

FRIDAY, JULY 14, 1905.

Dog's Affection for Dead Owner.

A strange case of the affection of a dog for its owner is manifested at Williamsport by a little black dog that belonged to Allen Oliver, a colored man, who died several months ago. Afterward his family removed to Virginia, leaving the dog behind. Every evening the dog visits the cemetery and lies on Oliver's grave all night whining. Often the dog goes to the cemetery during the day to lie on the grave, and, through grief and refusing to take food, the animal is committing suicide in a slow form.

Boy Drowned in the Potomac.

Thomas Coleman, the 12-year-old son of Mrs. William F. Coleman, was drowned while bathing in the Potomac River a short distance above Cumberland Tuesday. He was in the river with several companions, when he was seized with cramps and sank beneath the surface. The body was recovered a half hour later. His father, formerly a passenger conductor on the Georges Creek and Cumberland Railroad, died three years ago.

Harry Palmer Accidentally Shoots Himself.

Harry Palmer, aged 16 years, son of David Palmer, of Tilghmanton, accidentally shot himself Sunday evening while shooting at a mark with a revolver. The ball entered his face between the nose and left eye, shattering the skull, and lodged back of the eyeball. A physician was summoned, but failed to locate the bullet. The lad's condition is serious.

Wreck at Falling Waters.

An eastbound freight train on the Cumberland Valley railroad was wrecked last Friday night at Falling Waters, near Hagerstown, by running into an open switch. The train was sidetracked and the engine crashed into a pile of ties and was derailed, together with five cars. The cars were smashed and the track blocked for some hours. None of the crew were hurt.

Wm. H. Myers died very suddenly at his home near Charlestown on Friday morning, July 7, of heart failure, aged 75 years, 9 months and 24 days. Mr. Myers was a man of excellent traits of character and will be greatly missed in his community as he was noted for his generosity and kindness to all. He was a consistent member of the German Baptist church. The funeral services conducted at Creagerstown on Sunday morning by Rev. T. Kolb and Rev. G. A. Whitmore, of Thurmont.

Sues for \$50,000.

Gladstone Conrad, who was injured in the wreck at Boyds last fall, when a Pullman was sent down an embankment loaded with passengers and another knocked several hundred yards down the track, has sued the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for \$50,000. Conrad was in the Pullman and went over the embankment with it and was badly injured about the head.

Hagerstown Fair.

Directors of the Hagerstown Fair Association have arranged the racing program for the annual exhibition to be held in October. The purses aggregate \$8500, including four \$1000 purses, one for each of the four days of the fair. One of the fastest races of the program is the 2.10 trot, or fiftieth anniversary stake.

Hagerstownian An Heir.

J. Brooks Laken, of Hagerstown, falls heir to a considerable fortune by the death of his cousin, Lewis Nicoll, of Chicago, who left an estate valued at from \$50,000 to \$75,000. The estate is largely in realty in that city.

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., 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 obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

EIGHT WORKMEN BLOWN TO PIECES

Terrible Explosion of Powder on Railroad Near New Cumberland.

BODIES FRIGHTFULLY MANGLED

Harrisburg, Pa., July 10.—Eight men were blown to pieces and two others were injured by the premature explosion of a big blast of rock powder on the Pennsylvania Railroad improvements, near New Cumberland. The accident occurred directly across the Susquehanna river from the scene of the Pennsylvania Railroad wreck on May 11, in which 23 persons were killed and many others injured. All the victims of the disaster were employees of H. S. Kerbaugh & Co., contractors, who are building the double tracks for the Pennsylvania Railroad to connect with the Enola yards. The bodies of the men were terribly mangled, and particles of flesh and bone were scattered for a distance of 200 yards from the scene of the explosion.

The dead are: James Wiseman, dy. namite boss, Buffalo, N. Y.; Arthur Green, colored, Harrisburg; Robert Thompson, colored, Harrisburg; Frank Mullach, a Slav; three Italians; and one Slav, known only by numbers.

The injured: William Seed, colored, skull fractured and injured internally; G. C. Miller, of Idaville, Adams county, bruised about body, but not seriously.

Not a trace of the two colored men who were killed can be found, and it is supposed their bodies were blown into the river, which is being dragged. An inquest was held by Squire Cole, of Lemoyne. The jury rendered a verdict of premature explosion from and unknown cause, and no blame attached to the contractors.

All the killed and injured were laborers aside from Wiseman, whose body was terribly mangled. What could be found of it was identified by the fact that he dyed his hair. His scalp and a portion of his head was found on a hill, 200 yards from the blast. Wiseman has been with the Kerbaugh Company for five years, and had gone to the scene of the explosion to personally superintend the preparations for what is called a "big shot."

A "big shot" consists of a series of blasts, the holes having been drilled in a row, and the charges being set off simultaneously by an electric spark. Five of the holes had been filled with powder, and the men were at work on the sixth when the explosion occurred. It is supposed that a small stone had gotten into this hole, and that the iron bar with which the men were "tamping" down the charge caused a spark by scraping on the stone, and that this ignited the powder. John Shetter, the fireman of a "dinky" engine, 150 feet away, was thrown to the ground by force of the explosion and slightly injured by flying debris. Miller was sitting at the door of the shack, where the men bunk, 200 feet from the blast, and was blown 25 feet and badly bruised.

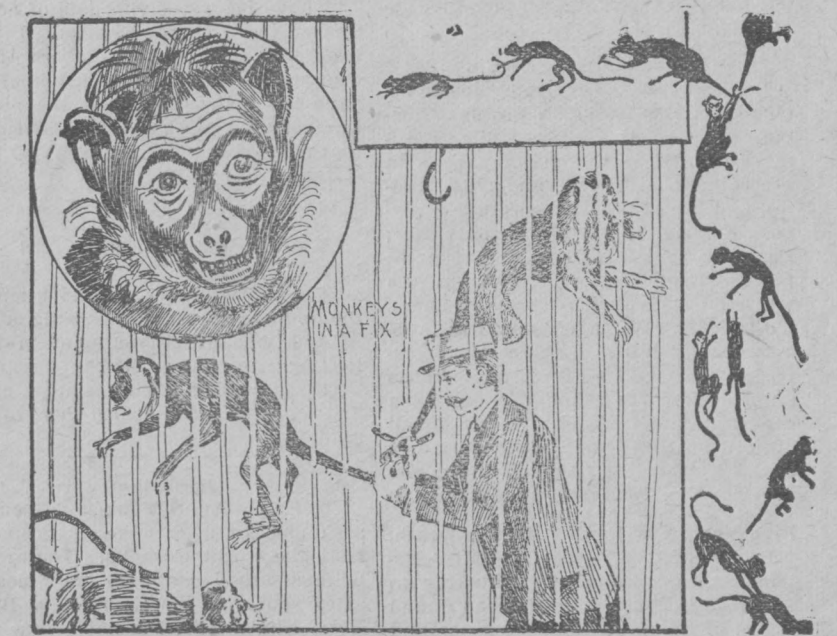
The explosion shook the country for miles around, and broke many windows in Harrisburg and towns across the river. Twelve hundred and fifty pounds of rock powder had been unloaded just before the explosion, but it was not disturbed.

