

Local and Personal.

This is meant to be a purely local news column, to which the RECORD invites contributions...

Mrs. J. G. Peters, nee Eckenrode, is here on a visit to her parents. Miss Hoffman, of Woodsboro, is visiting her uncle and aunt, on New St.

Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Motter left for Atlantic City, on Thursday, where they will spend a week or ten days. Upton Birnie, Sr., of Philadelphia, and Wm. N. Thomson, of Baltimore, are spending a short vacation here.

Republican primary election this Saturday afternoon, at Buffington's hotel, between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock. Misses Nannie Buffington, of Baltimore, and Emma Ecker of New Windsor are visiting relatives in town and vicinity.

Mr. Claudius H. Long, accompanied by his brother, Dr. G. A. Long, visited friends in Chambersburg and Waynesboro last week. G. W. Grottle, of this place, has purchased the Wantz farm on the Keysville road. We have not been informed of the price paid.

Misses Jesse and Ethel Shaw and Eldridge Waesche, of Baltimore, are visitors at G. M. Morrison's, near Bridgeport, this week. S. D. Mehring, the well known carriage maker, of Littlestown, Pa., has been nominated for the legislature by Adams county republicans.

The farm owned by Dr. Swope, on the Middleburg road, was sold this Friday morning, at public sale, to William Snyder, of Rocky Ridge, at \$38.05 per acre. Our offer of the RECORD from now till January 1st, for \$25.00 result in a flood of subscribers within the next two weeks. The offer will be repeated for the last time next week.

Miss Leahtha Baumgardner and Mr. Stine, of Ohio, have returned home after spending a week at Washington, D. C. They could not go through all the government buildings on account of the war. Taneytown seems to have special attractions for extra heavy rains this summer. Nearly all the rainfall we have had has come like cloudbursts—excessive quantities falling in a very short time.

John W. Payne, of Thurmont, died on Wednesday, of Bright's disease, aged 71 years. His wife, who was Miss Annie Eck, is well known here having been a resident of our town previous to her marriage. Apples were offered here this week, by vendors, at from \$1.20 to \$1.40 per bushel, and peaches from \$1.85 to \$2.00. Fruit roasts rather high yet, and must get off its present perch if it wants to ornament the pantry shelves of Taneytown.

We are frequently told of sales made through advertising in the RECORD, but hundreds of sales are made, through this means, which we do not hear of. A subscriber said, this week, "We read the paper through, each week—advertisements and all."

COUNTY AND STATE.

News Notes of General Interest from various Sources.

George F. Beaver, Westminister, has been appointed to a position in the custom house in place of R. C. Matthews. J. Edward Wible, of Gettysburg, one of the survivors of Co. C. Coles Cavalry, died on Monday, after a lingering illness.

Richard Manning, secretary of the Carroll County Mutual Insurance Company has paralysis of the brain and is in a critical condition. He has had several previous attacks, and, as he is about seventy-five years of age, his recovery is not expected.

The owners of property in Mt. Airy, whose places of business were recently destroyed by fire, are awaiting to have the losses adjusted by the insurance men preparatory to rebuilding. Jones & Co. will rebuild the bank building, and other new properties will be erected.

Internal Revenue Commissioner Scott has decided that a marriage license does not require a stamp under the war tax law. Neither does the required return from the person performing the ceremony, but if that person gives a certificate to the contracting party and is required by law to do so, such certificate is taxable to the extent of a 10-cent stamp.

A heavy rain storm broke over Frederick county about 4 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, during which lightning struck a tree on the farm of Wm. P. Morsell, near Yellow Springs. When the rain came up Mr. Morsell took shelter under the tree, and when the tree was struck he received a shock which rendered him unconscious for several hours. His condition is yet very serious.

Patrick J. Corbett, father of James J. Corbett, the pugilist, shot and killed his wife at an early hour Tuesday morning. He then turned the revolver upon himself and committed suicide, shooting himself through the mouth. The hypothesis is accepted by the family and by the intimate acquaintances that Mr. Corbett was laboring under the effects of temporary insanity.

In Hampstead, on Thursday, the summer kitchen of W. T. Matthews was struck by lightning and some what damaged, while several members of his family were severely stunned. The barn of George Richards, a mile from the town on the Houcksville road, was also struck and totally destroyed, with all its contents, consisting principally of unthreshed wheat. The loss is about \$800, insurance \$300.

James Kelley, an inmate of the Carroll county almshouse, at Westminister, who was afflicted with tuberculosis of the leg and whose condition was reported to the county commissioners by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary of the state board of health, was removed to the Maryland General Hospital, at Baltimore, on Wednesday. The afflicted man was in a terrible plight. The disease had not been attended to and his leg was swollen very much.

Last Monday, about noon, as Mr. Geo. Stonestier, of Littlestown, was sitting on a chair on the steps in front of his store-room, he attempted to lift up his little grand-daughter, who was playing beside him, and in some manner lost his balance, falling to the pavement, a distance of about four feet, sustaining a broken thigh. As Mr. Stonestier is 76 years of age it will be some time before his limb has healed sufficiently for him to be about.—Gettysburg Star.

FIREMEN'S PIC-NIC.

The Greatest Gathering ever held in Taneytown.

The first picnic of the Taneytown Fire Company, held on Wednesday, was successful in every particular. Notwithstanding the extreme heat, a great crowd was present—greater, it is said, than was ever held on any previous occasion—some estimating it at over 3000. As but few came by rail, except the Littlestown delegation, the streams of vehicles on the roads leading to the grove may be imagined; Baltimore Street was in a constant commotion during the whole day, up to 6 o'clock in the evening.

A thunder gust came up about 4 o'clock, which resulted in the hurried exit of a large portion of the crowd, and a decided lowering of the temperature. The first event of the day was a parade through the town. It was marshaled by Messrs Geo. E. Koutz, Franklin Bowersox and Charles A. Elliot, in the following order: reception committee and town officials, in carriages; the Carroll county band; Westminister Fire Company, 31 men, and reel; Littlestown drum corps and Littlestown Fire Company, 31 men, and reel; Taneytown band, Taneytown Fire Company and reel. On arrival at the grove, the Mayor, Dr. Geo. T. Motter introduced Dr. C. Birnie, president of the Fire Company, who delivered a brief address of welcome. Good order prevailed throughout the day, and it was the subject of general congratulation that the great crowd gradually melted away without any disorder worth mentioning.

The Westminister and Littlestown Fire Companies deserve special credit and thanks for turning out to the assistance of our baby Company, and their kindness should be amply repaid in the future, in like treatment. The former Company was exceptionally liberal, bringing with it the Carroll county band, an organization, in itself, a sufficient attraction to draw a large crowd. The Littlestown Company staid until about 9 p. m., when a special train conveyed them home, a fact which conveyed the extent of their enterprise and expense to make a good showing for our benefit.

Financially, the event was a success; the gross receipts amounting to \$436.55, and the net profit \$270.15, which includes a number of cash contributions made previous to the day. Death of John Renner. Mr. John Renner, whose illness has several times been mentioned in the RECORD, died at an early hour on Monday morning, at the advanced age of 80 years, 4 months and 7 days. Mr. Renner has been in failing health for several years and has been very ill for some months, his unusual vitality delaying death, long after it was a matter of almost momentary expectation. The deceased was one of our most highly respected citizens; quiet and unassuming, yet a good citizen, interested in public, as well as private matters, conscientiously standing for the right as he saw the right.

Like many of our older citizens, he was a retired farmer. He served as one of our town commissioners for several terms, and was, also, for a number of years, one of the council of Trinity Lutheran church. He leaves three brothers, and one sister; Emanuel, Josiah and Samuel, of Woodsboro, and Mrs. Henry Favorite, of Creagerstown. Also six children: Misses Mary and Louisa, of Taneytown, David and Samuel, and Mrs. Daniel Null, of this district, and John Renner of near Piney Creek. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, in the Lutheran church, interment being in the cemetery adjoining.

Theft and Capture. Last Friday afternoon, probably about 1 o'clock, a horse was stolen from the barn of J. W. Withrow, near Taneytown, by a colored transient giving the name of George Hill. It appears that Hill had called at the house at noon, for something to eat, and left soon afterwards. The horse was not missed until about 3 o'clock when, surmising the cause, Mr. Withrow very promptly started out to make inquiries and was soon on the track of the thief, via Middleburg, at which place he secured the co-operation of John Q. Sensesey. They then proceeded to Union Bridge and Bark Hill, enlisting the services of officer Ogle on the way, and, at the latter place, found Hill and his stolen property, both of which were taken possession of; Hill being lodged in the lock-up at Union Bridge until Saturday morning when he was taken to Westminister and lodged in jail. Hill claims to hail from the "old fields" and was somewhat under the influence of liquor, which may account, to some extent, for the theft, as he was neither shrewd or swift about getting away with the animal.

