BRIEF NEWS NOTES
OF GENERAL INTEREST． Gleaned from the County and State and our Exchanges．


A reduction in the price of surgar，
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ssured within $a$ month，which is sat is about over for this year．
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## Lawrence A．Martin，aged 10 years， on on Mr．and Mrs and Martin，of

 ed last Friday，by a wayon load ofstone roling iner him ．hine chid fell
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his body and head，crushing his skull．
 is siser，Miss emma Moter，near
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arenty in good health．Hie and his
are on a visit to their former home．He
was a son of Isaac and Mary S．Mot－
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 Were opened by Rev．Edgar Sr．Read，
Mrs．Mary Hasles，state President，
made an adress．Miss Flore E．
Strout，gave a talk on the work done Twenty－five coal mines in West
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inthin aver itsburg made a return visit to Em stole an automobile from the garage
of H．M．Gillelan \＆Son．About two and the same car was wast enteree of
atire and its tank emptied of gaso line．The thieves opened the builiding
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 r．Fahrney lived in Frederick，Md augrstown in 1912 He Was theounde of the Vicor Remedies Com
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 Church of the Brethren and of took an
active part in church work． The Select Castle of Maryland，An
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| taneytown lyceum course． <br> A Splendid Lot of Entertainments for <br> Season of 1917－18． |  |
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| Eight years ago Taneytown began its annual Lycuum Course，meeting with signal success that promised |  |
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| course has met with uphill and down－ date experience；some of them fallexpected，othersquiteunforeseen． Due to a combination of untowar |  |
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| quietly await development until thisFall and Winter．Recently，a most careful and systematic canvass has met with most generous and wiling year，and a long list of guarantors the best courses Taneytown has ever |  |
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| group of four charming girls who willbrine us隹 bring us a a uique program withmany interesting musical story tell－ ing and＂plaly＂features．Special num－bers on this prorame will be a banjo buartet and solos on that prince of The Hearon Sisters Concert Co－ |  |
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replied. "You nevah saw its head. How you know but what it had the
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must have been to them! They nev-
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They wonldn't have been surrised at a dryad stepping out of a tree.
There must have been a certain exhilaration about that kind of uncer-
tatint that we miss nowadays. A bettainty that we miss nowadays. A bet-
ter knowledge of the way nature
works has taken a good deal of the childilike romance out of life.
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"An' if ye keeps on improvin' comes again next year, why"-with a
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The marquis took a great liking to
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after a year's confinement, he resumed
his acquaintance wlth the marchioness,
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