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## NEWS NOTES HERE AND THERE

### Condensed Items of Interest from County, State and Our Exchanges.

Ex-United States Senator, David B. Hill, and former Governor of New York, he of "I am a Democrat" fame, died Friday, near Albany, N. Y. He was one of the most widely known political figures in this country, ten years ago.

The political battle in New York, this year, will be hard fought, but those who are in the best position to judge the situation concede that Dix, the Democratic candidate for Governor, will likely be elected, notwithstanding the hard personal fight that Col. Roosevelt is making.

It is confidently expected that the Methodist Episcopal, the Methodist Episcopal south, and the Methodist Protestant denominations, will likely decide to unite, at the big church conference to be held in Baltimore, on November 30. It is said that only minor differences keep them apart, and that there never was a time when the spirit for union was so hopeful.

The Democratic Advocate, Westminster, issued as a supplement, last week, a History of Carroll County, in Magazine form, containing "write-ups" of the county, Westminster, and the other important towns of the county, also of numerous business enterprises, prefaced with a map of Carroll county, showing the location of the main roads, towns and villages. The work is abundantly illustrated, and well worth preserving for the information it contains.

At the meeting of the house of Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church Convention, the canon on the subject of marriages and divorce was changed to prevent the marriage of anybody who has been divorced. Divorced persons, whether they be innocent or guilty of any of the acts which permit a divorce, cannot remarry in the Church. The rectors of all churches will be notified of this action of the Episcopal convention and will govern themselves accordingly.

A good friend here in Littlestown recently took us to task on our little anti-rum paragraphs with the argument that the sale thereof "makes business." Yes, we are compelled to admit that it makes business for the saloon, business for the police, business for the lawyer, business for the sheriff, business for the courts, business for the tax collector, business for the doctor, business for the jailer, business for the hangman, business for the undertaker.—*Adams County Independent.*

For the first time since the discovery of gold in the Black Hills and the founding of Deadwood, the "lid" is on and gambling has ceased. All saloons are ordered to remove screens and to close promptly at 11 o'clock each night. But worse than all, the "no treating" law is being enforced, and it has become a criminal offense to invite a man to "let's liquor." The City Council of Deadwood, acting in conjunction with the same body in other Black Hills cities, has passed strict ordinances closing up the town, and these laws are being rigidly enforced. The entire Black Hills are in a dazed condition as a result.

Figures tending to show the relation between occupation and tuberculosis of the lungs, and apparently indicating that agricultural pursuits are more favorable to health in this respect than other employments, were made public this week by the Census Bureau. The statement issued says that "among the men in the agricultural pursuits, considered as a separate class, out of the total number of deaths reported for all causes, at the age period 25 to 34 years, those from tuberculosis of the lungs formed 26.2 per cent.; in the domestic and personal service class, 32.3 per cent.; in the trade and transportation class, 31.9 per cent.; and in the manufacturing and mechanical pursuits, 30.8 per cent."

John K. Tener, Republican candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania, has issued a lengthy statement in which he reviewed his entire connection with the National Securities Company, and unqualifiedly denied the accusations of irregularities and alleged fraud in the management and conduct of the company. In the course of his statement Mr. Tener offers to purchase from the present holders any stock that may have been sold on the strength of his being president or connected with the company. His connection with the concern he limits to two months, January and February, and relates in detail how he returned in full stock that was sent to him by the managers of the company. He has brought suit for libel against the Phila. North American.

Erwin Valentine, 34 years old, of Rocky Ridge, was dashed against a telephone pole in a runaway accident near Emmitsburg, Thursday, receiving injuries which resulted in death several hours later. A young man named Hann, who was in the buggy at the time, escaped serious injury. Valentine, who was a son of Ezra Valentine, had purchased the horse from Hann and was giving the animal a trial drive. They drove from Rocky Ridge to Emmitsburg. In making the return trip Valentine insisted on driving. He took the reins and whip and instantly the horse dashed off. The buggy struck a telephone pole and he was thrown out unconscious. Hann jumped and caught the runaway, but the vehicle was demolished. The injured man was attended by Dr. Stone, of Emmitsburg, but he died without regaining consciousness. He is survived by a widow and four children.

### Don't Fail to Vote!

The Congressional campaign in this county, this year, has been a quiet one, not only on the part of the candidates themselves, but of the party workers. This may have a tendency toward producing disinterest on the part of voters, and cause some to stay at home, but there is, in fact, no real cause for such a course. Naturally, when there is but one candidate on each ticket, that candidate can not speak everywhere, or see everybody in three counties, but this should not create the impression that the election is of little importance.

The local workers in each district have no right to go to sleep in such a campaign, and let their candidates suffer. True, the voters themselves ought not need any looking after, but it is one of the certain defects in our popular elections, that they do. Lack of interest in politics, lack of attention to business, or the careless engineering of a work in hand, may be, and often is, responsible for disastrous consequences.

As a sign of intelligence and good citizenship, we hope that Carroll county will turn out a big vote this year. Men who believe in party rule, or those who choose to exercise liberty of choice between candidates, irrespective of party, should make their power felt by voting.

This is an important election; one of the most important for years. Both parties are making a strenuous effort to control Congress, and most of the Maryland districts are classed as "doubtful." On the result of this election, very much depends; so, no matter what your affiliations and preferences maybe, go to the polls and express them. Don't let the returns show a large stay-at-home vote, for this is never complimentary to the intelligence of a section.

### Jurors for the November Term.

Judge Thomas, on Monday, drew the following Jurors, by districts for the term of Circuit Court which will open on Monday, November 14.

Taneytown—Tobias Harner, James H. Reindollar, Tobias A. Martin, Robert V. Arnold.

Uniontown—Ezra E. Caylor, Ezra D. Spangler, Aaron F. Hildebride, Charles J. Maus.

Hamstead—Franklin H. Beachler, Edward H. Brown, John H. Frock.

Woolery—Henry F. Waukling, Ivan H. Sayers, Adam Hughes, John P. Klee.

Freedom—Greenburg Wilson, Eli T. Frizzell, Pennington T. Bennett.

Manchester—Charles M. Ridgely, Emanuel Bailey, Jacob W. Warehime, Ephraim W. Reed, Levi Sterner.

Westminster—Paul Case, Francis L. Hunter, Charles Gloyd Lynch, Joshua D. Owings, Jesse H. Null, Francis E. Reese, Nathaniel H. Baumgartner, William R. Steele, Milton A. Myers.

Hamstead—Jonas Nendecker, David W. Tawney, Edward F. Rohrbach.

Franklin—Harry R. Trayer, James J. Franklin.

Middleburg—Isaac Iler, Frederick Littlefield.

New Windsor—Samuel W. Bond, William A. Anders, Charles E. Lambert.

Union Bridge—Gideon Smith, John Urner Englar.

Mount Airy—George W. Main, S. William Stockhouse.

Berrett—Luther M. Bushey, David M. Shoemaker.

### Dr. Kalbach vs. McCoy.

York, Pa., Oct. 26.—A decision in the six-month team case which has been attracting considerable attention in the local courts, was reached to-day, when a jury rendered a verdict in favor of Dr. Adam H. Kalbach, of Lancaster. The suit was in the nature of a replevin to decide whether Dr. Kalbach or Thomas McCoy was the owner.

McCoy then instituted two suits for damages for malicious prosecution, one of which is based upon the Maryland criminal suit brought by Dr. Kalbach, and the other upon a suit for larceny brought by Dr. Kalbach, and J. V. Stonifer, of this city, in the local courts.

The first case was taken up for trial immediately after the ownership of the team had been decided, but was continued at the cost of the plaintiff. The second suit is still on trial.

### Orphans' Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, October 24th., 1910.—Mary Jane Shriver and Louis E. Shriver, executors of Henry Wirt Shriver, deceased, returned additional inventory of money, received order to transfer Stocks and Bonds and settled their first and final account.

The last will and testament of Joshua S. Brothers, deceased, admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon granted unto Martha E. Brothers, who received warrants to appraise real estate and personal property, also order to notify creditors.

George E. Bopst, administrator of Rosa A. Bopst, deceased, returned additional report of sale of personal property and settled his first and final account.

Margaret V. Buckingham, administrator of Wilbur R. Buckingham, deceased, settled her first and final account.

William G. Wetzel, administrator of Levi Wetzel, deceased, settled his first and final account.

Letters of guardianship granted unto Margaret V. Buckingham, as guardian of Mildred R. Buckingham, an Infant.

Theodore F. Englar and Lewis K. Woodward, administrators of Samuel Rood, deceased, received an order to sell Bonds.

## TAXABLE BASIS INCREASE.

### All Returns Show Decided Increase in Basis, and Higher Taxes.

The returns so far received at the office of the State Tax Commissioner from the counties where reassessment is in progress, show a large increase in the taxable basis, now estimated to reach a billion of dollars in the entire State.

It is generally expected by tax officials that the new valuation will show an increase of from 10 per cent. in some counties to 40 per cent. in others. These estimates are based upon recent land and other property sales, especially along water fronts, where the increases have in many instances exceeded 100 per cent. In Somerset and Worcester counties the estimates of the tax officials have been fully sustained. The returns from Washington county indicate an increase of \$10,000,000 in the total real and personal valuations, the present total being \$22,566,366.

Whether this great increase in the basis will be beneficial to the tax-payers, or not, will depend on the action of the next legislature, and the Commissioners for the various counties, but there can be no relief, so far as the state tax is concerned, for the years 1911 and 1912. For 1911 the rate will be 22 cents and for 1912, 23 cents on the \$100. These rates will be levied on the new basis, and will greatly increase the amount of taxes to be paid.

There will be a strong incentive on the part of state and county officials to hold up the rates, in order that an era of extravagance and increased public expenditure can be entered into, and this question will likely play an important part in the election of next year, for legislative and county offices.

### Protest Against Ballot.

The Board of Election Supervisors for Baltimore County at a meeting held on Tuesday, at Towson decided upon the form of ballot to be used at the coming congressional election and overruled a protest made to the arrangement by Mr. Laban Sparks on behalf of the Republican county executive committee, who claimed that the blank space on the ballot should not be at the top of the column. This space is to allow a voter to write down any name not printed on the ballot.

The committee say it should be at the bottom.

The form of the ballot is as follows:

1. Blank space.

2. William B. Baker, R.

3. Harry E. Gilbert, Pro.

4. Charles W. Smiley, Soc.

5. Joshua F. C. Talbot, D.

This form was approved by Charles H. Wise and William S. F. Coghlan, Democratic supervisors. Mr. Garrett N. Zimmerman, Republican, voted against it on account of the complaint referred to above.

This is the form that will likely be used in Carroll County, and is a disadvantage to the Republican candidate for the reason that voters are apt to mark in the square above the one opposite Mr. Baker's name, while the Democrats will hardly be able to miss the last square of the ballot opposite Mr. Talbot's name.

### Series of Revival Services.

(For the Carroll Record.)

A series of revival services, with unprecedented interest and attendance, is now in progress in the church of the Brethren, in Long Green Valley, Balto. County. Already some have made the full surrender to the will of the Lord. Evening after evening Rev. Wm. E. Roop, A. M., and Civ. Eng., of Westminster, who is conducting the meetings, prefaces his sermons with short talks and exhibits of something brought with him while traveling in the Holy Land. The habits and customs of the people, who lived here in the days of the making of the Bible, are thus clearly elucidated.

### Synod to Meet in Taneytown.

The 91st annual convention of the Maryland Synod, which met in Smithburg from Thursday evening last, until Monday, adjourned to meet next year in Taneytown by invitation of the congregation.

All of the old officers of the Synod were re-elected: Rev. Chas. F. Steck, of Washington, president; J. C. Bowers, of Catonsville, secretary; Cornelius Eckhardt, of Washington, treasurer. The following were elected delegates to General-Synod, which will convene in Washington, June 7, 1911:

Clerical—Rev. Dr. Charles S. Albert, Ferdinand Hesse, U. S. G. Rupp, Dr. L. M. Zimmerman, C. S. Trump, P. A. Heilman, E. K. Bell, J. S. Simon and W. H. Dunbar.

Lay—C. Eckhart, A. F. Fox, James Stearns, W. I. Bickle, John Hubner, W. W. Doub, G. Klinefelter, L. Burger and Dr. Heimbach.

There are 95 pastors in the Synod, 154 churches, 18 stations, 24 ministerial students, 2,936 catechumens, 25,844 communicant members, 31,141 confirmed members and 39,614 baptized members. The contributions for local expenses, all purposes, last year were \$213,368.27. The number of Sunday Schools is 150, officers and teachers of Sunday Schools, 3,100; scholars, 27,089. The contributions for support of Sunday Schools and local objects last year were \$20,836.96; for benevolent purposes \$51,924.31, and the grand total, \$265,292.58.

Six congregations in the Synod have a baptized membership of over 1,000, as follows: First, St. Mark's and Trinity, of Baltimore; St. Paul's and German, of Cumberland, and Zion, of Middle-town.

The per-capita apportionment for benevolence was fixed for the coming year at \$1.58. The Synod, next year, will meet on Wednesday, October 18, which will permit the pastors to return home for their Sunday services.

### Instructions to Voters.

Attorney General Isaac Lobe Straus has prepared the following Instructions to voters as directed by Article 33, Code of Public General Laws, and amendment thereto:

1. To vote. Enter room, step up to guard rail, give name and registered residence to the judges. Wait until your name is found upon the registers, then get ballot from the judge in charge of the ballots. See that he has written your name and number on the coupon attached to the ballot and his own name or initials on the back of the ballot itself.

2. Upon receiving your ballot, retire to one of the booths or compartments and prepare your ballot by marking with an indelible pencil after the name of every person, or persons for whom you wish to vote, and to the right thereof, in the blank space provided thereon, a cross mark, for example (X); and in case of a question submitted to a vote of the people by marking likewise in the appropriate space a cross mark against the answer you desire to give. If you wish to vote for some one whose name is not printed on the official ballot you can write the name of such person in the blank space on the ballot provided for that purpose.

3. In marking the ballot you may take with you into the polling place any written or printed memorandum or paper to assist you in preparing your ballot, except a fac-simile of the ballot to be voted. You must prepare and deposit your ballot without undue delay. Before coming from behind the curtain in front of your compartment you must fold your ballot in the same way as it was folded when you received it, so that the marks you have made upon it shall be entirely concealed. You then hand your folded ballot to the judge at the ballot-box, give him your name and registered address and wait until he tears off the coupon containing your name and number, and strings it, and deposits your ballot in the ballot-box, you must then leave the polling room and cannot again go behind the guard rail during the day.

4. A voter must not go into any compartment occupied by another or converse with any other voter while engaged in a compartment, nor can he occupy a compartment more than seven (7) minutes if others are waiting.

5. You must not take any ballot out-side the guard rail. If you spoil a ballot you must deliver the spoiled ballot to the judge in charge of the ballots and receive another from him. If you spoil three ballots you lose your vote.

6. A voter who is physically disabled from marking his ballot must make affidavit to that effect if he desires assistance. The polling clerks after such affidavit has been made, can accompany him into one of the apartments and there mark his ballot as he instructs them, marking only the names of the candidates whom he shall name. The clerks are not allowed to read the ballot to him.

7. Any voter who shall allow his ballot to be seen by any person with the apparent intention of letting it be known how he is about to vote, or place any distinguishing marks upon his ballot, or who shall make a false statement as to his inability to mark his ballot, or who shall interfere or attempt to interfere with any voter when inside the enclosed space in the polling room, or when marking his ballot or who shall endeavor to induce any voter before voting to show how he marks or has marked his ballot, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five (\$5) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100) dollars or by imprisonment in jail for a period of not exceeding sixty (60) days, or by both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

### Maryland Farms Best.

Mr. A. F. Trappe, secretary of the Maryland State Bureau of Immigration, returned after a trip through the West and has reported to Superintendent M. V. Brewington that Maryland as an agricultural State, as well as a social and business center, is far to be preferred to any other State in the Union. He attended the Farmers' Congress meeting in Lincoln, Neb., and reports, in part as follows:

"From my observation, the agricultural work in the States I have visited suffers much from the want of sufficient help; the same cry is heard in the West as in Maryland. There is a general unrest among farmers in the Western States on account of big inducements which the Canadian Government makes to get settlers to Canada. I found out that thousands who in consequence of these offers emigrated last year, and who started into farming were struck by misfortune this year, in so far as all their crops froze in the ground during August. Most of them are returning.

"I made a comparison of conditions in the West with the farming of Maryland and came to the conclusion that our State has by far more to offer than any other State east or south of the Rocky Mountains. It is our fine climate and, furthermore, the good markets and social conditions and the immense increase of the population in the Eastern section of the country which make Maryland a desirable spot to many, who are willing to come East and look into our conditions with the idea of settling here.

"In stading farming I found that the three staple crops in the Far West are corn, wheat and cattle, and in some States they are raising more hogs now than ever before. The result of the wheat crops in all the States west of the Alleghany Mountains is far below the average results shown in Maryland. The corn crop is considered a failure in the Western States on account of the dry spell, and fruit is nowhere to be found except a few orchards in Wisconsin and in Michigan.

Eight or ten new cases of diphtheria were reported in Waynesboro, Pa., last week. There are now 22 cases in the town. Typhoid fever has also broken out. Special policemen were appointed to enforce a strict quarantine.

## STATE C. E. CONVENTION.

### Proceedings and Items of Interest from the Cumberland Convention.

The State C. E. Convention opened in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Cumberland, on Wednesday morning, the program being carried out as prepared, the morning session being devoted to officers' reports.

C. E. Ecker, of Baltimore, the transportation manager, spoke of the plans of the big Atlantic City convention in 1911. The subject of "Christian Endeavor Fundamentals" was taken up and then discussed by R. A. Harris, C. E. Ecker and Frederick Ohrenschall, of Baltimore, and George Mather, of Westminster.

The annual report of L. B. Mather, of Baltimore, general secretary, says that "Christian Endeavor in Maryland is advancing splendidly."

The denominational divisions of societies is as follows:

Methodist Protestant, 102; Presbyterian, 57; Lutheran, 42; United Brethren, 24; Christian, 11; United Evangelical, 10; African Methodist Episcopal, 7; Reformed, 7; Union, 6; Baptist, 4; Congregational, 4; Church of God, 3; Lutheran and Reformed, 3; Reformed Episcopal, 2; Independent Methodist, Protestant Episcopal, Moravian, Progressive Dunkard and German Lutheran, 1 each, making a total of 290 societies in the State, an increase of 26 over last year.