Beneficial Orders must Pay. The York Springs Comet, says: In answer to a communication to the Collector of Internal Revenue for the Ninth district of Pennsylvania, embracing Adams county, as to whether orders be drawn by the secretaries of such beneficial organizations like the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, American Mechanics, Sons of America, etc., for the payment of benefits and incidental expenses must have a two-cent stamp placed thereon like cheques, drafts, etc., Collector H. L. HERSHEY, under date of July 20th, says: "In reply to your letter of recent date I would state that all orders drawn on lodges must be stamped." This should settle the question and secretaries and treasurers of such societies should govern themselves accordingly and save trouble.

SCHAEFFER APPOINTED.

Westminister's Postmaster named on Wednesday.

Westminister, Md., Aug. 18.—News of the appointment of Milton Schaeffer, president of the school board of Carroll county, as postmaster of Westminister, was received this afternoon. The report caused considerable satisfaction among his friends and political adherents, some of whom had been looking for this result for some days past.

The contest for the postmastership of Westminister has been of long standing, and of absorbing interest to both politicians and citizens, irrespective of party. Mr. Schaeffer, who is an organization man, and close to the party leaders, was early in the field. His campaign was begun immediately after the election of President McKinley, and many persons had pledged him their support before any other candidates had announced themselves. Strong opposition, however, developed in the last few months ago, and among those arrayed against him was ex-Postmaster A. H. Huber, who had been in previous years the recognized leader of the republicans in Carroll. Jacob H. Handley, a prominent business man, was selected to oppose Mr. Schaeffer. The organization, with Attorney-General Clabaugh being at the back of it, Schaeffer, the only course of the opposition was to get the endorsement for their candidate by Congressman Baker. This they were unable to do, Schaeffer, the only course of the opposition was to get the endorsement for their candidate by Congressman Baker. This they were unable to do, Schaeffer, the only course of the opposition was to get the endorsement for their candidate by Congressman Baker.

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A large band of Apache braves were naked except for a few feathers round their necks, and feathers on their heads. The whole body was painted in the most fantastic manner; they rode on horseback, and some of them put through the mouth, with what is called a "half-hitch," and as they rode they gave the most unearthly yells, that, if you were not a brave, thinking of the possibility of these brave warriors suddenly turning on us; but, of course, they are, I suppose, all friendly and peaceable. I included in this party, as well as all our soldiers away. After the procession we went to the enclosure where they are encamped, and spent several hours going from one tent to another, talking to and watching them. A good many—the Omahas among them—talk pretty well, others say a few words, and some refuse to be interviewed. We gave several of the little ones pennies; this always brought a smile from the father and mother, and they were quite chummy with us. One of the Omahas, a brave, to whom he gave cigars, 'tho' they could not talk much "white man," as they called him, yet we could understand him pretty well.

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Church Notices. The annual Harvest Thanksgiving sermon will be preached in the Taneytown Reformed church, Sunday morning, August 23rd. A full attendance is desired. Elders Wm. and Bruce Brock, accompanied by Irwin Vandoye and J. B. Emmert, all of Juniata College, Penna., will be appointed to preach in Union Bridge, August 22nd, also Saturday and Sunday, August 23rd and 24th. Two of them go to Beaver Dam and two to Pipe Creek. Our series of meetings by J. Kurtz Miller here, Tuesday evening 23rd, inst. All are welcome. E. W. STONER. As I will be absent from home attending Mt. Zion Camp there will be no preaching, next Sabbath, in the Taneytown or Union B. churches. J. O. CLIFFORD, Pastor.

DIED. Obtinaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published free of charge. REKKNER.—On August 15th, '98, in Taneytown, Md. John Renner, aged 80 years, 4 months and 7 days. Dearest father thou hast left us, We're lost most deeply feet; But 'tis God who hath bereft us; He can all our sorrows heal. But again we hope to meet thee, When the day of life has fled, There in Heaven to greet thee, Where no farewell tear is shed.

AN INDIAN CONGRESS.

An Interesting Feature of the Omaha Exposition.

The following very entertaining letter was received by a Taneytown lady from a relative in Omaha, and very kindly given to us for publication. The subject is one of much interest to eastern people, many of whom have never seen a "really" Indian, and know but little of their habits and peculiarities, so graphically described by this writer. We hope to be able to present to our readers an account of the proposed "second visit" mentioned at the close.—Ed.

"Thursday was a special day for the Indian Congress, and we went out to the Exposition grounds after an early dinner, in a line, to see the parade, and staid till quite late in the evening. I have never been more interested in my life, and am sure that the sight is one that will not often be seen again. Before the Congress is over, representatives from every tribe in the country are expected; of course they will be coming and going. On Thursday thirteen tribes were represented, and very well, too, as there were perhaps eight hundred or a thousand Indians there counting the squaws and children. They were turned out in full force, anxious to see the fun, and enjoy this picnic the government is giving them.

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Western Maryland Fatalities. A collision occurred on Sunday afternoon, six miles north of Emory Grove on the Hanover branch of the W. M. R. R., which resulted in the death of engineer Reed of an extra freight which ran into a Sunday evening passenger train. Reed was one of the most reliable engineers on the road but forgot the passenger train which runs only on Sunday. William E. Shaw, of Taneytown district, this county, engineer on the passenger train, was first reported killed but was only slightly injured. Both engines were badly used up.

Mrs. Eliza Naylor, aged about ninety-four years, was instantly killed on the Western Maryland Railroad, near Sabillasville, on Saturday afternoon by a passenger train from Hagerstown to Baltimore. She was crossing the railroad to go to the orchard for fruit, when engine 35, Engineer Harry Eckhart, struck her. The pilot hit her with such force that her head was severed from her body, which was thrown a distance of twenty feet. Several young people in the orchard watched her of the danger, but she did not see the approaching train.

Correspondence.

Copperville.

On Saturday last, Mrs. John Baird, Jr., of this place was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. William Hawn, of Uniontown, who is critically ill with typhoid fever; at the same time her little child was so ill that Mr. Baird was not able to accompany her; but had to get someone else to take her.

The Copperville store is rented to Mr. Shopland, of Johnsview. Judging from the number of persons that applied for the place, and who were willing to come at once, there must be quite a great many who are not making enough out of their business to justify them to continue at the places which they now occupy.

This store for rent was advertised in the RECORD.—Ed. Mr. and Mrs. Upton Birnie, of Philadelphia, and the Misses Galt's of Taneytown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Galt of this place, on Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. John McFadden, of Frederick City, are on a visit to Trevanion this week. Mr. H. T. Wantz is moving his goods slowly to his new place of business, but will not take his final departure until the first of October, at which time his successor will take possession.

The Otter Dale Sabbath school will receive their treat on the afternoon of the third of September; there will be several addresses, if speakers can be secured. The exercises will be continued in the evening, and will take the form of a festival. Ice cream, confectioneries, etc., will be sold for the benefit of the school. Charles, son of Samuel Fleckinger, who pierced his foot about harvest, and suffered so severely from the wound, has had several pieces of bone come from his foot of late, and will perhaps be permanently injured.

During the thunder storm of Wednesday evening, several telephone poles between Copperville and Trevanion were badly shattered. A number of persons in this vicinity are talking of taking advantage of the excursion to Pen-Mar on August 29th. We now have about 40 names of persons on our list, who propose to attend the round up institute meeting at College Park. The most of them will also visit the agricultural department at Washington. Our party will divide, some going to Westminister and some to Union Bridge to start, and will go on the 6.37 train from the latter place, and 7.02 from the former, on the morning of August 24th. This will give us about two hours in Baltimore. The opening exercises will not commence at the college before 2 o'clock p. m.

Double Pipe Creek. On last Saturday, the German Baptist Brethren held their Harvest meeting, at Rocky Ridge, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and Quarterly meeting was held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock. Elder T. J. Kolb was ordained assistant Bishop of the Monocacy church. Elders Wm. Franklin, of Sam's Creek, and Edward A. Brunner, of Frederick, were present, and conducted the services. Love-feast was appointed to take place, October 27th, at 1 o'clock, p. m. On Sunday Children's meeting was conducted by Elders E. H. Brunner and Charles D. Bousack, of Meadow Branch, and Dr. Lee Royce, of Linwood.

