

### Local and Personal.

This is meant to be a purely LOCAL NEWS column, to which only such items of local importance, whether current or of the near future, such as deaths, cases of extreme illness, society and church happenings, marriages, deaths, etc., should be reported to the Editor in writing, otherwise they may not appear.

Mrs. Dr. Geo. Scholl, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Cattanch.

Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held in Grace Reformed church, next Sunday, August 27th.

E. E. Reindollar and family, and Rev. S. G. Finckel, wife and son, spent Saturday at Gettysburg, Pa.

Miss Elva Bricker and sister, of Baltimore, are visiting the family of their uncle, Samuel Bricker, near town.

John W. Cook, of this district, a colored war veteran, has had his pension increased from \$10 to \$14 per month.

James Buffington is engaged in removing the dwelling house on his property, to a new foundation nearer the road.

D. W. Garner was at Tolchester Fair during the week, representing the dairy machinery firms for which he is agent.

Miss Stella Smith, of Union Bridge, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, the past few weeks, returned home on Tuesday.

The picnic of Clearview (Shaw's) Sabbath school will be held on Saturday, September 2nd. Taneytown band furnishes the music.

The infant child of Mr. E. F. Smith of Bridgeport, died on Thursday night, and was buried in the cemetery connected with St. Joseph's Catholic church, on Friday afternoon.

Rev. D. F. Garland, wife and son Charles, of Dayton, Ohio, who have been spending some time at Mountain Lake Park, were the guests of E. E. Reindollar's family during the week.

Another addition has been made to the building lots of the town. Last week, Mr. Adam Clark had 17 lots laid off along the plank road, one of the most desirable sections for building purposes.

Senator Louis E. McComas and Attorney-General George R. Galt, spent Sunday at Annapolis, with Judge Claiborne's family. A number of prominent citizens called on the gentlemen during the day.

The following residents of Taneytown are at the seashore: Mrs. D. Mottor and daughter, Misses Anna and Virginia, at Atlantic City; Rev. Jas. Cattanch, Misses Lou Reindollar and Jennie Galt, at Ocean Grove.

The Coates lot, which was sold at Public Sale, on Friday, by Dr. G. T. Mottor, representing the trustees of the Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, was purchased by John Newcomer, Jr., for \$810.00.

Wm. M. Reindollar purchased the farm of the late Samuel Reindollar, which was sold on Friday. The price paid was \$30.00 per acre. At the same time, E. E. Reindollar purchased the hill property, paying for it \$1,000.

Levi D. Frock, who has had 23 years experience in railroading, principally on the Bruceville system, has been appointed as section foreman in place of John E. Baer, who recently resigned. Mr. Frock will take full charge on September 1st.

David D. Renner, who for a number of years past resided on the farm of his father, about 1 mile east of town, has purchased the farm of the late Solomon Menges, situated in Germany Township, Adams Co., Pa., and will remove thereon in the Spring.

Mrs. G. W. Clabaugh, and daughter, of Omaha, Neb., who have been spending the summer with relatives in this section, left on Monday, for Spring Lake, N. J., where they will spend some time with Mrs. Dr. Hewson, after which they will leave for their home in the West.

Archibald Galt, son of Henry Galt, of this place, who is a member of the 1st Dakota Volunteers, engaged in the Philippines, has been recommended by General Lawton, as worthy of a medal for bravery. He was a member of a scouting expedition, which participated in ten different engagements, in nine of which Mr. Galt took part. In his last letter home, he stated that he was contemplating enlisting in the regular army.

A reunion of William Angell's family occurred at Longville, on August 20th, all of the eight children being present. They are Albert, of Harney; William L., of Morrison, Ill.; Mrs. Geo. W. Hess, and Mrs. J. Edwin Flior, of Freedom District; Mrs. Geo. H. Baker, of near Jennings; Mrs. Elmer Haugh, Mrs. William Fessier and Mrs. Charles Riffe, of Longville. There were also present Mrs. Albert Angell, Mrs. William Angell, Geo. W. Hess, J. Edwin Flior, Elmer Haugh, William Fessier, Geo. H. Baker, Chas. Riffe, and fourteen of the twenty-one grand-children.

Mr. C. V. Clippinger, B. S., has accepted the position of instructor at Milton Academy. He graduated at the Cumberland Valley State Normal School, Shippensburg, Pa., in 1894. During the next two years, Mr. Clippinger taught in the public schools of Boiling Springs, and as principal of the Glasgow schools, Cambria Co., Pa. In the fall of '97 he entered Lebanon Valley College, Annville, Pa., from which he received the degree of Bachelor of Science, last June. The President of Lebanon Valley College, as well as the Boards of the two schools in which Mr. Clippinger taught, recommend him highly for his scholarship and efficiency as a teacher.

### COUNTY AND STATE.

News Notes of General Interest from Various Sources.

Judge Charles B. Roberts, whose life was despaired of last week, is so much better that he sat up a little while today, (Friday.)

The Carroll County Band has closed a contract with the York Hosiery Company, to furnish music for the firm during the Sesqui-Centennial.

Hon. Thos. B. Reed, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives has sent his resignation to the Governor of Maine and it has been accepted to take effect September 6th.

A District Convention of all the camps of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, in the western part of Carroll county will be held at Westminster, on the evening of August 28th.

President McKinley has been elected to represent No. 78 Union Veteran League, of Columbus, Ohio, at the National Encampment, which will be held at Baltimore, September 13-15.

A barn on the farm of Alfred Stevenson, near Spring Mills, this county, was struck by lightning on Monday, and entirely destroyed. The loss is supposed to be about \$1000, nearly covered by insurance.

The Manchester firemen, having completed their new building, will dedicate it on Saturday, September 3d. There will be a firemen's parade on the occasion, brass band music, etc., and a ball, topped off with a festival.

William Sands, who has been wanted in Carroll county for the robbery of William Woods, near Marston, on July 17th, last, was arrested in Frederick on Thursday. Sheriff Haines took the prisoner to Westminster in the evening.