The 26 new societies formed were distributed as follows: Carroll, 6; Baltimore city, 3; Allegany, 4; Washington, 3; Baltimore, 3; Frederick, 2; Harford, 2; Anne Arundel, Kent and Prince George's, 1 each.

The total contribution is about \$15,876.50, \$1,000 less than last year, the shortage being entirely in home and foreign missions.

At the afternoon session, Mr. Wm. H. Anderson, of the Anti Saloon League made an address in which he gave the Endeavors of Baltimore credit for material influence in the election of Mr. Eldridge to the House of Delegates from the Third district. He said that in Ohio it took seven years to come within one vote of winning the local option fight, and at the next session they won. In Illinois, with the experience of Ohio, it took five years to come within one vote of winning, and the next time they won. Maryland in three years has come within one vote of winning, and Mr. Anderson predicted victory next year without question for his cause if the present interest is maintained.

Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, of Salisbury, presided at the evening session, which was given to "Temperance and Citizenship." The church was crowded. The devotional exercises were in charge of Rev. W. Edgar Pierce, of Cumberland. The principal address was by Homer L. Castle, of Pittsburg, who has been prominent in politics in that city, on "Christianity in American Politics."

At this session the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—William M. Robinson, Baltimore.

Vice-Presidents—Walter Gale, Baltimore; Charles E. Shaw, Cumberland; Rev. W. T. M. Beale, Salisbury.

General Secretary—Alfred S. Day, Baltimore.

Recording Secretary—R. L. Mosburg, Baltimore.

Treasurer—George Mather, Westminster.

Junior Superintendent—Mrs. Charles W. France, Baltimore.

Superintendent Introduction Department—Miss Myra Ale, Baltimore.

Convention adjourned Thursday night without naming a place of meeting for next year, the selection being left with the executive committee. It is thought, however, that Frederick may be selected.

So great was the enthusiasm when Mr. Day spoke in behalf of the proposed memorial building for Dr. Francis E. Clark, the founder of the Christian Endeavor, that in a few minutes 100 small pocket banks were distributed to the delegates. Each bank holds \$3 in dimes, and each dime will buy a brick in the building.

### Refuses \$10,000 For Cow.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—W. W. Marsh, of Waterloo, Ia., owner of Dairy Maid of Finest, the champion cow of the world, now on exhibition at the dairy show at the Coliseum, refused \$10,000 for his pet to-day.

The offer was made by Mrs. Truman W. Brophy, wife of the Chicago dentist, who raised the champion and sold her to Mr. Marsh a year and a half ago for \$5000. Mrs. Brophy maintains a dairy farm at Morristown, N. J., where she has one of the finest Guernsey herds in the country. Mrs. Brophy does not aim to conduct the farm for profit, her hobby being to obtain the most valuable Guernsey cows possible for her collection.

Dairy Maid in the last twelve months has produced 1003 pounds of butter. The champion is just a month over three years of age.

### Record Price for Bacon.

Chicago, Oct. 26.—In the face of a steady decline in the price of hogs and corn, on which they are fed, Chicagoans who desired to eat bacon yesterday discovered that they were compelled to pay the highest price ever obtained for the salt meat in times of peace—35 cents a pound sliced.

The sole reason for the situation, according to C. W. Foster, a veteran provision dealer, lies in the shortage of bacon producing hogs.

No matter what the facts might seem to indicate, said he, the difficulty lies in the inability of the packers to buy the porkers.

This situation, he said, would be changed in the interest of the public, and lower prices just as soon as a new yield of hogs could be produced from the cheaper corn.

### Largest Steamship Afloat.

The largest steamship afloat now, is the Olympia, launched last week at Belfast, Scotland. Her length over all is 882 feet, breadth 92 feet, height from bottom of keel to deck, 97 feet, while the distance from keel to top of funnel is 175 feet.

The gigantic measurements of this vessel can only be fully appreciated when comparisons are made; for instance, six times her length would measure a few feet over a mile, or over 4 times the height of Washington's monument, in Baltimore. It will carry 2500 passengers and a crew of 860 men besides.

In its equipment, it is a floating world, with stores, hotel equipment, a hospital, and about everything one would need in every day life on land, including a daily newspaper. Of course, it is for the United States to look at, and patronize, and not to own, as it will fly the British flag. It will carry Uncle Sam's mails, between New York and England, beginning next Summer, as well as our wealthy people to Europe, where they can spend their money.

### Great is Baseball.

The athletic club, of Philadelphia, won the world's championship, last Sunday, from the Chicago club, by winning four out of five games. There are some things about baseball which do not commend themselves to our best people, chief among which is Sunday playing in certain cities; but, notwithstanding this, it is a great game and has a strong hold on the American people, as the following figures relative to the championship games will show.

Three of the games were played in Philadelphia, and two in Chicago. The total attendance was 125,219, and the total receipts \$173,980, of which \$79,071.93 will be divided among the players. As there are 23 players in each team eligible to participate, each Philadelphia is entitled to \$2,062, and each Chicagoan \$1,373, according to agreement made as to division prior to the series. Many of these players, however, had no part in the championship contest, other than to help place their teams, during the regular season, at the head of the two great leagues.

An unusual arrest was made at Waynesboro, Pa., last Saturday afternoon, when H. C. Carbaugh and his son, Melvin Carbaugh, of Frederick, Md., were taken into custody for being drunk and disorderly. They spent the night in the lockup and were fined \$6.50 each.

### MARRIED.

EPPLEY-LEMMON.—At the Lutheran Parsonage on Wednesday evening Oct. 19, by Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler, Miss Gertrude May Lemmon, of near Taneytown, and Mr. Allen Eppley, of Two Taverns.

### DIED.

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

ECK.—The RECORD received a letter, on Monday, from Lawrence Wooden, Ocean Park, Calif., formerly of Hampstead, this county, stating that he had been dropped in at the National Soldier's Home, at Sawtelle, Cal., and discovered a funeral notice on the bulletin board for Samuel T. Eck, Captain Co. G, Third Regiment P. H. B., and upon inquiry found that he was originally from Taneytown. The letter goes on to say that he died rather suddenly, on the 16th., and that the funeral was on the 18th. Also, that the Adjutant in charge of the Home (which has between 2000 and 3000 inmates) is a Hagerstown man by the name of Startzman, whose father and Capt. Eck were old friends.

Capt. Eck will be remembered by many of the older citizens of Taneytown vicinity, as a brother of Miss Lizzie Eck, now of New York city and the only survivor of the family, and of Mrs. Annie Payne and Mr. Henry T. Eck, both of whom died here. Mrs. Payne only a few years ago.

Capt. Eck enlisted as a private in Co. G, on Nov. 12, 1861; promoted to corporal; Sec. Lieutenant, Jan. 1, 1863; First Lieutenant, May 16, 1864; Captain, May 9, 1865. The following are survivors in Taneytown District, of his Company: Nathan Angell, Worthington Fringer, Ezekiah D. Hawk, Nelson Hawk and Samuel D. Slagenhaupt. He was about 79 years of age.

HARPEL.—John W. Harpel died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Stanley C. Smith, Hanover, Pa., Tuesday, Oct. 25, after an illness of five months, from a complication of diseases, aged 72 years, 10 months and 4 days.

Mr. Harpel came to Hanover from Glen Rock, about 38 years ago. He conducted the Franklin House on York Street several years, after which he moved to Littlestown where he was proprietor of the Central Hotel, now the Ocker House, several years, and later with his son-in-law, Stanley C. Smith, was in the hotel business in Taneytown. Since then Mr. Harpel has lived retired.

He is survived by one son, Jacob H. Harpel, of Franklin Street, and two daughters, Mrs. Stanley C. Smith, of Frederick St., and Mrs. Lizzie Seitz, of York. He is also survived by one brother, Charles Harpel, of Glen Rock, and five sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Keeney and Mrs. Mary Bailey, of Loganville; Mrs. Clara Oip, of Railroad; Mrs. Minnie Messenger, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Eliza Pfeiffer, of Gladietler's station.

### Church Notices.

Protracted meetings services will commence in the Church of God, Uniontown, next Sunday evening, and continue each evening during the week. Miss Lydia Forney, of Harrisburg, will be present and assist in the services.

L. F. MURRAY, Pastor.

Services in the Taneytown Presbyterian church at 7.30, Sabbath evening, the pastor conducting. Sermon subject: "My Master, Men, and Me." The subject of sermon at 10 o'clock service at Piney Creek will be "The Spirit of Missions."



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Democratic.  
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THIS MAY BE "Democratic year," in the sense that Democratic candidates may win because of the mixed-up condition of political affairs in many states, but it is hardly likely to be Democratic year because of any real permanent growth in favor of Democracy. It so happens that the Republicans are engaging in a family scrap before settling down to a harmonious policy, and that in about a dozen states the liquor question, local issues, and third parties, so becloud the race that nobody can foretell who is coming out ahead.

WHAT SORT OF MAN must Prof. E. H. Woodruff, of the Cornell (N. Y.) Law School be, who recently called Col. Roosevelt an "unmitigated liar" and "twice a liar?" We will bet forty big red apples against a peanut, that the Prof. wouldn't have used such language with the Col. within hearing distance. The "uproar" which the expressions are said to have brought forth on the occasion, would have been but a gentle zephyr as compared with what would have happened had the Prof. and Col. been face to face. We are of the opinion that, as a result, there would now be a vacancy in the faculty of Cornell Law School.

IF THERE IS ANY of the \$5,000,000 road loan left by the time the next legislative assemblies, the State Road Commission ought to be put out of business, and the remainder of the money apportioned to the counties, according to some equitable basis, to be spent by county authority for serviceable stone roads, and not for the velvety automobile boulevards that the Commission is making a more or less feeble show of building. It would be a splendid thing for the tax-payers if not a single new mile of road would be commenced, under the present regime, but that the treasury be locked and the key lost, until the people can have their say next year.

### Reassessment Going Slowly.

It is but voicing public sentiment to say that the reassessment of property is going much too slowly, and that the days are much too short for the liberal compensation received by the assessors. Of course, it is not expected that any political job is to be prosecuted as rapidly as the same class of work done by private concerns, and the reassessment work is bringing this truth directly under the eyes of the tax-payers in a way that makes it realized, and it does not "go down" with very good grace, and the question is being asked—Who fixed five hours for a day's work?

Some intimate that the work is being purposely held back, because of the election, in order that a re-assessment upwards may not influence votes. As "downward revision" of the tariff seems popular, and "upward revision" of taxes is likely to be unpopular—and that is just what this county is getting—so holding it back from as much as possible of the territory to be covered, may be good politics this year, but, how about next year, especially when the increased state tax rate goes in force?

To our way of thinking, the assessors themselves are hardly responsible for the slowness of the work. They likely do the best and most they can, under the schedule set; besides, the people are in a measure responsible, because they do not have the various items of their property listed, and ask many delaying questions not at all pertinent to the work. Unquestionably, the tax-payers could materially help along the work by having their own part of it in proper shape when called upon, and not do so much unnecessary talking.

From the work already finished, it is apparent that the basis of assessment

will be very largely increased, due not only to increased valuation but to the finding of much untaxed property. The question is being agitated, as to what the result will be—whether the rate will be lowered? This can well be left to the future, where it belongs. At present, the political effort is to make the basis as high as possible, and for obvious reasons—to secure more taxes at a given rate, and to use the "talking point" of a low rate. As Carroll now has the lowest rate in the state, it will be party policy to make the basis as high as possible, in order that the boast may be continued.

### A Strained Effort.

We clip the following from the *Harford Democrat*, on the "High Cost of Living," as a fair sample of how the tariff is being made use of as the object on which to lay the blame for the high cost of meats, yet at the same time not to give it credit for benefitting farmers by advancing prices:

"There is general complaint of the increased cost of living with particular reference to the soaring prices of meat. If this was due to the increased profits of the farmer or the retailer there would be less complaint, as the consumer would share in a small measure in the increased prosperity that might come to these two useful classes of our citizens. But it is not. They are compelled to pay higher prices for the poor stock they fatten and prepare for the butcher and have an increased cost for the labor that is necessary for preparing the stock for market, an enhancement of the cost of labor due to the increased cost of living that applies to the laborer as well as to the farmer or retailer.

It is well known that the Meat Trust is responsible for the increased cost of the unfattened material and that this Trust is fostered by our protective tariff laws that forbid the importation of stock from foreign countries. The Trust says that the advanced cost is due to over consumption and the diminished supply. If this is true, the Trust is responsible for the diminished supply as the Trusts control Congress and Congress enacts the prohibitory laws that places meat beyond the reach of the poorer class of citizens and confines sales of meat to the rich that the Trust claims is able to pay the higher prices and to swell the Trusts' profits."

It would be illuminating to know just how the tariff, or the Meat Trust, prevents farmers from raising more corn and fattening more cattle, and thus increase the supply of meat and bring down its market price. Admitting that the tariff prevents the importation of cattle, and that the Trust controls the prices of both cattle and meat, how is it possible for the tariff to benefit the trust without at the same time benefitting those who raise the cattle, in this country, as well as farmers who raise the corn and other cattle feed?

If the price of cattle and feed of all kinds was very low, and the price of meats very high, we could understand the iniquities of the tariff in favor of the Trust, but as such is not the case, we are too dense to understand why farmers, and all directly interested in their prosperity, do not also derive benefit from the high prices of this particular item which enters materially into the cost of living.

The statement that the Trust is responsible for the "diminished supply" because the "Trust controls Congress," is enough to make the farmer smile out loud. The farmer is not worrying because meat is too high for the "poorer classes" to consume it, but because he can't raise enough meat and corn to supply the great demand. If cattle for feeding are too high to make a good profit out of, he has his corn to sell, at a big price, all the same. No, the argument that the tariff is responsible for the high cost of living, won't work on both sides. It can't be shown that both the city laborer and the producer of food stuffs, are victims alike of the tariff and the trusts, and it is an insult to the intelligence of the public to try to make it appear so.

### The Fraternities.

There must come times in the lives of most people, when they feel that they are missing something worth while in not being a member of some large and honorable fraternity. By this, we do not mean so-called "Lodge" membership, for with a few notable exceptions, such membership is so common, and so easily secured, that membership does not necessarily represent any particular honor or virtue, and especially carries with it no badge of great intelligence, or reward for any special achievement; but, we refer rather to membership in organizations and associations which are essentially, and by force, connections which can be held and esteemed with real pride.

For instance, no person, not a College graduate, could have attended the Gettysburg event, last week, without feeling himself a little out of place. Not that many of those present were actually better, intellectually or otherwise, than some not members of any alumni body, but there was nevertheless a feeling of the loss of "fraternity," and its associations, at least for the time being, and a realization that it would have been a distinct help and uplift through life to have had a right to claim fellowship with such fine, brainy body of men.

One very properly entertains this same feeling with his church membership, and in a sense in his political affiliations; it is one of the additional ties and associations which make life pleasant and one's pathway less difficult; it is the feeling of strength in union and carries with it

the realization that a multiplication of the right kind of fraternities is most desirable, and that no single one, however large and essential, quite fills man's natural longing for the brotherhood of man—good fellowship in its widest possible application.

### The Subscriber, First.

As the Fall season of advertising is at hand, the RECORD expects to carry its share of the increased business, which is now pretty generally accepted as representing mercantile news, almost as necessary to both business men and readers as the news of the day. We say "almost" for the reason that there are still some who do not consider advertising actually necessary. All are not yet like the travelling business man who recently said to the publisher of a newspaper—

"Do you know, the first thing I read in the papers is the advertising? I have always found, when going into a strange town, that I could find out more about the progressive and wide-awake public men by looking at the advertising in the local papers than in any other way. You see, it is like this: If you go to someone in the community and ask, you are likely to find local prejudice, or something similar, that will influence the opinion, one way or another, but a man's advertisement speaks for itself, and I have found, too, that I never read advertisements without picking up some information."

The time has gone by when it is considered theft, at the expense of readers, for a newspaper to carry a reasonably large amount of advertising, of the up-to-date and worth-while variety. True, some papers show an inclination to sell every bit of white space they put out, and this we believe to be highway robbery, consequently do not practice it. The RECORD always has, and always will, reserve an abundance of space for the current news, and does not cater to full page and half-page splurges, at specially low rates, in order to squeeze out a little more revenue. The subscriber, first, has always been our motto.

### We Are "Going Looney" Sure.

What people will do for the sake of public applause and notoriety, is measured only by the ingenuity of man to invent new methods. There is only this conclusion to the life-risking, neck-endangering experiments tried every day, in the air and on sea and land. There was a time when the human intellect was exercised in abnormal efforts only for the advancement of science—to make discoveries which might be turned to some good purpose—but, we have long since gone beyond that stage, and we are now in the realm of pure fool-hardiness.

Recent attempts at air navigation, automobile races, and some of the feats provided for the entertainment of people, are entitled to no justifiable classification. Bull fighting, as an amusement, is tame in comparison with the slaughter of the automobile, and the tournaments of old are not comparable to the heroism (?) of foot-ball. Surely, we are beating all records of all times for foolish disregard of life, and we call it all, amusement, or just a fad.

High bridge jumping, and going over the falls, are out of date; they are "pink teas," and no longer draw. Even prize-fighting is under the ban, because it requires machinery, nowadays, to help put our daring fellows "out of the ring," and gain them big space and renown in "society" and the newspapers. We are "going looney" sure.

### Editor Bright Opposes Talbott.

Editor W. H. Bright, of the *Hampstead Enterprise*, the *Manchester Messenger*, and two papers in Baltimore county, all in the Second Congressional district, although a life-long Democrat, is energetically opposing the candidacy of Talbott for Congress. In the last issue of these papers Mr. Bright gives in extenso his reasons for opposition, from which we quote as follows:

"We are not opposing Mr. Talbott because he is a Democrat, but because he has failed to deliver the goods as a Democrat. No party can afford to retain as a leader, a man who, in about 30 years of service, has accomplished no great work for his party and for the whole people. Mr. Talbott has taken good care of his close circle of friends but what has he done for the Democratic party as a whole?"

Does anybody remember of hearing the voice of Talbott in the halls of Congress last winter when the Democrats assisted by insurgents, were fighting the iniquitous tariff legislation? No.

You may search the Congressional records in vain for a record of any part Mr. Talbott ever took in any important legislation, during his long career in Congress. He has always been busy taking care of his personal friends—members of the "ring." He is the mainstay of Crouse and Hering in Carroll county though neither of these gentlemen can carry or control their own county.