Mrs. Mary Pietsch and her daughter Mrs. Elizabeth Irving of Baltimore, are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Martha Foreman, and her three children, who were visiting Mrs. Foreman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Dotterer, returned to their home on Tuesday, after spending a month with friends here; their health is much improved. On Wednesday night, we had more showers of the drenching character, with a return of warm temperature. Vegetation that had become dormant through the drought is now budding, and the gardener exclaims "Oh, how the weeds are growing!"

Miss Edith Newcomer is stopping again at Samuel Weybright's, on her return from visiting friends at Baltimore, and Roanoke, Va. On last Wednesday and Thursday evening Elders Bruce and Will Brock, and Messrs Jesse Emwott and Ira Van Dike, four students of Juniata College, Huntingdon, Pa., talked on the Missionary and Temperance work, in the German Baptist church, in Double Pipe Creek. The attendance was small on Wednesday evening, on account of the inclemency of the weather. Their talks were very much appreciated, and we feel sure their singing was an inspiration to all.

Linwood. The guests at "Linwood Shade", Mrs. E. L. Shriner's summer resort, will give an entertainment on next Thursday evening the 25th, for the benefit of Linwood Sabbath school's new hall, now in course of erection. Quite a fine program is being arranged for the occasion. Recitations, tableaux, etc., will be interspersed by vocal and instrumental music. Admission will rise at 8 p. m. Admission to the lawn, 10 cents; no half fares. Everybody is invited and a special invitation to the editor of the RECORD. If rainy on Thursday night, the following Friday night will be named.

Union Bridge.

Harney.

An Echo meeting from the Nashville Christian Endeavor Convention was held in the Lutheran church on Tuesday evening. Those who reported were Rev. D. Frank Garland, Mr. George H. Birnie, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Little. The meeting was much enjoyed by all; as it has been spoken of so frequently in the paper before, I do not think it necessary to give a description of the different talks. Mr. W. O. Hiltabide and daughter, Miss Helen, of Hagerstown, were in Tuesday evening, and had the pleasure of meeting Rev. Garland, a former pastor and warm personal friend of Mr. H.

An infant child of Mr. Wilger died last Monday night, and was buried from the Reformed church, Thursday morning. Mrs. W. H. Ogle is still confined to her bed. The drouth is broken, and plenty of rain is the order of the day now. A severe thunderstorm passed over our section last night. It is reported that Cora, daughter of Peter Graham, has attempted suicide on account of domestic troubles.

Bark Hill. Dr. E. O. Manakee, of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days with Mr. J. D. Myers and family, at Park Dale. Mr. Edward Engler has accepted—and is already gone—a position with an express company in Baltimore. The colored woods-meeting was held each evening this week, and will be continued over another Sunday. The Sunday school folks expect to have a very enjoyable pic-nic on Saturday (to-day) in Mr. Joseph Hanes' grove, at the west end of the village. The Linwood band will enliven the occasion by their fine music.

A slight accident occurred last Sunday afternoon, along the road near the woods-meeting. A youngster who is very recently out of knickerbockers and assumes to be smart, drove over Mr. David G. Ogle, of Union Bridge, rolling his clothes and bruising his arm and back. The rube tad and his two male companions drove off laughing laughingly, without stopping one moment to make any inquiries, or apologies for their reckless conduct. Preparations go steadily on at Scraggy Maples, and a very pleasant time is anticipated next Saturday evening, the 27th, at the Schley lawn fete and bazar.

Uniontown. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glanvale and Mrs. Fleming, of Baltimore, spent several days the first of the week with Mr. Lewis Selby's family. Sabbath night Mrs. Glanvale addressed the congregation at the Bethel on the subject, "We would see Jesus." Mrs. R. J. Mathias and son Mark, spent Sunday with friends in Gettysburg. Miss Mabel Mathias is spending the week with friends there. Mr. Harry Billmyer, of Baltimore, spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity. Mrs. Clotworthy Rodkey and daughter Ruly, are spending the week in Emmitsburg. Miss Mary Fowler, of New York, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Lee Erb, left on Saturday.

Mr. Charles B. Hollenberry, of Braddock, Pa., is visiting his brother, Mr. Johnson Hollenberry's family, both Mr. and Mrs. H. were former residents of this county. Mrs. E. O. Manakee, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Frank Darby, of Williamsport, Md., are guests of Dr. J. J. Weaver's family. Mr. Scott Roop, of Westminister, spent Wednesday in town, as the guest of Miss Alice Gilbert. The trustees of Lorene Academy had a new roof put on this week. There was a surprise party on Tuesday evening at Mr. Nevin Hiteshe's, in honor of Miss Lulu Eckard, of Baltimore, who is visiting there. Those present were Misses May Routson, Nellie Haines, Minnie Mathias, Lulu Eckard, Isabelle and Nellie Weaver, Beatrice Hiteshe, Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Hiteshe, Masters Carroll Weaver, Harry Routson, Tom Cover, Will Smith and Howard Hiteshe. Refreshments, consisting of cake, candy and lemonade, were served.

Mrs. Weigand, of Westminister, was a guest at the M. P. parsonage, on Wednesday. Mrs. L. E. Brubaker, "Squire Kolb and Miss Fannie Sloaner, are on the sick list. Mrs. J. C. Byron, of Williamsport, Md., who is summing at Mr. T. H. Routson's, received a letter from Porto Rico stating that her husband, Lieut. Joseph Cook Byron, of the 8th U. S. Cavalry, was wounded in the foot in an engagement near Hormigueros, Porto Rico, on August 11th. Mrs. Byron is a daughter of Rev. Dr. David Wilson, well known here. Miss Myrtle Steinheiser, of Columbia, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. Jerry J. Garner, several days this week. Mrs. James B. Nixon and daughter Elizabeth, of St. Louis, Mo., are spending a few days in Westminister with Mr. Scott Roop's family.

Miss Margaret Cover, who has been visiting in Virginia, for the past two months, returned home to-day. The Lutheran and M. P. Sunday School pic-nic will be held this Saturday, in E. G. Gilbert's grove, at the east end of town. On Thursday the following persons went to Monocacy on a fishing excursion: Elder S. B. Craft and family; Messrs J. W. Rodkey, Obadiah Fleagle, G. W. Sloaner and their families; of this place; Levi D. Reid and wife of Taneytown, and Samuel Hiltabride and family, of Mayberry.

For the purpose of introducing the RECORD to new subscribers, from now until January 1st, for only 25c, or five subscriptions, received, one time, by different persons, for \$1.00. Tell your friends. Program Farmers Institute. The following is a condensed program for the "round up" Farmers Institute, to be held at College Park, next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: Wednesday morning; Welcome, by Governor Lowndes. "Our agricultural colleges as factors in agricultural development" by Capt. R. W. Silvester. Inspection of College premises, including all departments. Evening lecture, "Our roads," assisted by stereopticon. Thursday, morning; address by Hon. Jas. Wilson, Sec'y Agriculture; "Farmers and state," by Prof. R. H. Alvey; "Cultivation of the soil," by Prof. Tallafier; "Fruit industry of Maryland," by Prof. J. S. Robinson; "Inside working of Agricultural Department, Washington," by Geo. W. Hill; Farmers institute, for 1898—99 by director, W. L. Amoss. Evening, miscellaneous entertainment. Friday, morning; train from college to Washington; call on Secretary of Agriculture, and inspection of department of agriculture. In addition to the above, there will be free music and tables, and many little side arrangements for the pleasure of the visitors, not mentioned. All farmers who possibly can, should take this outing, particularly as the cost will be comparatively slight.

Special Offer.

Orphans' Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, Aug. 15th, 1898.—Mary A. Bloom, administratrix of Adam W. Bloom, returned additional inventory of personal property and received order to set stock. Last will and testament of Joshua Stansbury, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted unto Joshua Albert Stansbury and H. Oliver Stonestier. John T. and Charles A. Reaver, administrators of Margaret Reaver, returned inventories of personal property, money, and list of debts, and received orders to sell personal property and to notify creditors. Cardiff T. Hollingsworth, executor of Sarah C. Hollingsworth, returned inventory of money and list of debts. Adam M. Miller, administrator of William H. Miller, settled second and final account.

TUESDAY, Aug. 16th, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 17th, 1898.—Mary A. Bloom, administratrix of Adam W. Bloom, returned additional inventory of personal property and received order to set stock. Last will and testament of Joshua Stansbury, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted unto Joshua Albert Stansbury and H. Oliver Stonestier. John T. and Charles A. Reaver, administrators of Margaret Reaver, returned inventories of personal property, money, and list of debts, and received orders to sell personal property and to notify creditors. Cardiff T. Hollingsworth, executor of Sarah C. Hollingsworth, returned inventory of money and list of debts. Adam M. Miller, administrator of William H. Miller, settled second and final account.