Taylor and Brown, the Rosestein murderers, were hanged in the jail-yard at Rockville, Montgomery county, on Friday last. Taylor made a confession just before the drop fell, in which he said Brown was innocent, and that he alone had planned and executed the murders.

Mrs. Georgia Pearce, wife of L. V. Pearce, of Unionville, Frederick county, died early Monday morning, from an overdose of morphine. Mrs. Pearce took the drug about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon for headache, as she had been in the habit of doing, but made a mistake in the quantity. She was about 81 years old.

Dr. W. J. Sergeant, living just over the Garrett county line, in Mason town, Va., in removing a pile of stones, found a den of snakes. With his cane he killed nineteen copperheads and twenty-seven rattlers. The poison from the snakes made Dr. Sergeant quite ill for a time, necessitating the attention of another physician.

The famous Perot case came to an end on Tuesday when the claim for extradition was formally withdrawn by Mr. Newton Craue, representing the American government. The claim was abandoned as a result of the compromise, of ten days ago, by which Mrs. Perot agreed to yield custody of her daughter, on condition that proceeding against her should be withdrawn.

The certificate of incorporation of the Washington, Sandy Springs and Gettysburg Railway Company was filed on the 11th, inst. The termini of the road are Harney, in Carroll county, and near Silver Spring, in Montgomery county, this running through Carroll, Howard and Montgomery counties, with power to construct lateral branches to Frederick and Chillum, in Prince George county. The capital stock is \$100,000.

S. Maurice Harman, son of Samuel W. Harman, of Baltimore, who was a member of the 4th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 158th, 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### SUICIDE NEAR TANEYTOWN.

Mrs. Clara V. Sullivan puts an end to her life by Hanging.

Mrs. Clara V. Sullivan, widow of the late Chas. Sullivan, of this district, hung herself on last Wednesday morning, August 23rd. She was found hanging just inside the stable door, the rope being fastened to a rail laid across the rafters of the stable, and the door partly open. Directly in front of her feet was a box 7 inches in height, and the rope was long enough to allow the soles of her feet to rest on the floor. She had evidently stepped off the box, and drawn up her feet until she became unconscious. She seemed in good spirits the day before, and visited some neighbors, to whom she spoke of making arrangements for the coming Sunday school picnic. A neighbor passing along the road about 6 o'clock in the morning, saw her body through the half open door, but thought she was alive and standing in the stable. About 8 o'clock some children found her, and gave the alarm.

Mrs. Sullivan lived alone, and had evidently brooded over her loneliness and the loss of her husband until she lost her mental balance, as the following letter, found pinned to the front of her dress, shows:

"I've tried and tried not to let my trouble overcome me. I had a good husband. I've no use trying, I can't live without him. I want to die, but I don't know how. I loved my patriotic husband; he was good kind and true to me. I would have given my life to save his. I know it's too big a burden to bear. When I am dead, I don't want them to lay me out. I want my clothes left as they are, but my outside wrap I want taken off. You will find my clothes all together, that I want to be buried in. I want to be buried beside my husband. I do not want to be embalmed, if it can be helped. I do not care how soon they bury me when I am dead. — Clara Virginia Boston Sullivan, born August 1st, 1857."

Justice A. F. Orndorff held an inquest on the body. The following gentlemen who made up the jury, returned a verdict of death by suicide: Levi D. Reid, foreman; Charles A. Elliot, Geo. E. Kontz, William Mehring, Nelson Wantz, James Kuhns, Emanuel Harnes, Nathan Angell, John E. Hess, George A. Shoemaker, Charles O. Fuss, James Shildt.

Mrs. Sullivan's husband has been dead about two years; she was the daughter of Mr. James Boston, of Union Bridge district, and leaves no children. She was 27 years old. Rev. A. D. Bateman conducted her funeral, from her late residence, on Thursday afternoon; interment in the Lutheran cemetery, beside her husband. So far as is known here, she was not a member of any church.

### Reunion at Thurmont.

(For the Record.) The home of Mrs. Dr. White, on Carroll St., Thurmont, Md., was the scene of a re-union on Saturday and Sunday, August 19th, and 20th, that will not soon be forgotten by the participants. The family, consisting of five children, residing in different states, met together for the first time in twenty-three years, at the hospitable home of their mother, Mrs. White, and were royally entertained. A jolly happy time was spent in relating occurrences of childhood, and reviewing the happy childhood days now past and gone. Mr. Richard O. Toole, the photographer of Thurmont, took a very good picture of the group, which will be given to the family, in future years, the memory of their first reunion.

Those composing the group were: Mrs. Dr. White, Thurmont, Md.; Mrs. S. Cover, Baltimore, and two children, Miss Mabel and Master Milton Cover, of St. Louis, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Cover, of York Road, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Morris, of Thurmont, Md.; Mr. D. Saylor Cover, wife and baby William, of York, Pa.; and Mr. John M. Cover, of Philadelphia, Pa.

### MARRIED.

SCHWEIGERT—HESS.—On Aug. 26, at the Mr. J. Joy parsonage, by Rev. W. G. Minick, Mr. Daniel Schweigert of Hanover, Pa., to Miss Clara J. Hess of Harney, Md.

### DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions, charged for the rate of five cents per line, regular death notices published free of charge.

REINDOLLAR.—On August 19th, at 2.10 a. m., in Baltimore, Joseph B., wife of the late Jacob T. Reindollar, in his 69th year.

SULLIVAN.—On August 23rd, near Taneytown, Mrs. Clara Virginia Sullivan, aged 27 years and 19 days.

### IN MEMORY

Of Abraham Lynn, who died in Union Bridge, August 18th, 1898, aged 79 years, 6 months and 15 days.

Lonely the house and sad the hours,  
Since our dear father is gone;  
But oh, a brighter home than ours,  
In heaven is now his own.

We watched the falling sands,  
As dropped they one by one;  
His weakened frame, his trembling hands,  
Said, life is nearly done.

Though lost to sight, to memory dear,  
Though ever will remain;  
Oh, how we long to hear his voice,  
The hope to meet again.

By his family.

### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Adopted by Pleasant Valley Lodge No. 132, K. of P., Pleasant Valley, Md.

