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FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.

Circuit Court.

Chief Judge.—Hon. John Ritchie.
Associate Judges.—Hon. John T. Vinson and Hon. John A. Lynch.
State's Attorney.—John C. Motter.
Clerk of the Court.—Adolphus Fearhake, Jr.

Orphan's Court.

Judge.—Daniel Castle, or T. John T. Lowe, A. W. Nicodemus.
Register of Wills.—James P. Perry.
County Commissioners.—Thos. R. Jarboe, Nicholas C. Stansbury, Henry A. Hine, Josiah Valentine, Henry Keller.
Sheriff.—Robert Barriek.
Treasurer.—D. H. Rountaah.
Surgeon.—Rufus A. Rager.
School Commissioners.—J. W. Pearce, Harry Boyle, Dr. J. W. Hillary, Jas. W. Troxel, Joseph Brown.
Examining.—D. T. Lakin.

Emmitsburg District.

Justices of the Peace.—J. H. T. Webb, Henry Stokes, Jas. Kausel, E. T. McBride.
Registrar.—E. S. Tanager.
Constable.—William H. Ashbaugh.
School Trustees.—Henry Stokes, E. H. Zimmerman, Dr. B. L. Anas.
Burgess.—Henry Stokes.
Town Commissioners.—G. A. Horner, E. H. Zimmerman, J. T. Motter, Joseph Snouffer, John G. Hess, John T. Long.

CHURCHES.

Ev. Lutheran Church.
Pastor.—Rev. E. S. Johnston. Services every other Sunday, morning and evening at 9 o'clock, a. m., and 7 o'clock, p. m., respectively. Wednesday evening lectures 7 o'clock, p. m., Sunday school at 9 o'clock, p. m., infants school at 12 p. m.
Church of the Incarnation, (Ref'd.)
Pastor.—Rev. Geo. B. Rosser. Services every other Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Wednesday evening lectures at 7 o'clock. Sunday school, Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.
Presbyterian Church.
Pastor.—Rev. Wm. Simonton. Services every other Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, a. m., and every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, p. m. Wednesday evening lectures at 7 o'clock. Sunday school at 1 o'clock, p. m. Prayer meeting every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
St. Joseph's, (Roman Catholic).
Pastor.—Rev. H. F. White. First Mass 6 o'clock, a. m., second Mass 9 o'clock, a. m.; Vespers 3 o'clock, p. m.; Sunday School at 2 o'clock, p. m.
Methodist Episcopal Church.
Pastor.—Rev. Daniel Haskell. Services every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7 o'clock. Sunday school 8 o'clock, a. m.; Class meeting every other Sunday at 2 o'clock, p. m.

MAILS.

Arrive.
From Baltimore, Way, 11:05 a. m.; From Baltimore through, 7:00 p. m.; From Hagerstown and West, 7:00 p. m.; From Rocky Ridge, 7:00 p. m.; From Emmitsburg, 11:05 a. m.; From Frederick, 4:30 p. m.; From Frederick, 11:05 a. m.
Depart.
For Baltimore, closed, 8:40 a. m.; For Hagerstown, 8:40 a. m.; For Lancaster and Harrisburg, 8:40 a. m.; For Rocky Ridge, 8:40 a. m.; For Baltimore, Way, 8:20 p. m.; From Frederick, 8:20 p. m.; From Motter's, 8:20 p. m.; For Gettysburg, 8:30 a. m.

SOCIETIES.

Massachusetts Tribe No. 41, I. O. R. M.
Kindles her Council Fire every Saturday evening, 8th Run. Officers: Geo. T. Gelwick, P. M.; C. J. S. Gelwick, Sec.; J. Theof. Gelwick, Sen. S.; Geo. G. Byers, Jun. S.; John F. Adelsberger, C. of R.; Chas. S. Zeck, K. of W.; Joseph Byers, Great Sachem of the Hunting Grounds of Maryland; D. H. Gelwick, Representative.
Emerald Beneficial Association, Branch No. 1, of Emmitsburg, Md.
Monthly meetings, 4th Sunday in each month. Officers: J. Thos. Bussey, Pres.; John F. Bowman, Vice-Pres.; Jas. J. Crosby, Secretary; F. A. Adelsberger, Ass't. Sec.; Nicholas Baker, Treasurer.
Emmit Lodge No. 47, I. O. M.
Weekly meetings every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. D. D. Grand Architect, Jos. Byers; Worthing Senior Master, E. H. Zimmerman; Worthing Master, Geo. T. Gelwick; Junior Master, Lewis D. Cook; Rec. Secretary, Jno. F. Adelsberger; Financial Secretary, R. P. Johnston; Treasurer, M. J. Eichelberger; Chaplain, John G. Hess; Conductor, Geo. G. Byers.
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Sec., Edward H. Rowe; Directors, J. T. Hays, Pres.; W. S. Guthrie, Vice Pres.; John Witherow, W. B. Hoke, Daniel Lawrence, Jas. A. Rowe, Chas. J. Rowe, Jos. Waddles.
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President, J. Taylor Motter; Vice President, W. S. Guthrie; Secretary, E. R. Zimmerman; Treasurer, W. H. Hoke; Solicitor, Henry Stokes; Directors, Jas. A. Rowe, F. A. Maxwell, John G. Hess, D. Lawrence, R. H. Gelwick, Chas. J. Rowe.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW,
FREDERICK, MD.
Will attend promptly to all legal business, entrusted to him. jy12 1y

Edward S. Eichelberger,
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WINTER SCHEDULE
ON and after SUNDAY, May 27th, 1883, passenger trains on this road will run as follows:

PASSENGER TRAINS RUNNING WEST.
Daily except Sundays.
STATIONS. A. M. A. M. P. M. P. M.
Hill Station..... 7:50 10:05 4:00 6:40
Union depot..... 7:55 10:10 4:05 6:45
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THE ROAD QUESTION.

It seems strange that matters of public interest, affecting every citizen, are often the last to enlist general attention. Enterprises of small comparative importance, are laid hold of and carried forward with zeal, whilst important improvements which would promote the general good are neglected and unconsidered. In this category stands the subject of our public roads.

There can be little doubt that the money which has been literally buried in the ground during the past century if it had been properly and systematically used, would have given us good solid roads all over the county, and, to every farm house. The practice of the past still continues, and there is no indication of any practical effort to relieve the people of the unjust and ignorant policy which thus continues to tax them without benefit.

Is there no Moses who will undertake our deliverance from the dire bondage which this robbery involves? Is there no man for this period, who, like Mac Adam in the past will plan and start a new order of things which the age demands in this matter?