THURSDAY, Aug. 18th, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

FRIDAY, Aug. 19th, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

SATURDAY, Aug. 20th, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

SUNDAY, Aug. 21st, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

MONDAY, Aug. 22nd, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

TUESDAY, Aug. 23rd, 1898.—Lewis Formwalt, executor of Sarah A. Formwalt, reported sales of personal property and sale of real estate. Alice I. Wagner and Frank H. Wagner, executors of William T. Wagner, returned inventory of personal property and received order to notify creditors. Mary M. Case, executrix of Harry A. Case, returned inventory of personal property and list of debts. Mariana Flynn bonded as guardian of Edward J. Flynn and Mary Ella Wells, infant children of Edward D. Wells, deceased.

would be. Volunteers and regulars are Americans all. Perhaps the Spanish war will help to bring about a more sensible way of looking at this matter. It ought to be clear to any intelligent student of history that the danger to the republic will not be from a tyrant like Napoleon, or any other European usurper of power. Such a tyranny is impossible. The only danger inherent in our form of government is from an ignorant and unintelligent voting population, not for a military usurper. - Toledo Blade.

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A PROCLAMATION. By President McKinley, Delaware Peace.

Whereas, By a protocol, concluded and signed August 12, 1898, by Wm. R. Day, secretary of state of the United States, and his excellency, Jules Cambon, ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary of the republic of France at Washington, respectively representing for this purpose the government of the United States and the government of Spain, the United States and Spain have formally agreed upon the terms on which negotiations for the establishment of peace between the two countries shall be undertaken; and

Whereas, It is in said protocol agreed that upon its conclusion and signature hostilities between the two countries shall be suspended, and that notice to that effect shall be given as soon as possible by each government to the commanders of its military and naval forces.

Now, therefore, I William McKinley, president of the United States, do, in accordance with the stipulations of the protocol, declare and proclaim on the part of the United States a suspension of hostilities, and do hereby command that orders immediately given through the proper channels to the commanders of the military and naval forces of the United States to abstain from all acts inconsistent with this proclamation.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, this 12th day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and of the independence of the United States, the one hundred and twenty-third.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY, By the President. WM. J. DAY, Sec. of State. A copy of the proclamation was cable to the American army and navy commanders. Spain will cable her commanders like instructions.

Secretary Day prepared for publication the following statement of the peace terms: "1. That Spain will relinquish all claim of sovereignty over and title to Cuba.

"2. That Porto Rico and other Spanish islands in the West Indies and an island in the Ladrone, to be selected by the United States, shall be ceded to the latter.

"3. That the United States will occupy and hold the city, bay and harbor of Manila, pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace which shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines.

"4. That Cuba, Porto Rico and other Spanish islands in the West Indies shall be immediately evacuated, and that commissioners, to be appointed within ten days, shall within 30 days from the signing of the protocol meet at Havana and San Juan, respectively, to arrange and execute the details of the evacuation.

"5. That the United States and Spain shall each appoint not more than five commissioners to negotiate and conclude a treaty of peace. The commissioners are to meet at Paris not later than the 1st of October.

admiral was not exempt from the hope that Spanish vessels with rich cargoes would come his way. Then the bounty law promoted a desire on the part of each enterprising American seaman to destroy rather than capture a vessel of the enemy. The men who destroyed Cervera's fleet will be a great deal richer for having demolished the four first-class armored cruisers on July 3, but if they could have been captured instead of being destroyed the government of the United States would have been richer by four vessels, worth about \$20,000,000, as the bills of the United States run, as additions to the navy.

As it is, the government may get one of the ships, but it will be required to pay about \$20,000,000 in bounty money to Admiral Sampson and his men because Schley and some others destroyed the cruisers and the torpedo-boat destroyers. With the army there is no opportunity to win prize money. They are not encouraged by offers of prize money to destroy the property of enemies. If property is destroyed it is upon the ground of military necessity alone. The argument will be that the discrimination in favor of the navy is unfair, and that it tends to brutalize that service. The principle that war is made against the nation and not against the men and women in it, once adopted by the public, the idea of prize money becomes at once distasteful to the thoughtful mind. - New York Times.

Free Pills. Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, and by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by R. S. McKinley, Druggist.

America's Material for Soldiers. The average young American has grown up with a habit of thinking and acting for himself, and when he goes a-soldiering he is capable of throwing as much personal zeal into charges like those at Santiago as the men of his country and all he held dear depended upon his personal exploits. The well-drilled troops of European countries are formidable enough, certainly. But there are resources of intense personality in such men, as for instance, the members of Col. Theodore Roosevelt's regiment of "Rough Riders," that count, in a crisis, for a great deal more than the passive mechanical excellences of the trained soldiery of the military powers. It is not boasting, but the sober truth, to say that no other nation possesses in the great mass of its population any such large percentage of fighting material. Great Britain has, in her young men of the higher classes, as brave and capable an element as can be found in the world. But her farm laborers are no more to be compared with the sons of American farmers than with an Australian football team. Nor are the young men of her industrial centers—Manchester, Sheffield, and the rest—in any manner equal to the young men of American towns in physical development or in personal initiative and adaptability. There is something, of course, in the life of young countries that develops individual force; and the qualities which give superiority to American soldiers would be found in like manner, undoubtedly, in Canada or Australia if the young men of those freedom-loving lands were engaged in a foreign war. - From "The Progress of the World," in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for August.

It is also said that Spain, under certain circumstances, agrees to recognize a Cuban republic.

The actual evacuation of the Spanish islands in the West Indies will not begin for 30 days. The protocol agrees that commissioners to arrange the terms of the evacuation shall be appointed by each government within ten days and that they shall meet at San Juan, Porto Rico, and at Havana within 30 days. In the meantime, the Spanish forces retain possession of these two cities and the Spanish administration of affairs continue in force. But the blockade of Havana is to be lifted at once, the port will be thrown open to the commerce of the world and the supplies so greatly needed in the city will be freely admitted.

We have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home for many years and bear cheerful testimony to its value as a medicine which should be in every family. In coughs and colds we have found it to be efficacious and in croup and whooping cough in children we deem it indispensable. - H. P. RITTER, 4127 Fairfax ave., St. Louis, Mo. For sale by R. S. McKinley, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

To Abolish Prize Money. There is every probability that during the next congress a bill will be pushed for passage to abolish prize money for the navy. This will, of course, include bounty money. To the officers and men of the navy prize getting has made every ship and man eager to come up with a Spanish vessel, the richer the ship in value the greater the zeal with which she was pursued and taken under the flag to be sold as a prize. As the commanding officer of the fleet to which the captured vessel was attached was a participant in the prize money, the

THE BLACK PILL. These pills are used with advantage in Disordered, Sluggish Liver, after imprudent and full meals, rich indigestible food and the dissipation of high life. They are without taste, mild in operation, effective and are not followed by an after Sick Stomach. Coated Pills are easily swallowed if placed under the tongue, behind the teeth, when the stomach is acid. One or two pills at bedtime if the bowels do not respond as expected. For PLEASANTLY - One or two pills after meals, when the stomach is acid. One or two pills at bedtime if the bowels have not been moved during the day. For MILITARY - One or two pills at bedtime when the bowels have not been moved during the day. For HEADACHE - One or two pills after meals, when the stomach is acid. One or two pills at bedtime if the bowels have not been moved during the day. AS A PURGATIVE - The dose is from two to four to be repeated once in four hours, until the desired effect is produced. Cut these directions out and preserve them. These Pills are manufactured by the Black Pill Co., Gettysburg, Pa., and are sold at 25c per box, 5 boxes 1.25, 10 boxes 2.00 and by the Retail Dealers. For particulars apply to McKelip, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

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The Celebrated Richards Stamping Pad cut to 25c. REMNANT TABLE On our Remnant Table will be found ends of Calicoes, Gingham, Shirtings, White and Worsteds Goods, at prices that speak for themselves. OXFORDS. We make the first cut in OXFORDS. Oxfords that were \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 in black and tan, reduced to the small sum of \$1.25. These are hand-made goods. Oxfords in black, tan and patent leather, that sold for \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, reduced to 75c, a price that is within reach of all. Oxfords that sold for 65c, 75c and 90c, reduced to 50c. Big reductions in ladies' bicycle shoes. The proper thing to wear to the races; were \$2.50. During this sale \$1.50. Gentlemen's Bicycle shoes - Prize Winners - in black, tan, and light lead color with elk skin soles; were \$3.50 and \$3.50. During this sale we offer them for \$1.50.

