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TAFT'S EARNED POPULARITY

His Work As Member of Cabinet

MUCH TRAVELLED MAN

Has Gone to Settle Boundary Disputes in Panama

CLOSE VIEW OF BIG SECRETARY

If Elected It Will Be Mr. Taft that is President and Not a Figure-Head Governed by Another.—A Positive, Courageous and Progressive Man.

The most prominent Presidential candidate of the Republican party is again on the flashing brine. This time he is on his way to Panama to settle a boundary question between Panama and Columbia the country from which she seceded at the time when the negotiations between the United States and Columbia for the Panama Canal strip were about to fail. The big Secretary of War, big enough, the majority of the delegates think, to be President of the United States has had one advantage in a greater degree than any President of the United States, the advantage of travel. He has traveled at least twice as much, possibly thrice as much as any President and he has managed some very important negotiations among them the negotiation with the Vatican when he represented the United States in the purchase of the Church lands in the Philippines, and when with a strong hand, more recently he averted war in Cuba and established a provisional government backed by a United States army. Your correspondent had an opportunity to see this probable President of the United States at rather close range from the thirteenth of September until the first of October, 1907, when he crossed the Pacific Ocean from Seattle to Yokohama on the same steamer. He spent much time on deck and was easily accessible to any passenger who wished to talk to him. He spent much of his time in his room with his Secretary but he was not too busy to prepare an address epitomizing the events and the negotiations by which the Philippine Islands became a part of the territory of the United States and in this address he gave a detail statement of his experience in Rome and at the Vatican interspersed with anecdotes concerning his negotiations with the Church, his meeting the Pope, etc. There is no doubt that the present President of the United States is the most widely and, perhaps deservedly, popular of all the Presidents. His greatest predecessor, Lincoln was President of a divided country, and the stress of war diverted attention from the White House, but if Mr. Taft shall be elected President of the United States he will give the country an excellent administration and while he may not create the enthusiasm of the present occupant in the White House he will be respected and esteemed and loved more and more as he becomes better known. No one who knows him will believe it possible for him to be a mere reflection of any man, no matter how great and deservedly popular that man may be for Secretary Taft is a positive man, great, generous, sincere, courageous and progressive.

TEN SHORT YEARS AGO!

Where Is the "Foremost American" Today?—What Becomes of the People's Idol.—Vanitas Vanitatum.

Without fear of successful contradiction, says the New York Sun, we affirm that ten years ago tomorrow morning the foremost man then existing beneath our flag, the one citizen for whom the future held treasure beyond the dreams of ambition, the supremely conspicuous possessor of fame and influence manifestly secure against all possibilities of reverse or diminution, the greatest and most popular American, was named George Dewey.

Think of it, this is Dewey Day! He was the people's idol. He was the advance agent of Empire. He was the splendid sunrise of the new America of the Twentieth Century and the Two Oceans. He was the hero of patriotic imagination. He was the hand that had but to reach forth and take.

Ten short years ago!

FREAKS FROM DAILY PAPERS

Minnesota's New Condensed Hog

SPINS WHEN WALKING

Pig All Hams And Shoulders Lacks Spare Ribs

A CALF WITH THREE MOUTHS.

Chicken Nest With Sixty-Five Eggs, Cow Has Triplets, Elongated Hog and a Rooster That Helps The Cluck.—Sounds Like a Circus Side Show.

Minnesota has developed a hog that is all hams and shoulders. He is a stubby little animal sadly lacking in spare ribs. One of the new variety has been sent to Chicago for exhibition purposes, and to convince the world that this state can raise pigs that are all quality.

A curious feature about the animal is that he has to kneel down when eating in order to get his snout to the ground. He has no neck. When he moves from one place to another he turns around and around as though waltzing.

After his return from Chicago the pig will be shown at the Minnesota county fairs as a breeders' curiosity.

James W. Burkholder, of Green Spring, owns a monstrosity in the shape of a calf that is attracting much attention.

The creature is double-headed, but has three mouths and tongues and four eyes. Having but one throat, the little freak frequently chokes when partaking of food, as it tries to use all three mouths. Burkholder is exhibiting the calf and has refused several offers for it.

Asher Frey, of Pleasant Valley, found a hen's nest near his barn which contained sixty-five eggs.

Three calves, triplets, were born in the stockyard at Spring City. All three will live.

Jacob Z. Yoder, of Morgantown, owns (Continued on page 8.)

THE GAME THEY PLAY

Each Trying to Put the Other Fellow in a Hole

PRESIDENT, SENATE AND HOUSE.

Roosevelt Out-Manoeuvred Speaker Cannon Who Depends on Senate to Pull Him Out and They In Turn Resent This Policy.

The pleasant game of trying to put the other fellow in a hole, according to the New York Post, is now being played in Washington by President, Senate, and House. Yesterday it appeared that the President had out-manoeuvred the House—that is, Speaker Cannon—so that it was willing to surrender somewhat and give him a mild anti-injunction bill, the latest Freeland financial measure, and a District of Columbia child-labor law. But it now appears that the Speaker is willing to concede this only in the hope that the Senate will kill the bills when they reach it. Naturally, the Senate resents this policy, and is beginning to warn the House that if it does not look out, it will find one or two of its bills passed when it least expects such action. So far the President seems to be in the best strategic position; he can lean back and watch the two houses wriggle, and when the sport flags he has only to let it be known that he will send in another message to see them writhe afresh. But the public bids fair to be the loser if it expects sane, intelligent, well considered legislation. Nothing of that kind need be hoped for. Any measure, whether anti-injunction or financial, that is rushed through now, is bound to be a bad piece of legislation, a mass of compromises hastily strung together in the eleventh hour merely for the purpose of getting something done to boast about on the stump and satisfy a hated President.

CHRONICLES OF EMMITSBURG

Series Of Entertaining Articles Concerning Town And People

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT EARLY TIMES

Customs and Amusements Now Almost Forgotten Recounted by Oldest Inhabitants

ANECDOTES ILLUSTRATIVE OF LIFE OF FORMER GENERATIONS

Letter Describing War Times in Emmitsburg.—The Battle of Gettysburg as Seen From Indian Lookout.—Sixty People with Telescopes Watch the Third Day's Fight.—The Scene after the Struggle.—Dead Bodies and the Thousand Graves.—Relic Hunters Swoop Down Before The Smoke Had Drifted Away From The Bloody Field.

The following interesting letter, relative to the war times in this place, written by A. J. B. to John A. Watterson, now Bishop Watterson, then a student at Mount St. Mary's College, was furnished THE CHRONICLE by the Bishop's brother, Hon. A. V. D. Watterson, president of the Alumni Association of the College:

MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, "MOUNTAIN HOME," MD., July 13th, 1863.

MR. JOHN A. WATTERSON:—

My very dear friend: * * * I scarce feel this vacation passing by. It seems to pass very quickly. However, this is owing perhaps to the fact that we are kept in almost constant excitement; but the immediate neighborhood is at present in a comparatively quiet state. Occasionally we see a few troopers pass by, but this no longer attracts any attention, except on one occasion when Stewart's (conf.) Cavalry passed. The Army of the Potomac in motion was truly a most beautiful sight. I believe it was even grander than that presented by the "Blairsville Blues" and "Blackie Greys," in days gone by. The Army came from Frederick City by the Turnpike and Frederick Mud-roads. On the latter most of the wagons, ambulances, cannon &c., came, which, by the way, were coming in from early dawn till night fall, and I do not know by what time of night they all got in. They encamped around about Emmitsburg. Their camp fires as viewed from the college windows almost led one to imagine that this section of country, for miles around, had received in one shower all the stars of the heavens. We were visited here by single soldiers, officers, groups, etc., to the amount of some thousands, some for the purpose of seeing old friends and companions, as for example, Mr. O'Leary, Maj. Anderson, (an old graduate of Mt. St. M.) and many old students of this place, who, by the way, all hold honorable positions in the army. But most of the privates and many of the officers visited the place to try the quality of Miss Leo's bread, butter, milk, &c., which I am pleased to say were dealt with a liberal hand. I heard that the 11th Regulars (in which I believe the Blairsville boys are) passed, but it was too late that evening to try to hunt up any of our old acquaintances, so next morning I put off to the camp through a heavy rain, and mud half knee-deep, but before I reached the place they were parading, making ready to march to Gettysburg, so I did not see any of our old friends of Blairsville. Whilst parading and marching out they seemed to present one solid mass of human beings, interrupted only by Regiments and Brigades of horsemen. Whilst passing here on their way up to Gettysburg French Bugles made our beautiful valley resound with martial music. The country round here sustained little or no damage from their marching through it, except when the owner was reported to be a rebel, and then pity that place! Unfortunately, Mr. Jno. Elder was reported, such by some of his malicious neighbors, in consequence of which his place, he told me, was almost destroyed. But perhaps you will say what I have already said is of minor importance, and that I should spare some of that talk for

describing the battle at Gettysburg as seen by us from Indian Lookout. Truly we were at that place (Indian Lookout) almost the whole time during the three days' battle, had plenty of glasses, viz., telescopes, spy and opera glasses—had a clear view of the field and could see so as to mark the men in their lines, attending cannon, the cannon themselves, making charges, officers riding headlong about their lines, and in a word the whole scene was spread out to our view. We could distinctly observe the changes in the position of the armies:—Sometimes one army would slowly give way, but seeming to dispute every inch of ground with as much energy and determination as if the fate of the Nation depended on its holding or yielding its position,—again rallying and driving the foe headlong before it for some distance, when the retreating body, either reinforced by some fresh troops, or perhaps reinforced with courage, the battle would become terrific. On Friday, the 3rd day of the battle, (3rd inst.) between the hours of 2 o'clock and 5½ P. M., it is said that it was the hardest contest witnessed during the whole war. During that time I watched it with intense interest; (but I need not say I, for there were some 50 or 60 persons present on Indian Lookout, of which body all the members of the college, except Fathers John McClosky and Xopie, constituted a part) during which hours, some of the officers said afterwards, they never before witnessed such heavy cannonading. Flames of fire and volumes of smoke obstructed our view considerably. We have not gone to the battlefield yet, but persons who have been there since the battle say it presents a most horrible spectacle. They say that some two or three days after the fight, dead bodies and the bodies of wounded and dying were to be seen scattered over the field in every direction, and that the stench for miles around is most intolerable. The graves of some thousand are to be seen on the field where they fell. I am told that where they were not very thickly spread on the ground they were pretty well buried, i. e., there was enough of earth put on them to cover the entire bodies, but where they fell four or five deep (as in many cases they did before the batteries) the appearance of their graves inspired the beholder with pity. There are thousands of dollars worth of guns, wagons, ammunition and equipage in general, daily carried off by visitors to the field. This is allowed because whenever such things are in the least injured they are rejected (e. g. the guns injured by rust) by the Government. I suppose when you are that far on your road back you will be "sighting" round to get hold of something as a relic of the Great Federal Victory gained at Gettysburg, Pa., July 3, 1863.

I think it would perhaps be prudent to bring these few lines to a close; but, before doing so, I will ask you once more to write to me and tell Mr. Kerr to do the same, if you chance to see him. There are thirteen seminarians here yet, of whom four expect to go out to vacation soon; and about twenty boys. So, then, wishing you all heaven's choicest graces and blessings, peace, health and happiness, I remain, dear John, your friend till death,

(Now Rev.) A. J. B.

Who Would Like To Take His Place. Speaking of whiskey, a London morning paper prints this pathetic advertisement: "Gentleman in good social position finds that wherever he goes friends ply him with whiskies and sodas, which he does not like, and which disagree with him; they resent it if he refuses them. He would like introduction to society in which whiskey and soda does not form so important an element."

Woeful Want Will Follow. Officials of the United States Geological Survey who are studying the fuel problem make the statement that 200,000,000 tons of coal, enough to supply the needs of the country for six months, are being wasted every year in the United States through improper mining methods. This waste represents a loss of more than \$200,000,000, for the coal is worth at least \$1 a ton.

JEROME FLAYS BIG DAILIES

Receives Hot Shot In Return

NEWS IS SUPPRESSED

Says They Are Controlled By Venal Persons

SHOWS MIGHTY POOR JUDGMENT

Lover of Notoriety Makes Four Mis-statements of Facts.—Advertisers Do Not Control Newspapers of New York.—Money Can't Suppress News.

District Attorney Jerome, of New York City, uncorked the vials of his wrath against the newspapers at the dinner given at the Waldorf by the St. George's Society on Thursday evening, of last week, says the Editor and Publisher.

He began by saying that democratic government wouldn't work in this country, either in the city, the State or the Nation, unless government by the newspapers should come to an end. Then he asserted that the newspapers in New York City were controlled for the most part by venal persons that more than any blackmailer has been produced of late inside these newspaper offices; that the business end of the newspapers controlled the general policies, and that persons who spend sufficient money can suppress the news. Jerome said in part:

"You can't make government right by statutes; it must be made right by men alone. Remember that all men are human, and the man who says that he does not care for public admiration is a fool or a liar. Our democratic institutions will not work out so long as we have government by the newspapers for the newspapers. Public opinion is not dictated by the newspapers themselves, but in the counting rooms of R. H. Macy & Co., Siegel-Cooper and John Wanamaker. Commenting on these statements the same paper says: The man who lives and thrives on notoriety, who loves to see his name and deeds emblazoned in the newspapers, and has many book shelves filled with

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BASEBALL DOPE SHEET

Major League Hitters and Their Percentage

LAST YEAR'S LEADERS ARE BLIND

McConnell, Boston, and Dooen, Philadelphia, Head the Batting List.—Chicago and Cleveland Are the Best Fielding Teams.