WHEREAS, it has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His wisdom, to remove from our midst, our late Brother Thomas J. Koonitz, therefore, be it

### HEPTASOPH OUTING.

Carroll and Adams Conclaves enjoy a Pleasant Evening.

On Monday evening, August 21st, Adams Conclave of Littlestown, and Carroll Conclave, of Taneytown, held an outing and family gathering in Nully's grove, at Harney. Owing to the heavy down pour of rain, it was quite late before all had assembled, though the rain made it more pleasant and agreeable afterwards.

The first feature of the evening was the address of welcome by Prof. H. Meier, who, in a few well chosen words, extended, in the name of both Conclaves, a cordial welcome to all, after which address, all present were invited to partake of refreshments. The supper was a magnificent one in every respect, and all partook lavishly of the good things provided.

After supper, Prof. Henry Meier again ascended the platform, and delivered a brief, but most excellent and eloquent address, and explained the derivation of the word "Heptasoph," which means, or comes from the "seven sages of Greece," showing that it was a wise movement on the part of the founder—who was present to hear the address—for the sake of the widow and orphan, and urged upon all the members of both Conclaves to use their influence in adding new members. His address was very highly appreciated by all present, and was heartily applauded.

He then introduced to the audience Mr. Geo. V. Metz, of Stewardstown, Pa., the founder of the Order, who was very heartily received, and delivered the address. In the course of his address, he spoke of the object for which the Order exists, saying that August 28th, will be the 21st year of its existence, during which period \$4,000,000 were paid out to the poor widow and helpless orphan; that there are at present 670 Conclaves in the world, with members distributed over 25 states with a monthly increase of 600. He spoke of very pathetic terms of many poor widows who had not one dollar at their husband's death, but showed how the Heptasophs came forward, handing over to the destitute widow, \$1000, \$2000, up to \$5000, saying, "Take this, it belongs to you, as your husband was a Heptasoph." It is needless to add that the address by the father of the Order was listened to with great attention, and was heartily applauded.

The Heptasophs, who were ladies not to marry any young man, unless he, or promises to be a Heptasoph; He also said that the I. O. H. offers the cheapest insurance of all fraternal organizations.

The third speaker of the evening was Rev. A. Bateman, Ph. D., who, in a discourse impressed upon the invited guests present, the advantages derived from membership of the I. O. H. He addressed the audience in his usual happy vein and in humorous language dwelled upon the pleasures and benefits derived from such gatherings as the present occasion.

The Heptasophs, who were members of both Conclaves was large beyond expectation,



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 26th, 1899.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES will be held at the usual voting place in each district in Carroll county, on Saturday, September 2nd; the convention on Monday, September 4th.

IT HAS BEEN said, "You cannot indict a whole people," and yet a whole nation sometimes seems to lose its mental balance. Making due allowance for race temperament and Gallic excitability, it is a humiliating exhibition of the short-comings of human nature when influenced by passion and prejudice, to see a whole nation convulsed and apparently ready to begin a civil war over one obscure officer in the army, who was not known outside of a limited circle before his trial, and whom all the rest of the world believe to be innocent.

THE EDITOR OF THE RECORD is away on a vacation, and therefore is not responsible for the contents of this week's paper. The temporary Editor is proud of belonging to the brotherhood of the pen, which so many debating societies have decided to be "mightier than the sword," even for so short a time. He does not expect to revolutionize society, or to be called to be Editor of some great daily, but offers this in explanation of any defects that may appear in the editorial work this week. Unfortunately the office cat is away too, and his motto must be

"Who does the best his circumstances allow."

Does well, acts nobly. Angels could do no more.

If any subscriber feels tempted to write, "stop my paper," just think a little and don't; it will only be for a week. If anyone gets fighting mad, let him consider that while the Editor pro tem is not at all belligerent, he has two assistant Editors, each of whom is a very substantial man. All things considered, the editorial staff of the RECORD makes its bow to the public this morning without much fear of consequences.

## Primaries.

As the time approaches for the primaries of the several political parties, it is well to call attention to their importance, and to the duty of every voter to take part in them. It is a trite subject. In political meetings, in conventions, in the pulpit, in newspapers, reviews and magazines, the subject has been thoroughly ventilated; still the fact remains that but a small proportion of the voters will take any interest in the primaries.

They are at the foundation of our whole political system. The men who compose the conventions make the nominations, and when they are made, most men will vote for the party nominee, without regard to his fitness. Very often so-called "good men"—men who are good citizens in every other respect, will denounce the nominations when they have done literally nothing to secure good selections, and will rail against the corruption of politics and the rule of bosses, when they have staid at home and allowed these very bosses to control primaries and conventions, without a protest. It has been often said by eminent foreigners who are friendly to our republican institutions, and anxious to see them succeed, that their greatest danger is in the indifference of so many otherwise good citizens.

The bosses rule by the grace of the people, and every man who fails to do his utmost to keep his party pure, and bring honest men to the front, is responsible for them. These men (the bosses) universally attempt to justify their actions on the ground of the necessity for organization, and by the plea that "the people must have leaders."

There are, as has often been said, three kinds of men who, in different degrees influence the actions of the people. First, leaders like Thomas Jefferson, Henry Clay, James G. Blaine, and in a much smaller degree, Wm. J. Bryan. They may be wrong, and may lead the people astray, but they are honestly in error, firmly convinced of the justice of their principles, and by their eloquence and force of character able to influence people to follow them. Then, there are men like Daniel Webster and Calhoun, who, although not born leaders of men, can, by the force of their intellect and the weight of their arguments, lead men to adopt their opinions.

Last, are the so-called bosses; there have been many definitions given in answer to the question—What constitutes a political boss? One characteristic they all have, is, that they are followers and not leaders. They may not break the commandment, "Thou shalt not steal," may never touch, a cent of public money unjustly, but their political opinions sit very lightly on them. They may be advocates of a gold standard in June, and equally ardent for free silver in November; imperialists in May, and anti-imperialists in August; low tariff men when they come before the people, and high tariff men when they get to Congress; denounce trusts on the stump, and vote for them and profit by them when they vote in Congress—absolutely subservient and very sensitive to every change of public opinion. They are the one class of leaders, whom the

people can at all times control, and for whom they are directly responsible. They are republicans in the state of New York, democrats in the City of New York, republicans in Pennsylvania and democrats in Maryland, simply because they can, by this means, retain their power.