If Fred Talbott wants the nomination for Congress in the Second District, it is equal to political suicide for any other man to seek the nomination. If one of Mr. Talbott's henchmen wants a fat office, it is political suicide for any other man to seek it. Is not this true?

Well, the only way to save the Democratic party from absolute annihilation in Maryland, is to defeat the incompetent leaders at the polls. They must be amputated from the body politic or the body will die. It is heroic treatment, we admit, but is not the cause such as to justify the course? We think so, and a majority of the Democrats in the Second Congressional district, are of the same opinion."

### Rockefeller's Latest Gift.

Although John D. Rockefeller is the most abused man in this country it is difficult to understand why this should be the case. He made most of his money without the aid of any tariff law or any special legislation whatever, and in the meantime has reduced the price of a necessary commodity to almost one-tenth of its former price. But everybody likes to take a fling at Rockefeller.

On the other hand, Mr. Carnegie owes his immense fortune directly to the protective tariff and to high finance of a sort which is certainly open to a suspicion of moral obliquity. Yet Mr. Carnegie is the companion of bushels of diplomas and the object of unending flattery. Mr. Carnegie has certainly given immense sums of money to various educational, enterprises, but as a library patron he has only given buildings, while the recipients have provided land and books and money for running expenses. It is no reflection on his munificence that he has erected some hundreds of monuments to himself. But no one ever hears of the mighty in his world flocking to Mr. Rockefeller except in search of a check.

Whether Mr. Rockefeller or Mr. Carnegie has given away most money is unknown since no definitive list for either is available, but it is certain that Mr. Rockefeller has given most without any string to his benefactions. Often he has tried to get others to bear their share in promoting education, but more often he has given outright. In the case of the Chicago University his donations were absolute, and the same is the case with the Institute for Medical Research, which he has just endowed with a few more millions.

This latter enterprise is certainly one of the most beneficent in the history of mankind. If money and men can accomplish anything in the way of stopping the spread of disease or in curing it after it has been contracted, it seems certain that the Institute is to do it. For years it has been engaged in the study of cancer and has made progress, although the desired end is not reached. But there is every reason to believe that success will be achieved in this as in many other directions. A nobler monument than such an institution could not be conceived, since it is built to last for ages. Whatever were Mr. Rockefeller's theories or practices in bygone years when business was not reduced to its present moral and scientific basis, it is certain that he is now doing much more good with his money than others who are enjoying wealth gained in the same way and have no notion that they hold any stewardship toward the public. —*Phila. Bulletin.*

### It's the World's Best.

No one has ever made a salve, ointment or balm to compare with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Salt Rheum. For Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Chapped Hands, or Sprains, it's supreme. Infallible for Piles. Only 25c at R. S. McKinney's.

### Outlook For the Next House.

The Press has received special reports from all over the country as to the probable results of the congressional elections to be held in November. This task has been done with great care, and the analysis presented is as accurate as is possible at this time.

There are 391 members of the House, and all but six, which have already been chosen, will be elected in November. In the present House there are 217 Republicans and 174 Democrats. One hundred and ninety-six constitute a bare majority of one, so that a change of 21 from Republican to Democratic in the present membership would give the Democrats just a majority. They have already made a gain of two in Maine, leaving 20 districts that must yet be won.

The reports received by the Press set down 162 sure Republican districts and 172 sure Democratic districts—classifying and including the members already elected—while 57 districts are so uncertain from the present outlook that they are put down as doubtful. The Republicans must carry at least 34 out of the doubtful districts, while the Democrats need but 23.

Of the 57 doubtful districts 45 are now represented by Republicans and 12 by Democrats. The doubtful districts now Republican are: In Illinois, 2; Iowa, 7; Kansas, 1; Kentucky, 2; Maryland, 1; Michigan, 4; Nebraska, 2; New Jersey, 4; New York, 7; Ohio, 2; Pennsylvania, 6; Oklahoma, 1; Washington, 2; West Virginia, 2; Wisconsin, 1; Montana, 1. The doubtful districts now Democratic are: In Indiana, 5; Maryland, 1; Missouri, 2; New York, 1; Tennessee, 1; Virginia, 1; Oklahoma, 1. Some of these districts will be affected by local conditions, but the greater number of them will feel the influences of the general drift of political sentiment. Those classified as independent Republicans are generally those known as insurgents or progressives, but they are Republicans and expert to be counted as such in the membership of the House. There are 31 of these put down as certain of election, and they are included in the 162 sure Republican districts. —*Philadelphia Press.*

### Forced to Leave Home.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. There's a better way. Let Dr. King's New Discovery cure you at home. "It cured me of lung trouble," writes W. R. Nelson, of Calamine, Ark., "when all else failed and I gained 47 pounds in weight. Its surely the King of all cough and lung cures." Thousands owe their lives and health to it. Its positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Croup—all Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at R. S. McKinney's.

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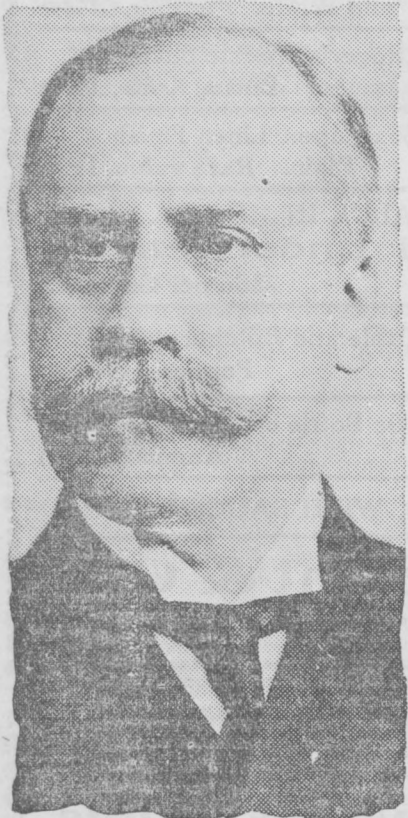
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## SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

Fred W. Plaisted, Governor  
Elect of Maine.



Frederick W. Plaisted, mayor of Augusta, who has just been elected governor of Maine, is the first Democrat to be so honored since 1880. In that year Harris M. Plaisted, father of the governor elect, was chosen chief executive of the Pine Tree State on a fusion Democrat Greenback ticket. Mayor Plaisted is editor and proprietor of the New Age, a Democratic weekly, and his father went from the editorial chair of that paper to the executive chamber of the statehouse.

He was elected mayor of Augusta in 1906 and re-elected in 1907 and 1908, in each election carrying six of the eight wards. He is the first Democratic mayor with a single exception to be elected in Augusta for a period of forty years.

Under the administration of Mayor Plaisted a great deal of permanent work was done. He was defeated for mayor in 1909 and re-elected in 1910.

Governor Elect Plaisted was born in Bangor forty-five years ago and was educated in the common schools of his native city and at St. Johnsbury academy, Vermont, where he was graduated in 1884. He is prominent in Freemasonry and is also a member of the Elks.

### Prominent as an Educator.

President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton university, standard bearer of the New Jersey Democrats in this fall's race for the governorship, has been prominent as an educator and political economist for many years. In his speech of acceptance before the convention that nominated him Dr. Wilson expressed confidence in his election and said:

"The time when you can play politics and fool the people has gone by. Now it is a case of put up or shut up. Parties must show that they are working not solely for offices, but for



WOODROW WILSON.

the common interest. The great issues of this campaign are a reorganization of and economy in state administration, equalization of taxes among the people and corporations and state control of corporations. To these problems and their solution I pledge myself."

Dr. Wilson is a native of Virginia and is fifty-four years old. He was graduated from Princeton in 1879 and then studied law at the University of Virginia. After practicing law at Atlanta for a few years he took the chair of history and political economy at Bryn Mawr college, going thence in the same capacity to Wesleyan university. In 1890 he went to Princeton as professor of jurisprudence and politics, continuing in that work until 1902, when he became head of the university.

## WONDERFUL ALASKA.

Looking For a Place to Fix Her Star  
In the Flag.

Nothing less than the dissolution of the nation will prevent the organization of the state of Alaska. In 1850, when California was admitted into the Union, she had no lines of railway, telegraph, trades or business connecting her with the other states and was thought to be only valuable for placer gold. Her agriculture and trade, her railroads and present grandeur have grown since her admission. Alaska is a greater country and richer in all its natural resources than California was in 1850. Alaska has more gold than California and Colorado, more copper than Montana and Arizona, more coal than Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio and more fish than all other American waters combined. Her output of gold and fish for last year amounted to nearly \$32,000,000 and had increased from \$15,000,000 in 1900. Her total cash trade with the rest of the United States for 1909 amounted to more than \$52,000,000, while that between China and the United States amounted to only \$48,000,000. She is a better customer to the merchants of the United States than Hawaii, Porto Rico or the Philippines. The trade value of every white man, woman and child in Alaska with the United States for 1909 amounted to \$1,302.75, while that of every inhabitant in Hawaii amounted to only \$277.65, Porto Rico to \$48.51 and the Philippines to \$3.30.

Alaska has a better climate and greater agricultural capacity than Norway, Sweden and Finland combined. Her rich and fertile valleys are capable of supporting a much larger population than that of the three countries named, without mentioning the population which will be supported by her mines and other natural resources.—James Wickersham in Collier's.

## YOUNG OLD FOLKS.

The Change That Has Come In Men  
and Women In a Century.

There is no fact more striking than the way modern life is pushing back the period of old age. Less than a century ago a man was old at forty. You have only to pick up Jane Austen's novels to find gentlemen of thirty-five described as middle aged. At sixty they were gabbling in their dotage. And there is Mr. Pickwick—that dear, delightful, benevolent old gentleman of forty-five.

Fifty years ago when a man reached the age of forty-five he grew a beard under his chin, bought himself a pair of drab gaiters and a white neckcloth and spoke with anxious concern of the rising generation, whose manners were so different from those he had known as a "young man." In our generation thirty-two is outwardly indistinguishable from fifty-two, save in that the former has a slightly more youthful tint in its cheek and its waistcoat.

As for the fair sex, the genus old lady is all but extinct. The pretty, vivacious matron you admire at a garden party may have seen twenty-five or seventy summers. As Queen Alexandra not long since said to Mme. Adeline Patti, "We two are two of the youngest women in England." The illustrious royal example has been so sedulously followed that the ladies—always young, always active, always in the height of fashion—may be said to laugh in the very face of Father Time.—London Strand Magazine.

### China's First Guillotine.

China has just received from France its first guillotine. It will be set up inside the new prison, as, according to recent regulations, executions will no longer be public. The penalty of death as laid down in the old code had six degrees—death by torture, immediate decapitation and exhibition of the head, immediate decapitation without exhibition of the head, decapitation after some months, immediate hanging and hanging after some months. According to the new code the death penalty is in four degrees—immediate decapitation, deferred decapitation, immediate hanging and deferred hanging.

### A Mysterious Official.

John Paget Mellor, king's proctor, is said to be the most mysterious official in England. He gets a salary of \$10,000 a year and has an assistant proctor at \$5,000 and a staff of clerks to help him. The king's proctor is supposed to inquire into every undefended divorce suit, and for this purpose he can call on the detective force of Scotland Yard. His activities add much to the difficulties of divorce in the kingdom, though the great expense of securing a decree is perhaps even a greater obstacle.

### Dramatists and Children.

According to an observer, writers of plays are generally childless. He says, "It seems that the successful dramatist is at the end of a series and never leaves a successor." Look down the list of them, from Gilbert to Shaw, and you will find never a child. Further search brings up Thomas Hardy, Barrie, Maeterlinck, Pinero, Cecil Raleigh, Maugham, Locke, Granville Barker, Frederick Fenn, Louis Napoleon Parker, and only Henry Arthur Jones and Hall Caine are dramatists with children.

### Lightning Victims.

Lightning sometimes merely stuns and apparently kills without actually destroying life. In addition to the use of artificial respiration, it is necessary to provide for the restoration of the natural flow of the electric currents, which is done by placing the patient in a good conductor. A warm bath may answer the purpose.

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In asking a friend to visit her the hostess should always state clearly how long the guest is expected to stay. This makes it much simpler and more comfortable for all persons concerned. The guest to be knows just what luggage to bring and how to make her plans accordingly. At the end of the visit it is simple for the hostess, if she wishes, to ask her friend to prolong her stay.

A well bred hostess never shows that her guest's visit is a burden to her. She keeps her household duties in the background as much as possible, never consults her servants before her guests and never embarrasses her by discussions of household finances. She makes her feel at every moment that she is a welcome addition to the household.

hold and that her presence is a real pleasure. On the other hand, she is not too attentive, leaves her friend to herself for an hour or two and gives her an opportunity to rest or read. She never obtrudes family troubles on her, never corrects the servants in her presence or permits family differences, which often amount to quarrels unimportant perhaps to the persons concerned, but exceedingly uncomfortable for the visitor.

A good hostess is careful to make her guest comfortable. The guest chamber in many homes is a special apartment, furnished with the best and choicest belongings of the family, but if the guest finds a vase of flowers and books and magazines on the table, she feels somehow that she is really most welcome in the household.

## MAN IN THE MIDDLE

"That was the proudest moment of my life," said Summers at the gathering of Confederate veterans.

"What moment?" asked Venable. "The moment when General Lee referred to me in flattering terms, which, I confess, I did not deserve."

"What? General Lee referred to you? When? How?"

"It was during the fighting before Richmond. One night just before 'taps' I lighted a fire and was making some coffee."

"Coffee? Chicory, you mean. We had no coffee," interrupted Venable.

"I say coffee, and I mean coffee."

"When did you get it?"

"In a Yankee camp we had walked over during the day. Well, as I was saying, just as the coffee began to emit its delicious odors the sergeant called out, 'Summers, you're wanted.' And you, 'And you,' speaking to different men of our company."

"I was there," said Venable. "I remember perfectly. He called me too."

"There were a dozen of us," Summers went on, "assembled in an orchard."

"An apple orchard?"

"Yes, an apple orchard. Well, the sergeant ordered us to fall in and marched us to the colonel's headquarters. The officer of the guard was there with several of his men and among them a fellow—I don't know who he was, but he didn't belong to our company or to the regiment. The colonel looked us over, and we were taken, the stranger along with us, to General Lee."

"And drawn up in line before him," put in Venable, "the stranger between you and me."

"I have forgotten about the stranger," Summers went on, "but I remember that General Lee came out and looked at us as if searching for some one. Presently his eye lighted on me, and he said:

"That's the man. I wish I had a dozen like him. I could use them all."

"With that he went back into his tent, and we were marched to camp."

"Do you mean to tell me," said Venable, "that all these years you have thought the general referred to you?"

"Of course he did."

"Why, he not only looked at me, but he pointed at me."

"You?"

"Yes, I."

"Well, now, I like that. Whatever put it into your stupid noddle that he referred to you?"

"Because shortly before I had been detailed, as his orderly, and when I left him he commended me for my faithful attention."

"And I had held his horse under fire while he climbed to an eminence to get a look at the enemy. I tell you, it was hot down there in the hollow, the shells shrieking over my head."

Summers got up from his chair and stalked about with his hands in his pockets, glaring like a tiger.

"I'm sorry to destroy the illusion of a lifetime," remarked Venable, "but truth is mighty and must prevail."

"The egotism of some people if fired at an enemy would have more effect than a machine gun."

"The self esteem of others is worse than a charge of dynamite."

At this moment a white headed man entered. The veterans made him welcome, placing a glass before him. He filled his pipe and sat smoking in that stolid fashion especially to be noticed among the German people.

"We're glad you've come. Markheim," said one of the assembled veterans, "not only because we love our enemy, but we needed some one to stop a wrangle between Summers and Venable."

"Vat wrangle?" asked the old man.

"I'll state the case, and you, being a Union veteran and consequently impartial, may be able to decide between them."

"Vell, go on."

"One night when we were fighting McClellan before Richmond Summers and Venable were marched with a squad of a dozen men to General Lee's tent. They were drawn up in line. The general looked them over and said:

"That's the man. I wish I had a dozen like him. I could use them all."

Summers claims that the general referred to him, since he had served him faithfully as orderly. Venable claims the honor, since he had held the general's horse under fire. Which is right?"

"Neither. Shenereal Lee point to me. I vas der man in der middle."

"You the man in the middle!" cried Summers. "What were you doing there?"

"I vas a spy."

"A spy!" cried the company in a breath. "Tell us about it."

"You see," said Markheim, "I vas a young feller shust come from Sherman, and I didn't know vat to do ven I got to dis country, so I vent into der Union army. Von day my captain dells me Shenereal McClellan vants a man to go to Richmond to see how many of you fellers dere vas. I comt, and I see Shenereal Lee, and I talks mit him. Den I vas arrested. Shenereal Lee vas a ferry conscientious man und wouldn't identify me unless he could bick me out der udder men. Next day he send for me, und I tell him I don't care nottings about der national troubles und if he let me off I go vork a farm in Nort' Carolina. I been vorkin' dot farm ever since till I comt here last veek."

"By thunder!" exclaimed the company.

"I nefer vants to be der man in der middle again. If it hadn't been for the kind heart of Shenereal Lee I vould haf been in der middle of a guard, vith a rope around my neck. Ve trink to Shenereal Lee!"

## THE FAT GODDESS.

A Picture That Jarred the Nerves of a French Art Patron.

M. Durand, a French picture buyer of a century ago, had little wisdom as a critic, and his ambition, compounded equally of childlike vanity and genuine benevolence, was to figure as a patron of youthful genius.

One of the earliest commissions he bestowed was upon a young artist who selected for his subject a scene of classic mythology, in which the assembled gods were depicted upon Mount Olympus. When it was finished M. Durand was invited to the studio to inspect it. His face clouded as he gazed.

"Young man," he declared, "you have not treated me fairly. It is true I do not pretend to know everything about art, but I am not a fool, and I know that gods and goddesses should be no less noble than kings and queens. These people of yours are not even aristocrats! Madame, my wife, does not pretend to be a fine lady, yet when I put my two hands around her waist it is by an inch only that they fall to meet, and as for Juliette, my daughter, she is as slender as a needle. Look now at that big, clumsy woman in a loose gown who you say is queen among the gods! She has no figure at all. She is all the way down the same. Pout! Call her a lady and a goddess—she who is without stays and without waist! Mme. and Mlle. Durand would make a mock of her, your Juno! Pout! She is a peasant, a pillow, a pig!"