Cannot public business be made to work on the basis that we all deem necessary for our private affairs, to get out of losing engagements at the earliest moment? When commerce and the demands of civilization called for steam engines, telegraphs, and telephones and phonographs, photographs, gas, electric lights, the cotton gin, sewing machines, reapers, printing presses, &c., each and all of them, in their own good time were produced.

The age demands that road men should depart from the beaten courses of the past; where is the man now who shall direct, and call into practical effect the modes of operation by which the public need shall be met? One would suppose that the position of the County Commissioners would present unequal opportunities for enquiring into plans and suggestions in this direction, but experience proves that the Commissioners are well content to discharge a given amount of routine duty, and let the future care for itself. This matter of throwing dirt on the highway, time and again to be washed away by the first rain that follows, should be stopped at once; it were far better to make but little road, from year to year, and make that little solid and good, than to waste the money on the old plan. Had some efficient system been inaugurated a century ago, the works would be beneficial everywhere now, and for ages to come. The man who may appear as a successful leader in a movement of this kind, will secure a place of honor and fame in history, and be classed with the philanthropists and inventors whose existence bettered the world.

THE SUICIDAL MANIA.

What with the multiplied disasters that have occurred in the last four weeks from earthquakes, fires, sinking piers, collisions, &c., one might suppose that involuntary causes of sudden and violent death were sufficiently abundant without having recourse to self-destruction. But this seems not to be the case. The summer has been characterized by an unusual number of suicides in all parts of the country. Nor has Baltimore been exempt. Last week, for example, there were three suicides in that city, and one of the cases was that of a husband who added the crime of wife murder to that of suicide. It is a little surprising that a season which, like the summer, presents so many opportunities of enjoyment should for so many persons be a time of extreme depression of spirits and discontent with life.—Ex.

A BIG FIRE.

The burning of a gasoline fire-pot in a hardware manufactory in Baltimore, started a fire on Wednesday which resulted in the destruction of the large manufactory and the damaging of twenty five houses, and causing a total loss of about \$95,000.

The outrage on the little daughter of Mr. Virgo of Sandy Hook by a tramp, now in Hagerstown Jail, is another terrible admonition to the people to take some means to abate this tramp nuisance. No woman or child is safe in a large neighborhood, and every one who gives aid in any way to tramps is encouraging the evil.

The Faith of Murderers when they are about to be hanged has become proverbial, and Charles Lee, who was executed in Richmond, Va., yesterday for the murder of Danl. Miller, was no exception to the rule. Barbara Miller, his accomplice, who is to be hanged in September, takes an even more cheerful view of her future state than was expressed by her former associate; for while he expressed himself ready to go and confident of his salvation, she was so anxious for future bliss that she requested the sheriff to hang her yesterday ahead of Lee, so that she might "beat him in the race to Heaven." A faith such as this is a fit subject for envy—or pity. Telling saints—struggling manfully with the world, the flesh and the devil—rarely attain to it. Hanging in the estimation of the average murderer, gives one a good start "in the race for Heaven" over unfortunate people who die quietly and respectably in their beds.—Baltimore Sun.

SHOT DEAD BY HIS WIFE.

Mr. L. L. Conrad a prominent lawyer of Baltimore was shot and instantly killed by his wife on Tuesday morning last. She had been suffering acutely for some time with Neuralgia, and is supposed to have been temporarily insane, though the verdict of the jury makes the tragedy the result of accident. Mr. Conrad was a great-grand-nephew of General Washington.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 7, '83. One of the agreeable features in the matter of our national finances is the great reduction in the cost of collecting the revenues. During the year ending June 30, the receipts from internal revenue were \$144,553,866 96, for the collection of which there was paid out \$5,120,000, or less than three and one half per cent. It used to be said under the Johnson administration, and to some extent reiterated under the administration of General Grant, that the actual cost to the Government to get a dollar into the treasury was more than the dollar itself; but this financial retrogression was never satisfactorily demonstrated, in the face of the fact that the national debt was being reduced to the extent of three millions per month under both of these administrations, and up to this time at the rate of five millions per month under the Hayes and Arthur dynasty.

Of this large amount received in a single year, Illinois contributes more than one sixth, or twenty-six millions in round numbers, as her quota of tax, principally on spirits. And what is particularly notable, the same State is levied upon for nearly one-half of all the tax collected upon spirits in the whole country, the Empire State coming in as second, with Ohio and Kentucky practically making up the remainder of the receipts from this source, which last year footed up close upon seventy millions. The announcement that there will be but a slight, if any reduction in the principal of the national debt for the month of July, comes of the sweeping reductions in the receipts for stamps upon matches and bank checks and the rebate upon tobacco and cigars in bond, which alone calls for more than thirty millions of dollars. With the prospect that there will be yet more sweeping reductions by the Democratic Congress next year, the country will gradually work down to the limit of paying the interest on the public debt, and let the principal take care of itself and the generations to whom it shall be a heritage.

Twenty years ago no American living could have entertained the thought that the United States with all her unlimited resources, and with all the unstinted patriotism and loyalty of her people, could have borne up under a debt of two thousand millions of dollars, when we were worrying ourselves almost to death over an indebtedness that did not cover one tenth of that owed by a single city. Nor do the people of the present day seem to realize that our public debt, large as it is, is not so large, by one-fourth as an other public debt which must be paid from the pockets of the people, and that is the debt contracted by the railroad corporations of the country, and amounting to the round sum of sixty-five hundred millions of dollars! Every mile of the more than 100,000 miles of railroad, with every bridge and tunnel and station, and every part and parcel of structure and superstructure, with every particle of rolling stock pertaining thereto, are under mortgage to that class of foreign bondholders who will exact the last drop of blood nominally in the bond. It is a debt of that

peculiarity of construction that enables it to perpetuate itself, and no possible forecast can be taken as to the particular generation that will extinguish it. While every dollar of our national debt that is paid is the cessation of so much of a draft upon the resources of the people, every payment upon a railroad debt is attended with additional burdens upon the travel and commerce of the nation. The public as it pays one bond, finds itself confronted with two to take the place of the one extinguished; and the fifteen hundred millions of dollars that have been the subject of foreclosure in the last eight years, or since 1874, have been augmented by nearly triple that sum in the stock-watering trash called securities!

