

Local and Personal.

This is meant to be a purely LOCAL News column, to which the RECORD invites contributions. Events of local importance, whether current or in the near future, accidents, cases of crime, illness, society and church happenings, marriages, deaths, etc., should be reported to the Editor in writing, otherwise they may not appear.

John W. McFadden was a visitor at Trevanon, his old home, this week.

The Taneytown C. E. tourists, to Nashville, expect to return home this Friday evening.

Revenue stamps will not do for postage, any more than postage stamps will do for revenue.

Let us have your picnic dates, promptly, and secure a position in our register, free of charge.

Mrs. Edward Gernand, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Fleagle. Mrs. Gernand formerly resided in Westminster.

Judging from the numerous piles of new brick lying along our curbs, we will soon have a good crop of new pavements and gutters.

The news came here on Monday evening that J. Frank Sell, of Frederick, a former resident of this district, is ill with typhoid fever.

Dr. C. Birnie, who has been on a trip to Colorado, and who expected to return home this week, will not arrive until this coming Tuesday morning.

The Reformed Sunday school will hold a lawn festival in front of the church on the evenings of July 28, 29 and 30th. Refreshments of various kinds will be dispensed.

Threshermen Trimmer thinks that wheat in this district will not average over ten bushels to the acre, and that the business of steam threshing this year will not pay at present price.

Among the town's visitors this week, were Mrs. H. A. Veit, Philadelphia, Mrs. Harry E. Altner, York, Pa., Charles Orndorff, Hagerstown, Dr. P. D. Fahrney, Frederick.

Rev. Father John Glyod, of Washington, D. C., paid our town a visit on Thursday. Father Glyod was once a popular pastor of St. Joseph's church, consequently has many friends and admirers here.

Mr. "Dorie" Fair, who juggles hardware and groceries through a considerable portion of Pennsylvania, for P. A. & S. Small, has been visiting his old home here this week, dispensing smiles and good nature, as he sells goods—by wholesale.

Mrs. Margaret Reaver, widow of the late Benjamin Reaver, died at her home near Trevanon, on Thursday evening. Funeral services will be held at the house, at 1 o'clock, this (Saturday) afternoon, interment being in the Lutheran cemetery, Taneytown.

Edward W. Flangle, of York, N. Y., formerly of this place, is now visiting his mother at Barlow, Pa., and the family of A. L. Morelock. Since Mr. F.'s last visit here, he has inherited a step father, and is very much pleased, with the addition to his home.

Geo. W. Baumgardner and his friend Mr. Yingling, of Taneytown, Carroll county, Md., were in town Monday for the purpose of buying a threshing rig. They were at both the Frick and Geisler works but could not be accommodated, neither company having a rig on hand.—*Waynesboro Gazette.*

Fifty cents a year dog tax is very cheap for some of the animals of this town. There are a few prize howlers which cause the loss of many dollars worth of sleep, nearly every night, to residents in the vicinity of the house. Talk of every dog "having his day," some have day and a large part of the night too; and, sometime, probably it will be all night with them.

The creditors of B. Howard Slonaker, of Baltimore, formerly of this place, have filed a bill in equity asking for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of twelve unfinished houses at Denmore Park, to satisfy claims amounting to about \$25,000. Mr. Slonaker has been extensively engaged in building, in the suburbs of the city, in recent years.

Attorney-General Claibough, speaking of the RECORD, says: "It's the best country paper I know, and, if you want me to say so over my name, I'll do it." We hope this very sweeping endorsement is merited, and without a grain of flattery, but, Mr. Claibough always has been a strong partisan of the interests of Taneytown. We appreciate his good opinion, whether it be strictly expert or not.

At a congregational meeting of St. Paul Lutheran church, Uniontown, held recently, a resolution was adopted tendering the thanks of the congregation to the editor of the RECORD "for his kindly interest and efficient service in helping to make our project, 'Choice Maryland Cookery,' a success." The subject of this resolution is pleased to note that his services have been deemed worthy of the above action.

Is this one on the RECORD, or not? The following note was received one day this week: "Why are you sending me your paper? I have not subscribed for the paper. I have received four papers already. I will not pay for the paper so you can just stop the paper." As we are not in the paper business, we force "the paper" on anyone, and, having received the cash for this paper from a friend of the paper, the paper will not "just stop" until the year is up.

COUNTY AND STATE.

News Notes of General Interest from various Sources.

A divorce was granted on Wednesday to William E. Slonaker, of Uniontown, this county, from his wife, Minnie E. Slonaker. The petition for the divorce alleged desertion.

Dr. J. J. Weaver, of Uniontown, and Charles T. Reifsnider, of Westminister, are mentioned as possible republican candidates for the congressional nomination in this (second) district.

The speakers announced for the annual Lutheran Reunion at Penmar on July 28 are Dr. H. B. Wile, of Carlisle, president of the East Pennsylvania Synod; Rev. C. S. Albert, Rev. Dr. Gilbert, of Harrisburg, and Rev. George W. Enders, of York.

The Salvation Army will hold a great National Camp meeting in Wildwood Park, Mt. Airy, Md., commencing July 25th., and continuing till August 5th. Many of their national leaders will be present, including Booth Tucker, commander of the United States forces.

While W. S. Somers, of Mill Hall, Pa., was delivering a patriotic speech at a flag raising at his home, a man from Williamsport called the speaker a liar. The crowd rushed upon the stranger, carried him to a nearby woods, and administered a magnificent coat of tar and feathers.

Although the wheat crop in Washington county is short, yet there are some heavy yields being reported. On Dr. J. McP. Scott's farm there was a yield of 2,075 bushels from sixty-six acres, or nearly 31½ bushels to the acre. S. W. Sowers, of Dry Run, got from a 25-acre field thirty-five bushels to the acre.

Mrs. Margaret Myerly, widow of Judge Charles Myerly, died at her home, near Manchester, Carroll county, of heart failure, last Friday night, aged eighty-three years. She was a member of the Lutheran church sixty-five years. Mr. F. S. Myerly, field inspector at the Baltimore custom house, is her son.

Waynesboro's manufacturing industries are in a flourishing condition and afford employment to several thousand people. The pay-roll of the leading factories on Saturday night was as follows: Geisler Works, \$11,500; Frick Works, \$10,000; Landis Tool Works, \$8,000; American Lumber Works, \$1,500; other shops, \$1,000; total, \$36,000.

The Catoctin Furnace property, near Thurmont, was offered at public sale and withdrawn at a bid of \$25,000. The property consists of 7,000 acres of land, a large foundry, a charcoal furnace, water power, 65 tenant houses for laborers, and all necessary machinery and appliances for the daily production of 33 tons of iron. It is said the land is rich in mineral deposits.