Killed Himself Before Wife. Philadelphia, July 10.—Silas McDonald, who was for years cashier of the State National Bank at St. Joseph, Mo., and who came to this city after that institution went into liquidation, committed suicide here by cutting his throat in the presence of his wife. He had been in ill health. His wife was severely cut in attempting to prevent him from committing the deed.

Six Years For Bank Embezzler. Raleigh, N. C., July 10.—Thomas W. Dewey, defaulting cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, of Newbern, N. C., was found guilty after the jury had been out two days and nights. He was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. The defendant's attorneys served notice of an appeal to the supreme court. A bond of \$40,000 was furnished.

THE FIRST SHOW OF THE SEASON Emmitsburg, Tuesday, July 18. ON MR. N. BAKER'S FIELD.

JOHN P. HARRIS.



GREAT BIG 25 CENT SHOW.

The Greatest Show on Earth for the money. Prof. J. White and his \$10,000 group of trained Horses, Ponies, Dogs, Goats, Monkeys and Donkeys. Most marvelous troupe of Aerialists, Athletes, Acrobats and general performers. The only show traveling the country to-day having a lady clown. Don't fail to see the smallest trained Donkey in the world. Stands 24 inches high. The pet of ladies and children. Representative acts, just the same as seen in large cities at larger prices. Performances, afternoon at 2 o'clock; night at 8 o'clock. Rain or shine. Water proof tents. Don't forget the day and date. Emmitsburg, Tuesday, July 18.

Violent Storm in Carroll.

Beginning about a mile from Westminster and extending four or five miles a strip of country half a mile wide was the scene of a violent wind and rainstorm Saturday afternoon. A hay barn on the farm of G. Alfred Shipley was blown down and a heavy silo was moved from its foundations. Shocks of wheat outstanding were scattered and the sheaves were whirled about broadcast. Growing corn in the path of the storm was beaten to the earth and badly damaged. Many trees were uprooted. An immense quantity of rain fell within the space of a few minutes. The storm did not appear to be cyclonic, as corn and trees were leveled in one general direction.

Do You Want Strength?

If you want to increase your strength you must add to and not take from the physical. In other words, the food that you eat must be digested, assimilated and appropriated by the nerves, blood and tissues before being expelled from the intestines. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure adds to the physical. It gives strength to and builds up strength in the human system. It is pleasant to the taste and palatable, and the only combination of digestants that will digest the food and enable the system to appropriate all of its health and strength-giving qualities. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman

FRESH YEAST Every Baking Day

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FULTON YEAST CO., Inc. Richmond, Va.

Notice to Creditors.

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

JOHN M. STOUTER,

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 12th day of January, 1906; 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 7th day of July, 1905.

GEORGE P. STOUTER,

July 7-5t

Will Continue The Business.

The business conducted by the late John M. Stouter will be continued in all its branches.

George P. Stouter,

Executor.

Tutt's Pills

stimulate the TORPID LIVER, strengthen the digestive organs, regulate the bowels, and are unequalled as an

ANTI-BILIOUS MEDICINE, In malarial districts their virtues are widely recognized, as they possess peculiar properties in freeing the system from that poison. Elegantly sugar coated.

Take No Substitute.

CLEARING SALE

Snyder's Dep't Store,

HARNEY, MD.

Harvest is over and you will have more time to attend the wonderful Clearing Sale at Snyder's Department Store. You can't find a more profitable place to do your dealing than right at Snyder's Department Store at any season of the year.

CLOTHING. CLOTHING.

Every Winter, Every Spring and every Summer Suit will be closed out at our sale and away below, as we are going to close out our entire line of clothing regardless of cost. In men's boys' and youths' suits. So come our way. Men's suits, former price \$25 to \$35, now they go at \$13.50 to \$17.50. Youths long pants suits, \$1.50 to \$2.00, now they go at 99c to \$3.00. Boys' knee pants suits 75c to \$5.00, now they go at 39c to \$3.49. They are all new and right up to date. Come at once and get your boys good school suits.

SHOES. SHOES.

Our line is at all times full and complete. You can't go amiss when you visit our shoe department, as styles are right up and our quality the very best, and our prices at the bottom. Oxfords all reduced to cost. Ladies 50c. Oxfords, 39c.; Ladies 80c. Oxfords now 65c.; Ladies \$1.10 now 79c. Ladies \$1.50, now \$1. Men's \$1.35 now \$1.07. Men's \$2, now \$1.50. Men's \$2.50, now \$1.99. All kind Tan, Kid and Patent Leather Shoes. Come quick before your sizes are gone.

WASHING MACHINES.

The "1900" All put out on three weeks trial, delivered right at your door free. The greatest washer ever heard of. Does the work better and runs 60 per cent. easier than any other. Send us word. We will bring you one.

HATS. HATS.

Every hat goes at cost and less. Straw hats, former price 25c., now 17c. 50c. hats now 39c. 75c. hats, 49c. \$1 hats, 69c. \$1.25 now 75c. \$1.50 hats \$1. \$2 hats \$1.50. All new and latest styles.

CARPET AND MATTING.

Don't forget us when in need, as we are still selling them right along, same as in the springtime. Prices, 10c. and up. Patterns all the latest and quality the very best.

GROCERIES.

Our line is always full of staple and fancy groceries. Receive them neatly every day. So for good goods and low prices call our way.

JARS. JARS.

Jars are in at low prices.

FISH. FISH.

Better than ever and prices away down.

DIY GOODS.

We carry a full and complete line of Dry Goods of all kinds, and we want to call your attention to the special prices on Lawns, Diagnostics and Mercerized goods that we are closing out at and below cost. Lawns that were 10c. and 12c. now 7c. Cordets and Suitings 18c. and 20c. now 12c. and 15c. We have special sales on a lot of Ribbons at 6c. per yard. Laces and insertings have been reduced to cost. Ask to see them. We will be glad to show them to you. I remain

Your friend,

July 14-2t **M. R. SNIDER.**

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The Tax Books are now ready, and the County Treasurer would call the attention of taxpayers for 1905 to Section 45, Article 81, Revised Code of Maryland. All persons who shall pay their State taxes on or before the

FIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER,

of the year for which they were levied shall be entitled to a discount of

5 PER CENTUM

on the amount of said taxes; all who shall pay the same on or before the first day of October, of the said year, shall be entitled to a discount of

4 PER CENTUM,

and all who shall pay for the same on or before the first day of November of said year shall be entitled to deduction of

3 PER CENTUM

Taxes on the income of mortgages become due September 1, 1905 for said year.

All those in arrears are requested to make immediate payment as further delay will add additional cost to such delinquents.

July 14-3t **CHAS. C. BISER**

County Treasurer.

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

NO. 7821 EQUITY.

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

JULY TERM, 1905.

In the matter of the Report of Sales filed the 3rd day of July, 1905.

William L. Agnew, et al., Plaintiffs, vs. Eli H. Agnew, et al., Defendants.

ORDERED, That on the 29th day of July, 1905, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Eugene L. Rowe, Trustee in the above cause, and filed therein as aforesaid, 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 three successive weeks prior to said day.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$625.00.

Dated this 3rd day of July, 1905.

SAMUEL T. HAFNER,

Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True copy: **SAMUEL T. HAFNER,** Clerk, Eugene L. Rowe, Sol. July 7-4ts

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LUMBER.

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Hemlock Lumber

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J. Stewart Annan.