Nevertheless he was convinced by infinitely tactful explanations that the wasp was unknown in classic antiquity, even to goddesses. It was with proud complacency that he finally accepted the picture and the knowledge that the sovereign lady of Mount Olympus had never attained the heroic compression achieved by Mme. and Mlle. Durand.

## A GEOLOGIC PHENOMENON.

Raised Beaches and Caves of the Island of Arran.

The island of Arran is one of those places on the west of Scotland where the geologic phenomenon known as a "raised beach" is very apparent. All along the coast there are evidences that the land has been considerably elevated at some period of the world's history. One of these proofs is the presence of caves of various sizes formed by the action of the waves in the past, but which are now well above the present high water mark. The farmers use some of the larger caves as shelters for sheep in stormy weather.

In a remote corner of the island one of these caves has been converted into a human habitation, where a family of several persons dwell in absolute seclusion. Their occupation is the gathering of whelks, an employment which is said to afford but a precarious livelihood. As the gathering of the shellfish can only be done at low water and as the fishers have no boat or other occupation, they have ample leisure to enjoy the pure air and bask in the sunshine.

Except for the drip from the face of the high rocks above, which is skillfully diverted, the cave is absolutely dry. The interior is shaped like a triangle, the floor forming the base. Save at the sides there is ample room to stand upright and move about inside. Besides the beds and cooking utensils, the cave contains many articles of various kinds, giving the interior quite a homelike appearance. The apology for a fireplace is some way back from the entrance, through which the smoke finds its way outside.—Wide World Magazine.

### Obituary Gems.

When John Sherman of New Haven, preacher, mathematician, almanac maker and father of twenty-six children, heard of the death of his good friend Jonathan Mitchell, a Harvard pastor, he exclaimed (after due thought and many poetic pangs):

Here lies the darling of his time,  
Mitchell expired in his prime.  
Who four years short of forty-seven  
Was found full ripe and plucked for heaven.

When Thomas Dudley, father of the first American poetess, Anne Bradstreet, came to his deathbed, says the South Atlantic Quarterly, he showed where his daughter had received her surprising gift by composing such farewell lines as:

Dim eyes, deaf ears, cold stomach shew  
My dissolution is in view.  
Eleven months seven near lived have I,  
And now God calls I willing die.

### Got It Exact.

"Why is it that the butcher always sends me more meat than I order, never by any chance less?" complained a young housekeeper to her husband.

"Let me give him an order," said he, and, stepping to the telephone, he called up the market.

"Send me two pounds of porterhouse," he ordered, "and, say, if you can't cut two pounds make it a pound and a half."

He got the two pounds by the next delivery.—New York Sun.

### A Fearsome Order.

She—Dear me, I hope the man at the next table is not a fighter, but his order sounds like it! He—What was it? She—He told the waiter to bring him a club sandwich and something to drink with a stick in it.—Baltimore American.

### True.

An Irishman on applying for relief and being told to work for a living replied, "If I had all the work in the world I couldn't do it."

Chance generally favors the prudent.—Joubert



## SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Latest Items of Local News Furnished by Our Regular Staff of Writers.

All communications for this department must be signed by the author; not for publication, but as an evidence that the items contributed are legitimate and correct. Items based on mere rumor, or such as are likely to give offense, are not wanted.

The Record office is connected with the C. & P. and United Telephone, from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m. Use telephone, at our expense, for important items on Friday morning. We prefer regular letters to be mailed on Wednesday evening, but in no case later than Thursday evening.

## Union Bridge.

Mrs. Sarah Hummer, of Ladiesburg, spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore.

Kaipo, son of Evan T. Smith, of Bark Hill, who is one of Uncle Sam's boys, was at home on a 10 days' vacation, which ended on Wednesday of this week. On Monday he was in Union Bridge visiting relatives, and said that he had been in the Navy 8 years, lacking two months, and that he was expected to continue to be a mariner. After 25 years service he will be entitled to retire on a pension. He said he had visited all countries of the world except Australia, and hoped to be privileged to see that in the near future.

The drouth cannot have injured the cabbage crop badly. G. H. Eyer reports that J. U. Baker made 80 gallons of sauerkraut, on Monday. It must be plentiful or he would not waste so much cabbage.

Thomas R. Bond, located in the Gaiter Building, Charles St., Baltimore, called on his brother, H. H. Bond, on Tuesday morning, while on his way to Johnsville on business. He also expected to visit his mother and sisters while there.

A string of dump wagons filled with tents and implements for grading, drawn by mules, with colored drivers, passed through town on Tuesday morning on their way from Washington, D. C., where they had been employed, to the home of the contractor, in York, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Bohn, who have been spending some time with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bohn and other relatives, in Frederick and Carroll Co's., left on Monday for their home near Union City, Ohio.

Miss Elsie Kelly has accepted the position as Printer's devil in the Pilot office. That young John Snyder is again on the engine that runs the Cement Works, is proven by the smiles you see on the countenances of the cinder sweepers along Railroad Avenue.

Captain and Mrs. Jesse Sheets, of Walbrook, are this week keeping house for their daughter, Mrs. James Meloun, who is visiting in Cumberland, Md.

Vice President Scott with some of the directors of the Tidewater Company and their friends, visited the Plant, on Wednesday. There were about 30 in the party. Among them was Joseph A. McKelip, formerly of Taneytown.

On Wednesday morning, it was said at the Cement Plant that they were about half done concreting. The frame of the power house which is a double building, is up and the larger building is roofed. About half of the frame of the clinker mill is up, and they have commenced on the frame of the coal mill.

They are busy at the store of J. Wesley Little invoicing, which will probably employ them the entire week. Mr. Little has been able to be present to this time (Wednesday).

The leaves which gave us such nice shade during the hot summer time, are declared a nuisance since they have been falling dry and withered on the pavement and streets.

Isaac Saylor raised some good corn on the Tidewater Co's place, notwithstanding the drouth.

The Tidewater Co. bought a pair of nice mules of Jacob Gladhill, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Eliza Gilbert was paralyzed on the train at Frederick, on Wednesday. She, in company of her son, Albert, and his son and daughter started on the Frederick train from Union Bridge, in the morning, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gilbert's grand-daughter. When they arrived at Frederick, Mr. Gilbert and his son stepped off the train, and Mrs. Gilbert and her grand-daughter not following they returned and found her unable to rise. She was helped off the car and into a hack and taken to her son's. A doctor was called who pronounced it paralysis. She attended the funeral, however, and was afterward brought home on the train. With the assistance of two men she walked from the station to her home on Main Street, where she is now confined to bed, her right limb being partially paralyzed.

Mrs. Mary Larnie died at the home of her brother, Jacob Stoner, at 5 o'clock, a. m., on Thursday, after a lingering illness of nearly two years duration. She was the daughter of Daniel and Ann Stoner and was born at the Stoner homestead about two miles west of town. She was 80 years, 6 months and 9 days of age. Funeral on Saturday, at 1 p. m. from the home of her brother, Jacob Stoner, thence to Beaverdam Brethren Meeting House where services will be held.

## Linwood.

Miss Margaret Numan, Missionary to the Philippines, visited her school friend, Mrs. Cover, on last Friday.

Mrs. E. L. Shriner went to Baltimore, on Tuesday, to attend the wedding of her grand daughter, Miss Ethel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Clay Shriner. She returned on Wednesday in an auto, accompanied by her son, Charles and his wife, from Boston, who remained a few days, touring over familiar ground.

Mrs. Trayer made a short stay at Jesse Smith's on her way to Atlantic City, where she will spend some time with her niece.

Ike Perry and wife, of Dwight, Illinois, have been visiting relatives and friends in Maryland for several weeks, and will be guests at Linwood Shade, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Cover is spending ten days with her sister, Mrs. Miller, in Westminster. Samuel Ploutz unfortunately lost a valuable colt this week by hanging himself, in the stall.

## Uniontown.

Mrs. Martha Chew has closed her home, and has gone with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoffman, for the winter.

Mrs. G. T. Mering visited her son, Charles and family, at Denmore Park, last of the week.

Mrs. Marietta Trayer will attend the Friends' Yearly meeting, in Baltimore, commencing this week, and will then go to Atlantic City and spend the winter with her niece and husband, Wm. and Rose Griest.

Mrs. Leana Trite and Mrs. Allen Hoffman, of Winfield, were at Mrs. Segafosse's for a few days.

Mrs. John Sweigart, Mrs. Uriah Bixler, Mrs. Sallie Morelock, of near Westminster, and Mrs. Rachel Caylor, of Clear Ridge, spent Friday with Mrs. Martha Singer.

Mrs. Ball, of Easton, is visiting Mrs. Olney Cover.

Clint Rontson spent several days with his mother, and on Sunday evening, in company with his wife and brother, Harry, returned to the city.

Mrs. Dorsey, of Mt. Airy, and Will Hiteshew, wife and baby, of Baltimore, were week end visitors at T. H. Rontson's.

On Sunday, Enoch Frizell and family, of Emmitsburg, were at G. T. Mering's; O. M. Hiteshew and wife, at Obadiah Fleagle's; Isaac Perry and wife, of Dwight, Ill., and Wm. Perry and wife, of Union Bridge, at John Heck's; Orville Bowersox, of near Westminster, with his father, Frank Bowersox.

Mrs. Samuel Hiltzbride spent some time with her daughter, Mrs. Belle Hobbs, near Middleburg.

Ralph Romsper is visiting friends in Baltimore, this week.

John Stiller has built an addition to his house, thereby giving him more space in his saddlery and tonsorial rooms.

Rev. G. J. Hill will hold revival services, Sunday morning, at Pipe Creek, assisted by several ministers from the Seminary.

On Thursday, Mr. Whittip, of Washington, took Mrs. James Cover, Mrs. E. L. Cookson, and Mrs. Irene Shreeve in his large touring car to Washington. The ladies will sight see for a few days.

## Emmitsburg.

On Sunday morning, after a lingering illness Mrs. Mary B. Gelwicks, aged 63 years, wife of the late George Gelwicks, died at her home on East Main St. She is survived by two daughters, Marian, wife of Scott McNair; Delta, wife of Herbert Ashbaugh, and one son, Harry. She was a sister of John T. Gelwicks, of this place. Her funeral took place Tuesday afternoon from the Lutheran church, Rev. Chas. Reinwald, officiating. Interment in cemetery adjoining the church.

On Tuesday evening, after a 70 foot pole had been planted for the raising of a flag at the public school building, very interesting exercises, suitable to the occasion took place. Before the exercises began a procession was formed at the school building, headed by the Emmitt Cornet Band, Vigilant Hase Co., and the school children. Six little girls carried the flag, after reaching the school building, the raising of the flag which was done by Samuel Rowe, Mayor of the town; the band playing Star Spangled Banner. The exercises in the school building were opened with music by the band, followed by recitations, "Barbara Fritchie," by Miss Naomi Harbaugh; "The American Flag," by Geo. Stokes; "Washington and his Hatchet," by little Ethel Annan; a very interesting and instructive address by Rev. L. B. Hensley. Several patriotic songs were sung. Music by the band finished the program.

## Bark Hill.

Miss Hilda Yingling, who has been ill with typhoid fever for the past eight weeks, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Strimwell and Miss Alverta Pearl, of Thurmont, are spending this week with Wm. Keefe and family.

David Winters spent a few days last week in Hagerstown.

Ralph Smith, one of our U. S. Navy boys, is spending some time with his parents, E. T. Smith and family.

Mrs. Roy Biddinger and daughter, Evelyn, have returned to their home near Philadelphia, after spending some time with Charles Wilson and family.

On last Sunday, Levi Rowe and wife, gave a dinner in honor of her brother, George Englar, who has been spending some time here. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Englar, and three sons, Maurice, Herman and Wilbur; Mrs. Julia Trite and daughter, Jennie, of Uniontown; George Weishaar, wife and son, Carroll; Walter Hiltzbrick and Miss Jennie Weishaar, of Taneytown; Mrs. Julia Englar and Miss Maria Angel, of Clear Ridge; Ed. Yingling, wife and son Carroll; Frank Rowe and wife; George Englar, Oliver Angel, Thomas Rowe, Miss May Welty and Harry Rowe. A joyful time was had and the day was spent with vocal and instrumental music. Mr. Englar will leave, on Thursday, for Mt. Vernon, Ind.

## New Windsor.

The Brethren church is holding a series of meetings here, this week.

Dr. Fraser attended the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod at Baltimore, two days, this week.

A Republican mass meeting was held, here, on Thursday evening.

Geo. C. Anders was taken to Baltimore to the hospital, for treatment.

Mrs. Carpenter and son, of Howard Park, Baltimore, spent the week's end with Mrs. Jesse Lambert.

Mrs. W. A. Bower spent a few days with her parents, here.

Jesse Sheets, who has been home for a few days with quinsy, expects to return to his work, at Westminster, on Friday.

Miss Margaret Wilson, of Westminster, visited her grand-mother, on Tuesday last.

Raymond Anders, of St. Louis, Mo., spent Saturday and Sunday, here, with his parents.

Kelso Anders, of Baltimore, spent Sunday last, here, with his father and sisters.

## Kills a Murderer.

A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Chills, 25c at R. S. McKinney's.

## Blue Ridge College.

The Lecture Board has arranged for a series of lectures and musical entertainments that will undoubtedly outstrip anything ever given at this College. The talent secured is the very best and the highest priced. Mr. and Mrs. Hannibal A. Williams, the well known Shakespearean readers will be here on Nov. 1st and 8th. On Tuesday, Nov. 1st, at 8 p. m. Shakespeare's sweetest and most pathetic tragedy—the great love play, "Romeo and Juliet," will be given; and on Nov. 8th, Mr. Williams will read King Henry IV, another of Shakespeare's best productions. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have a world wide reputation as elocutionists and readers. Last year they gave 2,100 Shakespearean readings in 700 cities and towns. No one who is thoughtful and aiming at self improvement can afford to miss this opportunity for a liberal education, because you can not go away from any of these lectures without a great uplift both mentally and spiritually.

The Evelyn Bargett Concert Co. will appear on Nov. 17th. The three remaining numbers, which will come during the winter months, will be announced later. Seats for the public will be reserved this Saturday, Oct. 29th, at Engle's store, at 6 o'clock, p. m. Season tickets, good for the six lectures, including reserved seat, \$1.25. Single admission, without reserved seats, 35c.

Some of us have just recently discovered that we have with us as a fellow-student, a real live full-fledged "Hoosier" cartoonist, if you please. Mr. Merrill Blosser, whose home is in Napoleon, Ind., has been drawing funny pictures for a number of years, but it has been only during the last two years that his friends have discovered that the acrobatic flights of his imagination can be harnessed and put to real practical use in keeping us impatient Americans thoroughly abreast of the funny as well as the serious side of modern thought and invention. Mr. Blosser has had the pleasure of being, with possibly one exception, the only private student that the world famous cartoonist John T. McClutcheon ever taught. He is interested in our young friend, and we congratulate him on his good fortune in securing such a prominent member of the tribe for his teacher. His cartoons of our faculty and students are indeed mirth provoking. He has been offered salaries by some of the largest daily newspapers which would dazzle the eyes of most of us, but he thinks it best for him to stay right here and finish his course before plucking the laurels and the gold.

Prof. Hoover entertained one of his history classes at supper on Tuesday evening.

Miss Detwiler, a returned missionary, conducted chapel services and gave us a very interesting and helpful talk along educational lines, one day last week.

Our piano teacher, Miss Stein, was called to her home in Baltimore, last Wednesday, on account of the sudden death of her grand-mother.

A number of our students attended the inauguration of President Granville of Pennsylvania College, last Thursday.

Messrs. Robert Smith and Dorsey Etzler attended the Frederick Fair, last week.

Miss Bertha Keeney's uncle, Mr. J. C. Bowser, of Erie City, Pa., and her grand-mother, Mrs. B. F. Bowser, of New Freedom, were visitors at the college several days this week.

Miss Rachel Koop, who is now a student at the Peabody Conservatory of Music, recently visited her alma mater.

It is a difficult matter to keep track of our President. At this writing he is across the bay on the Eastern Shore. We expect him to bring a number of new students from that neighborhood.

Quite a number of hard fought games of base ball that savor on the professional were played this week. The ladies have become quite interested in the game. They occupy the bleachers almost every evening and incidentally make first class rooters, becoming very enthusiastic over the success of the team on which "he" plays.

Don't trifle with a cold is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in case of a child. There is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds in children. It is safe and sure. For sale by all dealers.

## Frizzellburg.

If news does not brighten up soon your correspondent will have to go out of business. I find it much of a task to get a letter together.

Eroy Harver, who went to Virginia to buy a load of cattle this week, took his wife and daughter, Helen, with him. Services will be held in the chapel this Sunday night by the Church of the Brethren. Services in the Church of God, in the afternoon by Rev. Murray, of Uniontown.

Mrs. Fanny Babylon spent from Tuesday till Thursday at Fanny Buffington's, near Mt. Union.

John Walker and wife visited folks in Baltimore several days this week.

The public school, here, is making arrangements to give an entertainment about Thanksgiving time. The exact date will be announced later.

Rev. A. G. Null and family made a brief stop here, on Wednesday, while on his way home from Synod.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one tenth as much. For sale by all dealers.

## Keyville.

Messrs. Edw. Shorb, Sr., and Lenny Valentine spent Sunday at Mr. Wesley Valentine's, of near Rocky Ridge.

Mrs. Jacob Weishaar, of Baltimore, visited her sister, Mrs. George B. Frook, a few days, last week.

Miss Katherine Six and Master John Young are still improving.

Mrs. Mary Young died at her daughter's, Mrs. Sarah Burdener, near Detour, Sunday. Interment in the cemetery at this place, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Bregenzler officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Hezekiah Hawk and Mrs. Levi Sell, of Taneytown, visited Mr. Byron Still's, Sunday.

Mr. Clayton Barnes and family, of Middleburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Barnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Knipple.

Preaching Sunday afternoon 2 o'clock. Temperance meeting at night 7.30 o'clock.

## Ladiesburg.

Miss Celia Bohn and Mrs. Delph Yingling spent Saturday last, in Baltimore.

Miss Bessie Bohn returned home Sunday, accompanied by her friend, Mr. Wantz, of Westminster.