Following is the program of the 9th. annual Reformed reunion at Penmar on July 21. Invocation. The Seraphic Hymn. Responsive reading. Intercessory—Hymn No. 8. Prayer. Hymn—No. 406. Address—Rev. Dr. Rupp, Lancaster. Address—Hon. Elmore Manast, Carlisle. Address—Rev. J. S. Garrison, Edinburg, Va. Hymn 117—Coronation. Lord's prayer. Doxology. Benediction.

The large bank barn on the farm of Hon. Milton G. Urner, near Mt. Airy, was totally destroyed, with its contents, by fire, at an early hour Wednesday morning. The barn, which was of the modern and improved style, was only completed a few weeks ago. The barn was insured in the Mutual Insurance Company, of Frederick, one week ago for \$1,000 on the barn, and \$1,000 on the contents.

An editor is a millionaire without money, a Congressman out of a job, a King without a throne. He constructs towns without saw or hammer, builds railroads without spikes or rails, and farms without a plow. He is a teacher, a preacher and a lawyer, he sends truth out to save souls, and too often gets lost himself. He heals the wounded, cares for the dying, rescues the perishing and starves himself when a ham sandwich would jerk him from the jaws of death.—*Eze.*

Mrs. Robley D. Evans, the wife of "Fighting Bob," probably has a larger personal interest in the fortunes of the navy than any other individual in the United States. Her husband commands the battleship Iowa; her brother Captain H. C. Taylor, commands the Indiana; her son, Frank T. Evans, is a cadet upon the Massachusetts, and her son-in-law, Lieutenant C. C. Marsh, is Flag Secretary to Admiral Sampson, on the New York. Her two daughters, Mrs. Marsh and Miss Virginia Evans, and her niece, Miss Taylor, have volunteered for trained nurses, and are now taking a course of instruction at the hospital at Hampton.

Robert Grossnickle, a farmer, residing near Taylorsville, was seriously injured on Monday by being thrown from a runaway horse. Grossnickle and a friend were sitting in the former's buggy, while his horse was eating hay. Something frightened the animal, and it ran away. Grossnickle had taken the bit from its mouth, and, hoping to control it, jumped to its back from the buggy and was thrown with violence to the ground and against a barbed-wire fence. A gash was cut in his head, and he was torn and bruised badly about the body. He lay for a long time unconscious and in a critical condition. The buggy was upset and broken, but Grossnickle's friend was unhurt.

OVER THE BATTLEFIELD.

An Excursion by the Reformed Sunday School.

The excursion of the Sunday school of Grace Reformed church, to the Battlefield near Gettysburg, last Tuesday, proved to be a success in every way and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who went. Shortly after six o'clock in the morning, about twenty-five vehicles of all descriptions, including the band-wagon, with over 140 people, old and young left Taneytown bound to have a day of pleasure and recreation.

After a two hours drive in the cool morning air, the Blind man's stand near Round top was reached, and after a short sojourn, viewing the battlefield from the observatory, the drive was continued through Hancock Avenue, over Cemetery Hill and Culp's Hill, in the direction of Spangler's Spring. Everywhere the inhabitants stood in front of their dwellings, attracted by this uncommonly long procession, and wondering whence this exodus came.

Arriving at Spangler's Spring about 11 o'clock, no time was lost in making preparations to satisfy the wants of the inner man, and for the next half hour silence reigned in camp, save for the clattering of knives and forks, and a few "have some more" or "help yourself," "plenty of it here," etc.

A short siesta was taken, and the journey resumed through Gettysburg, over the Emmitsburg road to the Devil's Den. Quite a number of the excursionists took here the electric car for a trolley ride, while others mounted the Little Round Top to listen, by invitation, to a lecture on the battle of Gettysburg, delivered by Prof. Pitzer, one of the guides, who gave an interesting verbal sketch of the incidents connected with this historic ground.

Later on a group photograph of the entire party was taken, when soon, to the sorrow of all, the time was fast approaching, when Old Sol, who had graciously put a veil over his face during the day, would disappear behind the mountains, hence another short discussion of the contents of baskets and boxes was made, then camp was broken, and after a journey of two hours, enlivened with singing and hurrahing by the children, home was reached, all expressing themselves as having spent a most pleasant and interesting day.

Save the Water.

People are apt to argue that when they "pay for a thing" they "want it," and this expression has been heard here in reference to the use of water for sprinkling, and other purposes. This claim sounds well, and had the promoters of our water supply been a private corporation, making extravagant promises to subscribers in order to secure them for profit in dividends, its application, in a Shylockian sense, would not appear so much out of the way; though, even then, there would, in case of scarcity, be an exhibition of selfishness anything but creditable.

As our water system is a town institution, operated for mutual, public and private benefit, at the minimum of cost, and not for profit, waste of the supply becomes more than selfish, and can only be properly characterized by the use of forcible and unpleasant language. We are pleased to note that there has been no general disposition in this direction, and are inclined to the belief that the rather free use of water, in some cases, has been due to the novelty of having it to use, rather than to a disposition to be wasteful or to place a too liberal construction on the contracts.

The following clipping, from the *Waynesboro Record*, which refers to a private water company, fits our case, because it partially describes our sources of supply and contains arguments which we think just and sensible:

"Owing to the continued drought the water supply from the mountain reservoir is sure to become inadequate and the company will be forced to pump from the creek unless the utmost care is exercised and as little water wasted as possible. The company hopes to be able to avoid the use of creek water this season, against which there has been some objections raised, and it can only be done by the aid of the consumers in avoiding wasteful use of the supply. If each household sees to it that water is not wasted we will doubtless be able to go through the summer without resorting to the use of creek water, which is not pleasant to contemplate. Let each individual be interested in this matter and save the water wherever they can."

Farmer's Pic-nic.

The farmers' picnic, under the auspices of the Frederick County Farmers' Institute, which will be held at the fair grounds on Friday, August 5, will be an event of great importance to the agricultural community of the county. President Kemp has the assurance that Postmaster General Smith, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, Judge Stake, of Washington county, and President Sylvester, of the Maryland Agricultural College, will be among the distinguished visitors present and will deliver addresses. Every one is invited to be present.

When the news of the surrender of Santiago was received in Hagerstown on Thursday, bells were rung, whistles were blown, and business was temporarily suspended. In the evening an appropriate demonstration was held in honor of the event. Headed by the Crawford Cycle Band, the six fire companies paraded the streets with their apparatus. Fireworks were displayed, and colored lights burned all along the route of the parade. Nearly every business house and a majority of the residences flatted American flags.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR DAY.

At Devil's Den, on Tuesday, July 26th., 1898.

The Adams County Christian Endeavor Union will hold an open air assembly and reunion at Tipton's Park, Devil's Den, on the Battlefield of Gettysburg, on Tuesday, July 26, the exercises beginning at 10 a. m. Eminent speakers have been secured who will address us on subjects that will arouse interest and enthusiasm in the great Christian Endeavor movement, and nothing will be left undone to make the day pleasant, profitable and instructive. Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Lowe, of Philadelphia, will have charge of the music, and in the evening will give one of their beautiful illustrated song services that will be free to all. A large orchestra with Prof. Harry Taylor as director, and a choir of 50 voices will assist in the music during the day sessions. The following program will be rendered:

10:00 o'clock, A. M.
Song Service. Prof. J. J. Lowe, Phil. Pa. Address of Welcome.