EMMITSBURG MARKETS

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

Corrected by E. R. Zimmerman & Son.
Wheat, (dry), \$ 89
Rye, 56
Oats 30 @ 35
Corn per bushel, 58
Hay 6 00 to 6 10

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.
Butter, 14
Eggs, 14
Chickens, per lb., 12
Spring Chickens per lb., 12
Turkeys, 10
Ducks, per lb., 10
Potatoes, per bushel, 20
Dried Cherries, (seeded), 12
Raspberries, 12
Blackberries, 8
Apples, (dried), 8
Peaches, (dried), 8
Lard, per lb., 6
Beef tides, 7

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Peterson Brothers
Steers, per lb., 3 1/2 @ 4 1/2
Fresh Cows, 0 00 @ 4 00
Fat Cows and Bulls, per lb., 3 1/2 @ 3
Hogs per lb., 5 1/2 @ 6
Sheep, per lb., 3 @ 4
Lambs, per lb., 4 1/2 @ 5
Calves, per lb., 4 1/2 @ 5

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June 30-5ts

THOMAS W. TROXELL,

Executive.

GET IT AT MICHAEL HOKE'S.

Wedderburn GIN

The John Wedderburn Company

SOLE OWNERS

BALTIMORE MD. U.S.A.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

Call And See My New Spring Goods.

Having sold all my last Spring and Summer goods at my January clearing sale, I have been able to get an entire new stock of the latest style fabrics. Mohair, Serge, Voiles, Danish Cloth, Persian Lawns, Dress Crash, Duck, Linen, Linen Lawn, Dotted Swiss, Gingham. We also have the New Waisting Brusselette, Lawns from 5 cents to 12 cents. A beautifully selected stock of

WHITE SHIRT WAIST GOODS

Curtain Swiss and Scrim. Have also a

New Lot of Notions,

Collars, Turnovers, Ruching, Belts, Belt Buckles, Fancy Hat Pins, Novelties in Combs. Silk and Lisle Gloves in white and black. White Lace Hose for Misses and Children, Sateen Skirts for 50, 75, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Men's Shirts in all the up-to-date designs. I have added to my stock a large assortment of

MATTING!

in Japanese and China in prices ranging from 12 to 35cts.

Call and examine my goods, the quality speaks for itself.

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YOU CAN NOW BE YOUR OWN GAS COMPANY

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About sixty miles from Baltimore, at the base of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Established 1809. Incorporated 1816. Healthful location, large and shady lawns, modern equipment throughout. Students may pursue either the classical or the English course; graduation is attainable in either.

Music, Painting and Domestic Economy are branches of special interest in their respective departments.

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St. Joseph's Academy, Emmitsburg, Md.

PEERLESS Paper MEAT Sacks

Are safe and sure to prevent skippers in meat if the simple directions on each sack are followed.

As soon as your meat is smoked, in the early morning, place your meat in the sack, following the simple directions printed on each sack, and you can rest assured that you will not be bothered with worms in your meat.

"Peerless" Paper Meat Sacks are made from a specially prepared, very tough, pliable, strong, and durable material, with our "Peerless" brand bottom, which is air and water tight, and will care can be used for several years. The large or small size to suit all sizes of meat, and sell at 2, 3 and 5 cents apiece. The large or small size to suit all sizes of meat, and sell at 2, 3 and 5 cents apiece. The large or small size to suit all sizes of meat, and sell at 2, 3 and 5 cents apiece.

A fair trial will fully sustain every claim for our sacks, and we feel that where once used they will become a household necessity.

Get your money for them.

Page 2, 4 and 5 cents apiece, according to size.

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Great Southern Pkg. & Mfg. Co.,

FREDERICK, MD.

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WILLIAM KOONS,

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Given under my hand this 30th day of June, 1905.

THOMAS W. TROXELL,

Executive.

Mountain View Cemetery.

Family Lots, 16x16 ft., \$15.
Half " " 8x16 ft., \$8.
Single Graves, 3.
Apply to **J. HENRY STOKES.**

\$500 Reward

for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person caught peddling the "Wedderburn Eye" Whiskey bottle. "Wedderburn Eye" is the best whiskey on the American market. Address, **THE JOHN WEDDERBURN CO.,** Baltimore, Md.

Sole Owners.

New Advertisements.

DAUCHY & CO.

VIRGINIA COLLEGE

For Young Ladies, Roanoke, Va.

Emmitsburg Chronicle.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

NOTICE.—All announcements of concerts, festivals, picnics, ice cream and cake festivals and similar enterprises, got up to make money, whether for churches, associations, or individuals, must be paid for at the rate of five cents for each line.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, JULY 14, 1905.

FREDERICK COUNTY 'PHONE 33

The annual Presbyterian reunion was held at Pen-Mar yesterday.

The Emmitsburg Water Company declared a dividend of four per cent. payable on and after August 1, 1905.

The Emmitsburg Railroad Company is building a new engine house, which is considerably larger than the old one.

Timothy Kady, aged 35, a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was thrown from his train in Cumberland and instantly killed.

Miss Sallie Longwell, who died recently at Westminster, left her entire estate, valued at \$75,000 to \$100,000, to churches, church boards and other institutions.

The thirty-eighth annual meeting of the Maryland State Teachers' Association began Tuesday at the Blue Mountain House, and will continue until Friday, inclusive.

On last Friday evening Masters William and Thomas Frailey very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends at their home on West Main street.

The thirteenth Annual Picnic of St. Joseph's Catholic Church will be held in the Sisters' Grove, on Tont's creek, near town on Wednesday, August 2.

Pic-Nic

A picnic will be held in Seneca's Grove, near the Tract School House, on Saturday, July 22. A good orchestra will furnish music for dancing, and refreshments will be sold on the grounds.

Mr. David E. Dick, who is deputy surveyor of customs at Baltimore, has entered the contest in Allegany county for the Republican State Senatorial nomination. He was State Senator from 1896 to 1900.

Mrs. Nellie M. Sanders, of Cumberland, widow of Joseph C. Sanders, has sued the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York for \$2,000, the amount of the policy carried by her late husband and over which there is some dispute.

Mr. George Miller's four horse team became frightened Wednesday morning near town and ran off. The two wheel horses fell and were dragged some distance, and somewhat injured.

Mr. Miller, who was driving the team, was not injured.

Physicians almost universally appreciate the value of a good whiskey. Those who have investigated the subject recommend Parke's, manufactured by the Oxford Distilling Company of Baltimore. Their advertisement appears in another column, and is a fine example of advertising that produces results.

Victim Of Hydrophobia.

Sidney Morris, 35 years old, died Sunday night at his home on the farm of Alpheus Humphreys, near Rockawalking, in Wicomico county, Md. of hydrophobia.

Morris was twice bitten in the face by a mad dog about three weeks ago. Nothing was thought of this, and he was at Salisbury Thursday. The same night he was taken sick, and before he died he barked, snarled and frothed at the mouth. He died in agony and convulsions.

Rural Free Delivery.

A statement given out by Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Degraw July 3 shows that during the fiscal year just ended there were 48,072 applications for rural free delivery, of which 11,415 were acted upon adversely. At the close of the year there were 4,599 petitions still pending, of which 933 have been assigned for establishment, leaving 3,666 unacted upon. The number of routes in operation July 1, 1905, was 32,058, an increase over last year of 7,495.