SHIRTS! SHIRTS! SHIRTS! A line of Shirts that sold for \$1.00 and \$1.00, reduced to 50c. Line of 50c Shirts reduced to 30c.

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Until further notice, I hereby inform the public that I may be found at the Crapster residence, on Middle St., Taneytown, ready to manufacture

Monuments, Tombstones, and all kinds of Cemetery Work. I desire to be favored with orders, from those in need of Cemetery work at this time, or in the future. All work entrusted to my care after August 1st, will be promptly and satisfactorily attended to; content to abide by my record in the past.

Respectfully, B. O. SLONAKER.

Milton Academy, TANEYTON, MD. will reopen SEPTEMBER 12th., 1898.

On account of the absence of the principal after August 23rd, all applications should be made before that date.

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Bread Raiser, 49c. A most useful article, footed, oval cover, and perforated to prevent running over. Regular price 75c; this month, 49c.

Porcelain Dinner Plates, 5c. Less than price usually asked for common C. ware. Not enough to "go round" at this price.

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PRIVATE SALE! The undersigned, executors of the estate of David H. Bowers, deceased, offer at private sale that valuable farm of which the said David H. Bowers died possessed, containing 111 ACRES AND 30 PERCHES of land, more or less, situate in Taneytown district, Carroll county, Md., on the public road leading from Walnut Grove school house to the Pennsylvania line, adjoining the lands of William Weaver, Franklin Biehl, Edward Spangler and others, and is now in the occupancy of William H. Bowers. About 10 or 12 acres is good woodland. The improvements consist of a good TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE, Summer House, a frame Bank Barn about 40x75, and other necessary out-buildings. This property is convenient to churches, stores and schools, is in a good state of cultivation, having been limed during the past six years, and contains an orchard of fruit trees in good bearing condition. A well of excellent water adjoins the house and there are conveniently located on the farm two never failing springs. Allowance is made for the purchase of the farm.

TERMS OF SALE - One-third cash on day of sale, or ratification thereof by the Orphan's Court, and the balance in two equal payments bearing interest from day of sale, and secured to the satisfaction of the executor, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

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SUSANNAH STERNER, Aug 6-4t

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JOHN E. E. HESS, HOWARD L. HESS, Administrators. Aug 6-4t

PRIVATE SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY. The heirs of the estate of the late H. D. Mehling offer at Private Sale the property in Taneytown, known as the Peter Smith property, fronting both on New Street and the Railroad in Taneytown, Md. This desirable lot is improved by two dwellings, one on each end of the lot, with necessary outbuildings in center of lot. The one on New Street is a handsome new frame dwelling, first class in every respect, a very desirable home; now occupied by Joseph O. Eckard. The one fronting the railroad is a double frame dwelling, also nearly new, conveniently located, now occupied by Charles G. Brown. These properties will be sold together, or singly, and are very desirable, either for residence or investment.

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# HOME CIRCLE

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## Family Financier.

"They tell me you work for a dollar a day. How is it you clothe your six boys so cheaply?"

"I know you will think it concealed and queer, but I do it because of a good financier."

"There's Pete, John, Jim and Joe and William and Ned. A half-dozen boys to be clothed and fed."

"And I buy for them all good, plain viaticals to eat."

"But clothing—I only buy clothing for Pete."

"When Pete's clothes are too small for him to get on."

"My wife makes 'em over and gives 'em to John."

"When for John, who is ten, they have grown out of date."

"She just makes 'em over for Jim, who is eight."

"When for Jim they've become too ragged to fix."

"She just makes 'em over for Joe, who is six."

"And when little Joseph can wear 'em no more."

"She just makes 'em over for Bill, who is four."

"And when for your Bill they no longer will do."

"She just makes 'em over for Ned, who is two."

"So you see I get enough clothing for Pete. The family is furnished with clothing complete."

"But when Ned has gone through with the clothing, and when he has thrown it aside—what do you do with it then?"

"Why, once more we go round the circle complete, and begin to use it for patches for Pete."

## Church Collection.

Russia is the only country in the world without its Christian Endeavor society.

There is a brewery in Jerusalem. In Nazareth alone there are reported 33 licensed drinking places.

There are 4,000 friends in the city of Philadelphia, and in the state of Pennsylvania no fewer than 30,000.

The endowment of the General Theological Seminary of the Protestant Episcopal church now amounts to \$1,268,000.

Of the 183 churches in Detroit, 30 are Roman catholics, 28 are Methodists, 23 Lutheran, 24 Episcopalian, 17 Baptist, 15 Presbyterian, 10 Evangelical, 8 Congregational.

The total enrollment of the worldwide Christian Endeavor is 54,101 societies, with an individual membership of more than three and one-quarter millions.

At one of the camps, a soldier of the Third Wisconsin regiment awoke his chaplain about 2 o'clock in the morning and said he wanted to be a Christian—insisting upon being baptized at once, which was done.

## Why Latin is used by Physicians.

"I don't see," said the man who was leaning against the drug-store counter, "why a doctor can't write his prescription in English, instead of Latin."

The druggist said, "You think, I suppose, that the doctor writes his prescription in Latin so it can't be read so easily—so the layman can't steal his trade and learn what he is giving him. But that's all wrong. In the first place, Latin is a more exact and concise language than English, and, being a dead language, does not change, as the living languages do."

"Then, again, since a very large part of all the drugs in use are botanical, they have in the pharmacopoeia the same names that they have in botany—the scientific names. Two-thirds of such drugs haven't any English names, and so couldn't be written in English."

"But suppose a doctor did write a prescription in English for an uneducated patient. The patient reads it, thinks he remembers it, and so tries to get it filled from memory the second time. Suppose, for instance, he calls for iodide of potassium and he gets it confused with cyanide of potassium. He could safely take ten grains of the first, but one grain of the second would kill him as dead as a mackerel. That's an exaggerated case, but it will serve for an illustration. Don't you see how the Latin is a protection and a safeguard to the patient? Prescriptions in Latin he can't read, and consequently doesn't try to remember."

"Now for a final reason. Latin is a language that is used by scientific men the world over, and no other language is. You can get Latin prescriptions filled in any country on the face of the earth where there is a drug-store. We had a prescription come in here the other day which had been put up originally, and which had since been stamped by druggists in London, Paris, Berlin, Constantinople, Cairo and Calcutta. What good would an English prescription be in St. Petersburg?"—*New York Herald.*

## Enormous Pendulums.

The only structures in Japan which seem to be earthquake proof are the pagodas, which are erected before the temples. There are many which are seven or eight hundred years old and as solid as when first built. There is a reason for this, and it lies in their construction. A pagoda is practically a framework of heavy timbers which starts from a wide base, and is rendered still more stable by a peculiar device. Inside the framework and suspended from the apex is a long, heavy beam of timber two feet thick or more. This hangs from one end, and to the other end are bolted, at each of the four sides, four more heavy timbers, and if the pagoda be very lofty, still more timbers are added to these. The whole forms an enormous pendulum which reaches within six inches of the ground.

## When the shock of an earthquake rocks the pagoda, the pendulum swings in unison and keeps the center of gravity always at the base of the framework. Consequently the equilibrium of the pagoda is never disturbed, and this is the explanation of the great safety of many of them, when from their height, one would suppose them to be peculiarly susceptible to the effects of an earthquake.

## Suggestions to Housekeepers.

A delicious sandwich for those fond of olives is prepared by chopping the olives and spreading them thinly on buttered bread. They may be mixed with a salad dressing if preferred.

When you cannot think of anything else for dessert try griddle cakes with a few berries—huckleberries are particularly good—stirred into the batter.

Change of food is as necessary as change of air. The change of diet when we go off for vacation, even if our food is not as good as we get at home, does us good—as much good, perhaps, as the change of scene and air. But we can vary our menus, if we cannot get away from home.

If dishes become discolored from fruit or tea stains, take a little fine ashes on a cloth and rub off. See to it that there is not a stain of dust and dishwater where the handle joins the cup.

If you want nice canned fruit use as little water as possible in putting it up. Either put the fruit and sugar together over night and cook in the syrup next morning, or mash a little on the bottom of the kettle and let heat up very slowly till there is juice enough to cook more. Grapes, currants, huckleberries, are thus started; strawberries and raspberries may be put with the sugar.

## Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle.

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## Two Pounds of Beefsteak.

I purchased two and one-half pounds of steak the other morning, for which I paid twenty-five cents. I carefully removed the suet and made from it a pudding after this recipe: One cup of molasses, one cup of sweet milk; one cup of suet, chopped fine, two-thirds cup of raisins, one-half cup currants, two and one-half cups flour and one-half teaspoonful soda. Mix well; salt and spice to taste. Steam two hours. This was served with hard sauce.