The first installment of the major league batting averages for the season furnish many surprises. The men who have been the leading batsmen for years have not yet got their eyes on the ball and are far down in the lists, while others who in previous seasons were not rated as high-class stick artists are now at or near the top.

Dooen, Philadelphia Nationals, who has played in thirteen games and been at the bat 41 times with a total of four runs, 17 hits with a total of 18 bases, has a percentage of .415. Following him in the order given are: Leach, Pittsburgh, .405; Wiltse, New York, .400; Sheehan, Brooklyn, .389 and Jordan and Hummel, of Brooklyn, each .327. Philadelphia leads in club batting with an average of .249, and Cincinnati next with .238. In club fielding Chicago leads, followed by Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Boston.

In the American League McConnell, Boston, .478; Criss, St. Louis, .400; Stovall, Cleveland, .375 and Chase, New York, .375 are the best hitters. Cleveland, .273; New York, .256 and Boston, .245, are the best in club batting, while Cleveland, Athletics, St. Louis and Chicago lead in fielding.

One primitive method of getting water for irrigating vegetable gardens in China is to dig a hole in a shallow river bed and carry the water to fields in American coal oil tins. The well, of course, is lost the next time the river rises.

SUNDAY, MAY 10, MOTHERS' DAY

An Appeal For a New Holiday

HONOR TO BEST WOMAN

Some Calendars Count 365 Mothers' Days.

EMBLEM IS WHITE CARNATION

"If On One Day Alone Every Man Would Give His Thoughts to Her Who Gave Him Birth We Would Be a Better People in a Better Country."

The Club women of New York, says the Philadelphia North American, have had a happy thought. They have invented a new holiday. But their invention must not be let remain a local possession of any class of people in any city. The festival—"Mothers' Day"—should be celebrated by the whole nation. Here are the facts about it:

Date—Sunday, May 10.

Name—Mothers' Day.

Object—The honoring of the best mother that ever lived—your own.

Observance—The wearing of a white carnation.

Now, it is well for the race that there are many men and women whose calendars count 365 "mothers' days" each year. These will need no urging to do this little special honor to the one they reverence rightly.

This holiday we think is meant not so much for those as for those who have been caught up in the whirlpool of their life-work and made not heartless, but thoughtless and forgetful of the memory of their dear best friend or the debt of constant love they owe to her if living.

Let us have this new holiday. Let that white carnation be on every breast of old and young and rich and poor on one day of the year. Let us hang out that sign of our knowledge of the truth that:

A mother is a mother still.

The holiest thing alive.

Not for the first time Mark Twain proves himself a true and wise adviser when he says:

This is a pleasure and a duty that we have long neglected. No thought could be more beautiful than that which prompts every man, woman and child to pay such a tribute to those dear ones to whom we owe so much. I do not know how many anniversaries of "mothers' day" I will see, but on those that I have remaining I will wear a white carnation, the emblem of purity and mother love.

The more thoughts of the mother the better. But if on one day alone every man would give his thoughts to her who gave him birth, we would be a better people in a better country.

And if those tired hands have been folded in final rest, and God's hand has smoothed her brow, that grew lined with thinking how she might help her children, all the more need to keep her picture from fading in memory for lack of grateful loving thought.

Therefore, let none be so engrossed or indifferent as to forget "Mothers' Day"—May 10—and the white carnation.

In a certain town in Indiana a man brought suit against a hardware company for \$10,000 damages. He claimed that a rope he had bought to commit suicide with broke and thus foiled his plans. After the rope broke, he said, he could not get up courage enough to try it over.

NEW BUILDING IN WASHINGTON

Ceremonies at Laying of Corner-Stone To International Bureau of American Republics.

The corner of Washington to the West of the White House and South of Pennsylvania avenue is coming to the front, remarks the Evening Transcript (Boston), after nearly a century of somnolence. There the corner-stone of the beautiful new building for the International Bureau of American Republics will be laid next Monday, in what is known as Van Ness Park. The President, the Secretary of State, the ambassador of Brazil, Cardinal Gibbons, Bishop Cranston and Andrew Carnegie will participate in the exercises and the program will also include the reading of specially cabled messages of congratulation from the presidents of all the Latin American republics. John Barrett, the present head of the Bureau, knows how to get up a celebration which will command attention.

STATE JOURNAL

Paragraphs of Maryland
News for Hasty Reading

The boiler in a steam pleasure launch used by the commandant at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, burst on Saturday afternoon seriously injuring five occupants of the craft, one of whom was Mrs. Benson, wife of Commandant of Midshipmen Benson.

The home of Robert Woods, located near the Blue Mountain House, used as boarding house was destroyed by fire on Saturday.

J. William Musey, who was tried before Judge Gillan, Chambersburg, Pa., for robbing the Western Maryland Railroad depot at Blue Ridge Summit, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Rev. Father Nagengast, pastor of St. Peter's Catholic Church, Hancock, hearing a woman scream for help, rushed to her rescue and beat her assailant so badly, that he required medical attention. The affair caused great excitement and Father Nagengast was warmly congratulated.

The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the governing body of that denomination, assembled in the Lyric Hall, Baltimore, for its quadrennial session Wednesday. There are in attendance at this session 787 voting delegates, of whom 394 are ministerial and 393 lay, the latter including a few women. A number of the delegates come from foreign countries. Of the ministerial delegation elected one is Governor Buchtel, of Colorado, 180 are presiding elders, 120 are pastors and 37 are college presidents or professors. The lay delegation includes Governor J. Frank Hanly, of Indiana, and Governor E. W. Hoch, of Kansas; Senator Doliver, of Iowa; a number of Congressmen, judges, college presidents and a number of other leaders in professional and business life.

The new State Tuberculosis Sanatorium now in course of construction near Sabillasville, will open for the reception of patients about June 1. The pavilions are not yet finished, but there will be accommodations for a number of patients in the main building, and a tent colony is to be established during the summer months. The examining physicians for the Sanatorium are Dr. Guy Steele, of Cambridge, Dr. Charles H. Conley, of Adamstown, and Dr. H. Warren Buckler, of Baltimore city. Only curable cases of tuberculosis will be admitted to the Sanatorium.

Mgr. O'Connell was made a bishop of the Roman Catholic Church at the Cathedral in Baltimore last Sunday. Monsignor O'Connell is rector of the Catholic University at Washington, and is considered one of the foremost members of the Catholic Church in this country.

Memorial service in honor of Jacob Tome, founder of the Jacob Tome Institute, drew many friends of the institution to Port Deposit on Tuesday. Exercises were held in the chapel of Memorial Hall, and the speakers were United States Senator Philander C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, and Dr. E. D. Warfield, president of Lafayette College.

Following close upon their removal from office Monday afternoon as Commissioners for Opening Streets, Baltimore, on the charge of accepting bribes, Messrs. J. Arthur Wickham and James H. Marine were arrested Tuesday morning on the same charge and were released on \$10,000 bail each for the action of the grand jury.

The public investigation of charges of cruelty at the Maryland School for Boys was begun in the Equitable Building, Baltimore, on Tuesday. At the outset Mr. Leigh Bonsal, chairman, announced that not only would the specific charges preferred be thoroughly sifted, but that the recent riot at the school would also be investigated.

Mayor John A. Garret has been re-elected Mayor of Glen Echo, defeating James D. Riley by a vote of 28 to 8. The result is regarded as an endorsement by the citizens of the town of Mayor Garret's policies, especially in regard to the prosecution of automobilists who run their machines in excess of the speed limits of a town ordinance. Mr. Riley made his fight on a platform declaring for more liberality toward automobilists and lower taxes, while Mayor Garret stood upon his record as Glen Echo's chief executive.

A report came from New York Wednesday that the Goulds had sold the Western Maryland railroad. The identity of the purchasers was not disclosed in the dispatch. Later the rumor was denied by New York interests representing Mr. Gould. This road is now in charge of Mr. B. F. Bush as receiver. He was in New York and perhaps his presence in the financial district of that city gave rise to the report.

During services at Grace Reformed Church, Frederick, some unknown person entered the vestibule and robbed the pastor's salary box of between \$10 and \$15. Most of the money was in envelopes and was taken from the box by means of a skeleton key. The robbery was discovered after the service, and investigation showed that the thief removed the money from the envelopes and hid the broken envelopes under the porch of the dwelling of Dr. Harry P. Fahrney, adjoining the church.

NEW NATIONAL PARTY

William Randolph Hearst
Calls It Into Life

ITS DOCTRINE NOW SPREADING

The Fledgling Is Called "The National Independence Party" and It Holds a Banquet.—Its Existence Depends on Hearst.

"I declare that the patriotic citizen, proudly conscious of his country's greatness, ambitious for its growth and glory, sensitive of its dignity and alert to its danger, wastes his vote when he votes for either of the old parties." These words are taken from the speech delivered by William R. Hearst at the National Independence Party banquet held in New York on Grant's birthday. His concluding remarks were "And if all the citizens who are dissatisfied with the indifference and insincerity of the good old parties, if all the citizens who are disgusted with the incompetence and corruption of the old parties vote for the Independence party, we will win by a clear majority and our principles will become the law of the land."

Mr. Hearst's paper, the New York Journal, says: Taking impetus in new direction every day, the National Independence Party doctrine is now spreading into sections of the country where it was believed to have little chance by reason of the firm intrenchment of the old parties.

Newspapers throughout the country have been expressing their belief that at the dinner the Presidential boom of some new party man would be launched, and the opposition press was convinced that the only result of the dinner would be the avowed candidacy of Mr. Hearst. Because no such programme was carried out and because all of the speakers, instead of wasting words on candidates, devoted all of their time to the discussion of the National Party and what it stands for and what it intends to do, the newspapers are as much mystified now as they were immediately after the Chicago conference.

An active new party campaign has now started in Florida, and the Southern leaders will announce the National committeemen for most of the Southern States during the coming fortnight. The New York State convention yesterday is the beginning of the National Party State conventions, and in rapid succession Massachusetts, California and Illinois will hold theirs.

NEW JAPANESE ALPHABET.

Much interest attaches to the plan proposed by progressive Japanese statesmen and scholars to adopt the Roman alphabet as the basis of a literature that shall put them more closely in touch with advanced civilization. One of the leaders in this movement is Count Okuma, who says that it is only through a uniformity of written language that the civilizing process can have free scope. Japan, like China, has no alphabet. It uses instead several thousand written signs known as ideographs. This makes it difficult for a foreigner to learn the language and imposes restrictions which produce a spirit of impatience in a people ambitious to take place in the front rank. The purpose of the Japanese in this regard is peculiarly interesting, because they propose to adopt the alphabet system, yet at the same time retain the ancient ideographs by which the country's hold upon ancient oriental literature is maintained, and through which it may exert an influence on China, just as it has itself assimilated much of the Chinese literature and civilization. Thus is Japan striving to bridge the gulf between modern occidentalism and an oriental antiquity concerning which Western civilization knows precious little. A rather difficult undertaking is this, it seems, but if it succeeds the results will be highly important and interesting, for by this means the secrets of the past can be made known to the modern world through Japanese scholars by a simple and ready process of translation.—Springfield Union.

New York has 1,518,450 acres of timber reserve, mostly in the Adirondacks, and in his late message Governor Hughes recommended that the state purchase a large amount more.

The Bishop of Buffalo says that single women should pray for husbands. Perhaps, also, there are some married women whose husband need the benefit of prayer.—Philadelphia Press.

Saturday is the busy day of the London fireman. In 10 years London had 3,393 Saturday fires, against 3,002 on Monday, the day they were least frequent.

Rudyard Kipling said to Robert Barr once in conversing on the subject of an exchange of ideas, "Why, all I ever knew somebody told me."

There are 17,000,000 children in Russia between the ages of 6 and 14 receiving absolutely no education.

RUSSIANS DIME NOVEL CRAZY

People of All Classes Daffy Over Hairbreadth Harry and "Sneaked From The Snare of The Snatchers" or "Alone In New York."

"Gnab! Gnab! Gnab! Eerht stohs gnar tuo no eht yllits thgin." This is the way they begin where Podwoski and Sketuski read those five and ten cent dime novels. There was no mistaking them in spite of the fact that they were in Russian, for the pictures in red, yellow and green ink on the outside covers were identically the same as those which used to rub off on our hands and on the inside pages of our geographies at school when we were boys.

"After that I kept my eyes open, and there wasn't a newsstand at any of the stations which I entered on the eleven day run to Moscow that didn't exhibit a rapidly diminishing stock of dime novels. I saw them too in the hands of well dressed persons on the dining car, which is used as a club car when the meals aren't going.

In Moscow and St. Petersburg they were all over, on the kiosks at the corners where they vend newspapers, hanging in the show windows of the bookshops and peddled by boys and men in the streets. A newspaper man told me that the dime novel craze had hit Russia hard.

"It seems that a Russian bookseller spent several months in New York, stumbled upon a pile of old dime novels and concluded that he had just the thing that the reading public of Russia was hankering for. When he returned to St. Petersburg he brought the novels along with him, had them translated into Russian and immediately began to coin money.

"Some of the newspapers are running the novels in serial form. All classes of persons, of all ages and both men and women devour them, I was told. From the numbers I saw with their eyes glued to the pages of novels as they rode in the trolleys, railroad cars, sleighs or droskies, or even as they walked along the streets, I concluded that the Russian bookseller had struck a good thing.