Mrs. Florence Waters, of Washington, D. C., spent Wednesday, with Mrs. S. E. Haugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bohn spent Thursday, with William Harman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Veant, near Taneytown, spent Tuesday, with Mrs. S. E. Haugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Bohn, of Union City, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bohn, of Unionville, and Mrs. John Buffington and son, of Union Bridge, spent Monday, with Reuben Bohn and family.

Preaching at the Chapel, Sunday, 2.30 p. m.; Young People's Society, 7.30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Ben Biehl and children, and Mrs. Florence Waters, spent Thursday, with Mrs. Chas. Otto, at Middleburg.

## Kump.

Andrew Bittle and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Westminster, visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Ed. Ecker and family.

Miss Gertrude Lemon and Mr. Eppley were married, on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Howard Slagenhaupt returned to her home in Lancaster, Friday, after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bair.

Among those who attended the Frederick Fair were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kump, A. J. Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. Baumgardner.

Your correspondent returned home on Monday from a week's visit among friends, at Westminster, having spent a very pleasant time gliding around in their grand touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bair and son, of Littlestown, Mrs. J. A. Koons and daughter, Ruth, of Mt. Union, spent Sunday last with their father, H. T. Williams.

Mrs. J. W. Nussbaum spent Tuesday with M. Williams and Mrs. A. J. Graham.

Mrs. Harry Erb broke her left arm last Friday, while creeping through a fence, by falling on her arm.

## Tyrone.

On Sunday last, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Flohr, of near Tyrone, entertained Mrs. Mary Segafosse, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weik and children, Edna and Walter, and Miss Hattie Rodkey, of near Baust church; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marker, of near Pleasant Valley; Misses Oneida and Bertie Hawk, of near Taneytown, and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Baker and children, Ethel, Esther and Ruth, of near Warfield'sburg.

## Keymar.

Announcements are out from Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Reiser, announcing that on Wednesday, Nov. 16th, 1910, their daughter, Miss Caroline Faries, will be united in marriage to Mr. William McPherson McGill. The wedding will take place at 12 o'clock in the Church of Ascension, Westminster. A reception will be given at "Auburn," the home of the groom, near Catocin Furnace, Nov. 23rd.

Lame back is one of the most common forms of muscular rheumatism. A few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment will give relief. For sale by all dealers.

## The Man's the Man.

"The man's the man," my Barney says—An' Barney's newly married—'Tis the man that knows the ways—The burdens should be carried.

Let the woman wear the grace—An' pleasein' pranks o' beauty, Yet be mindful of her place—An' of her wifely duty.

By the crown within 'er hat, The chief of all our riches, I'll be king o' this an' that, An' sure I'll wear the breeches!

Yes, an', need be, I can teach The "Spanish way" o' walkin'—There's my Barney's manful speech, I listen to him talkin'.

"The man's the man," my Barney says, An', faith, my thoughts are carried Back to well remembered days—When I was newly married.

An' there's wan that's lookin' down Upon this house this minute Knows who was it wore the crown The wifery herself was in it.

Dull I was, but plain as day 'Tis now I'm seein' through it How she let me have her way, An' sure I never knew it.

Puffed wid pride as I could be An' struttin' round an' squawkin', "Man's the man," sez I, an' she—She listened to me talkin'.

—T. M. Daily in Catholic Standard and Times.

## Christians in Old Rome.

Religious persecution as such was unknown under the Romans. The Christians were regarded as seditious. In denying the divinity of the Caesars and the Roman gods they were guilty of high treason in Roman eyes and were accordingly punished. But their punishment had no religious significance whatever. The Christians were persecuted not because they were Christians, but because. In the opinion of the authorities, they were disturbers of the peace and safety of the state. Religious persecution was a thought that never entered the Roman mind.—New York American.

## Wounds of the Heart.

In wounds of the heart itself the escape of blood is never in large quantity, and the lethal consequences are due to the fact that the escape of blood from within its cavity or cavities into the surrounding sac of the pericardium mechanically interrupts the alternate contraction and expansion by which its pumping action is maintained. Accordingly the results of the wound of the heart are usually identical with those of gradual suffocation.

One thorn of experience is worth a whole wilderness of warning.—Lowell.

Be brief, for it is with words as with sunbeams—the more they are condensed the deeper they burn.—Southey.

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Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscribers has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of

VALENTINE J. HARMAN, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 7th day of April, 1911; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under our hands this 7th day of October, 1910.

LETHA A. HARMAN, CHARLES E. KEEFER, Executors.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Carroll County, in Md., letters testamentary upon the estate of

WILLIAM J. FINK, late of Carroll County, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers properly authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 14th day of April, 1911; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. SYLVESTER FINK, Executor.

No Trespassing.

The name of any property owner, or tenant, will be inserted under this heading, weekly, until December 12 for 25 cents, cash in advance.

All persons are hereby forewarned not to trespass on my premises, with dog, gun or trap, for the purpose of taking game in any manner; nor for fishing, or in any way injuring or destroying property. All persons so trespassing render themselves liable to the enforcement of law in such cases, without notice.

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Do you know we have the largest line ever shown in Harney, also the lowest prices and best quality?

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The greatest sale on Sweaters we have ever experienced, another large shipment just received.

### Comforts and Bed Blankets.

A large assortment to select from at special low prices.

### Queensware and Glassware.

A large and better assortment than we offered two weeks ago on our 5 and 10c counters.

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We have just received a fine line of Gingham, prices ranging from 5c to 12c per yard. Also Outing and Canton Flannel at prices ranging from 4 to 10c. Special prices on dress flannel, tricott and all kind of wool dress goods, at special low prices, a fine assortment to select from. A beautiful line of Scarf, Shawls and Sweaters, at the right prices.

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### NO. 4392 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County.

John D. Henson, et al., Plaintiffs,

vs.

Emma J. Smith and William Smith, her husband, Defendants.

Ordered this 28th day of October, A. D. 1910, that the account of the Auditor filed in this cause be finally ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 14th day of November next; provided a copy of this order be inserted for two successive weeks before the last named day in some newspaper published in Carroll County.

OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

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### Then There Was a Hush.



"It's easy to see," said Mr. Blowem, "which side of the house the boy gets his temper from."

"And also easy," replied Mrs. Blowem, "to see where he gets his inability to control it."

### The Old Temeraire.

[He jests at cars that never felt a wound.] We drove among the untrodden ways Beside the springs of Dove A car which there were few to praise And none at all to shove.

She bumped upon a mossy stone Half hidden from the eye Fair as a car can spin she spun And leapt toward the sky.

We were alone, and few could know When we two ceased to cuss Ten miles we hauled her home, and oh, The difference to us!

—Punch.

### He Was Too Enthusiastic.

Hank Dobbs was noted as an "honest" horse trader. He would not let about a horse. He would merely suppress the truth. Incidentally he always beat the customer who dealt with him. The way he could slur over the defects and buzz about the virtues of an animal amounted to genius.

Once Hank was trying to sell a neighbor a horse that had an eye which was nearly sightless. The neighbor knew Hank would not lie outright to him, so he questioned the horse trader as to the various points of the brute.

"How about his eyesight? Can he see out of both eyes?"

"Sure," said Hank. "He's got good eyes." Here he leaned forward, his eyes fairly scintillating with suppressed honesty. "One eye is particularly good."

Hank's enthusiasm for the truth had carried him too far. The deal was off. —Tulsa (Okla.) Post.

### Hair Monstrosities.

French theater managers in the eighteenth century had worse evils than picture hats to contend against. Marie Antoinette, who was short, even according to French standards, set the fashion of high coiffures and ultra-fashionable women prided themselves on measuring four feet from their chins to the tops of their heads. These structures took about six hours to erect, the hairdresser mounting a ladder in the process. Some coiffures were almost as broad as they were long, with wings sticking out about eight inches on each side of the head. For the "frigate" coiffure the hair was ripped in a huge pile to represent the waves of an angry sea and surmounted by a fully rigged ship. As a consequence of these monstrosities, disturbances in theaters occurred almost daily until an ordinance was issued against the admission of women with high coiffures to the floor of the house.

### Three Curious Bells.

There is a curious legend connected with the bells of Messingham church. It is said that a long, long time ago a traveler was passing through Messingham when he noticed three men sitting on a stile in the churchyard and saying, "Come to church, Thompson; come to church, Brown," and so on. Being very much surprised, he asked what it meant and was told that, having no bells, they called folks to church in this way. The traveler remarked that it was a pity so fine a church should be without bells and at the same time asked the men if they could make three for the church, promising to pay for them himself. They undertook to do this. They were respectively a tinker, a carpenter and a shoemaker. When next the traveler passed that way he found the three men ringing three bells which said, "Ting, tong, pluff," being made respectively of tin, wood and leather!—London Tit-Bits.

### Calling on Tennyson.

A young American girl, who with her mother had called at Farringford to see the famous poet Tennyson, but was not received, shortly after expressed her regret to Mrs. Cameron, Tennyson's neighbor, who was also his intimate friend and a lady at once charming and masterful.

"Oh, so he wouldn't see you?" cried Mrs. Cameron indignantly. "Come with me!"

She took the reluctant American straight back to Tennyson's house and, without knocking or ringing, went into the room where he sat with his wife.

"Alfred," said she as the two looked up, startled, "these strangers came from a far country to see the lion of Freshwater, and behold—a bear!"

Tennyson burst out laughing and became amiable at once.

### Taking a Chance.

The mistress was giving Harriet the benefit of her advice and counsel touching a momentous step the latter contemplated.

"Of course, Harriet," said the lady of the house, "if you intend to get married that's your own business, but you mustn't forget that marriage is a very serious matter."

"Yes, mum," said Harriet; "yes, mum. I know 'tis sometimes, mum. But, mum, maybe I'll have better luck than you did, mum."—Brooklyn Life.

### His Nationality.

The little girl had come home from school and was telling the family about a certain stout man that had lectured to them in the morning. When through her father said:

"What nationality was the man, daughter?"

"Broken English," she replied.—Exchange.

### Considerate.

Friend—Now that you have been married some time, old friend, tell me frankly your opinion on the marriage state. Much Married Man (to his wife)—Just go outside, my dear, will you?—Fliegende Blätter.

### Ready.

He—I wonder what your father will say when I ask him for your hand. She—Don't worry about that, dear. He rehearsed it with me this morning, and he does it beautifully.

### Consistency.

Knicker—Where was Jones going when arrested for speeding? Bocker—To deliver a speech on the extravagance of automobiles.—New York Sun.

Children think not of the past nor of what is to come, but enjoy the present time, which few of us do.—La Bruyere.



## "Two bottles Cured My Rheumatism"

got two bottles and they cured me. I think it is the best Liniment a person can have in the house. I shall always keep a bottle in my house as long as I can get it."—Mrs. E. R. WALLACE, Morrisons, Va.

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### Legend of the Pilgrim Fathers.

[It there was a Plymouth rock.—Present Lowell of Harvard.]

The breaking waves dashed high And crashed with thunderous shock On a jagged rock a-nigh— If there really was a rock.

The trees against a stormy sky Tossed branches gnarled and old, And stridulous the storm wind's sigh— At least so we are told.

As straight unto the goal The good ship Mayflower's trip As needful to the pole— If in fact there was a ship.

The pilgrims on her prow Had promptly knelt in prayer. So must we all allow— But were the fathers there?

What of the beds and chairs That crammed the Mayflower's hold And ever need repairs— Were all the buyers sold?

Did those who forbears trace To Plymouth—harsh the blow!— Come of a common race And, Topsy-like, just grow?

Oh, Mrs. Hemans, sad The day if we should find Your tuneless numbers had No basis but the mind! —Maurice Morris in New York Sun.

### A Fruitful Christian.

Some years ago at a conference of Presbyterian ministers a respected but simple minded brother "rose to a personal explanation." His first wife, he said, had died triumphant, and in due time he had married again. All this time he had sincerely supposed his new wife to be of his own ecclesiastical persuasion. "I never thought," said he, with tremulous voice, "to ask her if she were a Presbyterian, and what, brethren, was my surprise and horror to learn after we were married that she was a Spitzenberg!"—Lippincott's

### His World.

Pretty Girl (to Charles, her betrothed)—Charles, how far is it around the world? Isn't it 24,000?"

Charles (putting both arms around her)—That's all a mistake, love. It is only about twenty-four inches."

### A Legal View.

"The Bible says that no man can serve two masters." "Yes. That's probably the first law against bigamy ever put down."—Cleveland Leader.

### Curious.

Isn't it curious that when it is one minute after 8 o'clock it is past 8, when it is thirty minutes after it is only half past 8?

### The Historic City of Delhi.

Delhi is the most historic city in all India. It may not be the oldest, although it lays claim to a respectable middle age, dating from 1000 B. C. At that time the master of Delhi called himself emperor of all the world, and emperors, at least of India, have ruled there almost ever since. Old Delhi, without the walls, is a city of picturesque ruins. Imperial Delhi, the modern city, was created by Shah Jehan, a contemporary of Queen Elizabeth. From the date of the first Mohammedan incursion, A. D. 715, perpetual warfare raged round Delhi until at length she yielded to the irresistible power of the Moguls. The city was alternately Mohammedan and Hindu during a great many years and finally, in 1803, was made British by General Lake. Delhi has the finest and largest mosque in India. It took 5,000 men six years to build it. The noble tomb of the Emperor Humayan marks the change of creed which followed the Moslem invasion, while the observatory of Jai Singh and the deserted hall of the seventy columns recall the short triumph of Brahmanism.

### She Couldn't Fool Him.

"You have a splendid figure," said the tailor. "I shall have no trouble in giving you an excellent fit."

Feeling fairly well satisfied, the man went to a shoe store.

"Your feet are splendidly shaped and rather small for a man of your size, too," said the clerk. "These shoes are just what you ought to have."

He took them and bought a hat at the hatter's, where he was told that he had such a finely shaped head and such splendid features that the hat which he tried on first was just what he needed to make him look his best.

Then he passed into a large department store and, finding the glove counter, sat down where a pretty young woman was waiting to serve him.

"Just place your elbow on the counter, please," she said. "What a finely shaped hand you have! Let me—"

"Wait!" he commanded. "By George, you can't put that over on me! I used to be the catcher on a baseball team." —Buffalo News.

### Could Not Deny It.

"I will ask you," said the lawyer, who was trying to throw doubts on the testimony of a witness, "if you have ever been indicted for any offense against the law?"

"I never have, sir."

"Have you ever been arrested on a charge of any kind?"

"Never."

"Well, have you ever been suspected of committing a crime?"

"I'd rather not answer that question."

"Ha! You would rather not. I thought so. I insist upon your answering it. Have you ever been suspected of crime?"

"Yes, sir; often. Every time I come home from a trip abroad the customs inspectors at New York city suspect me of being a smuggler."—Chicago Tribune.

### The Devil of the Desert.

It is not generally known how a devil rides a camel, but Mr. Hans Vicher acquired the information and imparts it in his volume, "Through the Sahara." One night a camel suddenly ran amuck. Other camels followed suit and a general panic ensued. "The frightened yells of my escort told me that a ghoul, a wicked demon of the desert, had seized the camel. I was told how these evil spirits sometimes took a fancy to mount a camel; the camel would then look to see who was digging it in the ribs, and, perceiving no one, fear would grip its heart, for then it knew that the devil was on its back."

### Malleable Glass of the Egyptians.

Strabo and Josephus both affirm that the Egyptian glass workers were so well skilled in their art that they imitated the amethyst and other precious stones to perfection. Malleable glass was one of the secret arts of the ancients, the formula for making it being now reckoned as lost. Strabo mentions a cup of glass which could be hammered into any desired shape, the material of which it was composed being as ductile as lead.

### How Plants Remain Upright.

If a flowerpetal is laid on its side the stalk of the plant growing in it gradually curves upward until it resumes the vertical position. This is called geotropic curvature, and the question is by what means the plant is stimulated to change its direction of growth. One theory avers that movable starch grains in the plant cells fall to the lower side as the position is changed and by their pressure influence the mechanism of growth.



## Milady's Mirror

"It takes care and thought," said a pretty matron archly. "The boys and their father watch my weight, and if I threaten to grow a trifle stout there is uneasiness, and I am advised anxiously not to take chocolate or too much dessert, and there is great relief in the family when I return to my original thinness. It sounds absurd, but when a mere little woman keeps the house happy with a few gowns and nice ways I call it cheap at the pains. Don't tell any one for the world, but the boy—that is the way she alludes to her son and heir—has a half mile course laid out down at our place in the country, and nothing pleases him better than to get me out there back of the evergreens for a run with him on a bright morning. You can run your flesh off quicker than you can get rid of it any other way, and it leaves you feeling as if you could set the bay on fire."

"That's the way a woman ought to feel," said an older woman, whose deep blue gown set off a face of rose red and white and brilliant keen gray eyes made the glance wander after her. "When I was out in the country people used to wonder at me, and they said, 'She goes about like a young girl.' I asked, 'How should I go about?' I felt light and perfectly easy in motion, while their women went about staid, moping, artificial, because they thought they must do so. I got in and out of a carriage without help, while one of their women had to have three men come to offer a hand, and then she fell out with a puff as if she were going to pieces. When a woman has large lungs, as we have, she is lighter and gets around easier, just as birds do with the air cells in their bones, or they are wadded with flesh about the hips and chest with poking about their housekeeping and breathing fumes of so much cookery and sitting around and moving slowly when they go about afterward."

### One Way to Shampoo.

A specialist who has had success with treating falling hair has novel ideas on shampoos that are easily adopted by the girl who washes her own hair.

Make a strong lather of soapsuds by putting a cake of pure white soap in a pitcher that holds a couple of quarts. Pour a pint of boiling water over the soap and shake until a thick lather is formed, when the soap is removed.

Let the mixture cool to blood heat or so that it will not scald the skin and pour a little at a time over the scalp, rubbing it in with the tips of the fingers.

When scalp is well cleansed pour the rest of hot mixture over the long hair, washing it gently down from the roots toward the ends.

Rinse with warm water, using a bath spray, and keep it up until no soapsuds remain either on scalp or long hair. Part hair and spray scalp, especially at sides of head and at nape of neck.

Have several smooth towels made very hot and dry the hair with them. When nearly finished separate hair into strands, thread with fingers or comb to remove tangles, then draw fingers from scalp to ends of hair until it is dry, soft and fluffy.

This specialist does not believe in cold water rinsing, which most hairdressers feel will prevent cold. The hot water gives more of a gloss and prevents harshness. She also avoids combing the hair when wet or pulling it when drying.