It seems singular that men should be so indifferent to their best interests and only spasmodically do their duty as citizens. It has been said that every man gets in this world, just what success he deserves. Whether that be true or not, it certainly is true that the people of this country get just such a government as they deserve, neither better nor worse, and the familiar plea, "It is no use to vote, for they will do as they please anyhow," will not relieve any man from responsibility, and does not entitle him to sympathy if he suffers from his own negligence.

## Criticisms on the Conduct of the War.

To any one old enough to remember the war of the rebellion, the tenor of criticism in newspapers and by individuals, has a strangely familiar sound; and some of the newspapers and people whose voices and pens were busy with violent denunciation of everything that the administration did during the civil war, are "agin the Government" in this war. Nor a single General, successful or unsuccessful, who commanded the Union armies during the civil war, but came in for a full share of harsh criticism and abuse, and the volume of it was as much greater as the war was larger and more important.

The joint letter of the correspondents of some American newspapers at Manila, looked serious when one first read it, but when we remember the awful charges that were written from the front against General Grant and his fellow commanders, and remember further that these gentlemen, although they may be patriotic and honest, have very pronounced limitations, and that it is a very rare thing for a newspaper reporter to have a calm and judicial temperament, or to be capable of correctly judging a military situation, it makes it necessary for us to take their statements with a good many grains of salt, and we can conclude that the men, both at home and abroad, who are conducting the war, know very much better how to do it than their critics.

Gen. Alger's conduct of the War Department was certainly not a brilliant success, and yet his failings and faults were no doubt grossly exaggerated. When we remember the awful flood of abuse that raged against Secretary Stanton, and that even now, when there is still living some men who hate his memory, he is awarded a very high place as a patriot and acknowledged to have been a man of vast administrative ability, we can feel certain that time will soften the bitterness and show Alger in his true light. We pride ourselves on our Anglo-Saxon level-headedness, and yet we are praising Secretary Root to the skies before he has had an opportunity to show what he can do, and denouncing General Alger for credit for even what good he accomplished.

Many conservative and patriotic men are sorry to see the United States annexing any more territory, and find it hard to get rid of the classic interpretation of Washington's farewell address, "To keep clear of foreign entanglements," and yet it does seem clear that having overthrown the Spanish rule in the islands now occupied by our troops, it is our bounden duty to give them a stable government.

Very few men would, I suppose, be willing to withdraw our troops and leave them to themselves or to assume a protectorate over them, and be responsible for all the complications that might arise in their internal affairs or in their dealings with foreign powers. The experience of England in Egypt shows that the promise of withdrawing as soon as they are capable of governing themselves is very indefinite, and while no one can foresee what the outcome of it all will be, there is but one course now—to keep on fighting until they will negotiate without arms in their hands.

War is an awful calamity, whether it be victorious or not, and not the least of its evils is the bitterness that it engenders between the advocates of different policies. We ought to learn from the past to be moderate and fair in our criticisms, that to get angry and call hard names does no good, to have faith in the destiny of our country and to believe that out of it all the Great Ruler of the universe will bring some good.

## Glorious News.

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of Washita, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give her no help, but her system is complete and her health excellent." This shows that thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion builds up the strength of the body. Sold by R. S. McKinney Druggist, Guaranteed.

## Preventive Medicine.

Medical science has made great advances in its power to prevent disease. The yellow fever at Hampton seems to be entirely stamped out, never having spread beyond the place where it first appeared, and causing but few deaths. The improvement in the sanitary condition of the Cuban cities is almost marvelous. The American authorities have had but a short time, and but little money, and yet they have almost banished yellow fever from the island. The bubonic plague has appeared in Oporto, Portugal, its first appearance in western Europe for a long time. Since the Christian era, the plague has swept over Europe several times and killed millions of people. Now with proper precautions, it can be checked. It does not seem too hopeful to believe that the time will come, probably before long, when some diseases will be stamped out altogether. Ty-

phoid fever, plague, yellow fever and cholera are all preventable diseases, and there is very little doubt that the proper and persistent use of vaccination would finally about it is, too, that all this is accomplished mainly by attention to cleanliness and right living; fresh air, sunshine and cleanliness are foes to deadly germs of all kinds.

## Progress of the Negro Race.

Two of the most important meetings of the colored race that have ever been held in this country are now in session at Chicago. The Afro-American Council, the members of which are intelligent and progressive negroes who have won honorable position in life, represents its race in the discussion of some of the more serious problems confronting them in the United States, and in devising plans and policies for solving the problems and averting mistakes in the future. The first biennial Convention of the National Association of Colored Women, which was organized for the purpose of guiding and encouraging effort among their race for its education and advancement, is also in session. Sixteen states are represented by women delegates, and the Chicago Tribune, commenting upon the notable evidences of intelligence, education and general capacity shown by the members of the Convention, says:

Could Abraham Lincoln have looked upon the nearly 3000 people crowded into the Quinn Chapel the other evening, and seen the representatives of the race he emancipated and listened to the addresses, so admirably spoken, of the President of the Convention, Mrs. Terrell, Mrs. Booker T. Washington, Mrs. Jeffery, Mrs. B. K. Bruce, Mrs. Thurman and others, and observed their essential dignity, evident refinement of manner and noted the breadth of their outlook for their race and for the country, it is not difficult to imagine some of the emotions which would have stirred him, especially in view of their clear apprehension of the real conditions of the problem before them.

In attendance upon the Council, which is composed of men, are Booker T. Washington, Principal of the noted colored industrial school at Tuskegee, Alabama, several members of their churches, lawyers, teachers, physicians and successful workers in various branches of enterprise, who have earned the confidence of their own people and the respect of their neighbors, both white and black, in the several communities where their life work has been done.—Phila. Ledger.

