation for the arid west cannot be successful unless the headwaters of all streams are kept under ample forest cover.

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MATCHING THE LINNETS.

Odd Pastime and Business in the Slums of London.

In the little, swarming streets off Whitechapel road, down through Shore-ditch and Bethnal Green, linnets sing in the pastime of thousands and the business of scores of men who will bet themselves to a standstill over the sweet vocal rivalries of two wee brown birds caged on the wall of some public house whose reputation makes respectability timorous of intrusion.

The hard faced "east ender," whose chief joy is a bloody "limited round" in the prize ring of a resort in Whitechapel, may be seen next night in the back room of another "pub," sitting in breathless silence and behind locked doors, with a hundred of his kind, while his linnets sing a match for "pleasant song" and a stake of 10 shillings a side.

When the referee says "Now!" the watch is started, but this does not mean that the birds are yet engaged in any rivalry. They sit on their little perches in silence, and the crowd sits in silence watching them. Presently one of the rivals pipes up his opening cry. This is called the "lead off." The first note of a song is called the "chuckle." Perhaps the bird which makes the "lead off" may stop with this "chuckle" and not finish his song. The stimulus is enough to start the other bird, however, and he in turn makes his "chuckle" and then without a break performs the whole of his repertoire of ten "pleasant songs."

The sulky bird is frenzied at this superiority and to make up for lost time sings as if its heart would break. Both scorers are busy now "chalking the scores" as fast as their pencils can fly. To the untrained ear the torrent of piping notes is hopelessly intermingled, and even when one bird is singing alone it is impossible to tell where one song ends and another begins.

This sweet piping absorbs the attention of the audience, who just beyond the closed door a horde of bloated men and slatternly women are drinking themselves more sodden, with blasphemous and vulgar meritment.

The birds are all of purity and sentiment and sweetness that can be found in this east end "pub," and they sing as gladly as if green fields were their environment.—Outing.

PITH AND POINT.

Don't run to the doctor too often. The average mistake will give you less trouble if you come right out and admit it.

Some people waste a lot of the present in thinking what they would do if they could live their lives over.

Good luck and merit always travel together in one team and bad luck and worthlessness always in another.

When mother goes to visit her daughter she takes no party dresses, but you bet she takes her kitchen aprons.

If a woman's voice is sweet depends largely upon whether she is calling us to dinner or to get out of bed in the morning.

When a woman reads of a horse "champing restively on its bit" she doesn't know exactly what it means, but she feels that she often does it.—Aitchison Globe.

The Governor's Wife.

"Two men in Buffalo," says a state official, "recently had a heated argument over the question whether the wife of a governor of a state had an official title. One man contended that she should be addressed as 'Mrs. Governor So-and-so,' while the other stoutly insisted that she was simply 'Final, Blank, wife of Governor Blank.' Finally they agreed to submit the question to the first man they should meet. He proved to be an Irishman. The case was put before him, and he was asked for a decision.

"Nayther of yez is right," said the Irishman after a moment's reflection. "The wife of a governor is a governess."—Collier's Weekly.

THE CRIMINAL SQUIRREL.

He is a Thief and a Murderer and a Forest Destroyer.

I wish to take away for all time the character of the squirrel. He is a thief and a murderer. Admired by ignorant city people and by journalists, he devotes his life to eating the eggs and killing the young of harmless and useful birds, which, if permitted to live and increase, would protect the forests from harmful insects. By killing these birds the squirrel takes rank as a forest destroyer. Moreover, the red squirrel is not the only sinner. In my opinion the gray is almost, if not quite, as bad.

I have killed many squirrels caught in the act of eating eggs of young birds. Any bird that selects a nesting place which is also adapted to the use of squirrels is almost certain to be ejected. When a forest has been destroyed by fires, lumbermen or insects, it is almost impossible for natural reforestation to take place if squirrels are abundant in an adjoining tract, because they eat the seeds. Fifty seeds per head each day would be a low estimate. Yet even this would make 18,250 in a year. And seeds are not the only thing. In winter the ground is often strewn with twigs that have been stripped of buds by squirrels. The trees attacked are generally situated at the border of a dense forest and would, if left alone, yield the greatest seed crop. A single squirrel thus destroys in one day thousands of seeds in the germ. In Montana I have seen the grays rob birds' nests.—Country Life in America.

Bee Hunting in Adirondacks.

There is a charm about bee hunting peculiar to this particular spot, and it can be enjoyed wherever bees locate. There were flowers about the camp, over which we had often noticed honeybees hovering, and the guide said he had been watching their maneuvers and it was about time to give them a chase. Our outfit was very simple, consisting of a box about four inches square, divided into two parts by an ordinary slide, the lower compartment containing a piece of bread or honey-comb saturated with a sirup made of sugar and water boiled. The slide was pushed into place and the decoy was ready for the bee family. It is easy to trap a honeybee if one only knows how.—Leslie's Weekly.

THE CHRYSANTHEMUM.

The first chrysanthemum show was held in Norwich, England, in 1820.

The Philadelphia Horticultural society held the first chrysanthemum show in the United States in 1883.

The first chrysanthemums brought to Europe were taken from China by skipper of the tea trading ships.

After the chrysanthemum is potted leave it for a little time in the shade. Then give it all the sun that is possible. The chrysanthemum was introduced into England 200 years ago from China. It was grown first in Holland after its emigration.

The chrysanthemum is one of the easiest of garden flowers to grow, but it needs careful tending after it is brought into the house in pots when the frost comes.

A Bold Man.

A handsome English girl recently returned from Spain was recounting her experiences to a circle of friends, among whom was a Spaniard. "The thing that delighted me most," she said, "was that charming practice they have in Spain of offering you instantly what you may chance to admire." "Do you approve of the custom?" asked the Spanish friend. "Oh, yes," was the reply. "Senorita, you have very beautiful lips!" exclaimed the impulsive Andalusian.—London Chronicle.

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Additional trains leave Baltimore for Union Bridge and Intermediate Stations at 9:30 a. m., and 4:15, 6:15 and 11:15 p. m., and leave Union Bridge for Baltimore and Intermediate Stations at 6:45 a. m., and 2:45, 4:45, 6:45, 8:45, 10:45 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

Connections at Cherry Run, W. Va. R. & O. passenger trains leave Cherry Run for Chambersburg and Intermediate stations, daily, at 8:15 a. m., Chicago Express daily, at 11:45 a. m., Pittsburgh and Cleveland Express, daily, at 11:55 p. m.

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St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Pastor—Rev. J. O. Hayden. C. M. First Mass 8:00 o'clock a. m., second Mass 9 o'clock a. m., third Mass 10:30 o'clock a. m., and 7:00 o'clock p. m. Sunday School at 2 o'clock p. m.

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