Music—Prof. and Mrs. Lowe.
Address, "Echoes from Nashville."
Rev. Dr. F. Garland, Taneytown, Md.

Address, "Larger Things."
Rev. H. U. Roop, Annville.
Adaptation.

2:00 o'clock, P. M.
Junior Rally from 2:00 to 2:45.
Address, "Junior Work."

Music—Prof. and Mrs. Lowe.
Address, "Christian Citizenship."
Rev. A. H. Williams, Shippensburg.

Address, "How Beautiful is with God."
Rev. Geo. W. Enders, D. D. York.
Benediction.

No Catholic Pic-nic.

For the first time in twenty years, there will be no Catholic pic-nic this year at Taneytown. This decision has been arrived at, after the consideration of a number of objections, which seemed to outweigh the advantages; and the revenue heretofore derived from these occasions will be secured, if possible, through some less objectionable method. The chief objections are that these annual pic-nics have always been immense affairs, entailing a vast amount of very hard work on a comparatively few people, and, while in the main they have been enjoyable, yet there has always been unwelcome present more or less of rowdiness, which had a tendency to raise the question of their justification. The experiment, therefore, of no pic-nic, will be tried for one year, at least.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, July 11th., 1898.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah A. Formwalt granted unto Lewis Formwalt.

Ella M. Jenkins, administratrix of Lewis C. Jenkins, returned list sales of personal property.

Simon P. Weaver and John E. Plank, executors of Jeremiah Klinehart, returned list of sales of personal property, &c., and settled first account.

Last will and testament of Leah Zimmerman, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted unto George W. Hare.

Sarah A. Waters, executrix of Hannah V. Steele returned inventories of money and real estate.

George Yunder bonded as guardian to Emma Erb and Henry Erb, infant children of Herman Erb.

David N. Henning, executor of Edward D. Wells, reported sale of real estate.

TUESDAY, July 12th., 1898.—J. Calvin Wentz and Uriah A. Wentz, administrators of Cornelius Wentz returned inventories of money and personal property, list of debts, and received orders to notify creditors and sell personal property.

Sale of the leasehold property of Samuel P. Everhart, reported by John J. Reese and Geo. Y. Everhart, administrators, finally ratified.

Sale of the real estate of Lucertia E. Van Bibber, reported by Charles T. Reifsnider, executor, finally ratified.

J. Oliver Wadlow and Emma K. Slack, administrators of William D. Slack returned list of sales of personal property, inventory of money and list of debts.

J. Oliver Wadlow, executor of Asberry Johnson, returned inventories of personal property money and list of debts, and received orders to sell personal property and to notify creditors.

Harry B. Grammer and Jesse F. Shreeve, executors of Henry Shreeve, settled second account.

James F. Reese, known as Bro. Maurice, Pres. of Rock Hill College, bonded as guardian to William T. Frank H. and John G. Wells, infant children of Dr. Edward D. Wells, deceased.

Mr. William E. Davis, of Boonsboro Washington county, has been appointed a deputy collector of internal revenue, with headquarters at Hagerstown, Md., in place of M. R. Hawkins, resigned.

Church Notices.

Joint Communion services of Pine Creek and Taneytown Presbyterian congregations, will be held at Taneytown church, July 17th, at 10 o'clock. Preparatory service Saturday preceding, at 2 o'clock.

TWO SUDDEN DEATHS.

In New Windsor. Water Supply and other News Items.

Two deaths have occurred in the home of Mr. Jeremiah Brown within five days, the first being Mrs. Malachi Etzler, of Frederick county, who was visiting Mr. Brown's family, and was taken suddenly ill with dysentery in its worst form, which baffled the skill of her physician, resulting in death on Saturday morning, after a few days illness. Funeral took place on last Sunday; interment at Unionville. Deceased was about 60 years of age.

Since the burial of Mr. Etzler, Mrs. Jeremiah Brown has had a paralytic stroke from which she died on this Wednesday afternoon, aged sixty some years. A husband and large family of adult children survive her, two sons of whom are sons-in-law of Mrs. Etzler, being married to daughters of the latter.

The work of extending the pipes of the Water Company, still goes on, and the greater portion of the citizens of the town are now receiving the benefit of the water supply, which has proven ample, for all necessities thus far, notwithstanding the severe drought. The enterprise has proven a harvest for our wide-awake hardware man, Mr. E. S. Banker, judging from the amount of work he has had to do.

The large new house of James T. Lambert is nearly under roof, and presents a very handsome appearance.

The Junior Epworth League held a picnic on the premises of Geo. P. B. Englar, near town on Saturday, which was greatly enjoyed by all the little folks.

New Windsor Council, No. 74, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a picnic this Saturday afternoon, in L. P. Sling-luff's grove. The Linwood Band will furnish the music for the same, and a very enjoyable time is anticipated.

About the usual number of summer boarders have taken up their quarters at the Dielman House.

There was a large meeting of the Milk Shipper's Association held in the town last Saturday evening, for the purpose of discussing various subjects of interest to the members.

Uncle Tom's Cabin was played here on this Thursday evening, by the Dewey Troupe, (not the Commodore) but we have not heard with what measure of success they met, up to time of this writing.

Mr. John Norris, of Chicago, is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Coxwell (nee Poole) of Missouri with her children, is visiting in the neighborhood.

Carrier Must Pay the Tax.

In answer to references from the commissioner of internal revenue, all bearing upon the question as to whether the shipper or carrier shall pay for and affix the required revenue stamps to bills of lading, &c., Assistant Attorney-General Boyd has held as follows:

"The law makes it the duty of every railroad, steamboat company, express company, or corporation or person whose occupation it is to act as a carrier, and these provisions, on signer or his agent, or person from whom any goods are accepted for transportation, a bill of lading, manifest or some other evidence of the receipt of goods, wares or merchandise received for carriage and transportation, and this bill of lading, manifest or memorandum requires a revenue stamp of the value one cent affixed to it and canceled. In case of failure to issue such bill of lading the law imposes a penalty of \$50 upon the carrier of such failure.

"The penalty for failure to so affix the stamp is not more than \$100. "The purpose of the law is clear. It was to tax the carrier and not the shipper, and these provisions undoubtedly fix upon the express companies and other carriers the duty of providing, affixing and cancelling the stamp, and the failure to so provide, affix and cancel such stamp subjects them to the penalties provided by law. It is suggested that some of these carriers are refusing to receive goods for shipment until the shipper pays the tax. While it is not my province to advise as to the recourse which the shipper may have in instances of this kind, yet I am sure that the laws are ample to require public carriers and express companies to receive goods tendered for shipment, or suffer damages for such refusal.

Revenue Law Questions.