THE September number of the "NEW LIPPINCOTT" is overflowing with interest of every attractive sort. There is abundant and varied fiction, beginning with the complete novel by Maurice Hewlett, and including papers by Ruth McEnery Stuart, F. Benson, Maurice Thompson, and Albert Bigelow Paine; there is matter for yachtsmen and for the veterans of the G. A. R.; there is literature, social life, picturesque history, and national interest. Everybody is served with his favorite dish and each will like the choice of all the rest.

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We do not disclose the identity of any writer in this department, in order to gratify curiosity, therefore the name of the contributor may be used with a feeling of security, at the same time it must not be used to attack or defend any person, or to make any statement which is not correct in punctuation, as possible. Communications should be limited to 500 or 600 words at most.

### Cleanliness is Next to Godliness.

(For the Home Circle.)

Since the members of the Home Circle have the name of being preachers, they may as well live up to their reputation, and as a preacher may very fittingly take the church as the subject of his discourse, I will claim the same privilege.

You have perhaps heard it asserted that the quotation, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness," is from the Bible. I don't believe you will find it there, and yet it is a maxim that may well be emphasized, and one that we seem to forget, judging from the lack of cleanliness in some of our churches. You may ridicule house-keepers for their semi-annual sieges of house cleaning, but if our churches were subjected to a like cleansing, it would be more to our credit, and they would be fitter dwelling places for the Lord. When visitors are heard commenting on the cob-webs, dust and dirt in your church, you do not feel very comfortable about it. We would feel disgraced to have such a state of things in our homes; and should we honor the house of God less than we do our own houses? Surely the reverence due to the earthly dwelling place of the pure and holy God, should lead us to keep it in a cleanly condition, not only in order that it may be attractive to outsiders, but that God may be honored.

Another item of cleanliness which is often lacking in our churches, is fresh air. Especially is this the case in the winter time, when perhaps a false idea of economy of heat, causes the church to be kept tightly closed, during, and after each service, depriving all the heated breaths and exhalations of the bodies of the congregation, to poison the air, not only of that, but the following service.

The real fact of the matter is, that there is no economy in such a proceeding, as fresh air is more easily heated than stale air, and certainly the pure atmosphere of a well ventilated room would be much more conducive to the comfort both of preacher and people, as well as to the edification of the latter. For a dull, heavy atmosphere is apt to produce drowsiness and consequently inattention, so that, in a large measure, the force of the sermon, however good it may be, is weakened, and the whole service is robbed of life and power.

Perhaps city churches have no trouble in these respects, but I believe there is more than one of our country churches, which this shoe will fit, and where reform would be in order.

### Butterflies.

(For the Home Circle.)

Did it ever occur to you how like we are to butterflies—we girls, of course—for no self-respecting man wants to be compared to a butterfly? Probably even girls will scorn the thought, yet when you come to think of it, if it happens to be the right kind of butterfly, I don't see why we might not feel honored by the comparison.

Every butterfly has some beautiful characteristics, though some are much more beautiful than others. The tiny yellow one, which we often see so many while they charm the eye for so short time, soon weary us by their ceaseless activity coupled with insipidity. Then there are the dull ones that we never even give a second glance unless it is to wonder why all things are not made bright and attractive.

One species of butterfly has an extremely long tongue, like girls you may say. Butterflies however gather honey with this member, *girls disperse it*. Then there is the species that soars very high; (our intellectual girls), these butterflies, instead of using the zig-zag vacillating motion of our

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diary butterflies (and girls) so steadily as one who has a definite purpose in view. They are said to be very hard to capture; consequently are much prized by connoisseurs.

All butterflies go through numerous stages of development, until they reach perfection. Beginning with the homely caterpillar that crawls in apparent self-abasement, they end in the winged insect covered by thousands of beautiful scales, each seeming more gorgeous than the others. I wonder if we followed out our lives just as they were planned, as these small creatures do, if we would not develop in an equally surprising way?

Will we be dull butterflies, making one no happier for having seen us, or will we rise those upon whom, we force ourselves, by senseless chattering of nothing and general purposelessness, aiming to be nothing greater than, as we so often hear, "mere butterflies of fashion," cumberers of the ground while others think and work and grow? Will we be the butterfly, which capable of a lofty flight inspires others to follow, is only to be captured by the use of knowledge its great value, perseveringly searched for?

One more kind will I mention, of the genus urania; it is said no art can effectively represent the changeableness and resplendence of their beauties, as "they are perhaps the most splendid insects in creation." It is necessary to add, that this genus belongs to America. Apply this description to the American girl, and it seems to fit her even more exactly, when you recall the amazing rapidity with which this insect gets around, and that it makes annual immigrations, as does the swell girl to the mountains, seashore, or perhaps another continent.

As the things of the butterfly combine marvelous lightness with wonderful strength, so should we girls have unswerving strength of character, with sweetness of disposition and charity.

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### An Imaginary Comparison.

SWITZERLAND—HOLLAND.

Geneva Village, Aug. 15, '09. My Dear Friends:—In my last letter home, I related to you the wonders and beauties of that old, yet new city called London, and also told you that I was about to start for Holland. I have passed through Holland, the land of the Netherlands, and thought before I gave you a description of this country, where the Dutch dwell, to wait, and thus make this letter more interesting, until I arrived in Switzerland and then compare the two countries.

I am now settled in one of the many picturesque Swiss villages, and have taken many excursions through this mountainous country.

The greatest difference between Holland and Switzerland, is that, as far as your naked eye can reach, in the latter country mountains rise up before you, and about six o'clock in the evening, when the sun is just going down in the west, reflecting its glory against the snow-capped mountains, it makes a beautiful sight indeed to look upon. In Holland, the country is very low and flat, having many rivers running through its land.

What I tell you now, will no doubt surprise you; everybody skates to market there, of course the canals, on whose banks the houses are built, being frozen. The Hollanders wear the queerest shoes made of wood, and long cloaks reaching to the shoe tops, these people differ greatly from the Swiss, the latter wearing bodies laced in the back and front with a gay piece of ribbon, and skirts reaching to the ankles.