"To show you how seriously they regard the craze, I saw an essay written on the subject by some professor who argued that the reading of the novels had an educational value, as they served to familiarize thousands of Russians with life and social and geographical conditions in the United States, thereby providing them with useful knowledge which otherwise they might not possess. They sell for about five cents apiece."

GENESIS OF SALLY LUNN

How many of our readers know the excellences of a Sally Lunn? The world whirls round so fast that it is possible not one in a hundred could tell what a Sally Lunn is! The genesis of this toothsome delicacy is to be found in Edinburgh society a hundred years ago. It was before railways had made London the capital of Britain—in the days when Scots peers and gentlemen had their town houses in Edinburgh and when Edinburgh could offer society second to none in distinction and chic. It was when the new regiment of Fencibles, raised by Lord Breadalbane at the end of the eighteenth century, was turning the heads of Edinburgh belles that the custom of giving tea parties became the fashion. Prince Leopold, widower of Princess Charlotte of Wales, loitered in Edinburgh on his way South from a visit to Taymouth castle, and many of the principal hostesses of the city fought for the honor of entertaining him to tea. Miss Sarah Lowndes, "a lady of the first fashion," then invented the cake called afterward by her name, "Sally Lowndes," a name which slipped easily into the "Sally Lunn" known to this day to north country pastry cooks. Soon afterward Miss Sally married and a daughter of hers became the wife of Maj. Dallas-Yorke of Walmgate, Yorkshire, the mother of the present Duchess of Portland. We have never inquired if the ducal tea tables at Welbeck or at Grosvenor Square are furnished with the excellent and fluffy dainty so nearly linked with the ancestress of her grace.—London Modern Society.

There are in Switzerland a number of societies which have for their object the propagation of the theory of cremation of the bodies of the dead. The propaganda is based upon various theories, chief among which is that of sanitation, the claim being made that the decomposition of bodies buried in the ground is a danger to public health.

The total weight of the flagpole on top of New York's tallest building is 6,300 pounds. It is 60 feet high and 612 feet above the ground.

NOW.

If you have hard work to do,
Do it now,
To-day the skies are clear and blue,
To-morrow clouds may come in view,
Yesterday is not for you;
Do it now.

If you have a song to sing,
Sing it now.
Let the tones of gladness ring
Clear as song of bird in Spring.
Let every day some music bring;
Sing it now.

If you have kind words to say,
Say them now.
To-morrow may not come your way,
Do a kindness while you may,
Loved ones will not always stay;
Say them now.

If you have a smile to show,
Show it now.
Make hearts happy, roses grow,
Let the friends around you know
The love you have before they go;
Show it now.
—CHARLES R. SKINNER in New York Sun.

The great Lick telescope will pick out a star so small that it would require 30,000 of put together to be visible to the naked eye.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, passed by said court on the 20th day of January, 1908, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Niles M. Wilhide, late of Frederick county, deceased, will sell at public sale

On Saturday, May 16th, 1908, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the farm of George N. Wilhide, situated on the Monocacy River near the mouth of Tom's Creek, about 5 miles East of Emmitsburg, in Frederick County, State of Maryland, all the following personal property, viz: ONE 12-HORSE POWER FRICK Traction Engine, 1 water wagon, 1 Huber Thresher, Machine Sheet, 1 STEAM CHOPPING MILL, 2 sets single buggy harness, one nearly new, 1 Halter, 1 good Winter robe, 1 horse blanket, 1 Summer lap spread, 1 Edison Gem Phonograph with about 60 records, 1 Roller Organ with seven records, 1 telescope, 1 rifle, 1 pistol, 2 umbrellas, 1 nickel watch, 1 gold watch and chain, 1 safety razor, 1 combination awl and other property of the deceased.

Terms of sale prescribed by the Court:—Cash upon all sums of or under \$10; upon all sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes bearing interest from day of sale with good and sufficient security to be approved by the executor.

And at the same time and place by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for Frederick County, passed on March 23rd, 1908, and a power of sale in said will contained, the said executor will sell all that valuable timberland situated on the East side of the Mountains near Emmitsburg, in Frederick County, State of Maryland, in the Fifth Election District of said county, of which the said Niles M. Wilhide, died, seized and possessed. Said Mountain land is well timbered with chestnut, oak and other valuable timber and adjoins the lands of Geo. S. Springer, J. Stewart Annan, heirs of J. M. Stouter, deceased, and others. The same being described in a deed from Peter Baumgardner and wife to said Niles M. Wilhide dated May 1st, 1873, recorded in Liber C. M., No. 10, Folio 164, one of the land records of Frederick County.

Terms of sale prescribed by the court for said land:—One-half cash on day of sale, ratification thereof of the Orphans' Court, the balance in six months, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes, bearing interest from day of sale with good and sufficient security to be approved by the said executor for the deferred payment. All conveying at the expense of the purchaser or purchasers.

GEORGE N. WILHIDE,
Executor.

Vincent Sebald, Attorney.

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FRIENDS' CREEK ITEMS MT. ST. MARY'S ITEMS.

Rev. Mr. S. A. Kipe has returned from Zittlestown where he has been holding protracted meetings.

Mr. E. C. Shriner was taken seriously ill last week. He is being attended daily by Dr. Wachter and is slightly improved at this writing.

Rev. Mr. Samuel Kipe made a business trip to Sabillasville last week.

Misses E. M. Gallion and R. M. Kipe visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kipe.

Miss Rhoda Kipe was the guest of Rev. Mr. Kipe and family.

Messrs. Arthur Furgerson and Joseph Turner spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shriner.

Mrs. S. A. Kipe and her two sons and daughter, and Mr. William Miller, of Eyley's Valley spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kipe.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Marker, near Fountain Dale, Miss Lizzie Hardman, Mr. Charles Eyley and Mrs. Laura Benchoff, both of near Zora, were recent guests of Mr. Edward Shriner.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Nagle called at the home of Mrs. Hardman on Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Hardman killed a copper head snake in the spring house one day last week.

Mrs. Catharine Hardman is improving slowly.

Mrs. W. H. Kipe visited Mrs. Harbaugh, of Harbaugh's Valley, recently.

Mr. Amos Furgerson purchased the property belonging to the late Mr. Wesley Marker, in this place.

Mr. W. H. Kipe purchased a new buggy from Mr. Topper, of Emmitsburg.

Mr. S. H. Duffey is ill at this writing.

Mr. William Kipe is so improved that he was able to make a business trip to the Sanitarium, near Sabillasville, on Monday.

TANEYTOWN ITEMS.

Mrs. Sarah Babolyn has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

The Misses Alice and Mira Crapster are visiting at Cove Beach, Md., and at Washington, D. C.

Miss Dora Seeberger, of Baltimore, is spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clason.

Mr. George Clington, of York, visited his brother, Robert, over Sunday.

The Misses Celeste Roelkey and Lillie Houck, of Harmony Grove, and Misses Liggie and Cronise, of Walkersville, were recent guests of Mrs. Jos. Roelkey.

Miss Vallie Shorb, of Detour, visited Mrs. Milton Koons.

"Union Depot" given under the direction of Miss Nora E. Hummel was quite a success.

Members of Pennsylvania College Glee and Mandolin Clubs, assisted by a violinist and a reader entertained the members of Trinity Lutheran Church at their Easter Social, in the lecture room Monday evening. The young men were later invited to the parsonage to finish the evening. The other guests were the Misses Alice, Mary, Clara and Josephine Reindollar, Margaret Englar, Bernice Bower, Nora E. Hummel and Vallie Shorb.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hornick, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ed. Clason.

Miss Edna Goff spent Sunday at home accompanied by Miss Walker.

Mrs. Kate P. Galt and Mrs. George P. Galt spent Sunday at Mr. Henry Galt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hilterbrick and daughter, of Littlestown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill.

Mrs. G. Washington Shoemaker is in Baltimore under the care of an eye specialist.

"SHIRT" BALL NEWEST YET

You've heard about the knuckle ball, Mathewson's fade-away ball, the rise ball, the spitter, the curve and endless others, but the versatile twirlers have added still another to the list. The latest discovery is the shirt waist ball. More properly it should be called the "shirt" ball, for the garment generally termed "shirt waist" does not figure in its delivery.

The shirt waist ball is really only a fast one shoulder high, in Chicago. It is used only on hot days, for it is then that all the fans in the bleachers in centre field take off their coats. When they do this there is a straight white line parallel with the shoulder of the pitcher, and the batsman's eyes. When the ball shoots toward him he cannot see it, because of the white shirts. —New York World.

The deposit of kerosene shale, about 120 miles West of Sydney, is said to be the largest in the world. There is a stream called the Wolgan River, in the valley of which, and adjoining which, most of these deposits are found. They are estimated to cover 41 square miles; depth of seam varying from a few inches to six feet.

The smoke from the bowl of one's pipe is blue because, coming direct from the red-hot tobacco, it is very highly oxidized, but the smoke from one's lips is gray, because it is highly watered and hydrocarbonized.

The Troxel property was sold last Saturday to Mr. John M. Roddy, of Four Points.

There will be a special meeting of the St. Anthony's Athletic and Literary Association this evening. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarren spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. Henry Eckenrode and family.

Mr. Lawrence Dielman made a business trip to Emmitsburg on Tuesday.

Miss Emma Humerick, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents in this place.

Mr. George Eckenrode, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with his relatives in this place.

The officers of the St. Anthony's Athletic and Literary Association request all the members of the baseball team to take the letter "C" from their suits, and in its place use the monogram "St. A." or a large "A." The reason for this change will be explained at the next meeting which is to be held to-night after church services. All are requested to attend this meeting.

On Sunday the St. A. baseball team met and easily defeated the strong Franklinville team on the latter's field by a score of 27-4. The feature of the game was the pitching of Knott who struck out 20 men and allowed but five scattered hits. The "St. A." boy's found the Franklinville twirlers for 30 hits and 17 runs. Charles Hemler of "St. A." caught the game in his usual style. The members of the "St. A." team wish to express their thanks to Mr. Hemler for his work during this game and for his willingness to play in future games when not otherwise engaged. His catching as well as his batting in Sunday's game was excellent. The managers of the "St. A." team have several more men applicants for the team these men will be given a try-out for their several positions. St. Anthony's will play the Thurmont High School at Thurmont on Thursday, May 28.

Some of the members of the St. A. A. and L. A. are rehearsing for an entertainment which they hope to render on Thursday evening, June 4, 1908. This entertainment promises to be a good one. The silver watch which was raffled off for the benefit of St. Anthony's school was won by Ferd Green, of Mount St. Mary's.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Mrs. Anna Miller, of Gettysburg, was a recent visitor in Fairfield.

Rev. C. L. Ritter, of Fairfield, preached in the Lutheran Church in Berlin on last Sunday.

A great many farmers in this vicinity have planted their corn too early.

Dr. J. F. Mackley preached in the Lutheran Church in Fairfield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Riley and daughter, of near Taneytown, are visiting Mr. Riley's parents near this place.

Mrs. Harvey Bream, of near Gettysburg, visited in Fairfield recently.

Mrs. Wm. Izer's condition is not improving so rapidly.

Mr. Samuel Dubs, who has been sick for a few days, is better.

The Directors of Adams County have reelected Prof. Roth, County Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. George McLaughlin is having a tin roof put on his house.

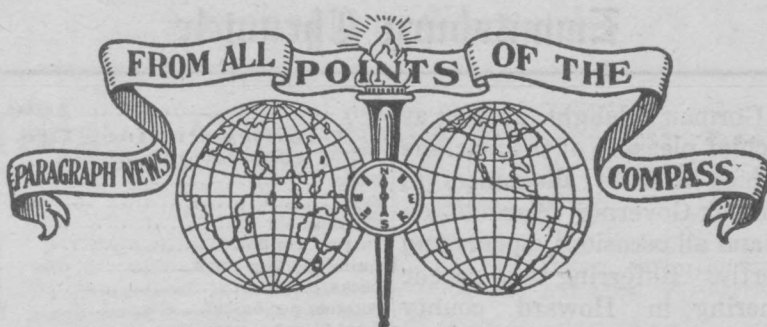
The officers of Fairfield are fixing the street crossings and making other improvements.

Dr. J. F. Mackley, who intends to practice medicine in this place, has just about completed his stable.

ARITHMETIC OF FREIGHT RATES

Intimations are given of the intention, or at least the desire, of the railroad companies of the country to increase freight rates. The condition is this. Great increase in running expenses makes it necessary to raise more money, partly to pay expenses, partly to pay interest charges, partly to pay dividends, and partly to accumulate surplus for renewals and repairs. Apparently it is impossible to increase passenger rates, for the reason that too strong protest would be made. So as the only other source of income is from freight receipts, the natural recourse is to them for an increase of revenue.

From various sources many warnings are offered to the railroad managers. They are told that it is no time to increase the burdens on the community, and that if they increase their charges they will fall under the weight of popular condemnation. Possibly this is true; but stockholders in the railroad companies, if they view these warnings with seriousness, must be looking around for chances to unload their holdings and finding few takers. Nothing is surer than that if the railroad companies cannot collect sufficient money from their patrons to pay their expenses and provide for the contingencies of the railroad business there is no encouragement to own railroad stocks. This question is a question chiefly of arithmetic. How much money comes in under existing conditions, and how much does it take to carry on the business? The difference between the two amounts furnishes the index to the course that should be pursued. —New Bedford Standard.



Twenty persons perished in a hotel fire in Fort Wayne on Sunday.

Thomas J. Sullivan, director of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, died in Washington on Saturday.

Congress has voted to appropriate \$250,000 to the relief of the sufferers from the cyclone in the South.