Postmaster General Cortelyou Monday issued an order providing that hereafter service on all rural free delivery routes shall be suspended on New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Decoration Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day and Thanksgiving Day.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Fairfield, July 11.—Mr. Wm. Linn, who was reported being sick with Typhoid fever is getting better. Mrs. John Butt, of Orrtanna, and Mrs. F. Shully spent a few days at Tanytown, Md., last week, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Plank.

Mr. H. Hartman, of Fairfield, has his brother visiting him, the Rev. Mr. Hartman.

The farmers of this place are pushing the harvest along. The oats is coloring and some will be cut next week.

The work of the new School house is being pushed rapidly. The windows are all up. Another week's work will nearly finish the brick work.

GOTO THE SHOW.

On Tuesday, July 18, John P. Harris' Great Big 25 cent Show will give two performances on Mr. N. Baker's field, in this place. Prof. John White and his \$10,000 group of trained horses, ponies, dogs, goats and donkeys are one of the special features of the show, while the athletes, acrobats and general performance are unexcelled in their respective lines. The smallest trained donkey in the world and the lady clown are attracting great attention. Performances begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and 8 in the evening.

Want Carnegie to Pension Teachers.

Because Andrew Carnegie gave \$10,000,000 of his vast fortune as an endowment for a fund for superannuated college professors, public school teachers are of opinion that he should do as much for them. With this end in view the Pittsburg teachers have determined to storm Mr. Carnegie in his castle, and have raised sufficient funds with which to send Miss Emma Maroff, a prominent teacher, to Scotland to lay the matter before Mr. Carnegie. Miss Maroff will carry with her letters from Dr. W. J. Holland, curator of the Carnegie Museum, and Professor John A. Bashear, the astronomer, both personal and intimate friends of Mr. Carnegie, urging him to do what he can for the teachers. Miss Maroff will sail for Scotland the latter part of the month.

Bargain Excursion To Pen-Mar Sunday, July 23rd.

The Western Maryland R. R. announce that on Sunday, July 23rd, they will run a special cheap excursion to Pen-Mar, the round trip rate from Westminster being only 75 cents and other stations in proportion. Special train will leave Westminster 9 A. M. stopping to include Thurmont and returning, will leave Pen-Mar Park 6:30 P. M. This will be an event in the excursion line and everything will be done to make it one of the most enjoyable excursions ever run by the company to popular Pen-Mar. For further information apply to your local ticket agent.

The Emmitsburg Railroad will run an excursion train on Sunday, July 23, and connect with the Western Maryland Railroad at Rocky Ridge. Round trip fare from Emmitsburg 75 cents; children under 12 years of age, 40 cents. Train leaves Emmitsburg at 9:20 A. M.

Catholic Summer School.

Preparations have been completed for the opening of the sixth annual session of the Maryland Catholic Summer School, which this year will be held at Ocean City. The formal opening will occur on July 16, and the closing exercises will take place on August 6, 1905. This Catholic Chautauqua has been in existence six years. Its first session was held at Mount St. Mary's, this county, and with the exception of one year at Harper's Ferry, W. Va., all its sessions have been held there. The mountain site has always been in popular favor with the members, but the continued growth of the school demanded the selection of a place which would afford more ample accommodations.

Crushed By A Car.

George Pippen, aged 75 years, who was employed at Hoffman mine and residing at Shaft, Allegany county, was run down and so badly crushed by a car on the Cumberland and Westernport Railway, in front of his residence Wednesday evening, that he died 30 minutes later. The accident was witnessed by his wife and several members of his family, who were sitting on the front porch. Mr. Pippen had started to go to a nearby house, when his attention was attracted by a passing train on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, and he did not hear the approach of the electric car. He stepped on the track immediately in front of the car and was crushed under the wheels. The car was crowded with people and the accident created great excitement. Mr. Pippen is survived by his widow and several children, including two grown sons.

HARNEY NEWS.

Harney, July 12.—Miss Lillie Harner has gone to Hanover to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Rudisill.

Mrs. C. Ott, of this place, has gone to Baltimore to a hospital to be operated on.

Mrs. Mary Hahn, is very ill at the present time.

Mr. Dallas Shriver and sister, Aurella, spent Sunday with friends at Littlestown.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keibel, and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith of Bridgeport, spent Sunday as the guests of Geo. I. Shriver.

Mrs. Florence Heck and sister, spent last Saturday with friends at Emmitsburg.

Truman Heck, and Horatio Smith, who have been employed at York, spent a few days with their parents, who reside at this place.

Miss Gertrude Harner spent a few days in this place last week.

Miss Omo Menchey has gone to Shenandoah, Virginia, to visit her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Niel.

Mrs. Harry Heiser, of Kansas, is home on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Levinia Shriver, of this place.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Shryock's this week.

There will be no services in the Lutheran Church on Sunday, Rev. G. W. Minnich is away on a vacation.

The St. James Reformed Sunday School will hold their picnic on July 29. All are invited to attend.

Struck On The Head During A Fight.

Thomas and George Thornton, both colored, are held in jail at Rockville in default of bail in the sum of \$500 each to answer a charge of assault with intent to kill Aubrey M. Green, near Derwood, Allegany county, early in the morning of July 4 last.

Tuesday morning eight negroes, Thomas Thornton, Daisy Thornton, Lizzie Sewall, George Thornton, Edward Hill, "Dinks" Neal, Richard Sewall, William Brown, Elsie Duffin and Isaac Campbell, all of whom had been arrested and held in jail charged with participation in the assault, were given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Joseph Reading. According to the testimony of Mr. Green, he was returning to his home at Derwood early on the morning of July 5, about 2 o'clock when he overtook a crowd of negroes in the road. He says that one of them stopped his horse and cursed him. Green got out of his buggy and took with him a dried dogwood stick about the size of a baseball bat. With this club he struck the negro who held the horse. He turned, struck another, and then started to get in his buggy when someone threw a stone striking him on the back of the head, behind the left ear, cutting his scalp to the bone. He fell to the ground, but finally managed to get in his buggy and get home before he became unconscious from the loss of blood. The negroes deny this testimony and say that Green drove to one side of the road and stopped his horse, got out and came back and started the trouble.

Green said that someone in the crowd snatched a revolver at him several times, but the gun failed to discharge. This testimony was denied by the defendants. Green said it was dark and he could not identify any of the negroes. It was gathered from the testimony of a number of witnesses, negroes, who were in the crowd, that the two Thorntons were the ones in the fight with Mr. Green.

A Smooth Article.

When you find necessary to use salve use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the purest, and best for Sores, Burns, Boils, Eczema, Blind, Bleeding, Itching or Protruding Piles. Get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, Druggist.

To Stop "Traffic" Marriages.

In order to put a stop to "traffic" marriages, the ministers of Cumberland have unanimously agreed not to take part in the marrying of couples brought there by any parties who make it a business to assist out-of-town couples in securing licenses and clergymen. The couples are generally brought there from Pennsylvania or West Virginia, and Cumberland has become a veritable Gretna Green.

Where there is any suspicion of graft in marriages the ministers will not perform the ceremony. In order to assist out-of-town couples in Clergymen of their denomination or choice, a list of all ministers, with denomination and address, will be placed in the office of the clerk of the court where parties will have to obtain license.

POWDER MILLS ARE BLOWN UP

Five Tons of Powder Explode at the Plant of the Rockdale Company, at Hoffmansville, Baltimore County.