### Baked Onions With Cheese.

Peel and cut in one-half inch slices large white onions. Parboil in salted water, drain and arrange in a buttered baking dish with bits of butter and bake until soft. Then sprinkle with salt, pepper and a layer of grated cheese. Return to the oven long enough to melt the cheese.

### To Stop Bleeding.

The bleeding from a cut may be stopped frequently by an application of finely powdered rice or flour. If the wound is very severe it will effectually lessen the flow of blood until other applications or assistance can be procured.

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All articles for this department must be in our office not later than Monday morning, each week, to be guaranteed insertion the same week, and all articles must be signed with the name of the author, even when a nom de plume is given.

### Millions Paid for Luxuries Annually.

"Clothes, fine dresses and accumulated wealth do not bring happiness. Our dress should be for comfort and neatness, but not for show, attraction and temptation. We must not live to eat, but eat to live. Eating and dressing are only secondary things," declared Rev. Henry M. Wharton, pastor of Brantly Baptist Church, Baltimore, last Sunday morning in his sermon on "The Cost of Living."

In the classified list of luxuries, about the cost of which Dr. Wharton told his congregation, are talking machines, fire-works, cigars, automobiles, yachts, tours to Europe, candy, perfumes, cosmetics, jewelry, imported millinery, laces and embroidery, theaters and moving pictures.

"The average American staggers hopelessly under the ever-increasing burden of living," continued Dr. Wharton. "Just to keep soul and body together and to raise a shelter over his loved ones and put bread in their mouths is the problem by day of the bread winner and his dream by night. Statistics of what it costs to live are abundant, and every one is ready with a reason for it, but after all the answer is easy. It simply takes all we have to live, and with some it costs more than they have."

"True, we who live now get a great deal more out of life than our fathers did, they say, but I doubt it. They got more of peace and contentment and genuine happiness out of their simple life than we who live so high and so fast. They had time for other thoughts and other things. They could spend hours with their loved ones and enjoy the society of their wives and children."

"The business man of to-day is a stranger to his wife, and hardly knows his own children. He once had time for church and religion and books. The man of to-day falls into his bed at night worn out with the day's struggle, and must sleep on Sunday or break the Sabbath seeking some unwholesome amusement."

"Jesus Christ, who knew all things, solved the problem and laid down the life principle for us, and there it is: 'Is not the life more than meat and the body more than raiment? Behold the fowls of the air, for they sow not, neither gather into barns, yet your Heavenly Father feedeth them. Consider the lilies, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin, and yet I say unto you that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. If God so clothes the grass, how much more will He clothe you, oh, ye, of little faith. Now, He does not teach that we must sit down idly and wait like Elijah for the ravens to bring in something to eat. Not at all. He provides for the fowls of the air, but they must go after it, and so must we."

"It is not the necessities of life which embarrass and oppress us, but its luxuries. The American people are great money-makers, but they are the most extravagant people upon earth. It is not your necessary living, but unnecessary spending, that cries out against you."

"Let me give you a few figures in round numbers of our ever-increasing annual expenses for luxuries: Trips to Europe, \$200,000,000; automobiles, yachts and carriages, \$250,000,000; talking machines, \$20,000,000; ammunition and fireworks, \$25,000,000; liquors and other drinks, \$900,000,000; cigars and tobacco, \$500,000,000; candy, \$150,000,000; perfumery and cosmetics, \$18,000,000; jewelry, \$100,000,000; imported millinery, laces and embroidery, \$60,000,000; theatres, \$150,000,000; moving pictures, \$150,000,000."

"Tell us how to meet it, the cost of living? This is my answer. It is the answer of Christ himself. Lay not such insane stress upon what you must eat and what you must wear. In other words, economize, live simply, work for your living with reasonably industry and trust in the providence of your Heavenly Father for the rest."

"The man who spends his life in this world toiling for the meat that perisheth and the clothing that wear out, makes life cost him more than if he owned a thousand worlds. 'What shall it profit a man if he should gain the whole world and lose his own soul?' The difficulty is we all want to be like Dives in this world and Lazarus in the world to come. 'Ye cannot serve God and Mammon.' Clothes and fine dinners do not bring happiness. Neither does the accumulation of wealth."

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### City's Big Stationery Bill.

New York has to pay annually what is probably the biggest stationery and printing bill of any municipality. Last year it was over \$1,300,000. New York prints a daily newspaper of its own, the City Record, which helps along the bill somewhat. It cost \$262,000 to print the City Record in 1909.

Uncle Sam has his own printing shops, so it isn't possible to compare his printing bill with the bill New York has to settle every year, because New York has to go out and get its printing done like any private corporation.

Of the big city departments the Finance Department runs up the biggest printing and stationery bill. Last year it was over \$200,000. Whenever New York decides to get out a bond issue it makes the man who orders the stationery groan. Those nice looking green and gold bonds cost over a dollar apiece, which would mean \$35,000 for a \$35,000,000 bond issue.

Probably no private consumer, even the largest corporations, has anything like the same number of stationery forms made to order as the city. The Department of Health, for instance has no less than 725 different forms to be ordered. Other departments have almost as many.

It requires a big three story warehouse on Reade street to hold all of New York's stationery. There are \$200,000 worth of blank books, ledgers, etc., bought every year and stored there. Everything is carted to the warehouse, whence supplies are drawn by the different departments as they need them.

All the printing and stationery supplies pass through the hands of David Ferguson, supervisor of the City Record, who is also the editor of the city's official newspaper. Mr. Ferguson's year hopes to save over \$100,000 alone in printing this newspaper and over \$300,000 in the city's general bill for printing.

### Reaching the Top

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### Interest Your Boy in Music.

"There once lived a boy," says Constance Osborn in *Woman's Home Companion* for October, "in a family where three members had gained musical recognition, who grew to be nineteen, without evincing any interest in the refining art, beyond a mild pride in his relatives' achievements. Golden opportunities to take lessons on the already much-abused piano had been tossed aside. Then he went away to college, and one evening dropped in at orchestra rehearsal. It chanced on that fateful night that the student who played the snare drum was absent, and the boy was asked to try his hand. In a moment he found himself in the center of rising, vibrating tones and melodies, he himself a vital part, endeavoring to mark their rhythm and swell their volume, and his own heart swelled in response. From then on he became the most enthusiastic member of the orchestra. He began to board himself that he might save money for lessons in drumming, and he washed his socks and handkerchiefs to buy a metronome."

"The family heard of these rumors with amusement and awaited his homecoming with some consternation. In due time he arrived and practised drumming in the attic, and, moreover, taught a younger brother all he knew. He, in turn, became drummer in the high-school orchestra, but soon the boy's fancy took a melodic flight and he became the owner of a clarinet. The younger brother began to throw longing eyes on the 'cello, procured one and in a short time the clarinet and 'cello began to sing duets in the attic and, later, trios with the piano, in the parlor, for company."

"Now these boys did not grow up and become renowned musicians, but they acquired a proficiency that enabled them to play with pleasure for themselves and others. Through their awakened interest and understanding of music, they gained one of life's greatest assets, from a very small and unusual beginning."

### Who Is the Head of the Family?

We all know the usual answer to the question. We know as well that in different families the case differs according to the temperament, disposition and possibly fitness of that one of the ruling powers who takes and keeps the helm. Some clever critic has said that in Germany the husband is the head of the household; in France the wife; in England the oldest son; in America the eldest daughter.

This generalization awakens a smile, but so far as the last clause is concerned does it not approach the truth as we see it here? The pretty daughter is easily sovereign of her father's heart. The American husband is so chivalrous and devoted to the interests of his wife and family that he is happiest when work-

ing for them and providing the means for their comfort and luxury. One is always surprised at discovering an exception to this rule.

Such a character as Mrs. Henry De la Pasture delineates in her novel, *The Tyrant*, or as Anthony Trollope described in *He Knew He Was Right*, is almost unknown in this land of ours. The real despot, sweet, loving and lovely, is the girl in her teens whom her mother indulges and her father adores. Ah! well, one of these days the daughter may in turn, in a home of her own, yield her sceptre to somebody just like herself. Thus the world goes on.—Margaret E. Sangster, in *The Christian Herald*.

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## Good Form

Every housekeeper should realize that the appearance of the maids in her house is an indication of her good taste and management. They, in a measure, set the standard of your establishment from the moment the front door is opened. It need not be a matter of expense to have them neatly and properly dressed; it is largely a matter of judgment on your part in providing the correct things to wear on different occasions and of your carefulness in seeing that everything is neat and clean.

For the morning a neat percale dress of pale pink or blue always looks well, or one of a gray blue and white stripe. With this dress is worn a plain white apron, usually without a bib or bretelles, a white linen collar and a three cornered swiss muslin cap with a ruching around it. Before luncheon the waitress or parlormaid should change this dress for a simply made black one or one made of a pretty shade of gray. These are, of course, made of some woolen material. Gray dresses are an innovation and are not so serviceable as the black. With this dress is worn a plain white linen collar and turnover stiff linen cuffs. The apron should be quite small and made of thin lawn, batiste, swiss or muslin or fine linen with a frill or embroidered scallop around the edge. Instead of a cap the maid may wear a bow of fine muslin or a plaited small frill on which is sewed a black ribbon or black velvet bow.

### Suré Sign.

"Notice that homely woman with a big hat hanging to a strap?" "Which one?" "The one right in front of you, next to those two men sitting down and reading papers." "Yes, I see the woman, but her back is turned. How do you know she's homely?" "The men are still reading their papers, and she's still hanging to a strap."—Cleveland Leader.

### An Industry Threatened.

"What you want to do is to have that mudhole in the road fixed," said the visitor.

"That goes to show," replied Farmer Cornstossel, "how little you reformers understand local conditions. I've pretty high paid off a mortgage with the money I made haulin' automobiles out o' that mudhole."—Washington Star.

### Mistook His Meaning.

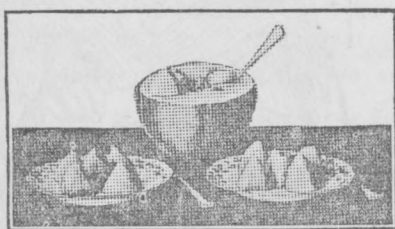
Mr. Recentmarrie—Why have you made this bread with a hole through it, like a doughnut, dearest? Mrs. Recentmarrie—Why, it's the kind you asked me to make, John. Don't you remember saying you wished I would try my luck with hole wheat bread?—Philadelphia Press.

### What's In a Name?

"I don't like your heart action," the doctor said, applying the stethoscope again. "You have had some trouble with angina pectoris." "You're partly right, doctor," said the young man sheepishly, "only that ain't her name."—Ladies' Home Journal.

### YOU'LL LIKE IT.

Watermelon Cones a Delicious and Seasonable Dessert.



THE CONES WHEN PREPARED FOR TABLE.

Cut a ripe and chilled watermelon in halves crosswise the melon, says the Boston Cooking School Magazine. Use a tea, soup or tablespoon, as is desired. Press the bowl of the spoon to its full height down into the melon, turn it around until it comes again to the starting place, lift out the cone of melon, remove the seeds in sight and dispose on a serving dish. When all the cones possible have been cut from the surface of the half melon cut off a slice of rind that extends to the tip of the cones, then remove the red portion of the melon in cones as before. Serve ice cold.

### A Bernhardt Trick.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who is supposed to be something of an artist as well as an actress, was recently called upon in one of her marvelous creations to enact the role of a sculptor and to model a certain bust in view of the audience.

This fairly electrified the critics, but when going into rhapsodies over the technical skill in handling the clay which Mme. Bernhardt exhibited they showed that they knew little of the artistic tricks of actors and actresses. As a matter of fact, she does nothing of the kind. The bust is modeled and baked, and over it is placed damp clay of the same color. The actress merely pulls off, leaving the beautifully modeled head underneath.

### Smart Chiffon Wraps.

The girl who wants a chiffon cloth wrap, but has not the price, can make one for herself. The simplest wrap of this sort is made with a deep square at the back falling well below the hips with shawl ends in front. All edges are finished with fringe. For greater elaboration a two inch border in silk



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soutache braid can be put on the chiffon an inch and a half above the fringe. Somewhat newer is a narrower border of interlaced scrolls in what are known as line designs.

More serviceable is a wrap of satin, and the smart idea is to have the material of black satin. The illustration shows a good model for such a wrap.

### Sit Down When Possible.

Women who have many duties about the house or otherwise often tire themselves foolishly by standing, which tires more than walking. If one must stand, sitting at intervals relieves the strain on those muscles which are brought into play by the unaccustomed weight upon them for so long a period.

There's running up and down stairs too. A physician advises his patients to get into the habit of going up at a reasonable pace—not running, but walking. He especially emphasizes the fact that the ill effects experienced by women are trebled by running on the tips of the toes instead of firmly planting the feet, both heel and toe, on the stairs as for walking on the flat.

## One Doctor—Only One

No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense either in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Stick to it. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles. Sold for nearly seventy years. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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## Woman's World

Duchess of Roxburghe a Favorite of New English Queen.



DUCHESS OF ROXBURGHE.

The Duchess of Roxburghe, who was May Goelet of New York, and the Duchess of Buccleuch are warm friends of Queen Mary of England. The story goes that they will aid the present queen in ridding the court of men and women who enjoyed the favor of King Edward VII., but who ordinarily would not be received in select social circles. "The free and easy" members of King Edward VII.'s court, it is said, are doomed to social oblivion, and the former Miss Goelet will assist in the revision of the court list. The Duchess of Roxburghe occupies an enviable position. She was admired by King Edward VII., but for several years has been a warm friend of the woman who now is queen. She and her husband associated much with the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the four found much in common. Though as Princess of Wales the present queen seemed to care little for society, she already has shown a stern mind and a thorough appreciation of the social problems ahead of her and has assumed with much vigor the management of the court ceremonies.

### A Guessing Luncheon.

Girls who want to give clever mid-day feasts to their friends should try a guessing luncheon, in which all or many of the dishes are given names.

Every guest is given a chance to find out what the food is before the feast is served. Cards are handed around and small pencils. There are a dozen or more sentences written on the card, each of which stands for a food. The one who guesses the most of these correctly is awarded a prize. It is only necessary to serve the food; it is only necessary to guess it. A jumble would result if the hostess served the luncheon which is on the card.

One of the best of these is as follows:

- First.—Emblems of silence—Oysters.
- Second.—The penalty of looking backward—Salt.
- Third.—Made keen by its mother—Vinegar.
- Fourth.—Boston diet—Beans.
- Fifth.—Forbidden to Jews—Pork.
- Sixth.—Emblem of stupidity—Goose.
- Seventh.—Universal crown—Hare.
- Eighth.—Largest part of the foot—Sole.
- Ninth.—To shrink from danger—Quail.
- Tenth.—Ludicrous situations—Pickles.
- Eleventh.—Tailor's tool—Goose.
- Twelfth.—Country of the "sublime porte"—Turkey.
- Thirteenth.—One of Noah's sons—Ham.
- Fourteenth.—Woman's weapon—Tongue.

### Traveling Etiquette.

A woman who is traveling alone should remember that it is not good form—

To pull up a window shade in a car where this will throw the sunlight into her neighbor's eye or pull it down in such a way as to deprive him of light when he is reading.

To put her feet on the seats. To open a window in a railroad car without asking those who are sitting within reach of the draft whether they object to it.

To move up and down the aisle an unnecessary number of times. To turn and stare at passengers seated behind her.

To rearrange her belongings many times in a half hour.

The lone traveler will find that courtesy to subordinates will win her attention and service more quickly than the sharp, short, almost peremptory manner sometimes assumed by well meaning but misguided persons.

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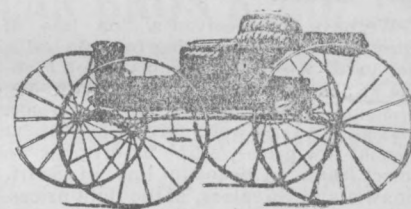
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## SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson VI.—Fourth Quarter, For  
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### THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Matt. xxvi, 17-30.  
Memory Verses, 26-28—Golden Text,  
Luke xxii, 19—Commentary Pre-  
pared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This lesson, entitled "The Last Supper," is recorded by Mark and Luke as well as by Matthew, and there is a long portion recorded by John only (chapters xiii to xvii, inclusive). It is easy to read it. How often we have done so, but who can understand it? Only by the Spirit can we in any measure grasp a little of its significance. May each one of us have a special anointing to read, to write, to meditate, to teach, and may the Spirit have full control of us, that Jesus Christ may be glorified. Luke says that He sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare us the Passover, that we may eat." Then they asked Him, "Where wilt thou that we prepare?" To which He replied that they were to follow a man whom they would meet, in the city bearing a pitcher of water, and by him they would find the furnished upper room. They found as He had said and made ready the Passover. With the "Where wilt thou?" of this lesson I have in mind the "What wilt thou?" of Acts ix, 6, with Prov. iii, 5, 6, and its "Trust—lean not—acknowledge—He shall direct." We cannot learn the way of peace and His guidance in all things until we have learned that we of ourselves know nothing and can do nothing. Then see what simple, ordinary things He uses—a man, a pitcher of water and, away back in the story, a shepherd's rod, a dream many a time, a barley cake, the dew, a vine, a fig tree, a gourd, a worm, a hen and chickens, sparrows, everything? If there seems to be delay in guidance He is saying, "My time is not yet," but in due time He will say, "My time is at hand."

When evening came He sat down with the twelve and spake of His great desire for this time, but that He would never again eat the Passover with them nor drink of the fruit of the vine till the kingdom of God should come (Luke xxii, 15-18), thus pointing to a future fulfillment of the Passover, when the deliverance of Israel from all nations would so far exceed the deliverance from Egypt that the deliverance under Moses would not seem worth mentioning in comparison (Jer. xxiii, 7, 8). Then followed, still between verses 20 and 21 of our lesson, the washing of their feet, with its great lesson of humility. Those who think that He taught only literal foot washing should consider His words to Peter, "If I wash thee not thou hast no part with me" (John xiii, 8). He washed the feet of Judas as well as of the others, yet Judas had no part with Him, and He said concerning him, "It had been good for that man if he had not been born" (verse 24). If the wicked are to be annihilated, as some teach, there is no force in this saying of Jesus. Some time during the feast Jesus indicated Judas as His betrayer by dipping a sop and handing it to him. Satan having then entered into Judas, Jesus said to him, "That thou doest do quickly," and he went out immediately, and it was night (John xiii, 26-30). It has been night with him ever since, and there is no morning for him (Isa. viii, 20, R. V.).