A plot has been unearthed in India to assassinate Lord Kitchner, Commander-in-chief of the British forces in that country.

Bryan men were caused some uneasiness this week by the praise given Governor Johnson by Democratic Congressmen.

A woman in Los Angeles who has been asleep for eighty-five days, awakened on Saturday none the worse for her long sleep.

Bishop Potter, who has been ill for several days as a result of overwork, is now much better and will be able to take up his duties again.

Senator Heyburn, in a speech in Congress, ridiculed the fear of any timber famine in the country and declared that the forest growth was greater now than ever.

Andrew Carnegie has given \$200,000 more to the General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of the city of New York, bringing the total of his gifts to that body up to \$527,000.

The fleet arrived at San Francisco and the city is wild over them. The ships are under the command of Evans who has recovered enough to bring the warships into the Golden Gate.

It is said that Governor Willson of Kentucky will pardon Caleb Powers whose imprisonment for several years on the charge of murder has caused so much and so widespread discussion.

The German Government must borrow \$250,000,000 during the next five years according to an admission made by the Secretary of Treasury to Appropriations Committee of the Reichstag.

Railroads tapping the Pittsburgh territory will employ between 12,000 and 15,000 additional men between now and June 1 to make necessary repairs to tracks, roadbed, engine and cars.

A fast express train was blown up by dynamite near Butte, Mont., on Friday night, by a tramp. Two locomotives and all but the Pullman cars were derailed. An engineer was killed and several people seriously injured.

Senator J. W. Bailey made a narrow escape in the Texas Democratic primaries of being defeated for delegate-at-large to the Democratic national convention. The election was held on Saturday last.

Sixty thousand Roman Catholic laymen marching in procession on Saturday brought to a climax and formally ended the week-long celebration of the centenary of the founding of the Roman Catholic diocese of New York.

The Japanese cruiser, Matsushima was sunk and most of her crew perished. President Roosevelt who cabled condolence on the disaster to the Mikado, has received an answer from the Emperor expressing gratitude for his sympathy.

The Night Riders have crossed over into Ohio but from the prompt action of the Governor who sent troops to patrol the country where tobacco is grown, they will go back to Kentucky where the laws are not enforced.

President George Edward Reed, of Dickinson College, one of the best known divines in the Methodist Episcopal Church, is being urged to stand for election as bishop at the general conference of the Methodist Church, meeting in Baltimore.

General Leonard, Wood a personal friend of President Roosevelt, was attacked in the House and his project for an \$118,000 addition to Fort McKinley, in the Philippines was unanimously stricken from the sundry civil appropriation bill.

Contrary to the report from Rome that a consistory is to be held in June for the nomination of several cardinals, among whom the rumor includes Archbishop Farley, of New York, it is asserted that there will be no meeting of this kind until September.

Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, now Bishop of the Philippines, was elected by the Protestant Episcopal Convention to succeed the late Rt. Rev. Henry Y. Satterlee as Bishop of Washington. Dr. Brent was elected on the second ballot, receiving 92 votes of a total of 148 votes cast.

An early morning fire in a four-story brick tenement at 17 Humboldt street, a thickly populated section of Brooklyn, caused the death of six persons and the serious injury of four others. Every member of one family, consisting of a mother and four children, is among the dead.

Henry Beech Needham, of Washington, has been appointed by President Roosevelt as a member of the Panama Commission. Mr. Needham fills Labor place on the commission which was offered to Lewis N. Hammerling, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., who declined the appointment.

An active and final campaign is about to be inaugurated in Japan in Korea. The disorder rife in the Hermit Kingdom is to be brought to an end and the farmers and peaceful citizens are to be given full protection. After this has been accomplished it is supposed that business and trade, now at a standstill, will pick up.

Dr. Karl Muck, of the Royal Opera House, Berlin, who has been the leader of the Boston Symphony Orchestra for the past two years, conducted his last concert in Boston, Saturday. Dr. Muck was presented with a loving cup by the orchestra. Dr. Muck has been recalled to Germany by the Emperor. He is to be succeeded as conductor by Max Feidler.

By the recent action of the Department of Health, Chicago, the milk dealers are compelled to deliver their milk in bottles, and every one that keeps cows must have submitted them to the tuberculosis test. All stores wherein milk is sold must be provided with window and door screens and the doors must be self-closing.

Charging that the officials of the Department of the Interior had been for years guilty of making a "gross misinterpretation of an act of Congress," Representative Hitchcock, of Nebraska, in the House of Representatives said that in consequence the Government in the last seven years had been deprived of \$57,000,000 to which it was entitled.

Temporarily at least, Harry K. Thaw is out of the Matteawan Hospital for the Criminal Insane. As a result of proceedings on the writ of habeas corpus sued out in an effort to have him legally declared sane, he will remain in the Dutchess County jail until the final decision on the writ is handed down. The formal hearing in the case will come before the Supreme Court next Monday.

As the result of a canvass made by the League of Republican Clubs of New York, on the question of the Republican nomination for President, it is shown that New York is practically unanimous for the renomination of President Roosevelt. This information is given out in a statement issued by John A. Stewart, president of the New York State League of Republican Clubs.

District Attorney Jerome of New York says he will go to jail rather than obey the orders of Judge Rosalsky to show the minutes of the November grand jury which heard Thomas F. Ryan, Anthony N. Brady and Paul D. Cravath on affairs of the Metropolitan railroad and particularly the purchase of the Wall and Cortland Ferries railroad. It is said that if Jerome desires to go to jail he can be accommodated.

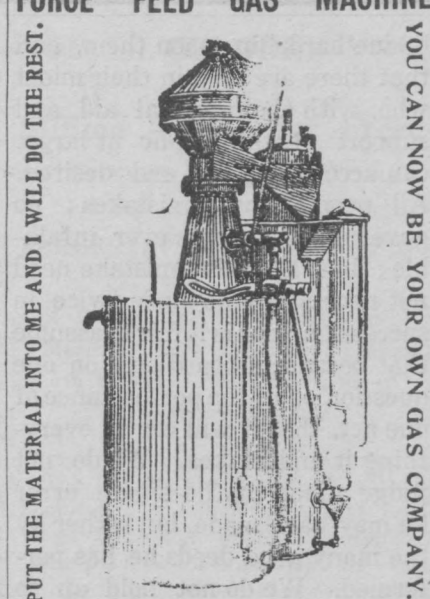
Japan is facing a serious situation as a result of the boycott arising from the Tatsu Maru incident. This is the steamer that was seized by the Chinese authorities last February on the ground that she was carrying arms and ammunition to Chinese revolutionists. Japan forced China to give up the ship and salute the Japanese flag, and this crystallized the ill-feeling against Japan in China and resulted in a boycott of Japanese goods.

There is an earnest and honest desire on the part of a majority of the Republicans of the House to put through the legislative programme outlined by President Roosevelt in his recent messages. There seems to be a fair chance for all of it to be accomplished with the exception of that amending the anti-trust act. The latter proposition raises so many questions of a constitutional character that the best lawyers in the two Houses doubt if a sound piece of legislation can be formulated at this session.

That "the present New York system of fixed cotton differences is uneconomic, in defiance of natural law, unfair, and like all other attempts to defy natural laws, results in such complex and devious effects that the benefit of its transactions accrues only to a skilled few," is the view of Herbert Knox Smith, Commissioner of Corporations, who has been probing the methods of the cotton exchanges of New Orleans and New York in accordance with a resolution introduced in the House of Representatives asking for an inquiry into future dealings on the exchanges.

Mr. Bryan Thrives on Lemons
The Tribune (N. Y.) remarks: "Although Paderewski has just refused a laurel wreath and Mr. Rockefeller a sword, Mr. Bryan, uninfluenced by fashion's stern decrees, is reaching out eagerly for the lemon that the country would like to hand him a third time."

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FRIDAY, MAY 8, 1908.

If the readers of THE CHRONICLE will be good enough to send to this office the names and addresses of former Emmitsburgians, or those identified with or interested in Emmitsburg and its people, the Editor will greatly appreciate the courtesy.

THE local election for a Burgess and six Commissioners for the Corporation, held last Monday, brought out the largest vote ever polled in Emmitsburg; demonstrating that the people are taking an interest in the affairs of their town such as they have not taken for years. From the sixteen candidates that were in the field a board was chosen which we have every reason to believe will do all in its power to administer the affairs of the Corporation both faithfully and well. This view, and this view only, should be taken by every one, and at the very outset these men whom the people have elected should be made to feel that the citizens of Emmitsburg stand ready to support them in their endeavor to do what is for the best interests of this community. An opportunity now presents itself to do away with all factional feeling; to come together as members of one large family; to work shoulder to shoulder for improvement and for everything that will place Emmitsburg in the forefront of advancement and progress. We have a good town here—full of good people who it may be said, lack nothing but that spirit of comradeship and thorough good will toward one another which counts so much for the welfare of the place in which they live. It is the part of the good citizen to aid and not to hinder; to give kindly advice and encouragement; to bear at least a part of the load, and not to stand aloof and criticize.

We have spoken before of board meetings and we strongly urge the council that has just been elected to meet in open session; to invite the citizens, individually and collectively, to present their grievances; to offer plans for general improvement, and to recommend any measures that have for their end the betterment of conditions in general. Such action on the part of the people and such a policy pursued by those who have in their hands the reins of local government, cannot do otherwise than engender that spirit of co-operation which is absolutely essential to success.

It is safe to say that there is not a man or woman in this town who does not favor a greater and a better Emmitsburg. Our people as a class are in favor of improvement and an enlargement of the boundaries of the corporation; but it must be demonstrated to them—and they have a perfect right to be shown—that such expansion will not work

undue hardships upon them, and that there are men in their midst who, with the practical aid and support of the public at large, can accomplish the end desired. All people make mistakes; no governing body was ever infallible; but the same mistake need not necessarily be made twice in succession; nor is it fair to assume that because a board errs on one question or in the performance of one act, that it will err in everything it undertakes. We do not judge a man by the single error he may have made, but rather by the many good deeds he has performed. We do not hold up to view a business man's lack of judgment in one particular only, but rather do we point to the general success that he has attained by dealing fairly and honestly with the people who support him and the very business in which he is engaged.

The Board of Commissioners is nothing more nor less than a body of men representing the people who have placed them in power. They are the servants of the people, and it is their sworn duty to safeguard the interests not of a faction, not of a clique, not of one man, but of all. And may it not be said that it is just as much the duty of the individual persons comprising the corporation to do their part in upholding the hands of their representatives in their efforts for better, higher development of the town?

Politics, personal feeling, self-interest, or a desire to gain a point simply for the sake of gaining it—none of these things should be allowed to get a foothold in local administration. Every question that arises should be carefully and honestly considered and decided solely upon its merits, and every official act of the Burgess and every official act of the Commissioners should be made public. The people have a right to know what the local governing body is doing, and how the public money is being spent—in fact they have a right to know of everything that is being undertaken in their behalf. This coming together on common ground will obviate much, if not all, of the bad feeling that has arisen to the surface in the past, and we will then have a local government in which the people will take a pride, and a people of whom its representatives can well be proud.

It will be a sorry day for Maryland when A. P. Gorman, Jr., is elected to the U. S. Senate. To put him there is the evident intention of that portion of the Democratic party known as the "machine," and in order to accomplish its purpose—the ousting of Senator Rayner—the notorious Primary law, devised with a view to Mr. Gorman's case, is to be made use of and the State, if the plan can be carried out, is to be, as the Baltimore Sun expresses it, reduced to "a condition of political serfdom." Of all the questionable measures originated by the ring this primary law is the worst. It does not fulfill the pledge made to the Democrats by their party, and as it stands to-day it is a miserable makeshift that reflects credit neither upon its authors nor upon the political faith which they profess. It was hoped and also predicted that when the present administration came into power there would be a doing away with "machine" tactics and that even if there was a "power behind the throne" it would at least remain in the background. That hope was short lived, and that prediction did not come to pass. Not only is there a machine, but a very brazen one, and not the least brazen member of it is Arthur Pue Gorman. This organization has adopted the boldest kind of methods and it brooks no interference from anyone. It acts as it pleases and then asks: "What are you going to do about it?" and woe to him who dares to question further. It has been

Mr. Gorman's delight, as well as the chief pleasure of the machine to which he owes allegiance, to attack ex-Governor Warfield on any and all occasions, openly and covertly. Referring to a recent gathering in Howard county where Mr. Gorman's candidacy for the United States Senate was announced, the Baltimore Sun said editorially:

"All through the speeches at the banquet there were veiled but entirely evident sneers at Governor Warfield, the leading citizen of the county in which the banquet was held. This spirit, these sneers, bode no good for the Democratic party. Some of the men who made these flings at Mr. Warfield are members of the machine—segments of the old 'ring'."

Which band of "regulars," it may be added, has doomed the former Executive of the State to political death and utter oblivion. Continuing, this Democratic paper upholds Mr. Warfield's record in the following direct and manly way:

"It may be asked why Governor Warfield is so particularly obnoxious to these people. Not because of any failure to measure up to the requirements of his office, for no fault has been found in him in that regard. His administration was clean, able and without reproach. No fault can be found in him as to his party loyalty, for in the last campaign he was one of the ablest and most effective of the campaigners. It was his very excellencies and virtues which caused the enmity of the Democratic machine. He refused utterly to surrender his independence, he refused utterly to obey orders from the machine. That is his offense. The question is whether such a course will be regarded by the people as an offense."