To form some idea of the extreme facility with which railroad indebtedness is created take the statistics of the best authority upon such matters. From these it will be seen that in 1872 the indebtedness by railroads in the United States amounted to \$55,116 per mile, and this was more than double the actual cost of construction. Nine years later the indebtedness was increased to \$64,441 per mile, or sixteen per cent greater than in 1872, when the fictitious values of our paper currency affected stocks of every character, helping to precipitate the crash of 1873, and swelling the railroad indebtedness of all proportion by the forced issuance of water stock. Yet railroad building goes on and will continue to go on until the country is absolutely gridironed with them, and every rod of subsidized railroad land in the hands of Wall street. And there follows to the far west in the track of him who would go and "grow up with the country" the blessed privilege of meeting a tax to pay off a railroad mortgage laid upon railroad pre-emption years before the strike of any locomotive had loosed its echoes to the forest and prairies; and upon these lands are laid already a burden of twenty-seven hundred millions of dollars, of which the public will pay all and the railroads never a cent! Then in its good time will come the epoch of a reorganization of railroad indebtedness by which the frightful increase of interest and stock-watering may be decreased if not altogether checked by a repetition of the disaster of '73. DOM PEDRO.

Gotham Gossip.

POOR SUMMER TRAFFIC.—WALLS FROM SARATOGA.—COLD WEATHER.—HORATIO SEYMOUR.—MONSIEUR CAPEL.—OPERATIC CONCERTS AT WATERING PLACES.

NEW YORK August 7th, 1883.

I was speaking with the captain of one of the Hudson River Steamers to Albany and Troy the other day about the amount of summer travel this year. He told me that in all his recollection it had never been so light as this year. Said he: "we have had days when the traffic was enormous. There were a few Fridays when not alone every stateroom and berth was engaged, but we had actually to put up cots in the dining room and parlors to enable passengers to sleep. But unfortunately those days were few and far between."

Travel to Saratoga has been less this year than for the past fifteen years. At the United States Hotel, where they say a man has to give satisfactory evidence that he is worth at least a million before he can gain admittance, two weeks ago they had three hundred guests and four hundred waiters and servants. The Windsor Hotel, which is Judge Hilton's amusement would have closed but for the effect it would exert on the prestige of Saratoga. The Grand Union Hotel has been doing fairly well, but it is only half filled. The Clarion and the Congress Hall have been doing about as well as any. The former is a great resort for politicians, while the latter is entirely given over to Jews principally from the West. A Gentle here feels himself utterly lost in the wilderness of hooked noses, diamonds and loud talk. The pooriness of the season is the cause that the proposed regatta between Hamilton, Lee, Haysmer and other famous oarsmen fell through. The understanding was that each of the great hotels was to contribute \$500 for the expenses. Congress Hall was ready with its \$500. The Grand Union said that it would join if the United States contributed. The United States said it could not afford it, and then all the rest fell out.

There is no doubt that the cool weather has a great deal to do with this. Overcoats are in constant demand at the Springs. Last week the proprietors of the Arlington ordered three hundred blankets from a furnishing goods house in this city, and they were at once put into use, as most of the guests shivered under the usual summer allowance of a sheet, one blanket and a comforter. Pugilism is evidently not in demand at Saratoga. That shining exponent of the fist art, Mr. Joe Coburn, arrived at the Springs last week. Beginning with the Grand Union he tried five hotels. But, no sooner had he registered when the clerks seeing the name, politely observed: "So sorry, Mr. Coburn, but we have not a room left in the house." The last time Joe looked as if he would like to knock somebody out; but in view of the fact that the police regulations at the Springs are very strict, he evidently thought that discretion was the better part of valor and finally succeeded in getting quarters at a little out-of-the-way hotel.

On the Long Branch boat the other evening, I met a prominent Democrat, who on the same day had come down from Utica, where he had spent some days with Ex Governor Seymour. He said that the grand old man was as hale and hearty as a man of fifty. He continued to be a close student of public affairs, and was a most assiduous reader of the leading papers of every section of the country. Always fond of agriculture, he had lately been slow to increase attention upon it and had written several sterling articles for papers devoted to rural pursuits. He is out of the swim of active politics, but delights to view the strife from the calm eminence of experience and worth which he has attained.

Monsieur Capel the distinguished English Catholic clergyman, a shining star here. He is a typical English gentleman, and with the piety and religious zeal of the priest he combines the bonhomie of the man of the world. His manners are genial, and his voice has that peculiar rich intonation which inspires liking at once. I have no doubt that he will make a number of converts to the Catholic faith. Not that he is a proselytizer, but his manner is such that he is a run after by everybody, and hence naturally inspires a great many people to join the denomination of which he is such a shining exponent.

Half fell to the depth of five feet near Oglethorpe, Iowa, on Tuesday night. This annual picnic of the employees of Knabe's piano manufactory and of the Christoforo Columbus Society were held on Monday. A CHILD which was buried in the ruins at Casamicciola at the time of the earthquake on the 28th ult., was rescued alive last Saturday. According to Les Mondes the consumption of tobacco in Russia, France, and England amounts to one pound yearly for each inhabitant. In Italy it is 1 1/2, in Austria 2 1/2, and in Germany 3 pounds. In Belgium the amount raised to 4 1/2, while Holland takes highest place with 5 1/2 pounds. In United States the amount per head is 3 pounds.

A HOTEL guest in Columbus, Ga., after waiting a long time for his supper in a hotel dining room, grew impatient, and exclaimed to the dilatory waiter, "Bring me my supper at once!" and accompanied this peremptory remark by the exhibition of a revolver, which he pointed at the waiter's head. He secured his meal, not only in abundance, but in solitude, for all the other guests fled at sight of his weapon; but his eating was followed by arrest, and the impatient visitor was obliged to digest the food in jail.

What Rested and Refreshed a Weary Man in Memphis.

"No, it never amounted to an acute pain, but continued to be a dull, weary ache in the small of my back," writes Mr. James Thomas, of 27 Madison street, Memphis, Tenn. "This was an old complaint of mine, and it was very annoying, and a habit of lying awake at night. Recently I tried one of BROWN'S PREPARED CHEMICALS PLASTER, and was decidedly relieved within twenty-four hours. It may have been Providence that did this work, but the credit belongs to Benson's plaster." Mr. Thomas' remarks are fully borne out by the following letter from a gentleman who writes: "I have been suffering from a chronic rheumatism of the lower limbs, and it was very annoying, and a habit of lying awake at night. Recently I tried one of BROWN'S PREPARED CHEMICALS PLASTER, and was decidedly relieved within twenty-four hours. It may have been Providence that did this work, but the credit belongs to Benson's plaster." 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LOCALS.

EMMITSBURG RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

On and after May 27th, 1883, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg 8.40 a. m., and 3.25 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.30 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.05 a. m., and 7.00 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres.

WARM days—Cool nights.

We are not likely to have a drought this season.

FRUIT cans by the hundred at M. E. Adelsberger's.

The happy September days are fast coming along.

The threshers and separators are now actively at work.

Mr. Lewis M. Gelwick is painting the new shed at the railroad.

A SOUND SUGGESTION.—Never turn a deaf ear to the telephone.

