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Depart.
Baltimore, Way 8:35, a. m., Mechanics-Lown, Hagerstown, Hanover, Lancaster and Harrisburg, 8:35, a. m., Rocky Ridge, 8:35, a. m., Baltimore, (closed) 3:30, p. m., Frederick, 3:30, p. m., Motter's, 3:30, p. m., Gettysburg, 8:30, a. m.
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Hillens Station, Baltimore	8:00	4:00	4:40		
Union Station, " "	8:05	4:05	4:45		
Penn. Avenue, " "	8:10	4:10	4:50		
Fulton Station, " "	8:12	4:12	4:52		
Arlington, " "	8:25	4:25	5:05		
MT. HOPE, " "	8:28	4:28	5:08		
Pikesville, " "	8:30	4:30	5:10		
Owings Mills, " "	8:40	4:40	5:20		
Glyndon, " "	9:00	4:58	5:40		
Gettysburg, " "	10:40	6:38	7:20		
Westminster, " "	9:40	5:43	6:33		
New Windsor, " "	10:00	5:58	6:48		
Linwood, " "	10:10	6:10	7:00		
Union Bridge, " "	10:10	6:10	7:00		
Mechanic Junction, " "	10:20	6:20	7:10		
Fredrick, " "	11:20	7:20	8:10		
Shiloh, " "	10:30	6:30	7:20		
Rocky Ridge, " "	11:10	7:00	7:50		
Emmitsburg, " "	11:10	7:00	7:50		
Leys, " "	10:40	6:30	7:20		
Graceland, " "	10:40	6:30	7:20		
Mechanicstown, " "	10:50	6:40	7:30		
Sabillasville, " "	11:10	7:00	7:50		
Blue Ridge Summit, " "	11:20	7:10	8:00		
Pen-Mar, " "	11:20	7:10	8:00		
Blue Mountain, " "	11:20	7:10	8:00		
Edgemont, " "	11:40	7:30	8:20		
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Chambersburg, " "	12:00	8:00	8:50		
Shippensburg, " "	11:40	7:30	8:20		
New Windsor, " "	11:40	7:30	8:20		
Chambersburg, " "	11:58	7:48	8:38		
Williamsport, " "	12:50	8:40	9:30		

PASSENGER TRAINS LEAVE EAST.

STATIONS.	Daily, except Sundays, Daily	Mail, Pass.	Est. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Williamsport	7:40	2:15			
Hagerstown	8:00	2:30	11:45		
Chambersburg	8:14	2:47			
Shippensburg	8:20	2:50			
Chambersburg	8:28	2:58			
Edgemont	8:30	3:05			
Blue Mountain	8:30	3:15			
Pen-Mar	8:44	3:29	12:22		
Sabillasville	8:58	3:43	12:40		
Mechanicstown	9:08	3:53	12:50		
Graceland	9:18	4:03			
Edgemont	9:28	4:13			
Emmitsburg	8:45	3:30			
Rocky Ridge	9:42	4:02			
Double Pipe Creek	9:29	3:50			
Fredrick	8:45	3:15			
Fredrick Junction	9:45	4:15			
Union Bridge	9:45	4:28	1:05		
Linwood	9:49	4:33			
New Windsor	10:00	4:44	1:17		
Westminster	10:12	4:58	1:23		
Gettysburg	8:05				
Hanover	8:54				
Glyndon	10:51	5:39	2:00		
Owings Mills	11:10	6:03			
Pikesville	11:17	6:10			
MT. HOPE	11:17	6:10			
Fulton Station, Baltimore	11:28	6:23	2:28		
Penn. Avenue, " "	11:30	6:25	2:30		
Union Station, " "	11:35	6:30	2:35		
Hillens Station, " "	11:40	6:35	2:40		

Baltimore and Cumberland Valley R. R.—Trains leave East, daily, except Sunday. Shippensburg 6:25 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., Chambersburg 7:25 a. m. and 5:03 p. m., and 4:35 p. m., Waynesboro 8:06 a. m. and 2:41 and 5:10 p. m., arriving Edgemont 8:25 a. m. and 3:00 and 5:28 p. m. Trains leave West, daily, except Sunday. Edgemont 7:18 and 11:41 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Waynesboro 7:45 a. m. and 12:40 and 8:30 p. m., arriving Shippensburg 8:50 a. m. and 1:10 and 9:00 p. m. Frederick Division Pennsylvania R. R.—Trains for Frederick leave Junction at 10:30 a. m. and 5:05 p. m. Trains for Taneytown, Littlestown and York leave Junction at 5:40 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Through cars for Hanover and Gettysburg and points on Baltimore and Harrisburg Division leave Baltimore, daily, except Sunday, at 9:55 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. Orders for baggage calls can be left at Ticket Office, New No. 217 E. Baltimore street.

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DOING ITS BEST.

BY GEORGE COOPER.

I am but a tiny cricket,
Living in a summer thicket,
There I take my rest,
Many songs are gayer, prouder,
Many a voice is sweeter, louder,
But I do my best!

In my song there's no complaining,
Even when the sky is raining;
Birds fly east and west,
Silent hide in leafy covert;
But I chirp till all is over,
Doing still my best!

When the leaves are round us flying,
When the birds and bees are dying
On their autumn quest,
You will find me in the stubble,
Though the clouds look full of trouble,
Singing still my best!

Clad in garments dark and sober,
Here I linger till October;
Sunshine warms my breast,
While the wintry days you number,
Sweet and quiet is my slumber,
For I've done my best!