Since the war revenue bill went into effect there has been considerable doubt regarding the manner in which real estate transactions are affected.

In order to secure a ruling from the internal revenue bureau upon the subject, a series of questions were prepared and submitted on Tuesday to the commissioner of internal revenue. The questions and their answers are as follows:

Must the actual consideration be stated in a deed, or will it suffice to say \$1, and stamp to cover actual consideration?

The actual value need not be stated, but stamps must be for the full value of the property.

If a piece of real estate worth \$10,000 and sold on that basis is sold for \$5,000 cash and a mortgage of \$5,000, must the deed be stamped to cover the \$10,000, or the equity, \$5,000?

The stamps must be for the entire value.

If there is already a mortgage of \$5,000 on a parcel worth \$10,000, must the deed be stamped to cover \$10,000, or the price paid in cash?

The stamp must be for \$10,000. Must the note accompanying the mortgage be stamped as well as the mortgage?

Both must be stamped.

Correspondence.

All communications for the RECORD must be signed by the writer's own name, not necessarily in full, but as an evidence that the matter and facts transmitted are legitimate and correct. Items of a miscellaneous character are not wanted.

Uniontown.

Mrs. Geo. Grumbein, of Westminster, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Zepp, and Mr. Arthur Zepp of Norfolk, Va., were guests at Mr. Wm. Baust's, at Woodside, on last Thursday.

Mrs. H. H. Brough and Master Carroll Weaver spent several days at Millerstown, Pa., last week.

Mrs. Sarah Fuss returned home Friday from a visit to friends in Taneytown and Hanover.

Master H. Clay Englar, of Taneytown, spent several days last week with Mr. Harry Cover's family.

The Church of God Sunday school lawn festival, held on Saturday afternoon and night, was a success.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jerry J. Garner and Mr. and Mrs. John Michael, of Woodside, were present at a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Zile, near Medford.

Miss Ida Devillbiss, of Baltimore, formerly of this place, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Segafosse.

Miss Alma Heltrabide, of Mayberry, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wesley Rodkey.

Miss S. E. Weaver and Mrs. James Nixon and daughter Elizabeth of St. Louis Mo., spent Sunday with Mr. Marshall G. Shaw's family, at Black Oak Spring.

The President's proclamation of thanksgiving for victory, and prayer for peace, was observed here Sunday night, by a union service held in the Bethel. The President's proclamation was read by Rev. Jesse Shreeve, of the M. P. church, and addresses were made by Rev. G. W. Baughman of the Lutheran church, Rev. B. W. Kindley, of the M. P. church, and Mr. Jesse P. Garner of the Church of God. Prayers were offered by Messrs J. H. Christ and Chas. "Sittig." The choir of the several churches rendered national and sacred selections.

Organists, Mrs. Will Messler and Mrs. Will Zollicoffer. Elder S. B. Craft, who conducted the services, made an appeal for a generous offering to alleviate the sufferings of the wounded soldiers. The church was tastefully decorated with flowers, flags and bunting.

Miss Ida Mears, of Baltimore, is visiting the Misses Cover at the east end of town.

Mrs. A. H. Zollicoffer of Philadelphia, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. Eliza Zollicoffer's family, several days this week.

Mrs. Thomas Mering spent the week visiting friends in Fritzburg.

Miss Nella Crabbs, of Union Bridge, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baust, at Woodside.

Mr. G. Wright Harbaugh was at Pen Mar, Frederick and Sabillasville several days this week, on business.

Mrs. E. G. Van Dusen, of Carrollton, was the guest of Elder S. B. Craft's family several days this week.

She was accompanied home by Miss Edna Craft, who will spend some time visiting friends in Carrollton.

Mr. Samuel Pearl, Jr., of Baltimore, was summoned here Tuesday to see his little daughter Grace, who is quite sick at the home of Mr. John H. Hamburg, near town. He returned home Wednesday.

Miss Natalie Haines is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. John Blackston, at Bark Hill.

A number of our people are on the sick list.

Copperville.

Mrs. William Flickinger was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Jacob Maus, of near Tyrone, whose earthly existence was supposed to be about ended, but contrary to all appearances she rallied, and when last heard from was still living; her death may occur at any time. She is afflicted with that dreadful disease, consumption.

Mrs. Margaret Harmon, of near Otter Dale Mills, had the misfortune to get another fall, which has rendered her practically helpless. She dislocated her left arm, and had lost the use of her right arm by a previous fall.

Mr. David Fogle, of near here, had the misfortune to fall off of a load of rakes, injuring himself so severely, that he is scarcely able to be about.

Mr. Henry Hitebreck had the misfortune to lose a valuable young horse one day last week. His death was caused by lockjaw.

Mr. Samuel Fair, Sr., who moved in with James Weishaar, near Otter Dale Mill, in the spring, moved into a vacant house of Mr. J. T. Starr's near the Middleburg and Uniontown road, the other day.

We were sorry to hear that our old neighbor, Mr. J. Frank Sell is ill with typhoid fever, at his home in Frederick City.

Mr. John McFadden spent a few days at Trevanon visiting his sister, Mrs. Percy Shriver. Some think that he would like to locate somewhere near here; if such is the case, we hope that he will succeed, for he proved himself to be a good citizen whilst among us some years ago.

Mrs. Samuel Wheeler of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Will Arthur and daughter, of Fritzburg, paid Mrs. H. T. Wantz, a visit one day this week.

Master Robert Eckart, has sold his goat to Scott Smith. Robert's leg is healing nicely, and he expects to be out of bed in a short time.

Old papers, in bundles of 100, at the RECORD office—5c a bundle.

Double Pipe Creek.

Mr. Charles E. Fink while cutting wood by twilight last week, inflicted a severe wound upon the instep of the foot. After a week's nursing, he has gone to work again.

Our railroad agent, Mr. J. W. Barlick, had sale of his personal effects last Saturday, and has gone to Clear Brook, on the Cumberland Valley Railroad, where he is running a depot and grain elevator. Mr. Barlick continues in charge of the depot here till August 1st, when his wife and Mr. Clarence Eichelberger will go with him to their new place of business in Virginia, as stated.

Mr. Andrew Wintergreen and family of Washington, D. C., are visiting friends in and around D. P. Creek.

Mr. David Stuller, whose barn was about one-third unroofed by the storm of last week, has reroofed the building with shingles.

The scattering of the grain shocks by last week's storm made not only wheat hauling tedious, but increased the raking, and those who did not thresh out immediately have immense stacks erected.

Mr. Wm. H. Powell and family,

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CLASS MATTER.

SATURDAY, JULY 16th., 1898.

A CONTINUATION of the war by
Spain, is simply the bloody murder of
her subjects, without the slightest
prospects of any compensation what-
ever.

THERE is a growing feeling for the
extension of territory, on the grounds
that our trade relations would there-
by be extended—something which
would add greatly to the prosperity
of our country. Should it furnish a
wider market for farm produce, as it
is also argued, and with considerable
plausibility, the departure would no
doubt prove a popular one. Before
we pluck the "roses," however, the
size of the "thorns" should be ascer-
tained as nearly as possible.