The fifth explosion within a few months occurred about 7 o'clock Monday evening at the Rockdale Powder Mills, at Hoffmansville, Baltimore county. Eugene Abell, Punxsuawney, Pa., and William Hoffer, of Hoffmansville, who are employed at the mills, were badly injured and two buildings were blown to pieces.

Abell's injuries will probably prove fatal. He is horribly mutilated and the flesh dropped from his bones when he was picked up in an unconscious condition. Hoffer was seriously burned about the head and body.

Fortunately the explosion occurred after the day force had left the mills and before the night force had come on. Twelve employees were about to enter the mills when the terrific explosion occurred which demolished the coining mill and the press-house. The explosion occurred in the latter place, which had five tons of powder stored in it.

The report of the explosion was heard for a long distance, and the earth shook as though there had been an earthquake.

Five serious explosions have occurred at the mills within a short time. At the explosion which preceded the one of Monday afternoon a number of men received injuries, and some of them died.

The mills are owned by York (Pa.) parties and are located on the site of the old Hoffman paper mill, and are equipped with costly machinery. The amount of the loss caused by the explosion could not be ascertained. It is not known how the explosion occurred.

Dynamite, as well as powder, is manufactured at the mills.

Bravest Act In The Campaign.

Mr. Edward Keegin, on the staff of the U. S. Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., who is stopping with his family at Mr. Daniel Stouter's, for the summer, in speaking of the Spanish-American War gave the following reminiscence of one brave act in that short war:

"It was just after the first day's charge up San Juan Hill in Cuba. Our dead had not been buried. After trying to locate our chaplain to say prayers over our dead we were informed that he was four miles in the rear at the Division Hospital administering to the wounded and dying. We sent over to the 16th Infantry to see if the chaplain of that regiment would say the burial services over our dead. He consented to come, and did perform his duties in a brave and faithful manner.

"While saying the services over one of my dead comrades a bullet struck the Bible he was holding in his right hand, knocking the Bible to the ground, the bullet going through his hand. He stooped down, picked the Bible up with his left hand and finished the services. "The Officer in charge insisted that the chaplain cease saying services and that a detail of men would escort him to the hospital. The chaplain refused to go to the hospital and stayed with us until all of our dead were buried. This I consider the bravest act I witnessed in the whole campaign."

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keegin, of Washington, D. C., are visiting at Mr. Daniel Stouter's.

Capt. R. J. Boyd, of Upton, Pa., and son, R. C. Boyd, of South Auburn, Nebraska, visited the Misses Smith.

Mrs. Thomas, and her daughter, Mrs. Beaumont, and two children, of Canton, Ohio, are visiting Mr. Geo. L. Gillelan and other friends in this vicinity.

Misses Ruth and Rhoda Gillelan are attending the meeting of the State Teachers' Association, at Blue Mountain House, Md.

Miss Nellie Rowe is visiting friends at Harney.

Mrs. Harriet S. Horner, of Baltimore, is spending the summer at the home of Mr. S. S. Moritz, at Fairplay, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Hospelhorn and two children, of Waynesboro, Pa., are spending the week with Mr. Hospelhorn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hospelhorn.

Mr. William A. Frailey, of Washington, D. C., is visiting his brothers and sisters in this place.

In A Pinch, use ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures Corns, Bunions, Painful, Smarting, Hot, Swollen Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, etc.

Col. Buchanan Schley, of Hagerstown, sent \$50 to the Catoctin families which lost relatives in the recent Western Maryland wreck, near Patapsco.

DEATH OF CAPTAIN HALLER.

Railroad Conductor Dies After Lingering Illness.—Deaths.—Twice Married. Team Taken By Mistake.—After Electric Road.—In The Courts.—Notes.

Frederick, July 12.—Capt. William T. Haller, conductor on the Northern Central Railroad between this city and Bruceville, died Wednesday last after a lingering illness of cancer of the stomach. Capt. Haller was first stricken about six months ago and although under care of eminent specialists, gradually grew worse till death came to his relief. He had been connected with the Pennsylvania Railroad for over 25 years and was well known by the traveling public. He is survived by a wife and 8 children. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon. Interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. The railroad employees attended in a body. Capt. Haller was a member of the Pennsylvania Relief Association and Frederick Council Royal Arcanum, the latter organization attending the funeral in a body.

Deaths.

Mrs. Mary O'Sullivan Crimmins, a well known lady of this city, died on Saturday last at her home, this city, of uremic poisoning, aged 63 years. The deceased was a prominent member of St. John's Catholic church. Mrs. Crimmins had been a sufferer from rheumatism for many years and had just returned from the Emergency Hospital where she had undergone treatment. The funeral took place Tuesday last, interment being made in St. John's cemetery. High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Frs. Kane and Smith at St. John's church. F. Schroeder was the funeral director. She is survived by the following children: Wm. M., superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, this city; J. Daniel, a merchant tailor, and Miss Hannah, all of this city, and Edw. P., of Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Annie M. Burger, mother of Wm. A. Burger, a prominent photographer, of this city, died here on Sunday last after a lingering illness, aged 75 years. Mrs. Burger was a native of Germany. She is survived by her husband and six children, all of this city. Interment was made in Mt. Olivet Cemetery Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Burger was a member of the Reformed church, Rev. E. R. Eschbach, pastor.

Twice Married.

Mr. Wm. I. Shenk and Miss Mary Mullin, both of this city, were quietly married on Monday last at St. John's Catholic church by Rev. Fr. Smith. It appears that the couple were originally married at Wilmington, Del., in November last by a Methodist minister, but as the bride is a Catholic and her parents wishing the ceremony to be performed in the church, the happy couple agreed to a second ceremony as above stated. Mr. Shenk is a clerk at the "Model" Dry Goods Store, this city. The couple left for a trip and upon their return will reside in this city. The original marriage was not known by the parents of the bride and groom till Monday last. Mr. Ira N. Logan, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and a friend of the groom, acted as best man.

Team Taken By Mistake.

On Monday last a team belonging to Colonel Nutt, of near this city, was taken from the place where it was hitched on Market street, and the services of Constable Staub were secured to locate it. It later developed that summer boarders at the Linsagore Hills Inn, near the city, had mistaken teams and had taken the Colonel's supposing it to be the "Inn team." Upon arriving at the Inn they were told of the mistake and immediately returned to the city with the team. The matter was explained and all parties were satisfied.

After P. and M. Electric Road.

It is rumored that outside parties are trying to secure control of the Frederick and Middletown Electric Railroad, but it is stated by a director of the road that the majority of the stock is "pooled" and not for sale. The Hagerstown people control the Myersville and Catoctin end and want the Frederick end also.

Ice Companies Combine.

The Hygiea and Crystal Plate Ice Cos have effected a combination, the former absorbing the latter. The absorption caused us a surprise and as a result ice has been advanced somewhat in price. The stockholders of the Crystal Plate will receive stock in the Hygiea but the terms of the deal were not made public. The Crystal Plate has been in existence only a short time. Both plants will be continued in operation. It is said ice has been sold by wholesale as low as 15cts per hundred, which was less than the cost of manufacture. The retail price is now 35cts per hundred.

In The Courts.

Wm. Johnson, colored, was arrested last week charged with assault and battery upon Huber Smith on the Gas House road. Johnson gave bond for a hearing later this week.