"He refused to surrender his independence, he refused utterly to obey orders from the machine." This is the reason for the condemnation of a man who is in every way the superior of any individual member of the Democratic "ring"—a man who is a better, truer type of the Democracy than Mr. Gorman or any of his clique. Mr. Warfield politically dead? Let those who think so now take heed lest they commit an error which in the future, and not the far distant future, will come back upon them with redoubled force. Mr. Warfield has been a power in his party, and he is a power in the State to-day; and in the days that are to come his record and his name, of both of which he can afford to be proud, will be in the minds of every honest, fair-minded man in the State of Maryland.

"It should be the pride of every Marylander," as the Sun declares, "that the State should be represented by its ablest, best equipped and most eminent statesmen." Is Mr. Gorman one of the ablest, best equipped and most eminent statesmen in the Democratic party? Hardly.

THE driving accident which occurred Monday night at Little Run, just outside of town, and which might have been very serious in its consequences, will no doubt be an object lesson to the County Commissioners. This Run is deep and narrow, and the bridge which crosses it occupies scarcely half the width of the road, leaving on either side an unprotected and dangerous space which, on dark nights actually invites a catastrophe. It is a wonder that many more accidents have not happened at this point, and it is little short of a miracle that the one in question did not prove fatal. The cost of constructing a bridge over Little Run the entire width of the road would certainly not be prohibitive, and we feel assured that the County Commissioners, who have on all occasions shown a desire to meet the people more than half way, will give this matter their attention at a very early date.

MARKET REPORTS.

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

EMMITSBURG.	
Wheat, (dry).....	95
Rye.....	70
Oats.....	55
Corn.....	89

Country Produce Etc.	
Hay.....	\$5.00@8.50
Butter.....	16
Eggs.....	18
Chickens, per D.....	10
Turkeys, per D.....	22
Spring Chickens per D.....	12
Ducks, per D.....	10
Potatoes, per bushel.....	\$5.50
Dried Cherries, (seeded).....	12
Raspberries.....	15
Blackberries.....	4
Apples, (dried).....	5
Lard, per D.....	10
Beef Hides.....	04

BALTIMORE, May. 6

WHEAT:—spot, 1.02	
CORN:—Spot 71½¢	
OATS:—White 50¢50½¢	
RYE:—Nearby, @ bag lots, 75¢80¢	
HAY:—Timothy, @ \$16.00; No. 1 Clover @ \$14.00; No. 2 Clover, \$12.50@13.00	
STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, \$13.50@14.00; No. 2, \$12.50@13.00; tangled rye, blocks \$9.50@10.50; wheat, blocks, \$8.00@8.50; oats \$9.00@9.50	
MILL FEED:—Spring bran, per ton, \$27.50; 100b. sacks, per ton, @ \$28.00; middlings, 100b. sacks, per ton, @ \$28.00	
POULTRY:—Old hens, @ 12½¢; young Chickens, large, 17¢20¢; small, @; Spring chickens, large, 30¢33¢; Turkeys, 18¢19¢	
PRODUCE:—Eggs, 16¢; butter, nearby, rolls 17¢18¢; Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania prints, 17¢	
POTATOES:—Per bu. 73¢80¢; No. 2, per bu. 65¢70¢; New potatoes, per bbl. \$3.50 @ \$4.00	
CATTLE:—Steers, best, \$4.50@5.00; others \$3.50@4.00; Heifers, \$ @ \$; Cows, \$2. @ \$3.00; Bulls, \$3.00 @ \$4.00; Calves, 7½¢	
Fall Lambs, 6½¢7½¢; spring lambs, 9¢9½¢; Pigs, \$1. @ \$1.50; Shoats, \$2. @ \$3. ; Fresh Cows, \$30.00 @ \$40.00 per head.	

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Rye.....	80
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One ounce of eggs will produce 39,000 silk worms.

Today's Suggestion by Ellen Stan.

AN ATTRACTIVE KITCHEN APRON.

It is absolutely impossible to have obvious hips this spring if you make any pretense of keeping up with the styles. Every device known for flattening them is used. The one thing that a woman will sacrifice a small waist for is to flatten her hips.

Minor details in the new-old styles of the day are the collarless blouse and the large cameo brooch. Some of the girls of today look like daguerreotypes of women in the time of the civil war.

The sloping shoulders are only tolerated in gowns with the Japanese sleeve drapery. Whenever the kimono is imitated the shoulder lines are sloping. In all other styles of garments the military shoulder is worked for.

Another of the trim styles so popular is the long, tight, wrinkled sleeve, which has returned to first favor. It is of lace, net or chiffon to match the blouse drapery, and it is tightly fitted, gathered down the back and finished well over the knuckles.

An important part of the costume of these trim days is the high starched collar of linen, like the one a man wears, the points turned back with the fingers. This is considered a proper adjunct to wear with coat suits and with madras shirt waists.

Although it is decidedly a lace season, it must not be taken to mean a white season, for the smart laces are dyed in the most delicate tints, while black is to be employed more this spring and summer than for some seasons past.

Ruffles and narrow ties, drills of lace or the material itself is seen on a number of the new sunshades. Naturally such effects are only possible with the sheer, filmy fabrics, as chiffon, net, batiste and lace, but with an elaborate style of dress these full ruffled parasols are

really more appropriate than the severely plain silk, pongee and brocade. This apron has a yoke band. The pattern is cut in four sizes—from 32 to 42 inches bust measure. To make the garment for the average person it requires 5 yards of material 27 inches wide or 3½ yards 36 inches wide.

Any reader of this paper who desires to secure this pattern may do so by sending 10 cents to this office. Give the number, 4087, state size desired and write the full address plainly. The pattern will be forwarded promptly by mail.



ETERNITY

UPON a barren waste,
Beside the storm-flecked sea,
I found an ancient, lonely grave,
With carven words but three—
"Mine—is—Eternity."

And long I pondered o'er those simple words,
That meant so much, and yet so little said;
And all the while the hoarse-voiced sea, that girds
The whole world round, sang o'er its dead.

Then, like a wind-flung voice from lands unknown,
Unto my heart there came the ocean's dirge—
"An age of years that ne'er began, I own,
And from the endless years will I emerge!"

"An age of years that ne'er began!" Ah true;
When all the universe was changeless gloom,
The world, O Sea, was thine, . . . And then I knew
Thy thought, O Soul, before thy endless tomb!

For all of death must taste,
And bend to Life's decree;
But thou, beside the wailing wave,
Mourned by the eternal sea,
Hast thou eternity.

—SAMUEL SPRING in Boston Transcript.

How to Have Peace

If we govern properly and treat fairly and justly all the nations of the earth, said Senator Clay of Georgia, and keep up that high standard of civilization which it is our privilege to enjoy, we will in all probability not engage in war with any of the nations of the earth.

It is said that bees must take the nectar from 62,000 clover blossoms to make one pound of honey. This means that they must make 2,750,000 trips from the hive to the flowers. And when the price of honey is taken into consideration it will readily be seen that the price of bee labor is too cheap.

The leading areas of yellow pine production in the United States are no longer in the South Atlantic States, but have been shifted to the Southwest. The States of Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi and Arkansas each produced 10 per cent. or more of the total cut yellow pine last year.

How Long Will He Live?

This is an important week for John D. Rockefeller. The Court of Appeals is to hear his appeal from the fine of \$29,000,000. As John once said that he would be dead before it was paid, his health is also a matter of importance. —Philadelphia Inquirer.

With an estimated population of 20,000,000 to 30,000,000 in Manchuria, and with large areas of fertile lands yet to be taken up by Chinese from the overcrowded provinces of the vast Celestial Empire, with one man required to till an average of five acres and a growing demand for foreign manufactured necessities, the Manchurian market promises to increase steadily in importance.

Red glass hastens vegetation, while blue glass suppresses it. Sensitive plants, like the mimosa, grow fifteen times higher under red glass than under blue.

SOP TO COLORED VOTE

Million Dollars for Freedmen Depositors.

ELEMENT OF JUSTICE IN MEASURE

Bill Passed But Not Strictly on Its Merits.—Large Amount of Claims in Hands of Speculators, So It Is Believed by Some.

The Senate has passed a bill appropriating a million dollars to reimburse depositors in the Freedmen's Bank for losses sustained at the time of the failure about thirty-five years ago, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The House Committee on Banking and Currency has reported the measure favorably. It is well known that this measure is not going through Congress strictly on its merits. It is a sop to the colored people and is expected to allay their indignation against the administration and the Republican party on account of the discharge of colored soldiers for alleged participation in the Brownsville incident.

At the same time there is a certain element of justice in the measure, although it comes far too late to do the most good. The Freedmen's Bank was a private institution, had no more connection with the government than had the Chestnut Street National Bank or the Chestnut Street Trust Company. Congress is not in the habit of paying depositors in failed national banks, although it is certain that we shall come to such a condition before long, by the process of each bank paying into an insurance fund for the purpose. But the colored people who deposited their money in the bank believed that the government was back of it, and it had a sort of quasi approval of the government officials connected with the Freedmen's Bureau. The bank failed partly because it was established on wrong principles and partly because it was mismanaged. It was an institution erected during Reconstruction days with the very laudable purpose of promoting thrift among the freedmen.

This effort at reimbursement has been made many times, and it has been reported and believed that a large amount of the claims is in the hands of speculators. For many years sharpers have been going about among the colored people who lost money in the bank taking up subscriptions to aid in the passage of just such a measure as is grinding through Congress. We have frequently warned the colored people that there was no prospect that such a bill would be passed by any such methods, and in this we were entirely correct. It is only by reason of a new and unexpected situation that the bill makes any progress at all.

If it is passed very little of the money will go to the original losers. Maybe not much to heirs of the losers.

ROAD TO THE ANTIPODES

The gateway to the center of the earth is in India. This should, perhaps, be qualified by the additional statement that it is the only gateway to the center of the earth by virtue of the authority of a legend of the Potawatamie Indians.

But the most important interest of this "gateway" is that it is a strip of land on which three important railroads run, and which threatens, by its treacherous nature, to cost hundreds of thousands of dollars to keep it from swallowing the road-beds.

The strip is about one thousand feet wide, running North and South through Lake county, Indiana. The sinking of the land is said to have been an annual occurrence ever since the railroads crossed it, twenty-five years ago.

It is believed that every December brings a subterranean upheaval, and the engineering departments of the Indian Harbor, and the Panhandle are baffled by the phenomenon. The strip of land is about eight miles East of Lake Michigan. Thousands of tons of gravel and earth have been dumped into the depression, but every year sees a further disturbance of the grade.

It would seem that the Indians were aware of the treacherous nature of this land, for although the sensible depressions have taken place only since the railroads crossed it, the Indian trail between the sites of Michigan City and Chicago narrowly avoided it, and it was the belief of the red men that in this region was a gateway to the center of the earth. —Railroad Men's Magazine.

Cremation is sanctioned by law in Switzerland, and there are four crematoriums in the confederation, all of which are provided with modern facilities for this method of disposing of the bodies of the dead. They are located at Basle, Geneva, St. Gall and Zurich, and the service of each of the institutions is available to anyone upon formal application. In addition to these, new ones are to be built at Berne, Neuchatel, Chaux de Fonds, Aargau and Lucerne.

The value of all kinds of fish landed in England and Wales in one year is over \$35,000,000, and the number of men and boys employed over 40,000.

By a recent decision of the Postoffice Department publishers of newspapers are not allowed to continue sending their publications to subscribers who are in arrears for more than one year.

As this law affects ALL PUBLISHERS of newspapers in the United States we regret that we are unable to deviate from the rule.

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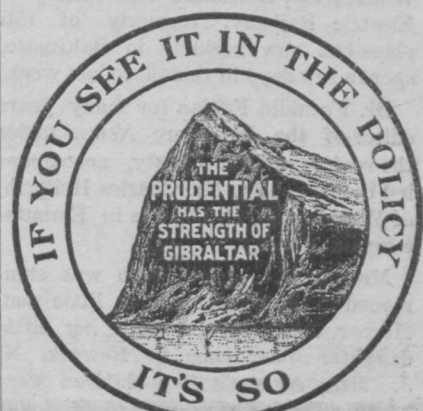


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PERSONALS.

THE CHRONICLE invites its readers to send in communications containing personals and items of news from their respective localities. Articles intended for insertion in the CHRONICLE should reach this office on Wednesday morning and they should, in every instance, be signed by the correspondents as an evidence of good faith. The name of the writer, however, will not be published unless there is a request to that effect.

Henry Stokes spent Tuesday in Frederick.

Mr. Charles Cole, of Norfolk, is visiting Mr. J. F. Kreitz.

Dr. and Mrs. J. McC. Foreman spent a few days in Hanover last week.

Mr. J. M. Kerrigan visited Mr. Robert Kreitz, near town on Sunday.

Miss Nora Hummel, of Johnstown, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. W. G. Blair.

Mrs. Ivy Fuss and two sons, of Frederick, are visiting Mrs. Fuss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clutz.

Mrs. C. S. Diamond, of Baltimore, spent a week in this place, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Elder.

Mr. Edwin Wachter, of Harrisburg, is visiting his parent, Mr. and Mrs. David Wachter, of near this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Elder and son, of Pittsburg, are the guests of Mr. Elder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Elder.

Miss Agnes Hagen and Mr. Maurice Baker, both of Taneytown, were the guests of Miss Georgina Kreitz on Sunday evening.

Mr. Guy Nunemaker, manager of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railway, formerly of this place but now residing in Baltimore, spent a few days in this place last week.