SOME newspapers are terribly afraid
that the war revenue measure will
bankrupt the country, and remain a
terrible burden on the shoulders of
posterity for an indefinite period. We
should like the opportunity of sizing
up the pedigree of these "calamity
howlers," who would likely prove lit-
tle, if any, better than those once
commonly termed "copperheads." In-
equality of taxation is always a legiti-
mate subject for criticism; but, nec-
essary revenue, called for by the gov-
ernment, particularly when for the
purpose of carrying on a justifiable
war, such as this undoubtedly is,
should never be spoken of in a quer-
ulous, fault-finding, way, and true
American citizens never do it.

Availability and Ability.

The war has brought to the front
quite a new collection of available
candidates for high public office, who
would be heard to defeat. Dewey,
Lee, Schley, Sampson, Hobson, Sha-
fer and other recent heroes are no bet-
ter men, in all probability, than they
were several years ago, but, fate has
brought them popularly to the front,
and this, in politics, amounts to much
more than ability—to availability.

We have had occasion, heretofore,
to refer to this fact—that the best
men, the most able men, do not al-
ways fill our public positions—and the
point is accentuated by the present
event which has brought into popu-
larity a number of men whose names
and existence were not known to
thousands of American citizens a year
ago. If the question had then been
asked—Who is George Dewey? Nine-
tenths of even the intelligent people
of the country could not have told
whether he was an American or
Frenchman, a civilian or a naval officer.
So peculiarly constructed, how-
ever, is this power of American popu-
lar sentiment, that he would, were a
presidential election to be held this
fall, prove a most "available" and
powerful candidate, notwithstanding
the fact, that, while he is undoubtedly
a successful naval officer, he may
possess but a slight measure of the
ability which we are pleased to think
is necessary for our chief executive.

That "Nothing succeeds like suc-
cess" is a truism in public-political life
just as in trade, and for the same
specific reason—the right sort of ad-
vertising. The whole business is
largely a lottery; a turning up at the
right time and place, in a manner to
catch the public fancy and ap-
plause. Both as public servants, and
business men, people may display un-
questioned integrity and ability until
they are gray, without meeting with
more than mediocre success, while
others, for no peculiar merit of their
own, slip in ahead and win fame and
fortune, as the world judges. Sooner
or later, however, the "leveling up"
time comes.

We are fully convinced that these
views are neither morbid or incorrect
in the main. We are equally sure
that, so far as they relate to the poli-
tics of the country, they are not like-
ly to be changed, because, first of all,
the inborn characteristics of the typi-
cal American citizen must undergo a
change—a something as difficult, al-
most, as for a tiger to change his
stripes, or a leopard his spots. There
can be no doubt, however, much as
we depend on the correctness of first
impressions, and our ability to right
errors, that, theoretically—may we
not say, philosophically and truly—the
practice of rewarding men simply be-
cause they are "available," is utterly
wrong, not only because it tends to
lower the grade of public service but
discourages brain equipment and in-
dividual honor of the highest order—
availability rather than ability.

Will Prosperity Continue?

It will be most unfortunate if farm
products of all kinds do not bring
satisfactory prices this fall, and con-
tinue the prosperity so plainly in
sight during the past year. One need
not be over-observant to notice these
evidences, for they stare out plainly
enough from the face of the earth, in
new barns, new dwellings, bright
paint and improved fencing, as well
as being present in many other di-
rections, less self assertively, yet none
the less present, among which may be
mentioned, the feeling of satisfaction
that all is not hard work without
compensation.

As yet, it is too early to predict the
trend of prices, nor is it safe to follow
the reasoning which would have re-
sulted so profitably last year, with

wheat. No one knows, now, whether
it will pay to hold it or not. The one
who does know, can make a dozen
fortunes before a year ends. It is not
wholly with wheat, however, that the
results of farming profits depend. It
is the average price one receives for
his diversity of produce—farm, dairy
and stock. The wheat crop is un-
doubtedly disappointing in quality
and quantity, and may be in price,
yet, complete disappointment over
the results of the seasons work may
be compensated for from other direc-
tions.

As a people, we are apt to complain
too quickly—without just cause. Class
for class, occupation for occupation,
honest American toilers stand ahead
of the world, without exception, in
their enjoyment of blessings, their
freedom, privileges and manhood.
That we do not know this, or ap-
preciate our advantages, does not render
the condition less true, and we should
cultivate the wisdom and intelligence
which comes from a broader knowl-
edge of the world, rather than con-
fine ourselves to only that which we
can see and feel. Whenever we make
up our minds to do this, the answer
to the question heading this article
will always be a decided, yes.

Hawaii now Ours.

Washington, July 7.—The president
signed the resolutions annexing
Hawaii at 7 o'clock this evening.

Minister Hatch, of Hawaii arrived
at the state department at 11 o'clock
today and held an extended confer-
ence with Secretary Day on the con-
summation of the annexation of
Hawaii to the United States. Mr.
Hatch sent extended official dispatches
to the Hawaiian agent in San
Francisco, to be forwarded by the
steamer sailing today. The minister
will leave here tomorrow to catch the
steamer Alameda, sailing for Hawaii
on July 13.—Mr. Lorin M. Thurston,
Hawaiian commissioner, goes with
Mr. Hatch, but will wait till the 16th,
to take the steamer Rio de Janeiro
for Hawaii. It is understood also that
Mr. Dominis, former Queen Liliuok-
alani, and her party, who have been
in Washington for many months, con-
template taking an early steamer for
Hawaii.

It is the view of the Hawaiian au-
thorities that Hawaii becomes a part
of the United States on the moment
that the president attaches his signa-
ture to the resolution of congress.
The annexation is said to be complete
without any further action here or in
Hawaii. At the same time it is possi-
ble that the Hawaiian legislature
may pass a resolution similar to the
one passed by our congress. While it
is said that this was not necessary, yet
it will be a formality accomplished
and remove every possible chance for
quibble over the regularity of the
procedure. The session has just ended,
but an extra session can be called
at once, not more than fifteen days
being required for assembling an ex-
tra session.

It is said that the transmission of
the republic to the United States can
be accomplished without the slightest
delay or friction. A complete inter-
national organization already exists, civil,
military, etc., and it is pointed out
that this does away with the delay of
organizing a government such as oc-
curred when California was admitted.
For the present the existing civil or-
ganization will continue with Presi-
dent Dole as chief executive and this
will run until the five commis-
sioners appointed by the president,
complete a system of organization
and put it into effect.—Dispatch.

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there
is really no trick about it. Anybody
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Help Soldiers' Families.

Patriotism and humanity alike de-
mand that contributions for the work
of the National Relief Association
shall be generous and continuous. As
the war lengthens the savings accu-
mulated by the men who went to the
front in response to the President's
call are becoming exhausted and need
for systematic and liberal assistance
increases.