The case against Main and others, who were arrested for having registered beer bottles in their possession, contrary to law, was dismissed by Justice Smith upon the final hearing as the Maryland Bottlers' Association had not complied strictly in this county with the law.

Geo. Freed charged with desertion and non-support of his wife, Caroline Freed, gave bail before Justice Smith for his appearance at court. Constable L. F. Carter made the arrest.

Justice Wood has sent Estella Smith, colored, to the Industrial School at Melvale, Baltimore county, Md., till she is of age, she having no one to care for her. Isabel Webster, who has applied for a divorce from her husband, Wm. E. Webster, has been allowed \$200 counsel fees by the court pending the conclusion of the case.

Geo. Kerns, H. L. Weddle and H. I. Grigle, Thurmont, charged with carrying concealed weapons, were before Justice Ferguson at Pen-Mar, July 4th. The Squire released them for court up-

on their own recognizance, but the Sheriff kept the pistols.

Geo. and Grayson Eyer, of near Walkersville, were fined \$10 and costs, each, by Justice Wood, for violation of the fish laws. The arrests were made by Deputy Game Warden Jno. Richards, of this city. The fines were paid. The charge was unlawful seining. Richards caught them in the act and as there has been considerable complaint as to parties violating the law, they were arrested.

Jane Davis, colored, was committed by Justice Smith last week to Montevue Hospital for treatment. Jane was in a helpless condition and without friends to care for her.

Judge Motter heard testimony last week in the case of Biser vs. Koogle, involving the sale of a wheat crop. The verdict was for Biser for \$192.30. Coblenz & Waters represented the plaintiffs, and Mansby and Norwood the defendants.

A suit was instituted lately before Justice Johnson, this city, by Jas. W. Painter against the Union Knitting Mills for wages claimed to be due him for his minor daughter. After the trial it appearing that the father had knowledge of the terms of the contract made, Justice Johnson rendered his decision in favor of the defendant. Mr. A. S. Brown represented the Company, and J. F. R. Heagy the plaintiff, Painter.

Charged with assault and battery, Dora Hallman and Kittie H. Moran were held by Justice Wood for the grand jury. The alleged assault occurred near Adamstown and was upon a Mrs. Mary Thayer.

Notes.

O. P. Bennett and R. S. J. Dutrow have been elected directors of the Frederick County Mutual Fire Insurance Company to fill vacancies.

Rev. Fr. Kraig, formerly stationed here has been made a member of the faculty of St. John's Boston Theological Seminary, Boston, Mass.

Rev. Charles F. Steck, of the Lutheran church, this city, has been presented by friends with a horse and phaeton as a token of esteem.

L. C. Celler has been given the contract to renovate the "Horsberger" property for the local lodge of Elks. An addition on 2nd street will be built and the main building converted into lodge rooms.

Guy K. Motter and L. W. Cramer, of this county, have been admitted to practice law by the Court of Appeals.

Mrs. McLain, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was tendered a reception at the City Opera House last week. Mr. Jos. D. Baker presided. An informal reception was also held at the parental home of the Misses Ritchie, Court Square.

A severe wind, rain and hail storm visited this city on Monday last doing considerable damage to buildings, and also to growing crops. It lasted only a short time, but considerable rain fell and many places were flooded. We have had any amount of rain here during the past week and it still continues.

The United Fire Company has been incorporated by the Court. The present officers and directors are named in the articles of incorporation as the officers for the remainder of the year. The company has started to improve the engine house and preparing to install horses for its apparatus. During the continuance of the repairs the company has been tendered and has accepted the offer of the Independent Hose Company to keep its apparatus there. The Independents have the finest and largest room for fire apparatus in the city.

Middletown is considering an offer made by the Frederick Electric Light Company to light the town by electricity. The company now furnishes light to the railroad and it is probable that the offer will be accepted.

Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Wm. Logan, of Hagerstown, last week made an inspection of this county and reported no violations of the Federal laws in the county. Mr. Logan stated to U. S. Commissioner White that he was more than satisfied with our people as all seemed to be trying to faithfully comply with the law.

The Western Maryland Railroad has paid, it is said, \$500 to each family of which a member was killed in the recent wreck below Westminster. It is also stated that the Company has made a satisfactory settlement with all the injured and that no law suits will follow as a result of the accident.

The Hotel Braddock opened on July 1st has proven quite a success so far. The Hotel is filled with guests. The Summer Colony at this resort is now quite large. The Railroad Company has arranged for many attractions for the summer.

Dr. J. T. Pyles, this city, was painfully injured last week. A nail he was driving into a board, was deflected and striking his eye caused a painful injury. The Doctor is at this writing somewhat improved. Fortunately the sight was not permanently injured.

The pills that act as a tonic, and not as a drastic purge, are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, etc. Early Risers are small, easy to take and easy to act—a safe pill. Mack Hamilton, hotel clerk at Valley City, N. D., says: "Two bottles of these Famous Little Pills cured me of chronic constipation." Good for children or adults. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, Druggist.

Boy Drowned At Perryville.

Raymond A. Davis 8-year-old son of Joseph H. Davis, of Fredericksburg, Va., was drowned late Saturday afternoon in a small pond near Perryville, Cecil county. The lad, in company with two other boys, was playing about the pond, when he fell overboard and sank before assistance could be rendered. His body was recovered. He was making his home with his uncle in Perryville during the summer.

YOUNG WOMAN ENDS HER LIFE

Miss Odie Durst, aged about 27 years, a prominent Allegany county schoolteacher and daughter of Mrs. Philadelphia and the late Alfred Durst, of Barton, Md., committed suicide by shooting herself in the forehead Tuesday morning shortly after 6 o'clock, just after she had dressed herself for the purpose of going to Pen-Mar to attend the meeting of the State Teachers' Association. Miss Durst had packed her satchel and everything in readiness for her to take the 6:35 A. M. train for Cumberland, from which point she was to go with other teachers to Pen-Mar.

Instead of going to the train Miss Durst wrote a note to her mother, telling of the contemplated deed and giving instructions as to her burial and the dress in which she wished to be buried. She then made a pillow of one her skirts and lying down on the floor fired the fatal shot, the bullet entering the center of her forehead and producing instant death. There was no one in the house at the time except her mother, who went to the young lady's room after hearing the shot and found her daughter dead. Miss Durst purchased the revolver, a small hammerless .32-caliber, sometime ago, and had kept it in her room. She was a rather tall and handsome blonde, of cheerful disposition and very highly respected. Miss Durst is survived by her mother, two brothers (Gordon Durst, Barton; Windom Durst a stenographer in Baltimore) and two sisters (Miss Sumelda Durst, Barton, and Miss Edna Durst, stenographer for the W. W. Frederick store, Cumberland).

The only known motive for the deed was the opposition of Mrs. Durst to the attentions of the young man (Mr. William E. Baker) who for years had been calling on the young lady. Mr. Baker was formerly a miner and resided at Barton. He went to Cumberland and was employed as a clerk in a restaurant. A few weeks ago he opened business in Cumberland for himself. He spent his childhood in Barton. Owing to the opposition of the mother, Mr. Baker has never been permitted to call at the house, but to Miss Durst he was always a welcome visitor to Barton. He spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Durst, and in parting she informed him that she would go to the State teachers' meeting and would inform him by letter of the day of her return, so that he might meet her at the train. Mr. Baker is a respected young man, and was very much affected by the sudden death of Miss Durst.