Dr. Franklin Fabian for many years editor of the Baltimore News, under the regime of Mr. Grasty, accompanied by his cousin, Mr. Charles Heilprin, of Washington, D. C., was in Emmitsburg on Monday.

Mrs. E. H. Agnew, who was summoned to the bedside of her little son, Horner, Jr., returned with her little daughter to her home in Newark, N. J. Mrs. Agnew's two children were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Agnew. Little Horner is much better.

EMMITSBURG SEES THE RACERS

Streets Crowded as Contestants Speed Through the Corporation.—Dog Killed, Only Fatality.

The sealed bonnet contest is over and Emmitsburg has seen the way automobiles can be driven when there is a prize offered. At 8.50 A. M. on Saturday the pilot car rushed through the streets and from then on until ten o'clock work ceased as the contestants for the News prizes passed. Somebody's dog tried to have an argument with a sixty horse-power machine up near Fraileys foundry and it is a pity more of them did not try for we are relieved of that one dog at least. It is said that from Mr. Jacob Hoke's lane clear up past where Mr. Bert Hospelhorn lives the crops will be a failure. It is not known what the contestants said when they struck the first niggerhead stone after leaving Hartman's bridge but there was a peculiar odor in the air hours after they left that hurt vegetation. There is some doubt as to whether the Eyler's valley road will become a regular automobile thoroughfare and if it does just what speed limit shall be set.

Fairfield Wins on Saturday.
(Special to The Chronicle.)

On Saturday afternoon the Fairfield baseball team won their first victory of the season from a team representing one of the fraternities of Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, on the Fairfield grounds. The score was 6 to 1.

We are glad to note through the columns of THE CHRONICLE that our neighboring town of Emmitsburg is taking steps to reorganize its ball team. They have our best wishes for a strong team and successful season, and it is our hope and desire that there may be an exchange of a number of games between Fairfield and Emmitsburg during the coming season.

FOR SALE—My store property and blacksmith shop at Four Points, there being 12 acres of land in the lot. Nearly all the buildings are new and in good repair. Two wells of good water and a cistern on the premises. Address JOHN M. RODDY, Emmitsburg, Md. my 8-2ts.

This was quince week and it rained once or twice. There is a movement on foot to change the name to "flood week." The bottom fell out of something for sure.

FOR SALE.—Four fine shots, and one brood sow. Apply before 8 A. M. or after 4 P. M. HARRY WHITMORE, 1t

Mr. Robert Kreitz and Mrs. William Ott, of near town, have improved their properties by the erection of new fences.

T. E. ZIMMERMAN REELECTED.

Corporation Election Draws an Unusually Large Vote.—Dr. Jamison and Theodore Bollinger, for Commissioners, Tie.

The annual election for town officers held last Monday drew out one of the largest votes ever polled at a similar election. There were two tickets in the field and 168 votes were cast. Last year there were only 119 ballots cast at this election. Every one seemed determined that his favorites should be successful and there was as much electioneering as at a state election. After the votes were counted it was found that Dr. B. I. Jamison and Mr. Theodore Bollinger were tie for sixth place on the board of commissioners. This tangle has not been straightened out.

T. E. Zimmerman defeated M. F. Shuff by ten votes for burgess and the following commissioners were elected: J. D. Caldwell, J. T. Long, J. H. Rosensteel, Sterling Galt, H. M. Ashbaugh, and Dr. B. I. Jamison and Theodore Bollinger (to be decided in the future which will serve on the board.)

The following is a comparison of this election with the one held last year:

	1907	1908
T. E. Zimmerman	62	84
M. F. Shuff	33	74
G. L. Gillelan	17	...
FOR COMMISSIONERS.		
J. D. Caldwell	59	91
J. T. Long	43	88
J. H. Rosensteel	71	84
Sterling Galt	...	82
H. M. Ashbaugh	72	80
Dr. B. I. Jamison	...	79
Theodore Bollinger	...	79
G. T. Gelwicks	15	78
E. L. Frizell	...	77
H. C. Harner	55	75
Wm. Morrison	70	67
F. E. Kreitz	...	61
Edwin Chrismer	39	21
Dr. D. E. Stone	...	14

Several tickets were spoiled and one complimentary vote was cast for Mr. John Glass for burgess.

Entertainment at St. Joseph's College.

(Special to The Chronicle.)

Wednesday evening at six o'clock, the Sisters and pupils of Saint Joseph's College assembled in the Senior Recreation Hall to witness the closing exercises of the Physical Culture Class. The large clusters of lilacs gracefully arranged about the room, and the garlands of vines looped from the ceiling seemed to whisper that spring had lent its fragrant fresh spirit to the evening. When all was in readiness, a march was played and the pupils in their neat blue uniforms went through the varied figures of a military drill, then took their places in order for the frehand exercises. These were marked by precision and attention. Next Misses Frances Rohrbach and Margaret Dow came forward, and delighted the audience by their skilful management of the punching bag.

Following this an exercise in club swinging was creditably performed by the young ladies. All the pupils showed themselves excellent in the use of the poles. The wand and dumb-bell classes deserve a large share of praise for their efforts.

A pleasing intermission of games with the Medicine ball was most enjoyable, and the merry laughter from both the winners and the losers lent additional zest to these fascinating pastimes.

After the games, four young ladies exhibited different methods of ball throwing. The dance of the smaller children with wooden rings was one of the most pleasing features of the evening. In their white dresses and blue ribbons they looked like fairies flitting to and fro in their lines, circles, arches, and couples, with graceful and easy motion.

The Delsarte class pantomimed the "Last Rose of Summer." Each member wore in the belt of her white dress a dark red rose. The gestures were made by holding the roses in various attitudes, which seemed to set off their surroundings. Several young ladies in summer garb, with gaily trimmed hats executed a "tripping on the light fantastic toe."

Miss Barry, the earnest teacher, at the close was congratulated most cordially for the happy results of her year's work. The warm weather, and the busy days remaining, call for a cessation of these exercises, yet the pupils of St. Joseph's feel that they are most valuable and quite needful in their education. The evening was a tiny herald of Commencement Day which is nearing now with rapid strides. The writer's heart-wish is that, though seasons come, and seasons go, Saint Joseph's may go on forever.

M. H. R. Class of '08.

FOR SALE.

A one-horse McCormick Mower, in good condition. Apply at CHRONICLE Office. 1t

Snow fell in the mountains to the West of town on Monday morning.

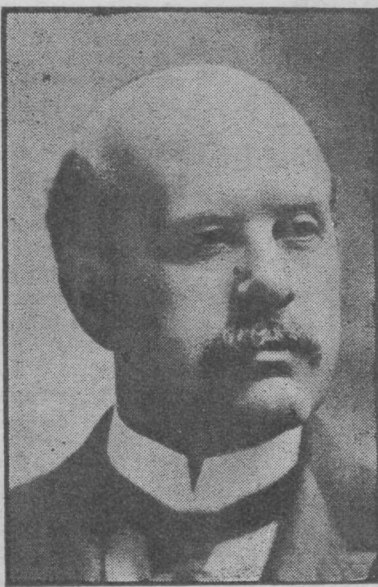
EGYPT AND THE NILE

Dr. Warner's Interesting Illustrated Lecture

FUND FOR NEW BOOKS INCREASED

Inclement Weather Notwithstanding Many Enjoy an Evening's Travel in The Land of The Pharaohs—From Cairo to Assuan.

The illustrated lecture on Egypt and the Nile by Hon. Brainard H. Warner for the benefit of the Emmitsburg Public Library was delivered on Tuesday evening in the Opera House. The inclement weather made it impossible to attend but a fairly good audience greeted the speaker and showed their appreciation of the library, an institution, according to the lecturer, of more value to a community than anything else, the church alone excepted.



HON. B. H. WARNER.

Dr. Warner was introduced by Rev. Mr. Gluck and began his discourse by telling of his experiences with libraries and of the generosity of his friend, Mr. Carnegie. Mr. Warner was one of the prime movers in the Washington Library which has been so generously supported by Andrew Carnegie. The speaker encouraged the people of Emmitsburg in their determination to support an institution like our Public Library and promised it much success in the future.

The lecture began with an illustration of Alexandria, the port of entry to the country and the second city in size and importance. From Alexandria to Cairo and further up the Nile, one picture following another in rapid succession, the journey was ended with a view of the Suez Canal and a magnificent picture of President Roosevelt, who was introduced into the lecture by Mr. Warner as the man largely responsible for the building of the Panama Canal which will be to this continent what the Suez Canal has been to Europe, Africa and Asia.

It is seldom that the people of this town have had the pleasure of seeing such magnificent views and it has been gathered from some remarks the lecturer made to members of the executive committee that we will again have the pleasure of hearing Dr. Warner lecture, the next time on a different subject.

A word must be said by way of compliment to the young ladies who had in charge the decorations of the hall. Their good taste was appreciated by all. So, too, must the Emmitsburg Band be mentioned for their share in the entertainment.

After the lecture an impromptu reception was given Dr. Warner at the Emmitt House. At this time he gave those interested many valuable hints on the maintenance of the library and promised some valuable assistance.

WARNING.

Mountain View Cemetery is private property and it is unlawful for children to enter it unaccompanied by parents or guardians.

It is also unlawful for any person to deface any lot, (or tombstone or railing thereon) in said cemetery, or to cut or in any manner destroy shrubbery fences or any other property belonging thereto. mar. 20-tf.

WANTED.

The names and addresses of people living in this District who make hickory or oak baskets. Apply at this office. 1t

Might Have Been Worse.

Last Monday night as Mr. William Harbaugh, who was driving to his home near town, was attempting to arrange the lap robe around him, the lines became unbuckled, his horse took fright and plunged into Little Run, practically demolishing the buggy and slightly injuring the animal's head. Fortunately Mr. Harbaugh sustained no injury other than a severe shaking up.

Dr. B. I. Jamison has put a new roof on his dwelling house on West Main street.

THE DRAMATIC CLUB AGAIN

Under The Special Training of Graduate Impresario Will Present Union Depot Next Week.

Miss Hummel who is giving the comedy, "Union Depot," is a graduate of Byron King Dramatic School, of Pittsburgh. She has been giving this play in different sections of the country, West and South, for two seasons, meeting with wonderful success, it being necessary in several instances to repeat the performance two and three times. Just recently she has given it in Hanover, Westminster, Littlestown and Taneytown, and the newspaper reports have been very commendable. The "Union Depot" depicts the scenes around a union depot in a large city. It is exceedingly laughable and a number of specialties are introduced, such as drills, marches, solos and choruses.

The Emmitsburg people are all cordially invited to spend an evening, either Wednesday or Thursday, with Miss Hummel and the Dramatic Club and we feel assured that they will not regret either the time or money spent.

Letter To The Editor.

I read with much interest the editorial in the last issue of THE CHRONICLE in regard to the improvement of Emmitsburg, and I am sure it must have been heartily endorsed by all who read it. That there are citizens in our town who look at each other from the different street corners and wonder what is going to be the next move on the part of Mr. Smith or Mr. Jones cannot be denied. It seems to me in this day and age it would be well for Messrs. Smith and Jones to get together—for the citizens to get together, and, on a common basis, work for the best interests of all. Where jealousy and petty factions exist no satisfactory results can be obtained. Some of our older citizens still think that the candle that was good enough for their grandfathers is good enough for them, that the mud-walks through which their grandmothers waded half a century ago are amply sufficient to-day. The candle, however, in this century has given place to electricity, the mud walk to cement, and the sooner the ancient fathers realize this the better. If they continue to sigh for the golden days of the twelfth century we fear they will soon be relegated to the background, and on their ash-heap they will find no comfort. Now that the new Board of Commissioners has been elected we shall look forward to great results in the future, and we shall now expect the doings of the new Board to reach the light. When the doors are thrown open to the public—as I expect they will be—it will be a pleasure for the citizens to listen to the views of the Fathers on the grave problems of the hour.

Recital at Saint Joseph's College

(Special to The Chronicle.)

On the evening of April thirtieth, the Elocution Classes of Saint Joseph's College, as a close to the year's work, gave a very charming Recital. The first number "Too Late" an arrangement of the "Parable of the Wise and Foolish Virgins", was presented in a most thrilling manner by the Sophomores and Freshmen. Even the attractive staging placed in evidence what their artistic taste and deft fingers could accomplish.

Other very creditable features were Father Ryan's beautiful poem "Gallilee" most excellently given by Miss Marian Denegre; "My Hero" Miss Claire Cogan's very pretty recitation, and a pantomime number during which Miss Helen Partridge sang, so well, "The Holy City."

The Graduating Class had a favorite selection from Willis, "The Leper." Helen Morgan was delightful in her rendition of the poem, while each scene was successively carried out on the stage:—the high priest giving sentence; Helen, the Leper, fleeing from Jerusalem, and the last and most beautiful scene where at the Master's command "Arise, * * * he rose and stood before the Saviour."

"And lo! the scales fell from him, and his blood coursed with delicious coolness thro' his veins, And his dry palms grew moist, and on his brow The dewy softness of an infant stole."

His leprosy was cleansed, and he fell down Prostrate at Jesus' feet, and worshipped Him."

Would that this consoling miracle were oft repeated!

The closing number, "Miss Annabel McCarthy," was very prettily recited by little Miss Harriet Clarke. Altogether, the hour glided only too rapidly away, leaving both to the audience and the youthful performers, many pleasing and profitable impressions.

F. G. R., SENIOR.

St. Joseph's College, Emmitsburg Md.

OPHTHALMIA, WHAT'S IT MEAN?