Most of the volunteers from Pennsylv-
vania are men whose earnings were
the chief support of the households
which they left. The public is under
an imperative obligation to see that
those dependent upon them do not
suffer in their absence. The appeal
for funds for the use of the relief or-
ganizations is not in behalf of mendic-
ants. The homes whose breadwin-
ners are serving under the flag are, in
the vast majority of instances, the
abodes of self-respecting American
citizenship. The support of their oc-
cupations, when these are incapable of
earning their own living, is not chari-
ty, but simple justice.

The soldiers' pay, even if every cent
of it is sent home, is not enough to
supply even a small family with the
comforts of life. The volunteers have
a right to expect that their aged par-
ents, their wives and their children
shall be cared for by the public whose
battles they are fighting. The National
Relief Association has under-
taken a task as patriotic and neces-
sary as service in the field. It should
be supplied with abundant funds as
long as the conflict lasts.—Bulletin.

THE discovery, by the Spanish, that
barbed fence wire is a good material
for defense in war against attack,
should take it out of the list of neces-
saries for American farmers; not
alone because it was a Spanish mach-
shift, but, because, in truth, barbed
wire is a most barbarous material to
be put to domestic uses, and is more
nearly at home in warfare than any-
where else. Let everybody resolve
that a material dangerous enough to
be used against American soldiers, is
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Expansion of Territory.

Whatever Mr. Charles J. Bonaparte
says, publicly is apt to be worthy of
attention, as he is a deep student of
politics and progress, fearless in the
expression of his ideas, which, even if
not always popularly subscribed to,
compel attention because they bear
the impress of honest conviction. In an
address, on July 4th, he referred to
the possible expansion of United
States territory, in the following
language:

"Many worthy people are now tell-
ing us that a 'war of conquest' is al-
luring to modern progress and civil-
ization, and that 'land grabbing' be-
longes to the dark ages. I will be-
lieve, yet more confidently, that
praiseworthy and progressive people
recognize not merely a 'right,' but a
duty of conquest, and that I regard
'land grabbing' as, under certain cir-
cumstances, a very salutary and
praiseworthy proceeding. Our fathers
'grabbed' the land which gives us
thirteen stripes, grabbed all of it from
red men who had roamed there for
ages, grabbed much of it from other
white men who claimed their homes
by right of prior discovery and user.
And of the vast additions made to
that already vast domain by the
successive annexations of Louisiana,
Florida, Texas, New Mexico, Cali-
fornia and finally Alaska; only that
last mentioned can be declared sin-
cerely and with confidence free from
the 'grab' element; most of them, in-
deed, were in form sales, but sales in
which the seller knew the buyer
could and would take what he wanted
for nothing if he did not get it for
what he thought a fair price.

"Thus did our fathers, and I say
they did well. They took lands given
over weeds and wild beasts and
wandering savages, even if claimed
and, in some small part, feebly held
by nations too distant or too weak
from anarchy and oppression to use
or defend them, and they made these
lands the home of a great, free, en-
lightened, prosperous people, made of
them an immense instrument of hu-
man happiness, a mighty aid to hu-
man righteousness. If we are called
to tread in their footsteps, let us re-
member what they thus did; but at
the same time let us not forget what
they obtained from the land. They
wished only for lands wherein Ameri-
can freedom might dwell; they sought
for no subjects to their government
who should not be like wise citizens of
the country; they aimed to give the
country wider borders and more chil-
dren, not to burden her with provinces
beyond her limits and step-children
of alien blood and manners. If any
one among us now longs to see Ameri-
can provinces and American garri-
sons in communities which are not,
and, according to all human foresight,
can never become American, he lib-
erately prefers a Spanish to an
American policy."

"During the hot weather last sum-
mer I had a severe attack of cholera
morbus, necessitating my leaving my
business," says Mr. C. A. Hare, of
Hare Bros., Cincinnati, Ohio. "After
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by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taney-
town, Md.

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produced one effect which was not
anticipated. It has relegated the sil-
ver issue to the rear, and it seems cer-
tain that this issue can never get to
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Big reductions in ladies' bicycle shoes. The proper thing to wear to the
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Piney Creek School House.

(For the Home Circle.)
For many and many a year
The old school house stood,
Like a sentinel grim and grey,
In the edge of the dusky wood.
The strong firm walls of stone
Gave no heed to the cold or storm,
But always retained their look,
Like the days of old or warm.

Of its age, and the days gone by,
Full many a trace it bore,
Where the scholars had carved each other's names
In the staunch old desks and door.
The sturdy oaks and hickories,
Their branches far outspread,
Like arms in benediction raised
Above its aged head.

Across its time-stained threshold,
My feet have often passed,
And on the wooden benches,
I learned life's primary tasks.
The blackboard in the corner,
And our good teacher near—
Ah, how it all appears tonight,
Like a picture bright and clear.

The large old stove in the centre aisle,
The wood pile near the door,
The two combined for winter's cheer—
I feel their warmth once more.
And the wind could blow its bluest,
And the snow-falls drift and fall,
But the merry lads and lassies,
Did never care at all.

The murmuring streamlet close by
Once more I seem to hear;
There's a rushing breeze in the wild-wood,
And the flowers are nodding near.
The mountain-tops and misty gorges,
By the grave-yard's quiet stand,
So near that I long to touch the wall
With my wand'ring childish hand.

And the old brick church, prim and silent,
Had never a changing bell,
So of our youthful staves and fancies,
It hath not the tongue to tell.
And in the grass-grown cemetery
The dead of ages sleep,
The time-stained graves and stones,
Like giants their lonely vigils keep.

Oh, there was Calvin, Albert, Lewis, and George,
Laura, Annie, Maggie, Lina, and James,
Harry, Romanus, Abbie and Dora—
How well I remember their names.
I hold dear little and Edward too—
In memory they remain,
But they've passed away from our sight
Beyond earth's cares and pain.

And where are they all now?
My footsteps too have passed—
Away from the home and the school house,
Where in childhood I worked and played.
And I feel to cry out—"Teacher!"
Ring your bell as in days of yore!
Ring it loud and long and call us back
To youthful days once more."

One of the Scholars.
July, 1898.

The Sick Soldier.

(For the Home Circle.)
The present war with Spain brings to mind my infant days, when it was my delight to hear my mother tell of her experiences with the soldiers, during the battle of Gettysburg.

She was 8 years old and was going to school, at Park Hill, to Miss Lizzie Wright, now Mrs. Spence, of Newark, N. J. On her way to school in the morning, on emerging from the woods into the road, she found it full of soldiers marching toward Uniontown. A tall, broad shouldered, officer took her by the hand, and led her to where she turned off for the school house. About 11 o'clock, Miss Wright's father, becoming alarmed for her safety, sent his son, Thornton, who is now Captain Wright, so well and favorably known on the W. M. R. R., advising her to dismiss the school and send the children home.