In addition to giving directions as to her burial, Miss Durst stated in the note left by her that she did not wish anyone blamed for the deed except herself, that life had become a burden to her and she determined to end it.—American.

Three Good and Just Reasons.

There are three reasons why mothers prefer One Minute Cough Cure: First, It is absolutely harmless; Second, It tastes good—children love it; Third, It cures Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough when other remedies fail. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, Druggist.

Killed Near New Windsor.

William Speake, a brakeman on the Western Maryland railroad, was killed Saturday in a peculiar manner. He was sitting in the door of a box car, between two other men. All three had their legs hanging out. Speake was caught by the side of an iron bridge west of New Windsor and dragged from the car. His legs were broken, his skull was fractured and his ribs crushed. The other men escaped without injury. Speake was married and leaves a widow and two children. He was a son of the late Elias Speake, of Rocky Ridge.

Another Gray's Appeal to Women. Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered an aromatic pleasant herb drink for women's use, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses and Backache, Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50c. Sample Free. Address: The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

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FAITH IN YOURSELF.

It is Absolutely Necessary if You Be Come a Success.

What would you think of a young man, ambitious to become a lawyer, who should surround himself with a medical atmosphere and spend his time reading medical books? Do you think he would ever become a great lawyer by following such a course? No, he must put himself into a law atmosphere, where he can absorb it and be steeped in it until he is attuned to the legal note. He must be grafted into the legal tree so that he can feel its sap circulating through him.

How long would it take a young man to become successful who puts himself into an atmosphere of failure and remains in it until he is soaked to saturation with the idea? How long would it take a man who deprecates himself, talks of failure, thinks of failure, walks like a failure and dresses like a failure, who is always complaining of the insurmountable difficulties in his way, and whose every step is a step toward failure—how long would it take him to arrive at the success goal? Would any one believe in him or expect him to win?

The majority of failures began to deteriorate by doubting or depreciating themselves, or by losing confidence in their own ability. The moment your harbor doubt and begin to lose faith in yourself you capitulate to the enemy. Every time you acknowledge weakness, inefficiency or lack of ability you weaken your self confidence, and that is to undermine the very foundation of all achievements.

So long as you carry around a failure atmosphere and radiate doubt and discouragement you will be a failure. Turn about face, cut off all the currents of failure thoughts, of discouraged thoughts. Boldly face your goal with a stout heart and a determined endeavor and you will find that things will change for you; but you must see a new world before you can live in it. It is to what you see, to what you believe, to what you struggle incessantly to attain that you will approximate—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Your ship is not likely to come in unless you go after it.

No man thinks he is a bore, although he knows that many of the other men are.

No wonder people have so little respect for advice; there is so much that is worthless.

Politeness is refraining from telling a man he is a fool every time you think he is one.

You would be awfully lonesome if every one in the world were as good as you think you are.

If you have written a letter, read it carefully before sending. If the words "Burn this" appear take your own advice at once.

Fainting is a great winner in arguments. If a woman can faint when things don't suit her husband will always see that she gets her way.—Atchison Globe.

The Name Noah.

Not many persons are sufficiently acquainted with the Bible to know that Noah was the name of a woman as well as of the patriarch.

At an inquest in England a female witness gave her Christian name as "Noah." The coroner remarked that he had never before known a woman to bear the name. Whereupon the witness, who was well posted in the origin of her singular predilection, said: "It is a Bible name, sir; you'll find it in the last chapter of the book of Numbers."

Reference was duly made, and in the eleventh verse of the thirty-sixth chapter the coroner found mention made of "Mahlah, Tirzah and Hogenah and Micah and Noah, the daughters of Zelophehad."

Walking and Balancing.

It is pointed out that in walking or running the arms and legs produce a "balancing" like that of the reciprocating and revolving parts of a locomotive. The movements of the legs react upon the trunk and tend to rotate it in alternate directions about a vertical axis. But the swinging of the arms, each in unison with the opposite leg, produces an opposing mechanical couple, the effect of which is to rotate the trunk in the other direction, thus balancing, in part at least, the rotating action of the legs.

Ruskin's Whimsicality.

A story illustrating Ruskin's whimsicality was given on the authority of a friend of the great writer. "One morning," he notes, "as we were coming out of chapel he said to me, 'I ought not to have come to chapel this morning.' We asked him in some astonishment why. He said, 'I am going to write a critique on —' picture in the academy and want to be in a perfectly diabolical temper.'"

A Reasonable Proposition.

Bumper—You owe me \$30,000, which you say you can't pay. Why don't you marry Miss Oldgirl? She's worth twice that amount. Jumper—No; I can't do that. But you might marry her yourself and pay me the difference.—Fliegende Blätter.

Proof.

Blinks—Young folks seldom have insomnia, do they? Spinks—Nonsense! My baby is only five weeks old, and he's got the worst case I ever saw.—Exchange.

The Limit.

"Is it true that the Blytons are living beyond their income?" "Worse than that. They're living beyond their credit."—Brooklyn Life.

"Self opinionated? Well, I should say he is. I never met any one so dogmatic."

"Is that so?"

"Yes. Why, he's positively bull-dogmatic."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Bears the Signature of *Castoria*

LEGENDARY DEVICES.

How Strange Animals Appeared in Heraldry in Old Days.

Early writers on natural history subjects make mention of many strange creatures that never could have existed save in the superstitious mind of the age in which they wrote, and of the many that did exist the accounts of their structure and habits are so ludicrous that one may really wonder if it was possible, even in the middle ages, that people could be so credulous. Many of these strangely garbled records of the animal world were, no doubt, due to travelers' tales and probably had a certain foundation in fact, but it is difficult indeed to account for the creation of such things as the phoenix, the cockatrice, the wyvern, the griffin and the dragon. The belief in the existence of the unicorn may have originated from the fact of some of the early African travelers meeting with certain antelopes that had lost a horn. It is a peculiarity with most antelopes that their horns are never shed and if injured or broken never grow again.

The horn, growing out of the forehead, betwixt the eyelids, is neither light nor hollow nor yet smooth like other horns, but hard as iron, rough as any file, revolved into many plights; sharper than any dart, straight and not crooked and everywhere black, except at the point.

Bartholomew asserted that there were many varieties of unicorn, and this would be feasible if this creature had been created from those horned beasts that had accidentally lost one of the horns.

How the phoenix was called into being it would be impossible to hazard a guess. It was popularly supposed that there was only one such creature existing in the whole universe and that there was only one tree in which it built its nest. We find mention of the phoenix as far back as Pliny, who says, "Howbeit, I cannot tell what to make of him; and first of all, whether it be a tale or no, that is never but one of them in the whole world, and the same not commonly seen."

In the fifteenth century we find Bartholomew writing of this imaginary bird:

"Phoenix is a large bird, and there is but one that kind in all the wide world, therefore I wonder thereof. Phoenix is a bird without mate (male) and lieth 300 or 500 years. When the which years he passed she feeleth her default and feebleness and maketh a nest of sweet smelling sticks that be full dry, and in summer when the western wind bloweth the sticks and the nest be set on fire with burning heat of the sun and burneth strongly."

The bird then allows itself to be reduced to ashes in this fire—and in due course rises again from the ashes in the full glory of renewed youth and is the most fairest bird that is, most like to the peacock in feathers, and loveth wilderness and gathereth his meat of clean greens and fruits."