That if you are subject to any eye ailment you can be examined and relieved by a specialist who knows more ophthalmology than you could get out of a book in a year. Dr. O. W. Hines, of the Capital Optical Company, will be at your service on May 13 at the Emmitt House. May-8 1t.

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CANNON AND THE LAST MESSAGE

Last Blow Too Much for The Old Man and His Mallet.

It seems that at last one of President Roosevelt's messages has struck. It was his message of Monday the 27th of April. Speaker Cannon, the man of the mighty mallet, has surrendered to the Big Stick, and the President's programme as laid down in the message it is thought will be adopted. It includes certain measures, as follows:

A continuation of the Waterways Commission;

An Amendment of the Sherman Law;

A Provision for Compensation for Injured Government Employees;

An Anti-Injunction Bill;

Provision for a Tariff Investigation; and finally, and perhaps the most important of all,

A Financial Bill

The President mentioned, in addition to these measures, the Employers Liability Bill, already enacted and signed though in a shape not wholly pleasing to him; the establishment of the Postal Savings Bank, and an appropriation for carrying into effect the plans of the Interstate Commerce Commission for supervising railway accounts.

Mr. Payne, the Republican leader in the House, has introduced in compliance with the President's message, a tariff inquiry resolution and the other Presidential measures, as they are now called everywhere, are in various committees, whence they may be resurrected without much trouble. There is even strong hope for the removal of the tariff on wood pulp and print paper, although that is not a special Presidential proposition. It is easy to understand what is the cause of this sudden countermarch on the part of Speaker Cannon and the House leaders. It is the fear of public sentiment which it is now realized is as strongly behind the President as ever.

IF JEFFERSON CAME BACK

"If Jefferson were only here," sighs the New York Sun.

Well, what if he could resume his mortal frame and revisit the country to whose greatness he contributed so much?

He would find himself in a foreign land among a strange people. He would be as bewildered, as dumbfounded as poor Rip Van Winkle was on his return to his once familiar haunts. He would find a government run in flat contradiction of all his ideals and would see his party drifting far from the moorings he fixed, on the ocean of vagarious empiricism. He would see his own effigy set on high in the seats of the mighty and hear his name on many tongues, and he would find his creed crucified at every cross-roads and the principles of liberty for which he contended no longer honored save in the breach. Like the self-exiled lawgiver of Sparta who came back disguised to find out how the state had thrived under the institutions he had bequeathed her, he would discover that his memory no longer served to ensure fidelity to his teachings; and he would be glad to steal away again, unrecognized to the place where the thing that is true abideth.—*Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.*

Unable to keep his hired men on the farm by the inducements of high wages and dances given in their honor, Walter Smeetsen, living near Wagner, S. D., offers to purchase an automobile for their exclusive use.

Two nine-pound shot were dug up by workmen in Waterville, Me., recently. It is thought that they were fired from British warships or from the American batteries around the harbor during the occupancy of the town by the English forces.

An enterprising scissors-grinder of Los Angeles, Cal., has mounted his grinder on an automobile, using the car's powers to also run the grinder, and now rides from place to place instead of walking, as formerly.

The price of meat has become so exorbitant in Chili because of two dry seasons that the government has temporarily suspended the duty on cattle from Argentina.

What is said to be the largest telegraph circuit in the world is that between London and Teheran, the capital of Persia. It is 4,000 miles long and is divided into 12 sections.

The Inaj palm is the tree which is distinguished for having the largest leaves. They often reach a length of 50 feet and are from ten to twelve feet in width.

A school of languages for parrots has been established in Paris. The birds are taught to speak English, French, German and Italian.

During the last six months 12,200 children under five years old have died in the tenement districts of New York city.

The highest officer of the Navy, Admiral Dewey, is a native of Vermont, a state without a sea port.

WHERE ELIMINATION BEGINS

Most Men in The Bread Line Are There Through Their Own Fault.—The Man Who is Hurt

A financial writer in a weekly periodical observed the other day, as one of the hopeful signs for the future of American prosperity: "Widespread reports to the contrary notwithstanding, there is no great suffering among the masses, or this would be evidenced by wholesale withdrawals of deposits from our savings banks."

When the wheels of commerce and industry begin to slow down and men are laid off, it is the least competent who are chosen for elimination. And whether this lack of competency is due to unskillfulness, untrustworthiness, the result of bad habits, or general indifference to duty, the result of social misconceptions, it is the first man chosen in this process of elimination who is least prepared for the period of enforced idleness. He has no bank account to fall back upon, for he isn't the kind who saves. Your really skillful mechanic is the man who has the nest egg well protected, and it is this man who is least apt to be affected by slack industrial conditions or wage reductions. If he has learned to live within his income and save a little, the wage reduction only temporarily halts the growth of his bank account. His employment is safe, for factories must be kept going. Most of the men who get into the bread line do so through their own fault.—*Rochester Herald.*

Keeping Society in the Balance

Actually, anarchism and socialism are in their deeper meaning manifestations of the opposing tendencies which are inevitable in society—one reaching out for more pronounced individualism and one striving for more perfect and systematic cooperation. Naturally, the movements run off into extremes on both sides, the tendency to rush to extremes being a characteristic of humanity. Those who assert that that Government is best which governs least on the one hand, and those who on the other hand hold up the bee hive as the type of what human society ought to be are generally mild samples of the Anarchist and the Socialist respectively, though they may not be recognized or even know themselves under that name. In either case they are doing more to extend the doctrines in which they believe than are their violent brethren who seek to accomplish reformation by explosion. Between them society is kept in a balance which is best in the long working out of ideas.—*New Bedford Standard.*

"I ACKNOWLEDGE THE CORN"

"I acknowledge the corn," meaning "I give in," "I retract," was a flash of humor lighting up a serious discussion in Congress during the early year of 1823. Andrew Steward, indulging in oratorical license, made the picturesque statement that Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana sent their haystacks, cornfields and fodder to New York and Philadelphia for sale. But Wickliffe, a strict constructionist in words, refuted the charge.

"What do you send, then?" asked Steward, with a shrug in his voice.

"Horses, mules, cattle, hogs," was the reply.

"You feed \$100 worth of hay to a horse," retorted Steward, and we can fancy the triumphant slyness of the twinkle in his eye, "and 30 bushels of corn to fatten a hog. You simply put that 30 bushels into the shape of a hog and make it walk off to the Eastern market."

A saving grace of humor came to Wickliffe, and in an instant he was on his feet.

"Mr. Speaker," he cried, "I acknowledge the corn!"—*Baltimore Sun.*

A compilation made by the Rev. Dr. D. L. Leonard, of foreign missionary statistics of the world, shows that the total contributions of the missionary societies to foreign missions last year amounted to \$22,459,680, an increase over the previous year of almost \$1,200,000.

A contract has been entered into with the Krupp Works for the installation of a plant for the manufacture in Mexico of smokeless powder for cannon and small arms.

Forty-one killed in a train collision near Melbourne shows that Australia admits not only our battleship fleet, but our transportation methods.—*New York Post.*

On one of the four typesetting machines which have been installed in the printing department of the Vatican the Pope has set up 10 lines.

Among the birds the swan lives to be the oldest, in extreme cases reaching 300 years. The falcon has been known to live over 162 years.

Korean railway laborers in Japan get 35 cents a day, from which the contractors may deduct 12 cents for food.

No horses are to be seen on the farms in Bolivia, bullocks or oxen being universally employed.

LION AND BEAR FIGHT

Excitement in Odessa When Two Bears Attack a Lion and all Three Give Up to one Man.

People who were at the circus the other night in Odessa, Russia says the *Pall Mall Gazette*, experienced more emotions than they counted for on taking their tickets. An American lion tamer named Savade was exhibiting his wild beasts. During the performance one of the lions refused to obey orders to leave its stool and finally pushed his neighbor, a white she bear, off her seat. This aroused the ire of the lady herself and of a he bear, who attacked the lion, filling the building with noise and dust. When the lion caught one of his opponents by the throat a panic arose among the spectators, who made a stampede for the doors, crushing and injuring one another in their anxiety to get out. Meanwhile Savade, who was alone in the cage with all these wild beasts, threw himself with wonderful courage upon the bear, beat him with an iron rod till he rolled helpless on the ground, and when the lion began to attack the bear, shot right into his open jaws with a gun loaded with blank cartridges. The lion, leaving the bear, now sprang upon Savade, who, nothing daunted, fired into his jaws a second time. It was only then that the "king of beasts" limped back onto his stool. Savade, with a few words of apology for the interruption, carried his performance to a successful conclusion, enthusiastically applauded by those members of the audience who had the courage to return. Nobody attempted to help the brave American while he was in danger, it being a notorious fact that whenever somebody is injured or hurt in a Russian town all the witnesses run away.

Annual Oklahoma Wolf Hunt.

The great wolf hunt which was announced to take place in Blanchard, Oklahoma, has been set for May 14, 15, and 16. This promises to be the greatest chase that has ever taken place in the West, as it will be held at a time when the weather will be pleasant and all comers may enjoy the sport. It will be conducted after the order of the chases held in England, only on a larger scale. There have been up to the present time 185 trained dogs from several States entered, and the manager expects fully 100 more. It will be only a short time before this sport will be a thing of the past and Oklahomans wish to make this a chase long to be remembered by all who come.

PROF. O. B. COBLENTZ RESIGNS.

Prof. Oscar B. Coblentz, superintendent of Frederick county schools, resigned yesterday morning and Prof. John T. White, formerly school examiner of Allegany county, was elected by the board to fill the vacancy. The School Commissioners organized by electing Rev. Mr. I. M. Motter president.

Sent to Hospital With Fractured Skull

Little Gordon Propf, who several days ago was struck on the head by one of his companions with a bat during a game of baseball, was sent to the hospital on Thursday morning. The little fellow's skull was fractured and he will have to undergo an operation.

Holy Cross Defeats Harvard.

Last Saturday Holy Cross baseball team defeated Harvard University in a close and brilliantly played game by the score of 3 to 2. It will be remembered that this same team played against Mount St. Mary's on April 10 and won by the score of 3 to 1.

The city of Easton, Pa., has adopted a municipal flag, said to be a copy of the flag which waved over that town during the Revolutionary War. The flag has 13 red and white stripes in the upper corner, and the remainder of the flag is blue, with a circle of eight white stars in the center.

At Topper Villa.

R. T. Spinks, Esq., of Birmingham, Ala., and Messrs. Harry Kramer and Maurice Klein, well-known young men of Baltimore, will spend the Summer at Topper Villa, the guests of Miss Coyle.

A Lesson Learned

It was so easy for the American liner St. Paul to sink the British cruiser *Gladiator* that the incident may be taken by Congress to mean that the United States needs more ocean liners and less warships.—*Worcester Telegram.*

Too Small to be Considered.

Luther Burbank, who is to enter politics, will lose conspicuously among men who would scorn to graft such things as apple trees and vegetables.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

The subscribers to the telephone system in Pekin are said now to number about 1,700 and the demand for connections is more than the administration can keep pace with.

Mr. E. H. Rowe is having a cement foundation laid for the dwelling house he is building on West Main street.

THE NUTRIMENT IN FISH DIET

Compared With Beefsteak From Standpoint of Sustenance Shows Little Difference.

"Many people who eat fish instead of meat on Friday," writes a medical correspondent to a London paper, "have a fixed idea that there is little real nutriment in fish. They would be surprised to know that there is very little difference in the chemical make-up of the two foods."

"To compare beefsteak with fish from the standpoint of the sustenance they can afford to the body may seem absurd, but the following table shows their similarity:

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THERMOMETRIC READINGS.

Taken every week day from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer.

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday		57	57
Saturday	50	63	62
Monday	42	49	54
Tuesday	51	61	55
Wednesday	51	53	53
Thursday	49	53	53
Friday	57		

Readings for the week beginning May 3 1907:

	8 A. M.	12 M.	4 P. M.
Friday		61	68
Saturday	52	62	58
Monday	60	65	62
Tuesday	58	66	65
Wednesday	56	65	70
Thursday	57	64	68
Friday	58		

That's Emmitsburg Nineteen Times

What a great city New York is—what a population is constantly on the move there—was illustrated Saturday in the tally kept of the number of persons that passed through the doors of the Waldorf on that day, remarks the *Buffalo Commercial*. That even the proprietors were astonished when the count proved that over 19,000 went in through the eight entrances can be readily believed.

An English educational committee is considering cooking classes for boys.

MR. CANNON, AN OBSTRUCTIONIST

In What Way Does the House of Representatives Represent the People?

Much has been said in criticism of the executive usurping the legislative function of government, but the President, in our form of government, frequently represents the collective hopes and wishes of the people and is more representative of that entity known as the nation than the House of Representatives itself. The speaker of the House for instance in this case, represents a small district in the State of Illinois and members of Congress would find it very difficult to explain to the plain folks at home, why Speaker Cannon has been permitted to successfully oppose the recommendations of the President, elected by an unprecedented majority for the express purpose of carrying out the measures advocated by him. Why should Mr. Cannon, elected by a small constituency in an insignificant district, be permitted to stand in the way of an enormous *vox populi*?