When she came to the road again, the soldier's had all passed by, and the wagons were on the way. She had not been afraid, up to this time, but the mules and wagons and all, frightened her badly. When she entered the woods, she came upon a sick soldier who was lying on the ground, and, seeing the dinner-pail she carried, he said, "Little girl, won't you please give me something to eat?" Without waiting for anything else, she started and ran as fast as possible, the soldier calling after her that he did not mean to hurt her.

Without waiting to unhook an eight rail gate, she clambered over it and ran for home, where she told what the soldier had said. Grandmother at once prepared something she thought would be tempting to a sick man and started for the spot, thinking how glad she would be to have some one do the same for one of her five brothers who were in the army, and I may say for her youngest brother, Peter Lewis Miller, was killed in this same fearful battle at Gettysburg.

When they reached the place, the man was gone, but where he had been was a skillet, a quart cup and a spoon which she took home with her, and the skillet does duty as a fish-pan in my grandma's kitchen to this day.

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Wooden Swearing.

"I hope, dear children," said a mother, "that you will never let your words speak profane words. But now I want to tell you of a kind of swearing I heard a good woman speak about not long ago. She called it wooden swearing."

"It's a kind of swearing that many people besides children are given to when they are angry. Instead of venting their feelings in oaths, they slam doors, kick the chairs, stamp on the floor, throw the furniture about, and make all the noise they possibly can."

"Isn't this just the same as swearing?" said the child. "It's just the same kind of feeling exactly, only they do not say those awful words, but they force the furniture to make the noise, and so I call it wooden swearing."

"I hope, dear children, that you will not do any of this kind of swearing either. It is better to let alone wooden swearing and all other kinds of swearing."

At the Outset of Married Life.

To give yourself away in true love is the beginning of true humility and usefulness. The man or maiden who opens that golden gate lives henceforth in a sweeter and better atmosphere. Do but be true to higher instincts; do but cultivate candor and simplicity and fidelity, and I have every hope for you. But let it never pass from your thoughts how much depends upon you now if you would secure not only love but respect. Every married man and woman passes through a transition after they come to know each other thoroughly, and ever after they love each other more or less. If they are patient with each other's faults and try to keep the fairest face on all things—try to make the best of all things—they will find a new bond of union in this mutual helpfulness which is the truest office of love. But if, when they find out that they are each not angels, not altogether perfect, they become indifferent and neglectful, then alas for both! Beware of this. The sum of human happiness is made up of numberless little things. It is not the great things—great presents, great occasions or great demonstrations of any kind which will make you happy, but the many nameless courtesies and surprises of affection, the neat looks and kind words and gentle ways and profound respect of true love—it is these little things which, falling drop by drop like spring showers upon the frozen earth, melt away all that is cold and hard in our natures, and make them bud and bloom with full luxuriance.—Rev. N. A. Staples.

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The Whistling Boy.

Is there a sound in the world so sweet, on a dark and dreary morn,
When the gloom without meets the gloom within, till we wish we'd not been born,
As the sound of a little barefoot boy gayly whistling in the rain?

While he drives the cows to pastures green,
Down the path in the muddy lane?
The joy of a boy is a funny thing, not dampened by autumn rain;
His clothes and his hands and his sturdy feet
Are so spoiled by grime and stain.
The world to him is a wonderful place that he means some day to explore;
If there's time to play and plenty to eat who cares if the heavens pour?

Oh, that cherry trill of a heart as fresh as the drops that clear the air,
Bringing a smile to our lips, and the soul of the gloom that brooded there;
And we bless the boy as he spats along through rivers of rain and mud,
For the hope and cheer in that whistled note would rainbow the sky in a flood.

Character in the Hair.

The hair furnishes considerable subject for study, and much more than careless observers would suppose, says a writer in the *Washington Star*. It is an investigation that can easily be made. The hair unquestionably indicates temperament and feeling, fine or coarse, and character and constitution. Black hair accompanies what is known as the bilious temperament, which gives power, endurance and strength. On the other hand, red hair, possibly, light hair indicates the exact opposite, delicacy, fineness, and the lighter tone of character. Notice a person with auburn hair, and you will discover, easily, that his susceptibilities are quick. By the same reasoning red hair marks a sanguine temperament, those who are possessed of intense feelings, or ardent, fiery or passionate natures. As the hair is curly or inclined that way, the emotional and impulsive is indicated. A perfectly straight hair tells its story to all who desire to know it, for who ever knew one with straight hair who was not of a mild and tame nature? Those who have fine, light hair, it will be noticed, while they can do almost any amount of indoor work, are not to be depended on for heavy work. Here again they are the opposite of the black-haired people, who can endure the heaviest and hardest kind of labor. Sandow, the strong man has light hair, but I don't think he would be as reliable for heavy, continued work as a black-haired man of half his strength.

Here is another thing to study. The coarser the hair the more the owner of it is marked with individuality in thought, feeling, manner and action. I do not think that any man or woman whose hair is fine can, by any possibility, ever make a great mark in public life. Fine hair may do well for the student, scientist or artist in a general way, but when you notice those who have made the greatest marks in these lines, you will discover that their hair is coarse. The same rule holds good with man and woman. The person who has coarse, brittle hair—it matters not what color, though the darker it is the more strength of character and persistence there is likely to be—has a careful mind generally, and is of a very observing nature. They also remember what they see or hear for a long time, and have, besides, the faculty of recalling what they have observed or heard. They make successful detectives. They are of special value as librarians or as searchers of titles. They are rarely inventors, though they are likely to remember more of the points involved in inventions than inventors themselves. In departmental life they are very valuable in being able to put their hands on papers which have long been filed away. They also remember accurately rulings, decisions and precedents. I have in mind several persons of this kind, two of whom are in the Pension Office, who when called upon, state almost instantly the rulings in complicated pension cases, it matters not how long a time has elapsed since the rulings were made. Another person is in the Postoffice Department, who can instantly remember any of the hundreds of rulings made in connection with the letter-carrier service.

Banana Sandwiches.

Banana sandwiches are sometimes served as a simple luncheon dessert, or for the children's table. The fruit is sliced and placed between brown slices of buttered bread. These are laid in a shallow glass or china dish, and just before serving a pint of boiled custard is poured over and around them. Another variation for the children's dessert is a wholesome substitute for the eclairs of which they are so fond. Buy at the baker's the long pointed finger rolls, and after one side has been cut down with a fork, dig out as much of the inside as possible. Have ready a little boiled custard made in the ordinary way, except with slight additional thickness gained either with a little gelatine or by stirring in a tablespoonful of flour wet in a little cold milk. This is the proper portion of a pint of custard. The custard serves as a filling for the rolls. At this season it is a pleasant variation to add a little of the strawberry juice pressed from fresh strawberries, or a very little pineapple or banana pulp may also be used to flavor the filling. Plain whipped cream or that over which a little sweet chocolate has been grated is another welcome variety. It is the pastry of the eclairs which is especially unwholesome for youthful stomachs.