The Passover being ended and Judas having gone out to do his devilish work, our Lord took bread, blessed, broke and gave to the disciples and said, "Take, eat; this is My body." Then He took the cup and gave thanks and gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it, for this is My blood of the New Testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins." Then He added a word about not drinking it henceforth till the kingdom comes (verses 26-29). Paul in his statement of this says that Jesus added both in reference to the bread and the wine, "This do in remembrance of Me," and he added, "For as often as ye eat this bread and drink this cup ye do show the Lord's death till He come" (I Cor. xi, 23-26). Those who teach that He gave them His actual body and blood to eat and drink should explain how this could be while He sat there among them. Rather let us accept His own explanation in John vi, 47, 54, that eating His flesh and drinking His blood is just believing in Him, for everlasting life is the result in each case, and there are not two ways of obtaining this life. What we eat we receive into us and assimilate it, and it becomes part of our body. As we eat His words, which are spirit and life, we eat Himself, and He dwells in us (John vi, 63; Jer. xv, 16).

We cannot begin to consider in so brief a lesson all the words and events of that evening, but between verses 29 and 30 of our lesson we must think of the whole of John xiv and with verse 31 of that chapter compare verse 30 of our lesson, remembering that John xiv is preceded by Peter's assurance of readiness to die with Jesus. How little we know ourselves! How well He knows us! And yet with all our vain boasting hear His "Let not your heart be troubled," as if He said: "You will find out what I know already, but do not think of yourself or be discouraged."

After verse 30 of our lesson we must think of the whole of John xv, xvi and xvii. Then in verse 31 hear His quotation from Zech. xiii, 7, and let the sword of that verse point you back to the sword of Gen. iii, 24, which must find a sacrifice, the antitype of Abel's lamb, if man would approach God.

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week  
Beginning Nov. 6, 1910.

Topic.—The secrets of happiness.—Job  
v, 17-27; Prov. iii, 18. (Consecration meet-  
ing.) Edited by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle,  
D. D.

The topic is very discriminating in the use of the word "secrets," the plural rather than the singular. There is no one secret or recipe for human happiness. The dispositions of men are far too different for that. What would be happiness to one would be misery to another, and vice versa. Supreme happiness to some men is the accumulation of money. Their joy is in seeing it increase and their delight to count it and watch its growth. But to part with it is the greatest misery to them. Other men, however, find their chief joy in spending money. It means nothing to them unless they can make immediate use of it and get what they call happiness out of it. One generation in a family acquires great wealth, and the second or third squanders it, and usually both are satisfied, but the latter generally comes to the worse end. But neither the miser nor the spendthrift possesses the right attitude toward money nor gets the greatest possible happiness out of it.

In worldliness many think to find the secret of happiness. The things of the world are real and apparent, and their happiness is to go in here for a good time. There is much happiness in the world if properly used, but if abused worldly happiness turns into bitterness, wormwood and gall. He that strives to find happiness in the sinful pleasures of the world soon discovers his mistake. He goes from the top to the dregs and finds that sin and Satan, vice and debauchery, are not what they were supposed to be. Nor can they go so far and turn back of themselves. Once fully started, they keep on, ever intending to stop, but never doing so. The securest way, the only real, safe way, is never to start on the downward path to ruin.

In the intellectual world many think to find the secret of happiness. Solomon was first an epicure, piling up worldly pleasures; but, becoming sated with worldly pleasures, he turned to stoicism, the philosophy of mental advancement alone, with an absolute crucifixion of every physical desire. But here he also found variety. Disgusted with epicureanism drove many an ancient Greek to stoicism. But no extreme is a cure for an opposite extreme. The development of the mind for the mind's sake alone brings dissatisfaction and not happiness. He who feeds upon books and thoughts and despises his body soon learns that happiness is not to be found in that way.

The only real happiness is to be found in religion. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness and of peace," the true Christian finds joy in the proper use of this beautiful world which God has made. He does not abuse it and finds its harmless joys and pleasures "all very good."

The true Christian also knows the secret of intellectual happiness. Giving thinking and study their proper place, he develops his mind that he may use his mental powers for the better service of God and humanity.

In religion, above all, he finds his happiness. If things go well he rejoices in the Lord; if they go ill he can still, trusting in God, be happy in spite of his afflictions that come upon him, for "happy is the man whom the Lord chasteneth."

### BIBLE READINGS.

Neh. viii, 10; Prov. iii, 19-26; Ps. xxiii; xxxii, 11; xxxvii, 1-5; xl, 1-3; cv, 1-18; Matt. v, 3-12; John xiii, 12-17; xvii, 26; Acts viii, 5-8; Phil. iv, 4; I John ii, 15-17; iv, 18, 19.

### The Pledge Best.

The editor of the Church Advocate, the organ of the churches of God, speaks in a recent editorial of the value of Christian Endeavorers as instrumentalities for gathering up and perpetuating the work of a revival, and he reminds his readers that it was under just such circumstances that Dr. Clark organized the first Christian Endeavor society.

"True," says the editor, "he only requested the converts to read the Bible, pray, take part in religious services, etc., which pastors had been urging converts to do long before Dr. Clark was born, but the latter added at least one feature—he asked those young people to sign a simple pledge embodying the above features—and the remarkable results testify to the worth of this factor in the society, for, no difference how much some may minimize the pledge feature of the Christian Endeavor society, its results are before us, results which never followed the efforts of any other pastor with his young people, and these results must be accounted for. This is why we believe that the best ends can be attained with our young people in the churches through the medium of such a society."

### Studies of Men and Women.

Often a Christian Endeavor society will arouse its members to new interest by dropping an occasional topic from the regular series and inserting one of its own making. Thus the Endeavorers of the First Congregational church, San Diego, Cal., are following this year a course of topics dealing with some of the leading philanthropists of the day—Clara Barton, General Booth, Judge Lindsey, Maud Ballington Booth, Jacob Riis and Jane Addams. One meeting a month is devoted to each of these, and in connection with the biographical study the society studies the particular movement with which each is associated.

## BEAUTY AND THE MAN.

An Experiment That Caused Him  
to Change His Decision.

By KEITH GORDON.

In the long talks that those two excellent friends Baird Dunham and Barbara Somers had from time to time about life, the world and the men and women therein he had more than once confided to her that never could he fall in love with a woman who was not a beauty.

"I can't exactly explain how I feel about it," he said one day as they sat together in an art gallery, where his worshiping eyes returned ever and again to a pictured face of rare beauty that looked down upon them from the warm red walls. "It isn't that I think they are the most fascinating. Will and beauty are not too fond of each other's company. Besides, the most attractive woman I've ever known was ugly—so ugly that at first she made you gasp. After that—well, she was your criterion of charm. When you left her things became stale and lifeless. All the color and sympathy went from the scene. You simply hungered for her."

He paused and turned toward his companion with a waiting, expectant look, as if he wanted to be sure that she understood, and she answered the unspoken question of his glance with a slow smile that did not betray by so much as a flicker the warm, reproachful woman wrath in her heart.

She had heard practically the same thing from him before, but today for the first time her patience gave way utterly. Apparently all sense of her womanhood had been sunk in their comradeship. Instead of rejoicing in this state of affairs, a feeling of injury, outrage, suddenly flared up in her heart.

Did he think that because her features were irregular and her complexion dull she was a girl who did not need to be reckoned with? Did he suppose she was the less a woman because she was plain? Had he no idea of the sting in the remarks he was forever making about feminine beauty?

These were the questions she asked herself hotly, but her voice—that low, vibrant voice that thrilled one with its rich difference from other voices—betrayed in its full evenness no trace of the resentment that surged within her.

"You are right," she agreed, with impersonal candor. "All women should be beautiful"—there was a slight pause, a hesitation just marked enough to give force to the conclusion of her sentence—"just as all men should be big and strong!"

Dunham glanced at her quickly. For one startled moment he half thought—But, no; Barbara was too good a fellow to give a man a flock on the raw like that. It was a mere coincidence.

Dunham was but five feet six, and though he was well knit and substantial, with a clean broad back that was in itself a recommendation, he was a trifle sensitive on the score of the six additional inches of height that he felt should have been his.

"A man's appearance isn't of much consequence," he observed, somewhat stiffly. "His field is action. It is what he is rather than how he looks."

There was more heat in his tone than he liked, but he wasn't able to suppress it. Somehow he didn't enjoy being made to feel that he was not at all like her ideal man even though they were nothing but friends.

"Perhaps you are right," was the mild reply, and the conversation drifted to other and safer subjects. But there was a speculative look in Barbara's eyes for the rest of the afternoon which would have told a careful observer that she was turning some plan over in her mind.

Her usual hour of rest before dinner she spent lying at full length on the divan in her room, with her hands clasped under her head and her eyes fixed on the open fire, thinking.

So Baird could never love any one but a beauty! She carefully refrained from asking herself why this should plague her particularly, since her plainness had never interfered with their friendship, and he spent far more time with her than with any of the pretty girls of their set. Still—

"Well, I don't care," she said aloud as, glancing at the clock, she arose and began to roll up the masses of her dark hair, sticking the great shell pins in here and there with reckless indifference. "I'm tired of hearing him talk that way. He deserves to be punished. Beauty may be the greatest thing, but it isn't greater than all other things put together."

"A few weeks of Amy will be good for him," she soliloquized as she went on with her dressing. Then, when she was ready for dinner, she sat down at her desk and wrote a letter to a former schoolmate, the beauty of her class, urging her to make her a long promised visit.

In the course of a week or two the invitation had been accepted, and Miss Averill arrived. That she was a beauty was a fact as self-evident as that the sky is blue (when it is so). It was a fact that admitted of no difference of opinion.

Her skin was like a La France rose, her eyes deeply blue, and her hair suggested mingled gold and copper. The curves of her gracious figure swirled and flowed in lines so graceful, so alluring, that even the most sluggish beholder was kindled into admiration.

"She's a beauty, all right," Barbara decided as she kissed her in greeting and conducted her to her room, and though she kept up her part of their animated talk about old times and old friends, her eyes feasted themselves upon Amy's loveliness. The latter's most ordinary movement was endowed with a grace that made Barbara half believe that beauty was the only thing after all. When other girls lifted their hands and removed their hats it was an action scarce worthy of notice, but when Amy's arms went up with a languid grace and her rather large but beautifully molded hands, with their long, tapering fingers, drew forth a glittering pin and removed her hat Barbara felt vaguely that she was witnessing a rite—that she was seeing a poem.

But after a few days of her companionship the glamour was always bedimmed. The eyes were feasted, to be sure, but the mind and heart were starved. One wearied of her rose-like fluttering color and the amiable but unmeaning smile and even of the very perfect rows of teeth that the smile exposed.

"I am going to have a friend with me for a month," Barbara had told Baird Dunham in preparation; "a girl that I particularly want you to meet. She's a ravishing beauty and as sweet as she can be."

If she had spoken all of her thoughts perhaps she might have added, "So sweet that at the end of a month you will want to kill her or do something desperate and outrageous." But, with a commendable self-restraint, she banished this unruly idea to the dark chamber of unspoken thoughts.

In the weeks that followed she effaced herself, pushing Amy into Dunham's society in every possible way, but doing it so gradually and skillfully that he scarcely realized how little he was seeing of his friend and comrade. If she saw less of him, however, she saw more of Jack Lester, whose companionship was a grateful balm, because he was not forever talking about beauty, however much he may have admired it.

At first Baird haunted the house like a spirit, while his plans for Miss Averill's entertainment fairly tumbled over each other in their eagerness. These plans, of course, always included Barbara, but with a masterly skill she withdrew from them more and more until almost before Baird realized what had happened he noticed that he and Miss Averill were usually alone. With Miss Averill's exquisite profile beside him, however, he was not in a mood to complain.

Then about the middle of the fourth week his soaring spirit suddenly touched earth. He was guilty of a brutal, heretical thought. Right in the middle of a long afternoon that they were to spend together he was seized by a great weariness. For the life of him he could think of nothing to say. He was bored.

He stared at the beautiful Miss Averill with a sort of stupefied wonder. It seemed incredible that the society of so exquisite a creature could be so uncommonly like muggy weather. It seemed an age since he had had a good, bracing talk with Barbara. Now that he thought of it, Barbara must be seeing a good deal of that Lester chap. Vaguely, as if he had happened upon them in a dream, he recalled having met them together several times lately.

"I don't believe you are thinking of me at all," pouted Miss Averill. "I've spoken to you twice, and you haven't even heard me. It isn't nice of you."

"Oh! What?" exclaimed Dunham, trying to call his roving thoughts together and insisting upon hearing the remark he had inadvertently missed.

"I asked if you don't think the Waldorf is lovely. I think it's just sweet."

"Yes," assented he recklessly, "that expresses it sweetly. It's just sweet." And he cast about in his mind for some excuse by which the hours that stretched before them might be shortened. He felt precisely as he had once in his childhood when he had surreptitiously bought and eaten six chocolate ruses.

Miss Averill confided to Barbara that night that she didn't like Mr. Dunham so well as she thought she did.

"He's so dull! Don't you think so?" she demanded.

"There have been times when he seemed so," Barbara confessed airily. Then she wondered if Baird's ears were aflame. Three days later the radiant Miss Averill's visit came to an end. Soon afterward Dunham dropped in to see Barbara, quite in his old manner.

"Ah, this is good!" he said gloatingly as he sank into the depths of his favorite chair. "There's so much talk to make up," he went on in genial enjoyment, "that I scarcely know where to begin."

Barbara turned her head to one side and surveyed him with half-closed eyes.

"We might begin with feminine beauty," she suggested helpfully. "There's so much to be said about it."

A pause followed, in which several new ideas entered Dunham's mind. Then he demanded, not without a conscious sense of guilt:

"Just what do you mean?" He leaned forward and studied her face, and though she flushed under his keen scrutiny, her eyes looked back at him—proud, unwavering and a bit defiant.

"I certainly admire beauty," he began softly. "But I take back what I have said about falling in love with one. You see, little girl, I'm so used to you that the beauties bore me."

"Really," she scoffed, "for a worshiper of the fair?"

But a pair of strong arms were about her, and a rueful voice pleaded: "Scold me some other time, dearest."

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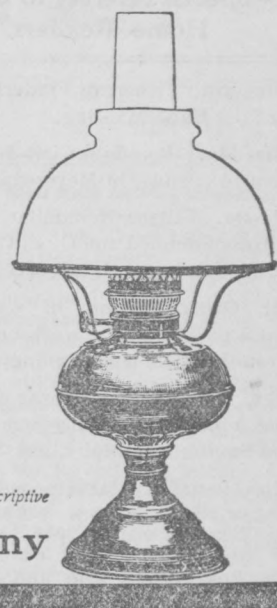
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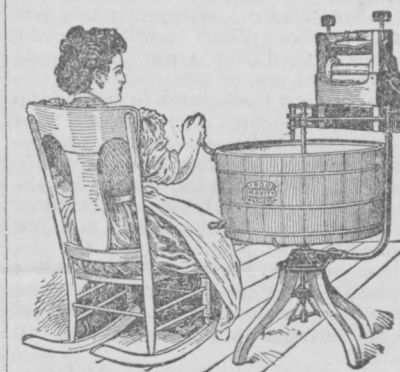
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### HOW SHE PLAYED HIM.

A Story, the Moral of Which Is, Be Sure of Your Girl.

Young Jenkins took off the vest he had been wearing all day behind the neckwear counter, replaced it with one that looked as if it had been made out of a steamer rug and then went out to call on the little party with the taffy colored coiffure.

They sat on the divan and discussed various things, from Camembert cheese to musical comedy. Then they looked through her book of Gibson pictures again. They could hear the rumble and rattle of traffic on the silent street below.

The girl looked at Jenkins unblinkingly for several moments, at the same time picking up a wilted looking sofa cushion and stroking it carelessly. "It's nice to be able to talk as frankly with each other as we do sometimes," she murmured.

"Yes, indeed," Jenkins agreed in a noncommittal voice.

"I feel that I could tell you anything or say anything to you," she declared, still looking at him intently.

Jenkins squirmed in his seat as he told her, "I'm mighty glad that you feel just that way."

"Yes," says she, "and I think it's foolish for people to stand too much on convention when they have something on their minds and in their hearts that they think should be spoken."

"That's the way I've always sized it up," returned Jenkins.

"Well, then," she pursued, "what would you say if I were to assume that it is leap year just for tonight, and inasmuch as it is within woman's province during leap year to speak to a man—oh, you know—I mean what would you say if I just played this was leap year and?"

"I'd accept you!" exclaimed Jenkins, jumping to his feet. "You bet your sweet life I would! I'd never thought of having such a thing come from your own sweet lips, but I'd accept you, that's what I'd do!"

"And then," chuckled she as she flicked a moth miller off the divan, "I'd come right back, and just as I played it was leap year I'd play it was the 1st of April, and you would be the fool. No; I don't accept where I have to propose."—Fred C. Kelly in Puck.

### Her Fortune.

Knicker—Bread is to be sold by weight.

Bocker—Then my wife can make 75 rich.—New York Sun.

### A Difficult Feat.

"In choosing his men," said the Sabbath school superintendent, "Gideon did not select those who laid aside their arms and threw themselves down to drink. He took those who watched with one eye and drank with the other."—Herald and Presbyterian.

### Handy Trick.

Dinks—So you enjoyed the circus? Winks—Yes; I was particularly interested in the juggler. I'll bet that man could get any number of bundles from a street car to the train without dropping one of them.—St. Louis Times.

### Nothing to Talk About.

"I don't see that Brown's vacation did him any good."  
"Why not?"  
"He hasn't had a word to say. Evidently he didn't do anything worth talking about."—Detroit Free Press.

### First and Foremost.

"My wife has a great deal to say to me about her first husband."  
"Nonsense. Your wife was never married before."  
"I know it. That's what makes her reflections so painful."—Puck.

### The Gown Puzzle.

He—Hello! Aren't you pleased with your new frock?  
She—Oh, yes, only I'm not quite sure whether it is torn down the back or whether it is merely the latest fashion.—Merry Thought.

### Prevention.

"Where did your daughter study music?"  
"Why do you ask?"  
"I want to have the place pulled before further damage is done."—New York Press.

### Limited Capacity.

Said He—Algernon and Evelyn are "two souls with but a single thought." Said She—That's too bad. Both together are incapable of supplying more than half an idea.—Chicago News

### The Present Style.

"Pop, who are the people they call the underworld?"  
"The people you see on the road, hating their automobiles, my child."—Baltimore American.