Mr. W. P. NUNEMAKER is building a new stable on his premises.

Chickens, sheep, wheat, for sale at Motter Maxell & Co's warehouse. a44t

The growing corn peculiarly adapts itself to silk and tassels.

The wayside flowers are many of them most exquisite in beauty.

Get your painting done by John F. Adelsberger, Emmitsburg. a44t

A broom factory is a new enterprise just started in Union Bridge.

For fruit cans by the dozen, hundred, or any quantity desired, go to M. E. Adelsberger's.

The clover fields are most beautiful at this time, and promise an abundant crop of seed.

For Fire Insurance in first-class Companies, call on W. G. Horner, agent, Emmitsburg, Md.

Eighty gallons of ice-cream was sold at the festival at Hargis's Church on Saturday last.

UNIVERSAL favor has been awarded Schroeder's Corn Solvent, for Corns and Bunions. 25 cents

Telephone lines connecting Frederick, Hagerstown, Cumberland and Annapolis will soon be built.

The work of repairing and enlarging the Passenger of the Ry. Lutheran Church, began on Tuesday.

The farmers have begun their plowing for the Fall seedling, under favorable conditions of the ground.

ILLUSTRATED Book of Cage Birds mailed for 3 cent stamp. BIRD FOOD CO., 227 South 8th St., Philadelphia.

"Not very handsome, but very polite," was the observation of an ugly man, in viewing himself in a looking glass.

Our correspondence, on the second page always interesting, will be found especially worthy of attention this week.

WANTED.—500 good solid logs to saw on shares. Wm. L. McGINNIS, Iron Dale Saw Mill, one mile west of Emmitsburg. a11-3 m

School Teachers should read the school commissioners notice relative to examination. See their adv. in another column.

HOSE.

At the Gettysburg fire they were greatly exercised by the defection of the hose. It would be well for our authorities to have our hose examined.

Try to well to remember, that flies do not appear in darkened quarters, keep your rooms dark when not needed, and you'll not be troubled with the pesky visitors.

A vessel loaded with watermelons for Baltimore, was captured Tuesday of last week, opposite Kent's Island, in the Chesapeake Bay, and all the crew, except the captain, were drowned.

The liability to loss from lightning at this season of the year, makes it important that farmers should insure their houses and cattle and their crops in the barns, &c. Call on W. G. Horner, Emmitsburg. a11-3 m

The Madison County Times, under the guiding hand of our young friend, Mr. Luke McHenry, entered upon its Vol. XIV last Friday. We are pleased to note that Luke keeps his journal abreast of the times.

A Pic-nic is to be held at Moritz's woods to-day. The programme is made up and presents among the inducements for enjoyment. A string band, Base ball playing, a Brass Band, and Refreshments furnished by E. H. Rowe.

FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers at private sale his Brick Dwelling House now occupied by W. G. Horner in Emmitsburg, price moderate. Payments will be made easy, to suit purchaser. a11-3 m

Q. A. HONNER.

Eighty million acres of Government land in Dakota have been disposed of to private persons within a year. When it is sold by way of comparison that the whole State of Rhode Island contains less than 800,000 acres of cultivated ground, it becomes easy to grasp the vastness of these transfers.

FRUIT cans by the dozen at M. E. Adelsberger's.

Der Hanover Citizen made its appearance this week in an entire new dress, heading, type, &c., and presents a neat appearance, but unfortunately we are necessitated to be satisfied with a few hasty glances at its contents—over the headings like.

MR. DANIEL J. HARBENBER, who was hurt in June last by the falling of a portion of the old pottery building in Cumberland, died on Thursday from exhaustion caused by his injuries. He was nearly 70 years of age, and was a plasterer by trade.

We have been favoured with a copy of the John Hopkins University, college courses 1883-84. Its 34 pages present a body of reading that is truly interesting, being a full statement of the plan of the University and its courses throughout. Circulars are sent on application.

The Reservoir.

We drove to the locality of the reservoir the other day, and found Mr. Ashbaugh delving and carting very industriously. The excavation is to be 180 feet by 60, and is to be 10 and 11 feet deep, thus far there have been no rocky obstructions to the work.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Margaret Roderick, relict of the late Lewis Roderick and mother of the editor of this paper, died suddenly about 2 o'clock on Thursday morning last, at her residence near Catocin, in Jefferson district, aged 82 years and 20 days.—Banner of Liberty.

List of Letters.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., August 6, 1883. Persons calling will please say *advertised*, otherwise they may not receive them.

M. C. Baker, Theodore Birdner, Miss Mary A. Kaud, Christian Miller.

St. Jacobs Oil must be a wonderfully successful remedy for many of the ills that "flesh is heir to," when it requires such a mammoth establishment to supply the demand which a knowledge of its virtues has created. The pamphlet received lately from The Charles A. Vogel Co., descriptive of their business arrangements, fairly takes one's breath away, by the presentation of such vast and complicated agencies for supplying the world with a cure for its aches and pains. Literature, science and mechanical skill are all brought into requisition, which, controlled as they are by systematic business ability, have produced in this establishment one of the wonders of the business world.

Car's Trunk.

Edward Carr, who is now confined in the Washington county jail, at Hagerstown, charged with having brutally assaulted Gertrude Vitz, at Sandy Hook, on Friday, the 3rd instant, was in this city on Wednesday, the 1st inst., and took lodgings at the Groff House. He left this city without paying his board, his trunk still being in the possession of Capt. Groff. From express labels on the trunk it appears that he had expressed it from York, Pa., to Baltimore, and from there to this city. The tag from Baltimore bears the address of "E. M. Carr," the name he gave when first arrested, but which he afterwards stated was not correct. The trunk is a small one and appears to be well filled. —Daily Times.

Fire—Four Stables Burnt.

On Tuesday of last week, about two o'clock, just after we had gone to press, the town was started by an alarm of fire, originating in the frame stable in rear of residence of Rev. Dr. Wolf on Chambersburg street. The origin of the fire is not definitely known, but in short time the entire building was ablaze. The fire extended to the frame stable of Prof. Martin's residence on the east, and then to the brick stables on properties of Joseph Jacobs and James J. Fink's heirs, all of which were burnt. Mr. Jacobs had an insurance of \$100 in the York Mutual; the others were uninsured. John E. Hiltz lost about five tons of hay in Dr. Wolf's stable. —Star and Sentinel.