The basilisk, or cockatrice, was reputed to be some strange mixture of a bird and serpent, able to slay with his breath and his sight, which power was accredited by some to dragons.—Westminster Gazette.

A Persistent Nest Builder.

One of the most energetic nest builders is the marsh wren; in fact, he has the habit to such a degree that he cannot stop with one nest, but goes on building four or five in rapid succession. And there is nothing cleverly about his work either. Look among the cattails in the nearest marsh, even within the limits of a great city, and you will find his little woven balls of reed stems, with a tiny round hole in one side. There is a certain method even in his madness, for the nest in which his wife is brooding her seven or eight eggs is less likely to be found when there are so many empty ones around. Then, too, he uses the others as roosting places for himself.—Recreation.

Played by the Wind.

The natives of North Borneo convert a long bamboo into an Aeolian harp by cutting slots in the bamboo above each joint, setting it up so as to easily turn on its axis and keeping the apertures constantly facing the wind by means of a rudder or fantail similar to that used on an American windmill. The music from this harp on a windy day is most pleasing, the notes from the larger holes giving a deep organ tone unapproached by any other instrument.

Willing to Chance It.

"The man who marries my daughter," said her proud father after telling the young man that there was no hope for him, "must have strength of character. He must have fortitude, he must have courage, he must be able to bear misfortune."

"I know it," the boy replied. "I knew it before you said so, but even at that I'd be willing to take a chance on her."

Discouraging.

"What!" exclaimed Crittice, "Going on the lecture platform, are you?" "Yes," replied the conceited young author; "that is just to give readings from my own works, you know." "But suppose you should prove to be a poor reader too. It would be a double frost!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

News to Her.

Mrs. James—My husband is a conservative. Mrs. Jones—Indeed! Why, I had no idea he was in that business. Does he have a large—er—conservatory?—Cleveland Leader.

He that foretells his own calamity and makes events before they come doth twice endure the pains of evil destiny.—Davenport.

Reasonable Request.

Judge—Have you anything to say before I pass sentence upon you? Bank Wrecker—Yes. Don't the rules allow you to take out time from my sentence equal to the length of that miserable speech my lawyer made?—Cleveland Leader.

Simple.

She—Miss Stuffy had always vowed she would never marry. How did she happen to change her mind? He—Why, some one proposed.—Detroit Free Press.

COSTLY DISHES.

Dining Services of Solid Gold and Dishes of Rare China.

I happened to be in Tiffany's and asked one of the head men if it is true that people really eat off gold plates.

He smiled and, turning to a young man, said, "Bring me an after dinner coffee set."

And presently the young man returned with a small tray holding three small pieces. They were gracefully fashioned and looked like gold. And the tray looked like gold.

"What do you think they are?" asked the head man.

"Silver gilt," I suggested.

"Hold it," he said and put the service in my hands.

"It's heavy," said I, "but—it can't be solid gold."

"That's what it is," he castled me and pointed to the mark. "These four pieces—the tray, the coffee pot, the cream pitcher and the sugar bowl—are eighteen carat gold, solid. The price is \$3,000."

Not only is it true that a number of millionaires in America own plates of solid gold or silver gilt (which latter is considered good enough for European royalty), but there are rich families who boast sets of china costing from \$3,000 to \$5,000 a dozen, so that the breaking of a single plate means the loss of several hundred dollars.—Success.

LAPLAND BABIES.

For Their First Few Months They Live in Wicker Baskets.

Little Laplanders spend the first few months of their existence in baskets of wickerwork provided at the top with a conical framework too close for the baby to fall through and yet giving the infant plenty of light and air.

Before commencing her work for the day the Lapp mother places her child in the basket and hangs it on the limb of some nearby tree, occupation being found for the little one by stringing toys upon a cord passed across the top of the basket.

Thus provided, the child spends the entire day in the open and yet at the same time is guarded from the troubles and dangers of outdoor child life in other countries.

The basket idea curiously parallels the Indian idea of strapping the papoose into a carrying case, but the Lapp baby has the advantage over its Indian fellow in that its limbs are unconfined and a certain amount of liberty of movement is afforded.

The child is carried from place to place in the same basket, the cord by which it is attached to a tree being slung over the shoulder.

A DIFFERENCE IN NAMES.

Some Orders That Puzzled the New York Fish Dealer.

The fish market man glanced at the retreating figure of a lean, lank customer and remarked: "I wish that fellow would learn to talk United States. He comes in here and says, 'Have you any squeteague?' and after awhile I find out he wants weakfish. Then one day he ordered a horse mackerel, and I had to send for a dictionary before I found out that he wanted haddock. Where did he come from? New England, he says, and calls things by the names they do down there."

"Strange that a few miles should make such a difference in fish names. Why, when he wants a blackfish he calls for tautog and orders quahogs when he wants clams. He is almost as bad as an Englishman who came into a meat market where I worked, once and asked us if we had any savory duck. 'This is no poultry shop,' said I. 'I know it,' replied he. 'Then why do you ask for duck?' said I. 'What do you suppose he wanted? Nothing in the world but hog's pluck, or pig's liver, as the overrefined call it.'—New York Press.

Concerning Seasickness.

Two congressmen, discussing the discomforts of travel, happened to branch off on to the subject of seasickness. One of them said:

"Talk about seasickness, the fellow that traveled with me on my last European trip beat anything I ever met in all of my experience before. I tried all sorts of remedies on him, but without avail. He kept repeating, 'Oh, I am so sick, I am so sick.'"

"Finally I cried out, 'Can't you keep anything on your stomach?'"

"Only my hands, Tom, only my hands."—Harper's Weekly.

Matrimony and Theology.

Matrimony should end all doctrinal quibbles. If the man happen to be born a pagan and the woman something else, let them compromise their differences and become, both of them, of the same faith. Let them cast lots if there be no other way.—From "The Bishop's Niece," by George H. Picard.

Happy Schooldays.

The Parson—Well, my boy, you seem in a great hurry to get to your school today. Boy—Yes, sir. Bill Jones is going to get a bird of a licking this morning for playing hooky, and I don't want to miss it.—Puck.

A Healthy Puppy.

"There's only one good thing about that young puppy that came to see you last night," said the irascible father, "and that is he's healthy."

"I'm surprised to hear you admit that much," replied the dutiful daughter.

"I wouldn't except for the fact that when you met him in the hall last night I heard you say, 'Oh, George, how cold your nose is!'"

The Wall Street Way.

Jobson—You bought the stock on your broker's advice, didn't you? Dobson—Yes; he gave me four excellent reasons why it should go up. Jobson—What has he to say now? Dobson—He has given me four equally good reasons why it went down.

Trouble Ahead.

Young Husband (to wife)—Didn't I telegraph to you not to bring your mother with you? Young Wife—I know; that's what she wants to see you about. She read the telegram.

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Upon inscriptions in bricks our earliest knowledge of human history depends. Kings whose glory has passed so utterly that all but their names have perished still owe the perpetuation of these names to a mark in the perdurable brick.—Chicago Journal.

CRINOLINE.

In the World of Fashion of 1830 is a reference to "the new stuff called crinoline." Crinoline was partly thread, partly horsehair, its name being compounded of the French "crin," horsehair, and "line," flax. Hats, skirts and all sorts of things that were wanted to possess a certain stiffness were made of this material.

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