A trifle over half the steak was sufficient for our family of four for dinner that day, and as we have no ice, I spread the remainder liberally with butter and placed it on a plate on the cellar floor. The next day it was treated in this manner:

The meat was chopped fine and to it was added one tablespoonful salt, one teaspoonful pepper, one cup milk, two tablespoonfuls melted butter, one large cup rolled crackers and one egg. This was steamed two hours and baked till brown. It was then sliced on a platter and over it poured a dressing made as follows:

One level teaspoonful four stirred into one teaspoonful melted butter, and added to a scant half cup of boiling milk. Salt and pepper to taste. The whole was garnished with parsley and made a very attractive dish, not only to the palate but to the eye.

I was a little afraid there might not be enough for there were five of us at this meal, but my fears were groundless, in spite of the fact that everybody took two helpings.

The pudding left from yesterday was steamed again and served, this time with lemon sauce.

Meat and dessert enough for two dinners and everybody satisfied—all for twenty-five cents! Was this what you meant, Beatrix, when you asked us to tell about our little economies?

## A Wise Mother.

"Perhaps one of the best rules ever laid down for universal good behavior is, 'When in Rome do as the Romans do.'"

It was a gray-haired woman who uttered the sentence. Her young daughter looked up quickly.

"But, mamma, suppose I don't want to do as the Romans do?"

"Then, my dear, don't go to Rome!"

It was during one summer my good fortune to have as fellow-boarder at a farm-house a college boy, who, having studied too hard all winter, had been sent to the country to recuperate. He completely won the hearts of his kind host and hostess by the manner in which he adapted himself to his simple surroundings. I, who had known the manner of his life in his own home, watched him with admiration as, at the hot noonday dinners and early country "tees" he listened with apparent interest to the farmer's talk of crops, stock and poultry. In short, he was a gentleman, and proved it. Had it been impossible for him to make himself one with his environment, he would have gone away sooner than would those who entertained him to the best of their ability.

The mother I have quoted was wise. If one cannot behave with ordinary courtesy amid certain surroundings, he should avoid those surroundings. If forced into them, he should be too well bred to destroy the comfort of others for the sake of humoring a personal whim. He may inwardly determine never to be caught in Rome again but while he is there his actions should be in accordance with those of the Romans. The man of thorough breeding is the one who adapts himself to his surroundings, whatever they chance to be. Among social lessons few should be more thoroughly taught than this one, important as it is to all.—*Harpers' Bazar.*

## SIX USES FOR LEMONS.

Illustrations of the Great Value of the Yellow Fruit.

No family should be without lemons. Their uses are almost too many for enumeration.

The juice of a lemon, taken in hot water on awakening in the morning, is an excellent liver corrective, and for stout women is better than any anti-fat medicine ever invented.

Glycerine and lemon juice, half and half, on a bit of absorbent cotton is the best thing in the world wherever to moisten the lips and tongue of a fever-parched patient.

A dash of lemon juice in plain water is an excellent tooth wash. It not only removes tartar, but sweetens the breath.

A teaspoonful of the juice in a small cup of black coffee will almost certainly relieve a bilious headache.

The finest of manure acids is made by putting a teaspoonful of lemon juice in a cupful of warm water. This removes most stains from the fingers and nails, and loosens the cuticle more satisfactorily than can be done by the use of a sharp instrument.

Lemon juice and salt will remove rust stains from linen without injury to the fabric. Wet the stains with the mixture and put the article in the sun. Two or three applications may be necessary if the stain is of long standing, but the remedy never fails.—*Chicago Herald.*

## The Best Remedy for Flux.

Mr. J. M. Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Pulaski, Ky., says: "After suffering for over a week with flux, and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me." For sale by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

## Divorces in Different Countries.

In Australia divorces have never been sanctioned.

Divorces are scarcely ever known to occur in modern Greece.

In Hindostan either party for a slight cause may leave the other party and marry.

In the olden times the Jews had a discretionary power of divorcing their wives.

Divorces are scarcely allowed in Thibet, unless with the consent of both parties. Remarriage is forbidden.

In Cochinchina the parties desiring divorces break a pair of chopsticks in the presence of witnesses, and the thing is done.

Two kinds of divorces are granted in Circassia. By the first the parties can immediately marry again, by the second not for a year.

Among some tribes of American Indians the sticks given witnesses of the marriage are broken as a sign of divorce.

If the wife of a Turkoman asks his permission to go out, and he says "Go," without adding "Come back again," they are divorced.

In Siberia if a man is dissatisfied with the most trifling acts of his wife he tears a cap or veil from her face and that constitutes a divorce.

In Spain the first wife may be divorced, but not sold as the others may be. She may claim the first child. The others belong to the husband.

Among the Moors, if the wife does not become the mother of a boy, she may be divorced with the consent of the tribe and can marry again.

In the Arctic region a man who wants a divorce leaves home in anger and does not return for several days. The wife takes the hint and departs.

In China divorces are allowed in all cases of criminality, mutual dislike, jealousy, incompatibility of temperment, or too much loquacity on the part of the wife.

Among the Tartars if the wife is ill-treated she complains to the magistrate, who, attended by the principal people, accompanies her to the house and pronounces a divorce.

## The Rev. W. B. Costly, of Stockbridge, Va., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by R. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

## GATLING'S GRIT.

The Famous Inventor Passed Through Many Hardships to Final Success.

In spite of a trade with an unhappy name there is a kind of humane second thought in the ingenuity of the death-inventor. He may invent something so terrible as to make war insupportable. This view lends an interest to the work of Dr. R. J. Gatling, the creator of the famous gun that fires 200 shots a minute. Our surprise to be told that he is really a tender hearted man grows less when we know how he was led to contrive his murderous weapon.

Seeing the trainloads of wounded and wrecks of regiments return from the front during the great war for the Union, he thought of the waste of industry and time and life in sending so many men into a deadly service. If war must stay, what a saving would be a single firearm that would shorten the slaughter from months to minutes, and finally quell contending armies so that they would refuse to face it!

Dr. Gatling was a man in middle life then, but from the age of 21 he had been an inventor. The first fruit of his genius was a steam-propeller wheel. He had also originated several labor saving devices for use in cotton culture, made a furrow drill that brought him a fortune from the western wheat farmers, and patented a hemp reaper, a mowing machine and a steam plow. He is 80 years old now, and is still throwing away. Lately Congress voted him \$40,000 for his prof experiments in a new method of casting cannon.

When he invented his propeller and took it to Washington, he found that a similar design—and all his labor was thrown away. A few years later he lost two-thirds of the money he had realized—and invested—from the sale of his wheat drill. After he completed the "Gatling gun" a fire destroyed all his work and his patterns. When a year or two later, he had duplicated his patterns and placed an instrument before the public, a rascally agent ran off with every cent of the sales. It is a robust quality of soul that can fight disappointment repeatedly and try again.—*Chicago Tribune.*

## WOMAN'S WORLD.

QUEEN OF HANOVER THE SECOND OLDEST SOVEREIGN IN EUROPE.

Their Beautiful Curis—To Endure Hot Weather—The Charming Bicycle Tea. The New Woman's Progress—Latest Table Decorations.

The accompanying illustration is from the latest portrait taken of her majesty the venerable queen of Hanover, who was 80 on April 14, is the second oldest sovereign in Europe, the queen of Denmark being the elder by nine months, while Queen Victoria was 79 on May 24, so that these three queens, so intimately connected by birth and marriage, are now the oldest crowned ladies in Europe.

The queen, however, who is the Princess Marie of Saxo-Altenburg, was married on Feb. 18, 1848, and became a widow on June 12, 1878. The great interest attaching to her majesty is the circumstance that, her husband, King George V of Hanover, who lies buried at Windsor, was the last of the English sovereigns of the realm, which he lost in 1866 by taking the side of Austria.



THE QUEEN OF HANOVER.

But perhaps the most interesting fact connected with Queen Marie is that her only son, the Duke of Cumberland, is a prince of Great Britain and Ireland—indeed the only foreign born prince who resides in the house of lords, and whose eldest son, Prince George William, has the Anglo-Irish title of Earl of Armagh. Moreover, the duke is married to the younger sister of the Princess Dagmar of Russia.

The queen of Hanover has two daughters, the beautiful Princesses Frederica and Mary, both of whom are also princesses of Great Britain and Ireland. Princess Frederica married at Windsor April 24, 1880, Baron Albons von Pavleff-Rammingen, honorary colonel of the Hanoverian Guards.