Those persons who undertake to write facetiously about the water melon, and represent it, as necessarily, the bearer of untold evil to those who eat them, betray their ignorance in away that only brings upon them the ridicule of sensible persons. A good ripe melon is not only a thing of beauty, but is also a wholesome article of diet, which at the same time possesses medicinal properties of great excellence. There is however nothing under the sun which may not be abused, and water melons are no exceptions to the rule: used at the proper time, and in a rational way, it yields its sweetness most beneficially; but abused and eaten to engorgement, the recoil may be to the human stomach, as an earthquake to the dwellers on the earth, yet all this may apply equally to ice cream and as hundred other articles we use. Prudence and reason are requisite at all times in the matter of eating.

Lutheran Memorial Jubilee.

A committee of Lutheran ministers at Pen-Mar, last Friday, adopted a resolution suggested by Dr. Morris, to hold a Jubilee Celebration of Luther's four hundredth birth year, at Frederick, on the Agricultural Fair Ground, on the 30th of this month. Dr. Morris will deliver a discourse on Luther, Dr. Dörner on Luther's influence on Civil Liberty, and Dr. Valentine on Lutheran Missions. Other addresses will be delivered. The Sunday Schools and choirs of the Lutheran Churches of Frederick county will be invited to take part in the exercises. A number of bands of music will be invited. As there are nearly 8000 Lutheran communicants in the county, a large crowd is expected. The celebration will take the order of an open-air picnic, although the shelter of the buildings on the ground may also be called into requisition. Rev. Drs. Diehl, Mann and Wire, are the committee of arrangements.

Horses and Mules Roasted to Death.

PHILADELPHIA, August 7.—Fire this evening destroyed the warehouses and wharves of the Knickerbocker Ice Company, extending along the river front from Front street to Delaware avenue, below willow street, and the stables of the company, which occupy a large part of the block bounded by Delaware avenue, Beach street, Willow and Buttonwood streets. Only four of the fifty-one horses and mules were saved, forty-three horses and four mules being suffocated or burned. Two thousand tons of ice were destroyed. The roof of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad freight depot, adjoining, was burned, and considerable freight was damaged by fire and water. The total loss is estimated at \$50,000.—Baltimore Sun.

Cool Evenings.

An unwritten record is current, which explains the coolness of the evenings of late, namely: that an ice-berg recently floated by the coast of North Carolina, and that a dead Esquimaux was taken from it and buried in shore, by the kind-hearted people of that Godly section. Our friend Dr. Bussey has been sojourning in that state, and we are impatient for his return, that we may learn the particulars of the incident, which he, no doubt witnessed. The government should, by all means, institute proceedings forth with, to put a stop at once and forever, to this matter of Arctic navigators sailing along our coasts in Midsummer, on ice-bergs. It is as unwholesome for that people to come this way, as for ours to invade their territory.

From the Examiner.

On Wednesday last, Mr. J. H. Sellman Internal Revenue Collector of the Maryland District, appointed Mr. George P. Remsburg, Deputy Collector for this and Carroll county. Mr. R. has been Deputy Collector of the Third District for several years, and is a gentleman fully qualified to perform the duties to which he has been appointed. His appointment gives general satisfaction.

On Sunday morning last, whilst Chas. Meierling was snapping a revolver, not knowing it was loaded, it went off, the ball striking William Esterly, living on North Market street, in this city, in the right arm. Dr. F. F. Smith probed for the ball but failed to find it.

Mr. Frank Brown, of Carroll county, will realize this year 8,000 bushels of wheat. Ten years ago 3,000 bushels was considered a large yield.

Minors and Deadly Weapons.

The recent shooting of McGuire, near the city limits of Baltimore city, by a boy 15 years of age, pointedly calls attention to the act of Assembly of 1883, chapter 424, relating to 'deadly weapons.' The first section of the act renders it 'unlawful for any person or persons within the state of Maryland to manufacture, sell, or sell, barter or give away the cartridge toy pistol to any one whomsoever.' The second section makes it 'unlawful for any person, be he or she licen dealer or not, to sell, barter or give away any firearm whatever, or other deadly weapons, except shot-gun fowling pieces and rifles, to any person who is a minor under the age of twenty-one years.' The penalty for a violation of this act is a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$200 and cost of prosecution and commitment to jail till fine and cost are paid, for sixty days, whichever shall first occur.

Republican Primaries.

The central committee of the Republicans of Frederick county, at their meeting held Saturday last appointed Saturday September 1st 1883, as the time to hold primary meetings in the several districts of the county to select delegates to meet in convention in Frederick on Thursday September 13 at 10 a. m., to nominate candidates for the offices of Sheriff, State Senator, State's Attorney, Judges of the Orphan's Court, The House of Delegates, County Commissioners and County Surveyor, also to select six delegates to represent Frederick County in a state convention to be held to nominate a Republican candidate for Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of the Treasury. Six delegates to represent Frederick County, in the Republican, state central committee. Also a new county central committee. The hour for the meeting at Emmitsburg is set down at 2 o'clock P. M.

From the Maryland Union.

Last Tuesday evening, in the Reformed Church at Frostburg, Allegany county, Rev. Geo. M. Zacharias was ordained a minister of the gospel. Mr. Zacharias is well-known in Frederick. Last Saturday morning Mr. Harry Barnes, a repair hand on the B. & O. railroad met with an accident which has proved very painful. He was engaged digging for a culvert and when raising from a stooping position, was caught by a mass of ground from a falling embankment and thrown against a large stone. In falling against the stone he sustained painful bruises on his right. His left side was also bruised, and it was found necessary to carry him to his home. He is now about on crutches, still suffering from the mishap.

On last Tuesday morning Judge John A. Lynch, eminent commander of Jacques de Molay Commandery of this city, C. V. S. Levy, Esq., grand high priest of Maryland, and Mr. William Y. Ashbaugh, left Frederick on the 9.40 train for point of Rocks, where they joined the Baltimore and Washington Knights Templar, who were enroute for San Francisco, whether they go the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States. The trip will be made in a special train running through the entire distance, and consist of six sleepers, a dining and baggage car. The train will stop at Cincinnati, St. Louis, Denver and other points of interest, both going and returning. The excursion is accompanied by about 150 persons. They will arrive home September 5th.

Test of Water Power.

An exceedingly interesting exhibition of the power of our water works was made in the public square last Wednesday evening. Three streams were thrown from hydrants through fire hose and the full pressure was put upon the jet from the fountain. The result was satisfactory to all interested. The object of the test was to demonstrate to agents from different fire insurance companies the capacity of our water works and the facilities afforded to extinguish fires in our city, in order that they might adjust their insurance rates and reduce them if possible. The result of the test was satisfactory that a considerable reduction in rates has been agreed upon in a certain class of risks. On buildings and personal property generally the rates will be reduced materially, while upon stock in trade, such as merchandise, &c., the rates will not be reduced. The reason is plain. Under the present arrangement of our fire department, which is without a Fire Marshal, or some one empowered and qualified to direct the fire companies during a fire, there is more danger, in case of a fire in some one of our stores, from destruction of goods by flooding with water than from fire.—Old Fellow.