### Knew Enough.

"Brassie has an awful nerve."  
"What did he do?"  
"Waited in an umbrella store till the rain was over."—Buffalo Examiner.



## TANEYTOWN LOCAL COLUMN.

### Brief Items of Local News of Special Interest to Our Home Readers.

Miss Ruth Fisher, of Frederick, is visiting Miss Edna Mehning.

Miss Mary Reindollar left Tuesday on a visit to friends, in Meyersdale, Pa.

Messrs. Wallace Reindollar and Carroll Hess attended the C. E. Convention held in Cumberland, this week.

Mr. George Mitten, of Washington, spent a portion of the week here visiting the family of John E. Buffington.

Rev. Wm. E. Wheeler was one of four of the ministers attending Synod, assigned to Smithburg pulpits, last Sunday.

Miss Beulah Englar returned home, on Tuesday, from a four weeks visit to friends in New York and New Jersey.

Mr. Ross Koons, wife and daughter, of Chambersburg, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Anna M. Koons.

Mrs. Ernest Hyser and two children, and Miss Helen Ridinger left, on Thursday, for a ten-days' visit to relatives in Baltimore.

Dr. C. Birnie, who has been on a trip to Florida, is now in New York city on a visit to his brother, Major Birnie, and will return home on Monday.

Rev. J. S. P. Young preached his first sermon to the U. B. congregations at Harney and Taneytown, last Sunday. He will likely move here in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LeFevre, and son, of Sebring, Ohio, who have spent ten days among relatives in Taneytown and Emmitsburg, left for home, on Wednesday.

Mr. Samuel Harner and daughter, Miss Alverta, visited Mr. Harner's sister, Mrs. M. Caples, at Mechanicsville, and friends in Westminster, from Sunday till Tuesday.

The RECORD office added a new mail cart to its equipment, this week, from the factory of Jas. H. Reindollar. It's a nice piece of work, and just the thing for our purpose.

Mr. William H. Perry and wife, of Union Bridge, and Mr. Isaac L. Perry and wife, of Dwight, Ill., passed through, on Monday, on an auto trip to Gettysburg and Waynesboro.

Our information last week, as to the work of the assessors, was faulty, though received from good authority. It is now said that they will begin in Middleburg district, on Monday.

Mr. Joseph Myers moved back to his property at the edge of town, on Thursday; Mr. and Mrs. Kump, who have been living there, going to Mrs. Thomas's property on the Westminster road.

Mr. Reuben Frock, of York, Pa., son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Frock, was operated, on this week, at the York Hospital, for a trouble of twenty years standing with one of his legs. He stood the operation well and it is thought he will be permanently cured.

We have on hand 25 copies of "Choice Maryland Cookery," or the "Maryland Cook Book," as many call it. The price is 20¢ at the office, or 25¢ by mail. These copies ought to be sold between now and Christmas, and we give this notice thinking that it may not be known that we still have them on hand.

Mrs. E. C. Crouse is excavating the foundation for a new double dwelling to be built this winter, on a new street to be opened north from Baltimore St. extended, between Franklin Baumgardner's and Wm. H. Riman's. The dwelling is to be ready for occupancy in the Spring, and is already rented.

When you see a bunch of women on the street, wearing a guilty look as though they had just stolen something, or are contemplating some dark scheme, there is no need for alarm, for they are just going around "looking at the hats," and planning how they can burglarize the milliner's stock with as little damage as possible to their pocket books.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Koons, Miss Vallie Shorb and Mr. J. A. Hemler, spent several days this week on an automobile trip, visiting the former's sons, Earle and Carroll Koons, at Massanutten Academy, Woodstock, Va., Luray Caverns, Martinsburg, Winchester and other points in Virginia and West Virginia. The trip was made in Mr. Mehning's auto.

Taneytown pastors have the privilege, if they desire to use it, of announcing their services, sermon topics, etc., each week, under our "Church Notice" heading. Nearby pastors frequently use this department, but it has not been much used, locally, although it might be made of much value and information to the various churches and members.

Leveling up the most used street and alley crossings, by the use of concrete culverts and iron plates, still continues, and the work is more than an improvement—it is fine. The long stretch, fronting the lumber yard of the Reindollar Co., is now being placed, and we have no doubt that eventually the whole town will be so improved, giving perfectly level travel everywhere, covering up crossings which have long been eyesores and danger spots.

### Birthday Suprise Party.

(For the RECORD.)

At the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Newcomer, of Keyville, was the scene of a beautiful birthday surprise party, on the evening of Oct. 20th, in honor of the daughter, Miss Carrie, it being the 20th anniversary of her birth. Miss Newcomer was spending the day with one of her friends, and did not return home until about 8 o'clock, when many of her friends had already gathered to greet her, much to her surprise. The evening was very pleasantly spent in conversation, games and music. About 10:30 all were invited to the dining-room where refreshments were served which consisted of ice cream, cakes, pop corn, potato chips, pickles, candy, bananas and lemonade.

One of the prettiest and most attractive scenes in the dining-room was the beautiful birthday cake, which consisted of twenty burning, candles placed in the center of the table, opposite Miss Carrie. At a late hour all departed for their homes wishing Miss Newcomer many more happy birthdays. Among those present were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stoniesier, Mrs. Reuben Stoniesier, Misses Carrie and Anna Newcomer, Edna Wantz, Elsie Keiholtz, Emma Clutz, Ruth and Naomi Harbaugh, Florence and Verna Welty, Elsie and Lillie Baumgardner, Edith and Mary Obler, Carrie Fuss, Anna Ritter, Bertha Stoniesier, Helen Harner, Mabel and Edith Pohley, Grace Knipple and Vergie Kiser; Messrs. Charley Newcomer, Grier, Andrew and Samuel Keiholtz, Harry and Charles Clutz, Mervin and Raymond Wantz, Frank and John Troxel, Allen Walker, George Devilbiss, Leonard Valentine, Charles Stambaugh, Charles and Carl Harner, Jones Baker, Russell Stoniesier, Elgie Deberry Edgar Stansbury, Lloyd Knipple, Charles Fuss, Ark Six, George Sell, Emory Hahn, Harry Freed, Verl Forney, Isaac Motter and Harry Shryock.

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### Great Forest Fire Damage.

A rough estimate of the fire loss upon the National Forests in Montana and northern Idaho, upon which the Forest officers of the U. S. Department of Agriculture have been engaged since the fires were put out, puts the total amount of timber killed or destroyed in this one district at over 6 billion board feet, while the area burned over is put at over 12 million acres.

The heaviest losses were in two Idaho Forests, the Coeur d'Alene, where over 3 billion board feet of timber are reported killed or destroyed and over 450 thousand acres burned over, and the Clearwater, where 1 billion feet of timber were killed or destroyed and 300 thousand acres burned over. On the Helena National Forest, in Montana, the loss in timber is believed to have been 500 million feet, on the Cabinet Forest 400 million, and on the Lolo Forest 300 million.

A large part of the losses on the Coeur d'Alene, Clearwater, and Lolo were due to what became practically one great fire. The burn is shown on the Forest Service maps as extending in a north-westerly and southeasterly direction from north of Wallace, Idaho, to a point some 30 miles southwest of Missoula, Mont., or nearly 100 miles. At its widest point this burn has a width of about 40 miles, but its shape is very irregular.

It was really a union of a number of separate fires, driven to fury by the fierce hurricane of August 26. To the west of the Idaho-Montana boundary in the region of this fire lies a very inaccessible mountainous country, into which, on account of the absence of trails and of forage, it was almost impossible for forces of fire fighters to penetrate. When the hurricane arose it drove the fire upon the parties which were hewing a way towards them, forced these parties to seek refuge wherever it could be found, and swept down upon the forests where the fires were up to that time generally well in hand. The extensive losses are ascribed to the combination of hurricane and lack of means to get to the fires and put them out before the storm came. On the Forests which were best equipped for controlling fires the results achieved are regarded as a demonstration of the efficacy of the fire-fighting methods employed, even under highly adverse natural conditions.

Forester Graves believes that, as usually happens in the case of big fires, there will be found to be considerable areas of living timber within the regions now mapped as entirely burned over. Of necessity, the figures given are tentative, for it has been impossible to examine all the burned areas thoroughly. As far as possible, however, the Forest officers are locating and estimating the bodies of timber killed but capable of being lumbered, if taken in time. There will be an enormous quantity of fire-killed timber, both on the National Forests and on private lands, to be disposed of as soon as possible, since if not marketed quickly it will not be worth cutting at all.

Biliousness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone it, invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

### Big Prices Offered For Trotters.

Trotting horses apparently are as valuable as ever. This was shown the other day when William G. Bradley offered \$75,000 for The Harvester, the champion trotting stallion of the year. Bradley is reported also to have offered \$50,000 for Colorado E. But the owners of both trotters thought their horses more valuable even than the big sums offered.

### California Tennis to Invade East.

Announcement has been made that the Pacific coast will send a big team to the all comers' tennis tourney next year. An invasion of twenty or more coast players is planned.

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned intending to remove from Harney will sell at public sale, on his premises, on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9th, 1910,

at 12 o'clock, sharp, the following personal property:

TWO GOOD HORSES, one 9 years old, the other one 5 years; they are both good drivers, either double or single, and are fearless of automobiles and trolley cars. One good spring wagon, with top, in good condition, capacity 1500 lbs; 3 falling-top buggies, buggy pole, set double harness, set Yankee harness, 2 sets single harness, 2 new flynets, 2 sets of check lines, set single lines, collars, bridles, hames and traces; corn sheller, feed cutter, 100 ft of 2 in rope, four pulleys and ice hook, used for filling ice house; 6 chicken coops, used for shipping chickens; 2 stable blankets, 2 good horse blankets, single trees, double trees, halters, riding bridles, forks, rakes, hoes, shovels, mattock, axe, wood saw.

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of 6 pieces; swinging rocker, cane-seat rocker, 4 home-made split-bottom rockers, 6 cane-seat chairs, 6 wood chairs, 6 round-back wood chairs, stands, sewing machine, 1 range, with tank and warming closet attached, in good condition; 1 bedstead, 1 single oak bedstead, 1 white enameled bedstead, 3 bed springs, kitchen cabinet, with drop bine; 2 chunk stoves, stove pipe, ten-plate stove, set of patent flat irons, washing machine, tubs, buckets, jars, pans; ice cream freezer, ice cream dippers and dishes, 2 sets of dinner dishes, oilcloth, vinegar, iron kettle, lamps with reflector, matting by the yard, 3 cords of oak wood, 2 peck measures, half-bu. measure, 200ft inch oak boards, 200ft 2-inch oak plank, lot of new brooms, and many other articles.

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JOHN D. HESSON.

Wm. T. Smith, Auct. 10-28-2t

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale,

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5th., 1910,

at 1 o'clock, on the premises, the farm recently owned by L. F. Miller, deceased, known as the Josiah Eiler farm, tenanted by Edward Mentzer, located on the road from Ladiesburg to Detour, Md., near Haugh's church, containing

100 ACRES, 1 ROD,

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TERMS OF SALE.—One-fourth cash on day of sale; terms for balance made known day of sale.

MRS. L. F. MILLER.

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## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned as Executor of Wm. J. Pink, deceased, will sell at Public Sale on the premises, in Taneytown, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1910,

at 2 o'clock, the following described Real Estate:

A BLOCK OF HOUSES, on Frederick St., suitable for renting to three families, together with a half acre lot and all improvements thereon; a good stable, hog house, etc. There is a good well of water at the door, good cistern, and the property is also connected with the town water supply. Also a large two-story Machine Shop and Blacksmith Shop located at end of above described lot, known as the Pink shop, in good repair and now having a good run of trade. Both lots of buildings are located on the corner of a public alley.

The above properties will be offered separately, and as a whole, and possession will be given April 1, 1911.

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J. SYLVESTER PINK.

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## Special Notices.

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EGGS WANTED! Shellbarks wanted! Young Guineas, 1½ to 2½ lbs.; Young Chickens, 2 pounds, 11c.; clear of feed; Old chickens, 10c. 500 old Roosters wanted. Good Squabs, Young Ducks, 3 lbs. and over; Good Calves 7½ 50c for delivering. Poultry not received later than Thursday morning. —SCHWARTZ'S Produce.

HIGHEST CASH Prices paid for Eggs, Calves and Poultry. 50c for delivering Calves Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.—G. W. MOTTER, 6-10-9

WANTED.—A Range. Will sell cheap No. 8 Red Cross stove, with tank, nearly new.—J. P. WEYBRIGHT, Detour, Md.

ALL THE LATEST Fall and Winter Millinery. Give us a call.—MRS. M. J. GARDNER.

FOR SALE.—Edison Phonograph complete, 40 four-minute records. Price \$17.00.—E. D. Z. R. D. No. 1. 10-21-2t

TRY S. C. OTT'S new Krout, made by The Heinze Pickle Co., only 10¢ qt. 10-28-2t

DO YOU HAVE Headaches? If so, glasses may relieve them. I refer to hundreds of cases where I have given absolute relief by my careful examination of the eyes and properly adjusted lenses. Will be at Hotel Bankard, Taneytown, on Thursday, Nov. 3rd., 1910, and at the Ocker House, Littlestown, Pa., Wednesday, Nov. 2nd.—DR. C. L. KEFAUER, Optical Specialist, Frederick, Md. Consultation and Examination.

NOW IS THE TIME to buy your Sweet Potatoes and Cabbage for the Winter. Prices very cheap, at S. C. OTT's store. 10-28-2t

FOR SALE.—Six fine pigs, six weeks old.—BENJAMIN HYSER, near Walnut Grove school.

LOST.—Wagon lever on Bruceville road. Reward if returned to JACOB BAKER, or RECORD office, Taneytown.

PUBLIC SALE of a Dwelling House and Blacksmith Shop in Uniontown, on Saturday, November 12th., 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m., 1½ acres of land, stable and other buildings. Old stand and fine patronage.—WM. H. MCCOLLUM. 10-28-3t

LOOK OVER S. C. OTT's line of Gloves for Men and Boys, and see how cheap they are. 10-28-2t

ON MILLINERY—We have some prices which we think would interest you, and pay you to call at our store in the Central Hotel Building, before going elsewhere.—MRS. J. E. POIST, Taneytown.

LOST.—Between Hemler's and Taneytown a burr off two horse wagon. Finder please leave at RECORD office.—A. A. CLABAUGH.

PUBLIC SALE, Nov. 16, at 12 o'clock near Harney. Live Stock and Farming Implements. See Bills.—EUGENE ALTHOFF. 10-28-3t

WHITE LEGHORN Cockerels, full breed, 75¢ each. For sale by.—S. S. SHOEMAKER, Harney, Md.

PROPERTY in Uniontown. 10 room Dwelling, 24 acres of land and all improvements.—MRS. A. ZOLICKOFFER. 10-28-2t

JUST RECEIVED from New York City, and Baltimore, the latest styles in Fall and Winter Millinery. Examine our quality and prices of Hats, before purchasing elsewhere.—MRS. M. J. GARDNER. 10-28-1t

LADIES.—I have just opened an up-to-date Millinery Store in the Central Hotel building, Baltimore St., side, and would be pleased to have you inspect my stock and prices before going elsewhere.—MRS. J. E. POIST.

CIDER MAKING and boiling butter, on Wednesday and Thursday of each week. Engage your day and hour to boil butter your trade appreciated.—F. P. PALMER, R. D. 3. Taneytown Md. 9-16-1t

FOR SALE.—3 Fine Mare Colts, coming 2 years old.—ELI DUTTERER, near Middleburg. 9-30-1t

Republican Mass Meeting

in Taneytown.

Saturday, Oct. 29, 1910

at 7.30 p. m., in Opera House.

Addresses will be delivered and the issues of the campaign discussed by

HON. WM. B. BAKER,

Candidate for Congress.

HON. CHAS. R. SCHIRM

and

MR. WILLIAM PEROT,

of Baltimore.

MUSIC BY—

TANEYTOWN BAND

A general invitation is extended to all voters to be present.

Floral Antiseptic Tooth Powder for cleansing and beautifying the teeth. Make the teeth white and purifies the breath. 10c bottle.—Get at McKELLIP'S. 10-23-6m

"Taneytown's Leading Fashion Store."

**Koons Bros.**

DEPARTMENT STORE.

TANEYTOWN, MD.

Butterick Patterns, 10c and 15c

## Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits and Coats

These Suits and Coats show greater variety, greater value and more practical style than has ever been displayed in Taneytown.



## Millinery

The Most Stylish and Distinctive

Trimmed Hats

Misses' and Children's Hats, Baby Caps, &c.

Hats Retrimmed and Made Like New.

Ladies' Long Coats.

Black, brown, striped and mixed goods, in all new style.

\$3.89 to \$18.00.

MISSSES COATS.

New Presto Collars, colors light mixed goods, green, and blue, with all the new style trimmings.

\$1.98 to \$10.00.

Here's the Best Values in Town.

Women's Stylish Shoes.

High Shoes of patent colt, lace and button. Cuban heels and extension soles. \$2.25

Patent colt, button, cloth top. \$3.00

Gun metal, lace and button, \$2.50

Also a very dressy Shoe, for \$1.60

Shoes for Little Boys and Girls.

Suitable for school or dress. 90c to \$2.00.

Black Taffeta

Silk Petticoats

Well made in every detail—

\$3.25 to \$5.00

Other very pretty patterns

90c to \$1.75

Ladies' Coat

Sweaters

Red, White and Grey, single & double breasted

48c to \$3.50

Bed Blankets

All sizes, in white, grey, red and white, blue and white, black and white, and other combinations.

39c to \$6.00

Bed Comforts,

98c to \$3.00

Men's Sweaters.

Grey, Blue, Black, Grey and Red, &c.

48c to \$3.00

Boys' and Girls' Sweaters

Red, white, grey, red and white.

50c to \$1.25

Men's 50c Fleece Lined Underwear,

39c

Horse Blankets

Lap Robes

Biggest line in town.

Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats.

## Reliable Work Shoes

Reliable—that's the word—Reliable, all-around, honestly made and dependable in rain and bad weather. We refer to the "Star" Shoe, a Shoe made for comfort, wear and honest foot protection. That's the idea—protection against wet, damp feet and consequent sickness.

\$2.00 \$3.00 \$3.45

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Brussels, Matting and Oilcloth

Many different patterns in bright colors. All sizes.