The queen's handsome Princess Mary, who has devoted her lifetime to her mother, is unmarried. On the occasion of the queen's birthday there was a great gathering of her family at the Villa Tibur, and her majesty, so beloved by her family, walked through a quadrangle in the park, the Duke of Armagh, her eldest grandson, the Earl of Armagh. It is to be observed that her majesty adheres to the style of dress in vogue at the time of her occupying a throne, and in our illustration is represented wearing the famous Cumberland pearls.

## Their Beautiful Curis.

A fat woman, with a baby large enough to reach out and grab at whatever excited its interest, boarded a Third Avenue open car yesterday morning and settled down in the third seat from the front. On the seat beside her the fat woman were two young women in freshly starched stiff waists and high collars. Two beautiful curls straggled carelessly out of the braids on the back of each girl's head and hung down over her collar. A dozen men who were in the seats behind watched these curls as they hung in the prevailing fashion, and swayed gently in the breeze as the car passed a cross street. They were immaculate curls, and perhaps an unsophisticated man or two may have wondered how young women whose front hair was so straight and coaxed their back hair into such perfect curls as the fat woman glared at them and then began to doze. Her baby looked at the other passengers around her listlessly until the two pairs of swaying curls caught her eyes, and then she began to reach out for them. Baby's arms were too short. The driver reached out and as the car came to a sudden stop, and the baby gripped a pair of curls in each hand. The car started at that moment and back flopped the fat woman and the baby, and in the latter's hands were two curls, one pair in each hand, and each pair attached securely to a hairpin. The young women in front felt the tugs. Their hands went back to search for the curls, and then they turned around. The fat woman was still dozing. The baby was chuckling with gleeful prizes, and a dozen men were smiling eagerly.

"Well, I never," said one of the girls as she caught sight of her curls.

"Isn't it awful?" said the other, and each girl grabbed the hand which held her curls and opened it by force. The baby began to cry and its mother awakened and seeing the young women twisting their wrists round volubly in anger, she tried to reach out to help them. The girls secured their curls and flounced off the car at the next corner, followed by polysyllable words from the father's mother, who had not discovered the cause of the attack. The German lady went home angry when she left the car, but the baby was chuckling as if it had been in the joke.—*New York Sun.*

## To Endure Hot Weather.

"When early hours give warning of a day of great heat, the most sensible thing to do is to plan forthwith some really absorbing occupation to fill the hours of trial," advises Ella Morris Kretschmar in her practical talks to housekeepers in *The Woman's Home Companion*.

"While in the main it is well to regard summer time as the proper season for pleasant idling, when temperature conditions become such that the freshest refuge is congenial and absorbing occupation. The antidote that stands next is a deeply interesting book. Who has not forgotten entirely the without when immersed in pages which for a time make us a part of scenes and a life not our own? It is a book which, if it is a good one, is indeed an escape ourselves, a book is indeed an ally."

"Good company is another regular of dragging hours and adverse conditions, and 'the hottest day of the season' may leave in its train the pleasant memories of a summer, if spent with congenial friends. Do not, because the weather is 'unbearably hot,' hesitate to invite a friend for the day or to give a luncheon to a number of friends. It is just the time for agreeable diversion, and if your luncheon menu is appropriate, the toilets sufficient and your own spirits good your guests will take in time all the pleasures of pleasure and surprised that tempo and discomfort have been largely forgotten. Be it remarked in passing that it is not in conventional entertainments that the greatest social success is

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## STAGE GLINTS.

Cissy Loftus will try America once more.

The son of Daniel W. Voorhees is on the stage platform.

Della Fox announces that she is going into musical comedy.

Eugenie Elair is said to have a strong play in "A Creole Courtship."

A new opera, by A. E. Lanchester, is entitled "The Kissing Bridge."

Milton Nobles has written a little comedy with the title of "Belinda Bailey's Boarders."

Joseph O'Meara will resume his part of Dick Fitzgerald in the coming revival of "The Highwayman."

Henry Arthur Jones will shortly put forth a new play, to which he gives the queer name of "The Maneuvers of Jane."

Annie Russell is to have a new comedy written for her. Her success in London in Bret Harto's "Sue" has been pronounced.

The daughter of Sam Small, the evangelist, Lola Small Jackson, is in New York making arrangements for her stage debut in the fall.

Isabel Irving, Elsie De Wolf, Arthur Byron and Blanche Burton will be in John Drew's production of Henry Arthur Jones' "The Liars."

Mr. Tree will return to Her Majesty's Theatre, London, in November, at a date not yet definitely announced, in Sydney Grundy's adaptation of "The Three Musketeers."

"The Beauty Stone" has been to a large extent a failure in London, with all its music by Sir Arthur Sullivan and its libretto by Arthur Wing Pinero and J. Comyns Carr.

The first presentation of Laurence Irving's drama, "Richard Lovelace," with the author in the title role, took place recently at the once famous Bath Theatre, England.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Time hangs heavy on the hands of a clock.

Love may not be blind, but it seldom sees its finish.

A man always imagines he wants the earth until he gets sick.

Only the best of everything comes to the man who waits on himself.

A woman always believes a statement until she hears a contradictory one.

Some men are too lazy to acquire a door from which to keep away the wolf.

Lovers may refuse to say goodbye forever and yet put in two or three hours at it.

But few men decline a nomination for office if they think there is any show of being elected.

When a young man is in love, he should press his own suit instead of employing a tailor to do it for him.—*Chicago News.*

## APHORISMS.

Memory tempers prosperity, mitigates adversity and controls youth and delights old age.—*Laetantius*

If thou knowest how to use money, it will become thy handmaid. If not, it will become thy master.—*Diodorus.*

Nature has given us two ears, two eyes and but one tongue, to the end that we should hear and see more than we speak.—*Socrates.*

If a man has any brains at all, let him hold on to his calling, and in the grand sweep of things his turn will come at last.—*McCune.*

Hypocrisy is folly. It is much easier, safer and pleasanter to be the thing which a man aims to appear than to keep up the appearance of what he is not.—*Ocell.*

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MANILLA CAPTURED.

Dewey and Merritt Combine in an Attack.

News of the Treaty of Peace has not reached Manila.

ANOTHER DECISIVE VICTORY WITH BUT SMALL AMERICAN LOSS.

Hong Kong, Aug. 17.—Manilla surrendered after a week's defense, Saturday, August 13. The American fleet now lies over the capital of the Philippines, and this was accomplished without great loss of life.

Our loss was eight soldiers killed and forty wounded. No one on the American fleet was injured. The Spanish fleet is estimated at from 120 to 600 killed and wounded.

The Americans captured many prisoners—7,000 being Spanish regulars—20,000 Mauser rifles, 3,000 Remingtons, eighteen modern cannons and many cannon of obsolete pattern.

The American fleet began to move in at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Dewey on the Olympia led the fighting line, as of old. Above the Olympia and from the ships following her flew the American flag.

The Olympia opened with her 8-inch guns at 9:35 o'clock, the first four shells being directed against Malate fort, called San Pedro de Abad, and the shells fell in a range of from 3,900 to 4,000 yards.

The practice was excellent as soon as the range was determined. Most of the five-inch shells fell in a battery protected by earthworks. Sixteen 8-inch and 69 five-inch shells were fired by the Olympia and the Raleigh and Petrel each drove in about seventy-five.

The big monitor Monterey was not called upon to try her guns during the bombardment, but, undoubtedly, her presence and the holding of the water which she navigated within easy range of the city had considerable influence on the Spanish in their decision to capitulate.

A general signal to the ships to cease firing was hoisted at 3 1/2 minutes past ten. The American infantry was seen a few minutes later moving forward upon the Spanish lines.

The advance was made under cover of a heavy fire from the Utah battery.

General Anderson directed the operations on land and General Greene, with the left wing, swept along upon the trenches before Malate. General McArthur led the right wing, with the Astor battery, and the right wing, which was on the right of the Pasig river, and did gallant work. One instance of this was when a Spanish block-house was carried by the Californians only their rifles. The only rapid fire gun on the Spanish line was silenced by this gallant advance. Three men of the Astor battery were killed.

The hardest fighting of the day was done at a place on the right wing, where the guns of the fleet under "lighting" Dewey could give no assistance. After the fleet had reached the position at Malate, the Colorado troops, supported by the Eighteenth regulars and the Utah battery, swept the Spanish lines before the charging Colorado men, who followed them closely, giving them no rest until the position was ours and the American flag was raised by the Californians, who had been charging behind the Colorado men.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The government received the first direct official information to day of the surrender of Manila. It came in a dispatch from Admiral Dewey, taken from Manila to Hong Kong on the dispatch boat Zafiro. The dispatch was received at 11:30 a. m. Manila, Aug. 13.