The Maryland Farmer for August has a portrait Gen. E. A. Carman, Chief Clerk of the Agricultural Department, and an address by Augustus J. Smith, President of the Maryland Agricultural College. It presents its readers with a synopsis of the work for August, and the early fall, which includes the sowing of Rye and Fall Turnips, Setting of Timothy Meadow, care of Fall Potatoes, Grapes, Poultry Houses, Fences, Sheep, Late Corn, Onions, &c. The garden work for this month is also laid out, so that all can understand. There is also an article on Local Pairs, Silk Culture, Turnips as food, Peaches and their treatment and a great deal of other instructions, as well as interesting reading matter. Published by Ezra Whitman, Baltimore, Md.

The Floral Cabinet for August is full of beautiful illustrations and just such reading as one can enjoy at this season. The Poems, Essays and Stories are all of that high order of literary effort which this admirable periodical always secures; whilst the hints and suggestion about Floriculture and adornment of gardens and dwellings, make it a valuable acquisition to every lady home, where the directions and recipes for every kind of fancy work and domestic comfort, make it almost a necessity. We know of no more welcome or agreeable guest at the fireside than The Ladies Floral Cabinet. Published at 24 Vesey St., N. Y. \$1.25 per year.

From the Hanover Citizen.

Prof. Deardorff's horse frightened at the cars the other day and upset the bag to which he was hitched, completely wrecking the vehicle.

Ten just in John Mumper's barn Carroll township, gave away the grain under the great weight of grain and killed two good horses.

Over 200 cottages are now occupied at Summit Grove camp, and the season is proving a most delightful one. The religious services are in charge of Rev. Dr. J. McKenree Kelly of Baltimore. Carl Erdmann, of this place, is one of the guardians of the peace. Among the tent holders from this section are: Chas. Young, Carl Erdmann, Joseph Leib, and Miss Annie M. Stover, of Hanover; Mrs. Herman and Mrs. Hendrix, of New Oxford.

For a week or two past, some fellow has elevated himself on a temporary structure on a peak of the Pigeon Hills and remains in his rude quarters for 6 hours each day. His "resting place" is made of 3 saplings about 40 feet long, from the top of which he has an unobstructed view of the country for many miles in every direction. The man is a stranger, is boarding with a family in the neighborhood, but is very reticent as to his business, and no one knows his object. Many rumors are afloat which may or may not be correct.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Joseph Gettler of Baltimore, was among the visitors.

Miss Mabel Motter returned home from Smithsburg on last Saturday.

Mr. Joseph Bushman of Springfield, Ill., Mr. Maurice and Miss Annie Bushman of Gettysburg, made a visit to their uncle, Mr. T. Bushman.

Mr. W. G. Tack and his daughter "lit the Army" were our guests from Saturday evening until Monday morning.

Rev. I. M. Motter and his son Lewis spent a few days with his parents. He preached in the Ev. Lutheran Church, Sunday morning.

Mr. Wingers of Greencastle and his family made a visit.

Rev. Dr. Higbee of Lebanon, Pa., passed Sunday in town, and in the evening of that day preached in the Church of the Incarnation, an eloquent and edifying discourse.

Mr. Samuel L. Smith and wife left on Tuesday for their home in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. Mary A. Motter left on Thursday for her home at Williamsport.

Mrs. Geo. M. Hyder of Westminster, visits her father Mr. Samuel Seabrooks.

J. H. White, Esq., of Pittsburgh is visiting his relatives in Adams county, Pa., and is accompanied by his niece, Miss Luella White who has been sojourning in Pittsburgh for some time, meeting Mr. W. in town the other day we were pleased to find him in perfect health and as genial as of old.

Rev. A. S. Hartman of Chambersburg, made a short visit, and preached in the Ev. Lutheran Church on Sunday evening. We had a pleasant call on Friday from Mr. Frederick Black and his brother Wm J. Black of Baltimore, the eldest and the youngest of the well known Black family of this neighbourhood. Mr. F. Black was 78 years old on last April 13th and is no older in appearance than he was twenty years ago.

COMMUNICATED.

EMMITSBURG, Aug. 6, 1883.

ED. CHRONICLE.

DEAR SIR:—I noticed a great deal of "stiff" in the *Chronicle* of last week about the Emmitsburg nine, on account of their easy victory over the Mechanics-town nine, on July 26th, but did not have time to reply through your estimable columns. The writer claims that on July 4th, "they showed their superiority over our nine." How did it do it? by having an umpire that gave undoubted evidence of partiality, and incompetency? Who being asked several questions concerning the rules of the game, could not reply, and when he was told, he exclaimed, "Oh I saw that in the paper, is that what it means?" The Emmitsburgers did not "kick," but let them go, they knew that, as no umpire his decisions were to be heeded they would rather give them the game, than raise a riot by disputing the umpires word.

I am in doubt about it being the umpiring that caused the game to be so unsatisfactory to the Mechanics-town players on July 26th. I hardly think that the best umpire that could have been procured would have suited them. I wonder if they saw that they could not run the game, that after having finished their eighth inning they had no run, not even a single base hit! It could be possible that that was their reason for stopping so abruptly? and when he alludes to "foreign players" he forgets that when they made their first visit here, they brought with them two players, pitcher and catcher, from Western Maryland College. And our "foreign players," as he calls them, the one of which is regularly a member of the Emmitsburg nine and for the other (the first base being vacant) they took on a young man that is spending his time here, and has been for years, to fill the vacancy. They do not propose to let them come here and pick out a nine to play against, if that should be the case they might as well send them the money at once.

I learn that the nine here will be pleased to accommodate them at any time although are not in the practice of gambling. USHOOO.

MARRIED.

PAYNE-GINGELL.—On the 8th, inst., at St. Joseph's church in this place at 5 o'clock, a. m., by the Rev. W. J. Chichester, of Germantown, Pa., and the Rev. Isaac Grier, D. D., of Millinburg, Pa., James B. Neal, D. Son of William Neal, Esq., of Bloomsburg, Pa., to Elizabeth, second daughter of the officiating minister.

The following guests from a distance, relatives of the bride and groom were present at the ceremony: Mr. and Mrs. William Neal, parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neal, Miss Clinton Neal and daughter, Miss L. Waller, Miss E. McKinney, Bloomsburg, Pa.; Mrs. S. R. G. Beck, Germantown, Pa.; Mrs. R. Charlton Reading and Miss Ada Reading Williamsport, Pa.; Hon. J. W. Simonton and wife, Miss Annie Simonton, Mrs. James Boyd, Mr. John Boyd, Misses Helen and Mary Boyd, Harrisburg, Pa.; Prof. J. S. Simonton, Washington, Pa.; Rev. Isaac Grier, D. D., Millinburg, Pa.; Rev. W. J. Chichester, Germantown, Pa.; Mr. John Kaefer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. Grier C. Orr, Kittanning, Pa.; Miss Simmons, Bloomsburg, Pa.