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Drinking Healths Dates Back to Tenth Century

THE STORY OF GENTLE EDWARD

English Forefathers Great Drinkers and Assassination of King Edward is Authority For Form of Drinking Healths

The custom of drinking healths is traced back to the time of "Edward the Martyr." Edward came to the throne of England in 975. Edgar, the Peaceable, had left two sons; Edward, the son of his first wife, and Ethelred, whose mother, Elfrida, was still living. Elfrida was ambitious that her son should be king instead of his half-brother, but the influence of St. Dunstan gave the crown to Edward; from that time she sought an opportunity to kill him. Edward was gentle to all, respectful to his ambitious step-mother, and fondly attached to his half-brother, Ethelred. On the 18th of March, 978, King Edward was hunting in the forest of Dorset near Corfe Castle, in Dorsetshire, where Elfrida lived, and, unattended by his servant and unsuspecting of any ill, he rode to the castle to make the queen a visit. Elfrida received him with every demonstration of affection, and since he declined to dismount, she handed him a cup of wine with her own hands. While he was drinking, she caused him to be stabbed in the back. Edward, finding himself wounded, put spurs to his horse and galloped off; but becoming weak he fell, and was dragged in the stirrup till he died. Ethelred succeeded to the throne; but, though the wicked queen had her wish, she never regained her peace of mind. Our English forefathers were great drinkers, and this story of the assassination of King Edward is quoted as authority for the early form of drinking healths, as follows: It was customary with them, in drinking parties, to pass round a large cup, from which each in turn drank to one of the company; he who thus drank stood up. As he lifted the cup with both hands, his body was exposed without defense to a stab in the back from an enemy; then arose the custom that when one of the company stood to drink, the one who sat next to him should stand as his pledge, and when he took the cup the next man should stand with him to be his pledge, and so on; the "pledge" stood with a raised sword in his hand. This practice, in an altered form, continued long after the condition of society had ceased to require it. In some of the colleges the custom is still preserved in almost its primitive form, "the loving cup" it is sometimes called. There was a late instance of passing "the loving cup" at a dinner given during the Lambeth Conference in England, July 4th, 1888, by the Lord Mayor of London, when 298 guests were seated in the magnificent Mansion Hall, and where in the speeches and the music America was not forgotten. The ceremony is thus described by one present: "The old time 'loving cup' was then sent round; the gentlemen who first received it rising, bowing and presenting it to the lady next, who rises, bows, uncovers it and holds it while he drinks, then replaces the cover, turns, and bowing, presents it to the gentleman next, who in like manner uncovers and serves for her; and so it goes round the tables."

Various other ceremonies of health-drinking have come down to us from early times. According to the Lichfield custom, the person drinking, requires a companion on either side of the person drinking to rise; thus three were always standing. The custom at Queen's College, Oxford, requires the companions or "pledges" to place their thumbs upon the table, thus incapacitating them from making an attempt upon the life of the person who is drinking. Records of the custom in many countries and in many ages might be multiplied *ad infinitum*. Sir Matthew Hale left an injunction upon his grandchildren not to pledge any health, and adds: "If they will need know the reason of your refusal, it is a fair answer, that your grandfather that brought you up, from whom, under God, you have the estate you enjoy or expect, left this command with you, that you should never begin or pledge a health." The loyalty of the English to Charles II. was shown by such frequent drinkings of his health, as to threaten disturbance of the public peace, and to occasion a royal proclamation. The practice of "touching glasses" in drinking healths is said to have originated when Prince Charles passed over into France, after the failure of the expedition in 1715, and his supporters were beset on every hand with spies. It so happened that in society they were necessitated to drink the King's health, but it was tacitly understood among them that "the King" was not King George, but "the King over the water." To express this symbolically, one glass was passed over another, and later on the foot of one glass was touched to the rim of another.

Drinking healths was a common classical usage, though post-Homeric. But the Greek always drank, himself, before passing the cup to a friend. His tasting the wine first was a pledge that he had not poisoned it; as, if he had, he would be the first to suffer.

JEROME PLAYS BIG DAILIES.

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scrap books containing clippings about himself; who has been elected to office through the active support given him by the editors and reporters of the city, shows mighty poor judgment in attacking the press that made him what he is.

District Attorney Jerome, of New York, who loves notoriety as a mouse loves cheese, in an address before the St. George's Society last week delivered a vicious onslaught upon the newspapers in which he made four deliberate mis-statements of fact. He declared that no newspaper had asked him for a bill of particulars in regard to his charges against the judiciary of the city; that no newspaper had dared to print the name of the department store in which a man was recently shot by a woman; that the newspapers of New York are controlled in the most part by vicious persons, and that anyone who will spend sufficient money can suppress news. The next day the *World* produced proof that three of Mr. Jerome's charges were untrue, and the District Attorney himself disproved the fourth in his own speech when he stated that four of the largest newspapers in the city had his confidence.

District Attorney Jerome is no doubt a very brainy man. He is not a grafter, and his intentions are no doubt good, but he has failed to carry out his campaign pledges to prosecute a number of eminent criminals whom he stated he would bring to justice. Naturally the newspapers have said some pretty sharp things about his dereliction of duty, and he doesn't like it.

It is all tommy-rot for Mr. Jerome or anyone else to say that venal persons, or advertisers control the newspapers of the city, or that money will suppress news. In the fight for supremacy no newspaper can afford to resort to dishonesty, blackmailing or questionable practices of any kind. If there was such a newspaper how long would it be before the politicians would find it out and seize on the opportunity to "get even" or create a scandal that would discredit and probably ruin it?

JEFF DAVIS ON THE PRESS

To Avoid Intemperate Language He Reads From Manuscript.—Good Reading For Cool Weather.

"That no intemperate language might escape his lips on this occasion," Jeff Davis read from a typewritten copy to the Senate some tender words of endearment addressed to the press. For cool weather this is specially good reading. Here is part of it:

"Let scavengers or plutocracy howl; truth, God's living truth—where are its defenders? Miserable travesties upon noble manhood, post-graduates in all arts of slander or defamation, I challenge the subsidized press; the people know your designs and spurn your pretences whether under show of argument or more servient hypocrisies. Go, damnable imps of pelf and greed, I defy your taunts; tear to fragments my political career if it comport with your execrable will. Stifle and distort my every utterance. Not satisfied, if such be your brutal frenzy, lash my poor form into insensibility. Then, if it be your further pleasure, gnaw from my stiffening bones every vestige of quivering flesh. Gloat in wretched bestiality through my own innocent blood as it drips from your fiendish visages. Drag then, if you want, what remains into the filth and the vermin of your foul dens and burn it upon the altar of Baal, or scatter it before the friendly winds of heaven to your betters—the carrion crows of the field. All that they may do, all and more, if there yet be open further depth of infamy to the polluted, besotten press. These ready servants of greed, what have they not done or attempted, to fasten still more securely an autocracy upon us? It seems to be their special function, not simply to pervert truth, but to threaten and terrorize public men."

Could This Be Chancellor Day?

In an address delivered in Cooper Union, New York, Prof. Charles Zueblin said: "One particular church I have in mind harbors in its midst a college president who is doing more than anything else to bring religion into disrepute by defending a number of wealthy men who are throttling the life out of thousands of people."

King Peter of Servia runs a barber shop, owns a patent medicine, and conducts a motor car agency in his capital. The reigning Prince of Lippe-Detmold deals in butter and eggs, while a prosperous brick factory swells his profits. The King of Wurtemberg is the proprietor of two hotels in his kingdom, and they add \$50,000 a year to his revenue.

The Hidden Secret mine in Australia yielded \$200,000 of gold in a few days and was sold for \$2,500,000. It was then called the Golden Hole. The entrance was sealed and a stock company formed with \$3,750,000 capital. When it was reopened the mine proved to be a pocket. All the gold was gone.

FREAKS FROM DAILY PAPERS.

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a hog that is eight feet in length, stands three feet three inches high and weighs 625 pounds.

Robert Jones, of —, anxious to have his hen hatch as many eggs as possible, placed so many eggs under her that she could not cover them all. A rooster, observing the difficulty, joined with the hen in covering the nest and all of the eggs were hatched out.

John L. Kline, of this borough, is the owner of an unusual cat. A year ago it came to the Kline home and at once became a fast friend of an old hen, remaining with it during the day, and at night sharing the roost with its feathered friend. Recently the hen hatched a brood of peeps, and the cat has taken charge of five of the little ones, guarding them during the day and at night providing shelter for them with its own body.

Dwight Wheeler, of Middlebury, prominent in Granges, experimenting for years on Irish potatoes, has finally solved the problem of the potato, in a tri-bred variety which requires no cooking and grows on vines like the tomato.

His efforts are certain to revolutionize potato culture and reduce the strain on the housewife, who now finds it difficult in all temperatures to keep the cooked potato constantly on hand.

Fortunes have been dissipated in an attempt to care or preserve successfully the cooked Irish potato.

Mr. Wheeler has invited farmers all over the State to an exhibit of his growing of his vines, which will be in blossom in the near future.

H. H. Garriker, of the Carnegie Museum, Pittsburgh, has returned from Costa Rica. He has been in Central America for five years getting skins of animals and birds for the museum. He has shipped at different times to the museum over 5,000 skins, and the institution now possesses the most complete and valuable collection ever secured in Costa Rica.

The ivy plant which established itself in a crevice of the tower of St. John the Baptist Church, at Yarborough, Lincolnshire, England, undermined the foundation and lifted stones out of place until it cost over \$3,000 to make repairs.

A Nottingham, England, miner has patented a safety pit cage, which is said to be a great advance on all others.

PUBLIC LOCAL LAWS.

CHAPTER 339.

AN ACT to repeal Section 145 of Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title "Frederick County," subtitle, "Fish," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 145 of Article 11 of the Code of Public Local Laws, title, "Frederick County," subtitle, "Fish," be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

145—It shall not be lawful for any person to take, capture, or destroy fish by seine, drag nets, fish baskets, or fish pots, eel weirs, brush or fascine nets, or any means or contrivance whatever of the nature of a seine which are known to destroy or capture fish in the Monocacy River or any of its tributaries or in any other waters within the limits of Frederick County; provided, nevertheless, that fish may be taken in the Monocacy River or any of its tributaries during the month of July, with a seine not over twenty feet in length or with a net commonly known as the "stir net."

SECTION 2.—And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6, 1908.

HON. AUSTIN L. CROTHERS, Governor.

HON. JOSEPH B. SETH, President of the Senate.

HON. J. ENOS RAY, Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Office of the Secretary of the Senate: I Hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a true copy of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, 1908.

may8-3ts. ROBT. MOSS, Secretary.

CHAPTER 444.

AN ACT to authorize and empower the Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg, Frederick County, to borrow money necessary for the improvements of streets, alleys and crossings of said town, not exceeding the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500) Dollars, and to issue bonds therefor.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in the name of the said Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg, Frederick County, to an amount not exceeding Twenty-

five-Hundred (\$2500) Dollars in the aggregate in sums of not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50) each said bonds to be sealed with the seal of the said corporation, signed by the Burgess of the said town, and counter signed by the President and Secretary of the said Board of Commissioners; said bonds to bear interest payable semi-annually on the first days of July and January of each and every year, at a rate of interest not exceeding five per centum per annum, for which interest proper coupons shall be attached to said bonds, signed and counter signed as aforesaid.

SECTION 2. And be it enacted, That said bonds shall be issued payable twenty years from date thereof and redeemable at any time after the expiration of five years from date at the pleasure of the said Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg.

SECTION 3. And be it enacted, That the said Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg shall apply the proceeds from the sale of said bonds to the improvement of the streets, alleys and crossings of the said town of Emmitsburg.

SECTION 4. And be it enacted, That the Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg shall provide annually, out of the usual tax levy, an amount sufficient to pay the interest on the said bonds, and they shall set apart a further sum of Fifty (\$50) Dollars annually to be reinvested in such securities as they may select, to create a sinking fund for the redemption of the said bonds.

SECTION 5. And be it enacted, That the said bonds shall be sold by the Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg at not less than their face value for cash, after giving at least three weeks' notice by advertisement in one or more newspapers published in Frederick County.

SECTION 6. And be it enacted, That at a municipal election to be held in Emmitsburg at such time and place as may be fixed by an ordinance of said Burgess and Commissioners of Emmitsburg, the qualified voters of Emmitsburg, shall determine by ballot whether the said bonds hereinbefore provided for shall be issued or not, at which said election there may be written or printed on the ballots of said voters the words "For issue of bonds," or "Against issue of bonds," and if a majority of the ballots cast shall contain the words "For issue of bonds," then this act shall become operative and binding, but if a majority of said ballots shall contain the words "Against issue of bonds," then this Act shall be void and of no effect, and the judge of said municipal election shall return to the Burgess of Emmitsburg the number of ballots cast "For issue of bonds," and "Against issue of bonds," respectively and the said Burgess shall announce the result thereof to the Board of Commissioners of Emmitsburg who shall canvass the vote and verify the same.

SECTION 7. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 6, 1908.

HON. AUSTIN L. CROTHERS, Governor.

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ORDER NISI ON SALES.

No. 8309 EQUITY.

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

MAY TERM, 1908.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales, Filed this 4th day of May 1908.

Felix A. Diffendal, Assignee of Cornelius Shriner, Mortgagee of Adaline Shriner, on Petition.

ORDERED, That on the 30th day of May, 1908, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Felix A. Diffendal, Assignee 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 \$370.00

Dated this 4th day of May, 1908.

SAMUEL T. HAFNER, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True Copy—Test: SAMUEL T. HAFNER, Clerk.

May 8-4ts.

ORDER NISI ON SALES.

No. 8310 EQUITY.

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

MAY TERM, 1908.

In the Matter of the Report of Sales filed the 6th day of May, 1908.

Edgar L. Annan, Mortgagee of Jacob G. Troxell on Petition.

ORDERED, That on the 30th day of May 1908, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of Sales of Real Estate, reported to said Court by Edgar L. Annan, Mortgagee 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 \$1438.00.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1908.

SAMUEL T. HAFNER, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

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