Secretary Navy, Washington: Manila surrendered to day to the American land and naval forces, after a combined attack of the Colorado squadron, the forts and intrenchments at Malate, on the south side of the city, driving back the enemy, our army capturing the city from that side at the same time. The city finally surrendered about 5 o'clock. The American flag was hoisted by Lieutenant Brumby. About 7,000 prisoners were taken. The squadron had no casualties. None of our vessels was injured. On August 7th, General Merritt and I formally demanded the surrender of the city, which the Spanish governor-general refused.

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The Law on Infectious Diseases. A Criticism.

(For the Record.)

First: Are county and state boards of health useful or necessary? I answer that they undoubtedly are both.

Second: Are they through? No! No! Far from it!

They do the best they can, but they do not thoroughly fill the bill for which they have been created. The new law of the state of Maryland, which provides that whenever any household knows that a person within his family or house has diphtheria, membranous croup, scarlet fever, measles, diphtheria, whooping cough, small-pox or any other infectious or contagious disease, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the county or city board of health, and that the fact of such notification by the board shall be given to such household. Any person neglecting or refusing to do these things, is liable to be punished by a heavy fine (\$100).

Now we come to the point I wish to bring out. The county or city board of health comes to such a house; suppose a child has been ill with scarlet fever or any other contagious disease. The board of health causes the carpets to be taken up, the floors scrubbed, the windows and walls washed, and the room disinfected with carbolic acid and fumigated, then the room thoroughly fumigated. They then give their written statement to the household, and go home with a clear conscience and a sense of duty well performed.

But, have they thoroughly performed their duty to the household and to their state?

I claim that they have not. There is not a county or city board of health in existence today that would go farther or do more than I have mentioned in disinfecting a room or house, and yet one of the greatest sources of contagion, they have not touched, or at least not disinfected, and that is the pillow or feather bed, as the case may be, that the child lay on. Of course, they in a manner disinfect the exterior of those articles, but they do not touch the cases and the interior and thoroughly disinfect the feathers that compose the pillows or feather bed.

It is a fact, and needs no comment that the germs of the disease both in the breath and from the surface of the body of such a case will very readily penetrate the sheet and tie up or pillow cases and the interior field in among those feathers to increase, multiply, and develop the disease for some other person to lay his head on or his body on and inhale and absorb these germs of disease, which he contracts and spreads still further to others, possibly, in the same way.

Now what every board of health should have, or at least cause to be used, in order to make the law of use, is some kind of a machine that will thoroughly disinfect all the feathers in the pillows and beds upon which the cases suffer from infectious and contagious diseases have been lying, and yet run no risk of the feathers blowing away and so spreading the disease further. A S. T. PAYER.

Tipping the Porter.

A well known citizen of Chicago, who, according to the Chronicle, has traveled a good deal and thinks he understands the ways of an average sleeping-car porter, was sending his wife and little girl to California not long ago. As he stood in the car just before the train was about to pull out he called the porter to him and said:

"I want you to take good care of this lady and little girl on this trip. I'll give you part of your pay now; the rest you must get at the other end of the journey."

With these words the man who knew sleeping-car porters drew a new \$5 bill from his pocket and deliberately tore it in two. One half he handed to the astonished porter, the other to his wife.

"She'll hand you the other half if you have deserved it when the train reaches San Francisco," he said.

A Boy, on Cows.

The following is a boy's composition on "The Cow."

"This story is about cows. The cow is an animal with four legs on the underside. The tail is longer than the two legs, but is not used to stand on. The cow kills flies with her tail. A cow has big ears that wiggle on hinges; so does her tail. The cow is bigger than the calf, but not so big as an elephant. She is made so small that she can go into the barn when nobody is looking. Some cows are black and some black and white. A dog was hooked once. She tossed the dog that worried the cat that killed the rat. Black cows give white milk; so do others. Milkmen sell milk to buy their wives dresses, which they put water in and chalk. Cows chew cud and each finds his own chew. That is all there is about cows."

Mother's heart thrilled with joy after giving a dose of Victor's Infant's Relief, the babe's digestive tonic.

Dividing a Pig.

Yankee and a Frenchman owned a pig in copartnership. When killing time came they wished to divide the carcass. The Yankee was anxious to divide so that he could get both hind quarters, and persuaded the Frenchman that the proper way was to cut it across the back. The Frenchman agreed to it, on the condition that the Yankee should turn his back and take choice of the pieces after it was cut in two. The Yankee turned his back and the Frenchman asked,—"Vich piece vill you have; ze piece no tail on him?"

"The piece with the tail!" shouted the Yankee instantly.

"Den you take him and I take ze other," said the Frenchman.

Upon turning around the Yankee found that the Frenchman had cut off the tail and stuck it in the pig's mouth.

Fairs will be held in counties of Maryland this year as follows: Montgomery, Rockville, August 30-September 2; Talbot, Easton, August 30-September 2; Cecil, Elkton, September 6-8; Prince George's, Upper Marlboro, September 6-9; Baltimore county, Timonium, September 13-17; Frederick, Frederick City, October 13-17; Howard, Belair, October 13-14; Washington county, Hagerstown, October 13-21.

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Phelim, D'ye Mind—

At a table recently, a man and woman of Mitlets extraction took seats at the dining-table. Directly after-ward a young couple seated themselves opposite, and the young man took a stalk of celery from the glass in the centre of the table and commenced eating it. The Irishman opposite looked at him a moment with an air of disgust, and then nudged her husband and said, in a stage whisper—

"Phelim, dear, d'ye mind the black-guard atin' the bokay?"

About one month ago my child, which is fifteen months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, I sent for a doctor for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations a day. I was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations a day. I was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations a day. I was under his care for a week.

There are not only pecuniary and constitutional difficulties in the way of abidication. The queen, however, is not only queen of Great Britain and Ireland, she is also empress of India, regent of the Grand Duchy of Saxe-Weimar, and she is also empress of the Ottoman Empire. Abidication would be mis-derstood by most, misrepresented by some and resented by all of them. Death they know, a living ruler they understand. What is abdication to the lake dwellers of Nyassaland, Uganda or the fierce tribesmen of the Sudan? From an imperial standpoint a scepter dropped from the hand of the great white queen can be borne as well in her lifetime by no successor. In many parts of the world the British raj is personified in the little lady who 60 years ago said to those who told her that she was a queen, "I will be good." In some parts of India she is actually worshipped as a goddess. In her lifetime the native races of the empire will either look to her for their ruler or they will assume that something has happened that saps and neutralizes British power. These imperial considerations as to the effect on Asiatics and Africans were also in the minds of the ministers when they unanimously refused to advise the queen to resign from the crushing burden of the crown.—Harper's Magazine.

Please your wife and baby by purchasing a bottle of Victor's Infant's Relief at your Drug Store.

Pharmaceutical Soaps.

The medical journals of Germany make mention of a new sulphur soap—this is a soluble in water. For the production of soaps of this character sulphur is separated from the mineral liquid thio oil. It is made fluid with alcohol, and gradually mixed while being continually stirred with an equivalent volume of potash lye, which is likewise thinned with alcohol. The addition of large quantities of potash lye at one time produces a separate layer, and when this layer becomes less toward the end of the saponification, and at last a small excess of potash lye is used. The fact that all the thio-sulphur acid has saponified is indicated by the liquid appearing clear as a whole and a sample taken being clearly soluble in water as well as in alcohol. The excess of alkali is neutralized by volatile fatty acid. The saponification thus obtained is freed from the alcohol in a steam bath and boiled down to the consistency of soft saline, being occasionally tested for neutrality. Eighty-five parts of the soap are mixed with 15 parts of glycerin. The percentage of water in this mixture is 12 and that of thio-sulphur of potassium is 5.

New Starch For Blood Flowing.

An original and efficacious device for stopping the flow of blood has for some time been used by the Chinese—a method, it is stated, still entirely unknown to the medical fraternity of this country and Europe. The plan is to use a device filled with charcoal powder obtained from straw, the application of these fine bags showing considerable advantage over the ordinary medicated gauze. The bags shape themselves perfectly over wounds and have a considerable absorbing power, while the cost is almost nothing. They can be used wherever they are to be used and in a shape to suit each particular case, which is a fact of no little importance in using for field hospitals and surgical camps. In preparation clean straw is taken, placed in a large vat, put on fire and a cover which closes hermetically is placed on top. The combustion of the straw is slow and the product is, of course, aseptic—that is, devoid of microbes.

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