DIED.

DOTTERER.—On Sunday the 5th inst., in this place, an infant son of Carl and May Dotterer, aged 2 months and 2 days.

CRETIN.—On Tuesday evening 7th inst., near St. Mary's College, Mr. Alexis J. Cretin, a well esteemed citizen.

WILLS.—On the 19th ult., near Fountainville, William Joseph Mills, aged 3 years 10 months and 8 days.

GETZENDANNER.—On the 4th inst., Frederick city, Mrs. A. Elizabeth Getzendanner, aged 82 years, 4 months and 8 days.

WILLHIDE.—On the 1st inst., in Mechanistown, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph H. Eyer, Mrs. Christian E. relict of David L. Willhide aged 77 years, 10 months and 14 days.

IN THE ORPHANS COURT OF FREDERICK COUNTY.

June Term, 1883.

In the matter of sale of Real Estate of Michael C. Adelsberger, deceased.

Ordered by the Orphan's Court of Frederick County this eighth day of August 1883, that the Sale of the real estate of Michael C. Adelsberger, deceased, reported by his acting Executors and this day filed in this Court, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the tenth day of September 1883, provided a copy of this order be published in some Newspaper in Frederick County for three successive weeks prior to said tenth day of September 1883.

The acting Executors report the Sale of a farm belonging to the estate of said deceased, situated in Frederick County, for the gross sum of Seventeen hundred and fifty seven dollars and forty nine cents (\$1757.49).

JOHN T. LOWE, DANIEL CASTLE, of T. AUGUST W. NICODEMUS, Judges of the Orphan's Court.

True copy. JAMES P. PERRY, Register of Wills, for Fred. Co. Md. auz 11-4t.

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NO 4411 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick Co.

Eliza Crouse, Ex'x, et al., vs. James A. Orendorff and wife.

The creditors of James A. Orendorff, who were such prior to the 8th day of August, 1878, are hereby notified that they may come in as parties to the above entitled cause and participate in the distribution of the funds provided they do so on or before the 25th day of August, 1883. FREDK J NELSON, C. V. S. LEVY, Trustees.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY.

To the Voters of Frederick County:

At the suggestion of many friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of State's Attorney for Frederick County for the ensuing term; subject to the decision of the Republican Nominating Convention, and respectfully solicit your support. auz 4-tc FRANK C. NORWOOD.

OFFICE OF

BOARD SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.

FREDERICK, Md., July 27, 1883.

The Annual Examination of applicants for Certificates to teach in the Public Coldest Schools of Frederick county, will be held in this office.

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The Class will be formed at 10 a. m. By order of Board, auz 4-3t D. T. LAKIN, Examiner.

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DISSOLUTION OF

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The firm of Nail & Fisher has been dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the late firm are in the hands of L. M. Fisher, at Motter's Station, with whom those indebted will please call and settle. T. L. NAIL, I. M. FISHER.

The undersigned will continue the warehouse and general merchandise business at the old stand, Motter's Station, July 28-4t. I. M. FISHER.

OFFICE OF THE

COUNTY SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS OF FREDERICK COUNTY.

FREDERICK, Md., July 19th

Agricultural.

Dust for Your Stock.

As this is the season of the year when animals are looking their worst, and in many cases suffering from vermin, please inform your readers that no remedy for parasites of all sorts is equal to perfectly dry road dust or freshly burned coal ashes. A quantity should always be kept on hand, which should be liberally sprinkled and scattered over and on all sorts of stock, from horses to poultry, which last will always help themselves, if given the chance.

Nothing is so refreshing to an animal as a good dry dust bath. In summer horses will roll and wallow in it, in the middle of dusty roads, and cattle will stand and throw it all over their backs with their feet, and feel much the better, looking sleek and shining when the dust is shaken out of their hair. This can only be partially imitated in winter and in spring, but the little we can do in this way for domestic animals that have not had access to the earth for many months will do a great deal towards promoting their thrift and good health.

A peck of dry dust scattered over a dozen full grown animals is worth all the coal oil, mercurial ointment and other similar nostrums that ever were bought. The only possible objection to it is that it is so cheap, simple and easily obtained and used, that we can afford to despise it. Those who have lousy calves or colts can relieve them in a very few days without any cost at all, with a little trouble that is scarcely worth consideration. Good farmers never neglect to scatter and shake plenty of dust over their live stock in winter and spring. One application is better than half a dozen extra good feeds, and the more frequently you apply it the better.

Kerosene as an Insecticide.

From reports made by C. V. Riley, entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, it appears that kerosene oil is a valuable agent for the destruction of insects inimical to corn, maize, cotton, and oranges, and by implication should equally effect other forms of insect life destructive to vegetation. Emulsions made with milk do not appear to be necessary, judging from the results of these experiments. For chinch bugs a mixture of one pound of coarse resin soap dissolved in ten gallons of water, to which is added about a pint of kerosene, was effectual applied in the form of a spray from a pump or by means of a watering can with rose nozzle. For rust mite and for the scale insect on orange trees, and for the cotton worm, a mixture of five pounds of common yellow (resin) soap, dissolved in one gallon of water, and one gallon of kerosene similarly applied, cleaned the plants and prevented further depredations for a considerable time.—*Scientific American.*

Food for the Fat.

There is little complaint among agricultural people of being too fat, but should a corpulent person desire to reduce their size the following from the *Medical Journal* may help them: There are three classes of food—the oils, sweets and starches, the special office of which is to support the animal heat and produce fat, having little or no influence in promoting strength of muscle or endurance. If the fat, therefore, would use less fat and more of lean meats, fish and fowl, less of fine flour, and more of the whole product of the grains—except the hulls—less of the sweets, particularly in warm weather, and more of the fruit acids in a mild form—as in apple, sleep less, be less indolent, and labor more in the open air, the fat would disappear to a certain extent, at least, with no loss of real health.

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BURNS and scalds are most relieved by an application of cold water. Dry carbonate of soda, or baking soda, sprinkled over the burned spot, is the latest remedy, and is said to be very effective. These means are only temporary. In severe cases a physician should be sent for.

Miscellaneous.

What a Woman Reads.

Woman, in reading a newspaper, has a distinct method of her own. She takes it up hurriedly and begins to scan it over rapidly, as though she was hunting some particular thing; but she is not. She is merely taking in the obscure paragraphs, which she believes were put in out-of-the-way places for the sake of keeping her from seeing them.