I was awakened one morning by loud shouts of laughter, and on inquiring what was the meaning of this, I was told it was a holiday, as all the herdsmen were going up the mountains, to reside for the winter, so that their flocks could have food for this season of the year, and that their families were going with them to help arrange their winter huts. In Holland, there were no going to the mountains. The first thing is, there are no mountains to go to, and sheep and other flocks are not the staple produce, as it is with the Swiss people.

The Swiss people are noted for the watches which they make, and also the carving, which they do, with no other tool than the penknife. The Hollanders employ their time in carrying for the flax, from which your Holland pinafors are made; but first the flax is converted into fine linen.

Holland is ruled over by a queen, whose name is Wilhelmina, commonly known as the girl queen, while Switzerland is a republic, which changes presidents every year. In Switzerland the people are varied, some being of a brunette type, and other blonde, but the majority having a complexion of an olive tint; while in Holland, the blonde predominates.

My readers, in order not to tire you I will close, but first, I will promise you a description of a little village in England in my following letter, that being the next hamlet visited on my return route. RUTH SHAW.

### Nostrils Above Water.

The very essence of swimming lies in confidence. It is always better for the learners to feel secure and that they can leave the water whenever they wish to. The first great object is to feel a perfect confidence in the sustaining power of the water, and the best method of doing so is by learning to float on his back.

Lay yourself very gently in the water, arching the spine backwards as much as possible and keeping the legs and knees perfectly stiff and straight; then press the hands as far back as possible between the shoulder blades. You may lay the arms across the chest, keep them motionless by the sides or by padding the hands gently by the side of the hips, and you will float.

The mouth was meant for talking and eating, but was never intended for breathing, which is the only function the swimmer requires.

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How to Select One and Then Care For It.

A fine lens, like a thing of beauty, is a joy forever. In purchasing a lens it is good policy to secure one from a maker with an established reputation. In the first place, says the Boston Herald, the lens should be accurately made and carefully polished and should be clear, polished and free from scratches or surface abrasions. The best way to test the clearness of the glass is to look through the lens at the sky without any window intervening, and if the blue appears the same shade of color through the glass as to the eye direct it may be considered clear and without color. Should the blue appear of a leaden hue it is best to reject the lens. It is likewise good policy to shun a lens which is full of surface specks.

The sparkling quality of a lens can be ascertained by holding it at an angle against the person, poised at an angle of about 45 degrees and looking down the glass to see the reflected image. Should the image be clear and sharp it can be taken for granted that the lens is of good quality. The sharper the reflection the better. By the observation of these two general rules the amateur can generally select a serviceable and satisfactory lens.

The care of a lens is as important as the selection. A lens should be kept clean and free from dust and should not be left lying carelessly around. It should be kept capped and the glasses protected. Dust and foreign particles are apt to settle on the glasses if unprotected, and if left exposed the light will cause a deterioration of the cementing balm between the pieces of combination, which destroys transparency, imparts a tinge of color and lessens the speed of the lens.

The removal of dust and other particles from the lens should not be done with chamois, silk or similar material, as the pores of the skin or interstices of such oily substances as chamois or silk hold and retain gritty particles that will scratch the finely polished glass of a lens. Dust and particles should be removed by blowing or by the application of a fine brush thoroughly cleaned. Perhaps one of the best materials for cleaning lenses and one which can be found without much trouble is an old linen handkerchief, washed clean and ironed without starching.

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A woman who had purchased a pair of gloves was given three \$1 bills in change. "Do it up in paper, please," she said to the salesgirl. The request was complied with and the three \$1 bills were put in a pocketbook. "Some persons are microbe made," said a physician in explaining the incident. "Many have it so bad that they will not even pick up a pin, because it has been said that all sorts of disease germs are collected under the heads. Dread of microbes is a common form of hypochondria. I can sympathize with a person who does not like to see a woman with a bundle of dirty clothes for washing get into a public conveyance, but there is no use in going to extremes. Ever since the resources of Koch and Pasteur have attracted attention the number of microbe maniacs has steadily increased."—San Francisco Call.

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The ties on the Santa Fe track in California are "picked" in a solution of general salt of zinc. There are three or four big "picking" establishments at intervals along the road between Albuquerque and Los Angeles. The process makes a pine tie immortal. In this dry atmosphere it lasts forever. The Santa Fe tracks through the desert are sprinkled with oil to keep down the dust. The oil is renewed once in three years. It costs \$30 a mile, and it is worth many times the money to the passengers.—San Francisco Examiner.



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"As far as known chloroform and ether have never taken effect on a healthy sleeping person without the aid of a person knowing it. Both of these anaesthetics are at first stimulating and invigorating in their effect and will arouse a sleeping person. The entire system is excited, and the heart beats violently and fast. The use of either chloroform or ether on a sleeping person knowing it is absurd. It frequently takes physicians with their various appliances from 10 to 15 minutes to put a person under the influence of either of these anaesthetics, and often a patient will become so stimulated by the use of the ether that it is secured that it requires several strong men to hold him."

The idea that the mere introduction of chloroform into a room would cause unconsciousness was derided as absurd. Even if doors and windows were all securely closed and the room filled with the heavy fumes as to affect a sleeper on a bed of average height. And the first effect would be, not deep sleep, but excited wakefulness. The chances are, then, that when anybody claims to have been chloroformed while sleeping there is something queer about the case.—New York Times.

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Although Badly Beaten, they still Continue Active Operations.

Manila, Aug. 19, via Hong Kong, August 22.—The Filipino rebels appear to retain much more of a fighting spirit than might be expected after their recent San Fernando experiences and General Lawton's drubbing in the south. After rising up San Fernando with a feeble struggle, they entrenched themselves at Angeles, working for several days and impressing non-combatants into the work, thus saving the armed men for the fighting. They engaged Lieut. Col. Smith's regiment and the artillery warmly for four hours, making one of the most stubborn resistances of the campaign. But the Americans are indebted to the usual poor marksmanship of the Filipinos, as well as to their own strategy, for their small losses. In the province of Cavite, where it was supposed the rebels had been scattered and demoralized by heavy recuperation, they have assembled an army of several thousand men, distributed among the important towns from the lake to the bay.