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Art of making a mustard plaster. To put on a mustard plaster is not at all difficult, but to do it in the best way requires some care and skill. In the first place, remember never to give a cold mustard plaster to a patient; to a weak or sensitive person the shock is often great. Either mix it with hot water, or, better still, have a plate put where it can get warm while you are mixing. Have everything ready at hand, mustard, flour, and a spoonful of molasses, with a bit of old muslin or linen—an old handkerchief is the best thing for the purpose. Stir the mustard and flour together first, making the plaster stronger or weaker with mustard as you have been directed. Add the molasses and then water until the smooth mass is about as thick as porridge or poltice. Spread your cloth on the warm plate, using the middle portion of the linen and leaving a margin on all sides, which is to be folded back at the edges. Put a second cloth over the whole so that the mustard is entirely hid between the two covers, and keep on the plate until it is necessary to apply the plaster.

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Beauty is more than skin deep. A state of the body which results in a clear, healthy, active skin will produce likewise a good complexion. The only face beautifiers are really healthy and entirely safe and sound in principle are those which minister to the health of the body as a whole, and which secure pure blood, vigorous muscles, active liver and kidneys and a thoroughly sound state of the whole body.

Among these measures the most valuable are the warm bath, taken two or three times a week, followed by a cold shower bath, and the cold morning sponge bath, supplemented by a pure dietary and abundance of out of door exercise. Hot and cold applications applied to the face alone will produce temporary improvement in appearance, but the old blotches, pimples and other disfigurements will soon reappear unless the body as a whole is purified. It is for this temporary effect that persons who make a specialty of removing facial blemishes make such great use of steam-baths, followed by the application of cold water, followed by vigorous rubbings, is highly beneficial to the complexion. Redness of the nose may often be relieved by a hot spray applied for some little time. Pimples on the face are generally due to disordered digestion and disappear speedily when the tongue becomes clean and the digestion normal.—Selected.

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SEA BATHING.

How to Indulge in It to Produce the Maximum Benefit.

The length of time one should remain in the water depends, first, upon the temperature of the water, and, second, upon the condition of the individual. says the New York Voice. If the water is quite cold and the individual feeble, a dip lasting not more than one or two minutes will be sufficient to produce the maximum of benefit. A longer stay would prove exhausting and injurious. A person who is stronger may endure the same temperature for five or ten minutes without disadvantage, but few persons would care to remain in water at 70 degrees for longer than the time named and feeble persons may be injured by more than a hasty dip beneath the surface.

Fifteen to 20 minutes is as long as most persons can remain in the water with benefit, except perhaps on the very warmest days, when the temperature of the water approaches more nearly that of the body. The sensations experienced upon coming from the water are a very excellent guide to the duration of the bath. A feeling of well being, buoyancy and increased vigor is an indication that the bath has been beneficial. A sensation of malaise, languor or headache, prolonged shivering and weakness are evidence that the bath has been too greatly prolonged. Neglect to regulate the bath according to the temperature of the water, the temperature of the air and the patient's condition deprives a large number of people of the benefits they might otherwise derive from sea bathing.

We may also mention incidentally that a warm sea-bath is a good remedy for bathing for the benefit of health are not likely to derive very much benefit therefrom without at the same time correcting erroneous habits of diet, dress and other unhygienic practices which may be, more than any other cause, responsible for the diseased conditions from which they suffer.

How to Make Bavarian Cream. For rice Bavarian cream, scald three cups of milk in a double boiler, add a generous quarter of a tablespoonful of salt and one-fourth of a cup of rice, wash and drain. Cook till the rice is tender, but unbroken. Soak one-fourth of a box of gelatin in a little cold water and then melt by setting the dish over hot water. Strain the gelatin into the rice, using a piece of cheesecloth for the purpose. Add half a cup of sugar and cool. In the morning mix up a thick cream until stiff. Flavor the rice with vanilla and fold into it the beaten cream. Turn the mixture into a mold, chilled, and serve when thoroughly chilled, with orange or lemon jelly or with preserved fruit.

How to Make Liver Pate. One whole liver, one pound butter, one-half teaspoonful onion juice, one pound fresh mushrooms, one small can truffles, salt and pepper to taste. Boil the liver until tender, pick it to pieces and take out all the fiber. Steam the mushrooms until tender, chop them fine, and mix with the liver. Put in a chopping bowl, add the seasonings and chop very fine. Press carefully into well buttered molds and let cool. To be eaten with salad or for late supper parties. It also makes delicious filling for sandwiches. One-half the quantity makes one large mold.

How to Keep Grapes Fresh. The first requisite is that the fruit be in perfect condition. If the grapes bought in the market are to be used, they should be as fresh as possible when received. Remove any imperfect ones with a sharp pair of scissors, put a layer of cotton in a pasteboard box, then a layer of grapes, the bunches not touching each other, another layer of cotton, and so on until the box is full, with a layer of cotton on top. The cotton should be moistened with water. Pack each layer. Put on the cover, tie securely and put away in a cool, dry place. A good cellar does very well.

How to Cook Fish Rolls. To each half cupful of cooked fish (any kind) add a teaspoonful of mashed potatoes, butter size of a marble, a suspicion of mace, a dash of pepper, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of salt, unless the fish and potatoes have been previously well seasoned in cooking. Work to a paste with one beaten egg. Form into rolls three inches long with square pointed ends. Roll on a deep fat to a golden color. Serve on a dolly, with a lemon and parsley garnish.

How to Make Puree of Beans. Soak one-half pint of small white beans overnight, drain, put into a saucepan, add water to cover, and boil slowly for six hours. As water evaporates, add hot water. About an hour before time to serve, add small piece of salt pork or ham trimming, a little thyme and sweet marjoram and a half dozen cloves. When done, remove pork and rub through sieve. Thin with a little hot milk and serve with croutons.

How to Soften Cabbage. Remember that cabbage, greens and savoy to be good must be cooked in plenty of boiling water, with a tablespoonful of salt to every half gallon. Boil them with the lid off the pan and boil fast, constantly pressing them down under the water. If the water is very hard, add a very small lump of soda to the water. When the cabbage is done, when thick, should always be split in fours.

How to Clean Paint. One of the best methods of cleaning ordinary paint work is to employ whitening mixed to a paste with water. It should be rubbed on with a piece of coarse flannel and then sponged off with warm water in which a very small portion of turpentine soft soap has been dissolved. Paint which has a highly polished surface is best cleaned with furniture cream.

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How to Stuff Mussels. Take two pounds of mussels, wash and clean same, place in a saucepan over slow fire and cover tightly. When they burst open, strain a half cup of rice over them, adding a half cup of water. Cover and let steam. Take a fry pan, put in two tablespoons of butter, one of chopped onion, one red pepper and small pieces of garlic. Fry until light brown and put contents over the mussels. Add a cup of canned tomatoes. Cover tightly and let steam for half an hour. This is a delicious dish.

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