Marriages and deaths are always interesting reading to her, and the advertisements are exciting and stimulating. She cares but little for printed jokes, unless they reflect ridicule upon the men, and then she delights in them and never forgets them.

She pays particular attention to anything inclosed in quotations, and considers it rather better than anything first handed.

The column in which the editor airs his opinions, in leaded bifalutin, she rarely reads. Views are of no importance in her estimation, but facts are everything. She doesn't care for it but makes a practice of reading it because she thinks she ought to do so.

She reads stories and sketches and paragraphs indiscriminately, and believes every word of them.

After she has read all she wants she lays the paper down with an air of disappointment as she observes that "there is nothing in it."—*Proof Sheet.*

Church Music Committee.

"They're a queer lot, these church music committees. It's a very unusual thing to find a man on one of them who has the slightest knowledge of music. Sometimes they make very funny blunders. Let me illustrate this with a story:

"A friend of mine who has a light tenor voice of limited compass, wanted a position in a choir. He heard of a vacancy and went to see the Chairman of the committee, who was, I believe, a wholesale fish dealer in a down town market.

"Well, young man, what's your qualifications? How high kin you sing?"

"At—at present, stammered my friend, 'G is my highest note, but—'"

"G! interrupted the old fellow excitedly, 'G! I shouldn't wonder if you was just the man we want. Why, we tried a feller last Sunday who could only sing up to C, an', by gosh, he had to pretty nearly yell the top of his head off to do that!"

A NEW Orleans paper tells about a printer who, whenever asked out to drink beer, laid aside in a savings bank the exact amount he would have spent for the drinks. He did this for five years. He then looked at his bank account, and found that he had laid up \$521.86. In the five years he had not lost a day because of sickness. Three out of five of his fellow workmen had in the meantime become drunkards. The water drinker then bought out the printing office, and in twenty years from the time he began to put away his money he had laid aside many thousands and dollars.—*Sentinel, Clifton, Tex.*

There are lots of these kind of printers in New York. We are going to get out our microscope and look 'em up.—*Proof Sheet.*

CARP grows from the egg to three pounds in weight in one year. They multiply rapidly, a single female yielding half a million eggs a year. They spawn in May and June. In the winter they burrow in the mud, and remain dormant, neither making or losing growth. In the spawn season they must be fed, or they will destroy the spawn. At other times they need not be fed, unless there are so many of them in the pond that the aquatic vegetation and the supplies brought down by the feeding creek are insufficient. There is scarcely a doubt that a carp pond would be a profitable adjunct to nearly every farm.

ACCORDING to the *Milling World*, sackcloth or canvas can be made as impervious to moisture as leather, by steering it in a desiccation of one pound of oak bark with fourteen pounds of boiling water. This quantity is sufficient for eight yards of stuff. The cloth has to soak twenty four hours, when it is taken out, passed through running water, and hung up to dry. The flax and hemp fibers, in absorbing the tannin, are at the same time better fitted to resist wear.

MR. JOHN T. ELBROD, Arlington, Md., says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia and indigestion. I find it has done me great good."

Humorous.

THE only man not spoiled by being "lionized" was the prophet Daniel.

A YOUNG lady resembles ammunition, because the powder is needed before the ball.

THE man who had a fat woman for his first wife is now courting a girl called Lena.

If the wages of sin is death some old sinners we know are a long time drawing their salary.

WHY should the sea make a better housekeeper than the earth? Be, cause the earth is exceedingly dirty, and the sea is very tidy.

MR. EZEKIEL GRAY, Baltimore Md., says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for loss of appetite and lung disease and received great benefit."

"REMEMBER," said Uncle Mose, "dat a boy can make mo' nois poundin' on an empty hoghead dan a man kin produce by clabbin' a bar'l o' sugar."

AN old lady was asked her opinion about Mrs. Smith, her next-door neighbor. "Well," said she, "I am not the one to speak ill of any one, but I feel sorry for Mr. Smith."

AN American editor says: "We have received a basket of fine grapes from our friend Blank, for which he will please accept our compliments, some of which are nearly an inch in diameter."

A WAG, who thought to have a joke at the expense of an Irish provision dealer, said: "Can you supply me with a yard of pork?" "Pat," said the dealer, to his assistant, "will ye be after givin' the gentleman three pig's feet?"

A NEGRO woman was butted off the track near Rome, Ga., by the engine of the express the other day, and knocked clear over a six-rail fence. The train was stopped and backed up with a view to putting the mangled remains on board, but the remains of jected and walked off across the cotton field muttering something about the carelessness of white folks when there were colored folks around.

GIVE THE Flies a Chance. He had a fly screen under one arm and a bundle of sticky fly paper under the other as he entered a Michigan avenue saloon yesterday and said:

"Why don't you keep 'em out?"

"Who vash dot?" asked the saloonist.

"Why, the pesky flies. You've got 'em by the thousands here, and the fly season has only begun. Shall I put fly screens in the doors?"

"Vhat for?"

"To keep the flies out."

"Why should I keep der flies out? Flies like some chance to go around and see der city, der same ash beepsles. If a fly ish kept out on der street all der time he might ash vhebb be a horse."

"Yes; but they are a great nuisance. I'll put you up a screen door there for \$3."

"Not any for me. If a fly vphants to come in here, and behaves him self in a respectable manner. I have nothings to say. If he don't behave I bounce him ond pooty queek, and don't he forget her!"

"Well, try this fly paper. Every sheet will catch 500 flies."

"Who vphant to catch 'em?"

"I do—you everybody."

"I don't see it like dot. If I put dot fly paper on der counter some-body comes along and wipes his nose mit it or somebody leans his elbow on her and vhalks off mit him. It would be ehusht like my boy Shake to come in and lick all der molasses off to play a shake on his fader."

"Say, I'll put down a sheet, and if it doesn't catch twenty flies in five minutes I'll pay no more."

"If you catch twenty flies I have to pry 'em loose mit a stick and let 'em go, and dot vhas too much work. No, my frend; flies must have a chance to get along und take some comfort. I vash poor once myself, und I know all about it."

"I'll give you seven sheets for ten cents."

"Oxactly, but I won't do it. It looks to me like ehusht peanness for a big man like you to go around mit some confidence game to shwindle flies. A fly vhas born to be a fly, und to come into my beer saloon ash often ash he likes. When he comes I shall treat him like a shentleman. I gif him a fair show. I dont keep an ax to knock him in der head, und I don't put some molasses all over a sheet of paper und coax him to come und be all stuck up mit his feet until he can't fly away. You can pass along. I'm no such a person like dot."

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