After the San Fernando engagement the rebels attempted to deter the Americans from a further advance northward by menacing the railroad communications. Several hundred of General Pio del Pilar's men crossed the Rio Grande between the American outpost towns and threatened Balibago, Quinica and other places with small American garrisons, while during Sunday and Monday nights smaller bands tried to tear up the railroad track at several points between Bigaa and Malolos. Reinforcements of American troops, however, were sent along the railroad from Manila to San Fernando, while the forces at Balibago and Quinica sailed out against General Pio del Pilar's men, and the rebels were easily driven away. In brushes between these Filipinos and the Americans during three days the Americans lost several men, while the Filipinos' loss was heavy.

General MacArthur is establishing municipal governments in the villages north of Manila. The mayor of Balibago, the first town where General Lawton established the same rule, who was supposed to be one of the most friendly and trustworthy of the natives, has been placed in jail, charged with arranging with the rebels for an attack on the town. The American troops have been withdrawn from all that part of the country, which was half cleared of rebels in the expedition of the Americans in June last. The rebels have returned to San Mateo, which was abandoned for the third time after its recent capture.

### Death of Dr. J. Pembroke Thom.

Dr. J. Pembroke Thom, one of the most widely known physicians of Baltimore, died at 12:50 o'clock on Monday, the 21st, at his residence, 829 Park Ave. He was 71 years old. Dr. Thom was born in Culpepper Co., Va., on March 13th, 1828. He was of Scotch descent, his grand-father, Alexander Thom, having escaped to America and settled in Virginia after having taken part in an uprising against the British King.

At the breaking out of the Mexican war, Dr. Thom entered the U. S. army as Lieutenant of the 11th Regiment of Infantry, and served with credit throughout the war. He afterward studied medicine and graduated at Jefferson medical college, Philadelphia. Dr. Thom served during the civil war as captain of a battalion in the regular Confederate army.

He was a pronounced democrat, but in no sense a violent partisan; was elected to the city council in 1877, and was speaker of the House of Delegates in 1884-6; was a candidate for the State Senate in 1897, but was defeated by Mr. Louis Putzel, a republican. It was mainly owing to the efforts of Dr. Thom that the Institution for feeble-minded children at Owings Mills was established. It is a state institution and is doing a good work for a class of people who had been entirely neglected by the state. Dr. Thom was appointed a member of the board of trustees for the institution, and was afterward made president.

He also was one of the founders of the Hospital for the Women of Maryland, and for many years a member of the Board of Trustees of Spring Grove Asylum, and for the past four years served as President of the board. Dr. Thom was well known and universally respected throughout the state, and will be missed, not only by his friends, but by the institutions whose welfare he did so much to promote.

The success of Victor Liver Syrup is a merited one. It is a simple yet powerful medicine that strikes straight out from the source of all disease conditions of the system, and is a general family medicine.

### The Storm in Porto Rico.

The latest reports of the destruction caused by the hurricane in Porto Rico, places the number of killed at over 1,000. General Davis who makes the above estimate, also says that over 100,000 are destitute, more than one-half of this number being homeless. The loss of property will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars, and as all the bananas, rice and corn, and half of the potatoes are destroyed, the condition of the people is pitiable.

The appeal of the officials of the island to the people of the United States has met with a generous response, and shipments of provisions, etc., have been collected in all the principal sea-port cities, which will be sent to Porto Rico in government transports. The loss of life in the Bahama islands is estimated at 1,000.

During the civil war, as well as in our late war with Spain, diarrhoea was one of the most troublesome diseases the army had to contend with, and in many instances it became chronic and the old soldiers still suffer from it. Mr. David Taylor of Wind Ridge, Grease Co., Pa., is one of these. He has Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and says he never found anything that would give him such quick relief as for Dr. J. C. S. McKinney, Druggist, Taneytown, Md.

(Continued from First Page.) plant of which is quite extensive. A fellow traveler volunteers the information that the concern has a government contract for postal cards, and turns out several million a day. Although this is not the great soft coal section of the state, still there are many evidences of the important mineral along the mountain sides.

We now pass into mountains in earnest. If the Blue Ridge is magnificent, the Alleghenies are stupendous. The scenery becomes wildly grand, and one has a difficulty to see the tops without special effort. We rise out of the valley entirely, and climb along the mountain side leaving the valley follow the best it can find. Further we go we reduce the height of the mountains in a steady puff, pull and climb, the scenery being a continuous kaleidoscope picture of beauty, too grand to describe. To describe, from a fleeting view, until Altamont is reached, at an elevation of 2800 feet above sea level.

It is difficult for us to appreciate that, having reached the top, we do not begin at once to descend, but such is not at all the case, and this will be explained in one or more succeeding letters. Strange as it may seem to our former readers, oats harvest is in full blast—and such oats, it is as tall as our wheat and as closely shocked as many of our best wheat fields. We also pass many large fields of buckwheat, which seems to grow here in its full development.

But, this letter is growing too lengthy and we must conclude. Deer Park, the famous B. & O. resort, with its beautiful and extensive expanse of green and carefully kept lawn, with its background of imposing white hotels, is passed, with the full intention of coming back for a day before we leave for home, and a few miles further we hear the call, "All out for Mountain Lake Park," and then we are soon on the platform surrounded by shouting huckmen and hundreds of cottagers who are in waiting for friends, the daily papers, or just to see the faces of the new arrivals.

**Middleburg.** The marriage of Mr. George Ambrose, an employee of Mr. W. R. Walden, and Miss Nora Zentz, which took place August 16th, in Westminster, was announced last Friday. Miss Zentz is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zentz, of Middleburg. She left home some time previous to the wedding, saying she was going to visit friends in Washington, D. C., but only got as far as Westminster, where she was joined by the groom-elect on the day named. A license was hastily procured, and the two married on by Rev. Bixler, of Westminster. It seems as the bride's parents did not entirely approve of her marrying Mr. Ambrose, caused the elopement, but they have since released.

Miss Grace Lynn, after having spent a pleasant visit with her sister, Miss Mary Lynn, of Union Bridge, returned home Monday. Mr. George Wireman, a cigar maker of Thurmont, has found employment with Mr. Frank Zentz, of Middleburg. The members of Mr. Union Sunday school held their annual picnic Saturday, on a shady plot of ground about one mile from this village. The school rendered a very fine program under the management of Rev. Baughman, pastor of Mt. Union church, and Miss Lizzie Birely, superintendent of the Sunday school.

### The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c, at R. S. McKinney's drug store.

### Woodstock.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the Lutheran parsonage in Frederick, last Wednesday, Aug. 23rd, by Rev. Luther Kuhlman, the contracting parties being Miss Young, a accomplished young lady of this place, and Mr. Lewis Haller, a very popular young man of Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Haller will make their future home in Frederick, where the groom is engaged in business. May their future days be many, and may happiness surround their pathway through life, is the wish of their many friends.

Mr. Charles J. Miller, of Baltimore, is visiting his former home at this place.

Master Harry Trout, of near this place, is dangerously ill at present.

Mr. Edward Doreus and family, of Port Deposit, is visiting his parents at this place.

There will be services in the Reformed church next Sunday morning, at the usual hour, and in the M. P. church at 12:30 p. m.

Mr. Hoffman, of Charlesville, and Miss Dossie Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hezekiah Fox, were quietly married at the Lutheran parsonage, last Wednesday evening, Aug. 23rd, by Rev. R. S. Patterson; only a few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will reside near Charlesville. May they have a pleasant voyage over the sea of wedded life, is the wish of all their friends.

The Missionary society of the Reformed church held their regular monthly meeting last Sunday evening, Aug. 20th, at which time an excellent programme was rendered.

Miss Laura Feaser still continues very ill, with but little hope of her recovery.

Dr. W. H. Wagner, who has been very ill for several weeks, is, we are glad to say, able to get out again.

A great deal of threshing is being done in this vicinity, and the farmers say they have a larger crop than they expected.

**Special Excursion to the York Sesqui-Centennial, Sept. 5.**

Arrangements have been completed for the running of a special excursion, via the Western Maryland Railroad to the York Sesqui-Centennial Celebration on Tuesday, September 5, the date of the great Trades' Display and parade of business and industrial floats. This will be the "big day" of the celebration. Other features will include Dr. Davis's magnificent spectacle, "The Battle of Manila," showing the destruction of the Spanish fleet by Admiral Dewey's squadron. A splendid display of fireworks and prize band contests will take place in the evening. Special train will leave Union Bridge at 8:04 and Bruceville at 8:13 a. m. Returning leave York at 10 p. m. Round trip from Union Bridge or Bruceville, \$1.20. Tickets limited to date and special train. The great parade will start at 2 p. m.

General Lewis M. Zimmerman, department commander for Maryland, G. A. K., has issued his general order for the part the department will take in the national encampment at Philadelphia, September 4th, and the reception in honor of Captain Dyer, in Baltimore, September 13th.

Efforts are being made to secure a pardon for Samuel Newcomer sentenced to two years in the House of Correction, for cemetery desecration at Williamsport.

Fifty dollars in various counterfeit coins was found in old house near Sharpsburg.

## When Tramps Were Useless.

"You may have heard this story before," said one of the delegates to the whist congress at the Auditorium yesterday, "but do you know that there was once a man who got 13 trumps and yet succeeded in taking only one trick?"

"Oh, pshaw!" exclaimed another expert, "that's impossible. It wouldn't make any difference how poor a player he was he couldn't help taking all the tricks if he had all the trumps."

"Nevertheless, it's a fact that one trick was all he took."

"Well, will you please explain how such a thing could happen?"

"He trumped his partner's ace on the first lead and was immediately thrown out of the window."—Chicago Times-Herald.

## A Slight Difference.



The Jay—Whichever says "Lookout!"

The Kid—I didn't say "Lookout!" I said "Watch out!"—New York Journal.

## Lavatory of Her Love.

"To prove my love," I cried desperately, "let me tell you during how many weeks I have scarcely closed my eyes in sleep, during how many days I have eaten only"—

Here, with an imperious gesture, she waved him to silence.

"Statistics prove nothing!" she said. Ah, but what a cold clamor! It was like an icicle plunged into his throbbing heart!—Detroit Journal.

## Up to Date.

"Poor Emma!" said Maybelle. "What's the matter with Emma?" demanded Kathryn.

"She has such an unfortunate name. It has to be spelled in the same old way that has been familiar for generations."

"I guess you haven't read a letter from her recently. She signs her name E-m-m-a-a-a!"—Chicago Post.

## Waiting on His Neighbors.

"The grass on your lawn is getting pretty tall," remarked a friend who had dropped in at the home of a North Columbus resident.

"Yes," replied the latter, "I want to have it cut as soon as the neighbors get through with my lawn mower."—Ohio State Journal.

## His Generosity.

"We girls have formed a rowing club," she said, "and I must have a suitable costume."

"You can have mine," interrupted her brother generously.

He had roved in his college eight—Chicago Post.

## A Chance to Exhibit.

"Graduate, Eleanor, why do you give a luncheon in such hot weather?"

"I simply have to, Harvey. You forget that we have a new dining table and new chairs."—Chicago Record.

## More Information.

Tommy—Say, how's law?

Mr. Pigg—Well?

"How big is the universe?"

"As big as all outdoors, of course."—Indianapolis Journal.

## Contemplated Light Housekeeping.

Stacy Press, (to a young applicant for his daughter's hand)—Young man, can you support a family?

Young Man (meekly)—I only wanted Sarah, sir.—Trib-Bits.

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**PUBLIC SALE of Farming Implements, Household Furniture, etc., of Tobias Harner, one mile south of Taneytown, September 8th.**

**NOTICE** On the 4th. of September next I will have my office in Dr. Hitchcock's office, for the purpose of filing vouchers for pensioners.

S-26-2t. A. F. ORNDORFF, J. P.

**JUST RECEIVED A Car Load of Water Melons. Special prices on lots.**

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**WE HAVE** rented the warehouse property at Rocky Ridge, Md., and will take charge June 5th. This will in no way interfere with our business at York Road, Md., where we will be glad to see and serve our friends as usual.

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