—S. S. Times.

THE LOST LINCH-PIN.

"It's no use, Susy, we can't find it. I'll just have to take the whipping."

There was a dejected thrill in the sad child-voice, telling alike of physical dread and of utter hopelessness of spirit.

"Wait a minute, Robbie," answered a cheerier tone. "Wait until I look under the hay-bed. A lynch-pin's little, you know, and it might roll. I can't bear to give up yet." And as the girl spoke, she swung her lantern under the huge vehicle, and stooping, began to search carefully among the loose chaff and wisps of hay scattered over the floor.

The scene was the threshing-floor of a large barn, with great mows frowning darkly above on either hand, and vast granaries stretching away in the rear, and the speakers were a poor little orphan boy who had lost a lynch-pin, and the sympathetic kitchen-girl of the farm. As the latter rose from her fruitless search the bright glow of the lantern fell full upon her, revealing a face—not pretty, certainly, if viewed from a cultivated artistic standpoint, but fresh and girlish, and just now glorified by a soft halo of womanly pity.

"O Robbie! I'm so sorry," she said, rising. "Can't you think where you had it last?"

"No, Sue, I can't. I've tried, and tried. I reckon old Beeson will nearly kill me—he did last time." Then with a shudder, throwing his childish arms around her waist: "O, Sue, he's awful!"

"Poor baby!" cried the girl clasping him closer, while her soft gray eyes filled with tears. "I wish I could save you. How did you ever come to be left with him anyhow?"

"Why, you see," was the reply, "when mother died there was only me and Chris, and Chris ain't like me. He's strong, and smart, and afraid of nobody. So he thought he would go away and make a fortune for us both. His name is Christopher—like Christopher Columbus you know—and he meant to do some great thing too. Not in a ship though, but in the big city. He had read of poor boys making money there, and as the homestead was gone he was bound to try it. And then old Beeson offered to keep me while he was away. But Chris, never meant for me to be abused. I heard him say that I was to go to school and be well treated, and that he would pay for my board and expenses when he came back. But I reckon he'll never come now." And the poor child's tears fell fast at the thought.

"O maybe he will!" answered the girl soothingly. "We'll hope so anyway."

"Well, mabe," he asserted drearily, "But O Sue, if I were only of age, like you, wouldn't I go to seek him?" Then, with a sudden thought, "Sue, what makes you stay? You were of age six months ago."

"I know," she said, and paused as if the question was an unsettled one with herself; then, with the light still upon her brow, "Partly for your sake, maybe, Robbie, and partly because I don't know where to go. I don't mind working, and

I must do that in any place.

Besides it is better for me; I'm in the house with Misses, and Robbie, she isn't like him. Many a piece of bread and meat she gives to the hungry beggars, and many a poor tramp she allows to sleep in the barn when he ain't round."

The last clause was unfortunate, for the boy clinging yet closer, cast a shuddering glance upward toward the great mows where the shadows were scarcely disturbed by their feeble glow of light.

"O Sue!" he cried wildly. "What if he should make me stay all night in the barn! He has threatened to many a time. Any way he is going to horsewhip me. O Sue, Sue, what can we do?"

The poor excited child sank down in despair.

"We might pray," said Sue, timidly.

"Pshaw! He prays." There was a whole volume of incipient skepticism in those three bitter words.

"I know," answered Sue, sorely puzzled, yet clinging to her anchor. "I know, but it don't sound like the prayers I used to hear at the s'ym. There they spoke to some one close at hand, so gentle, so loving, and yet so mighty. O, Robbie, now I just remember the words, so 'strong to deliver.' Who knows but He might save you. There was the man in the den of lions, and the three children in the fiery furnace."

"It's no use, Sue," he interrupted sadly. "There's no deliverer for me but Chris, and he'll never come now. Go on to the house and tell the old man that I can't find it. It's as well to get it over."

"Poor lamb!" said the tender-hearted girl, kissing the quivering lips which were trying so hard to be brave. "I'll leave the light, and I'll beg hard for you." And repressing a sigh over the hopelessness of her task, she glided out into the starlight, leaving the poor little victim to await a cruelty which, considering the centuries of Christian progress that have elapsed since the slaughter of the innocents, not only out-Herods Herod, but is one of the darkest blot upon our social life.

Just here I must pause to offer a plea for the children, the most defenseless objects in all God's creation. We sigh over the miseries of poor Smike, over little David Copperfield's sorrowful journey; alas! that the magic hand which so moved us is vanished forever, but I can match these thrilling narratives with true stories of a child rendered almost idiotic by continued cruelty, and of a little fugitive bound-boy who, after weary days of hunger and travel, sank blistered and faint at his mother's feet. I can tell of a woman—think of it—a woman! who for some childish fault committed during the day followed an orphan boy to his bed with a horse-whip, and then, when there was no protection save the one thin night-garment, broke upon his innocent slumber with stinging blows. And, upon the evidence of the laundry-girl, when that same little garment came to the wash, it was striped with blood. This is not pleasant reading. It is far from being pleasant writing.

"A father to the fatherless is God in his holy habitation!" Think of this, O, mother, whose household contains one of these children of the Highest. Think of it as you gather your little ones around the glowing fire-side for song or story, and make room for the stranger within your doors. When you divide the hoarded store of cakes or apples, remember that his little milk-teeth are as eager for sweets as those of your own darlings, and be there much or little, give him a share. When your hand is laid carelessly upon your own children's heads, let its light pressure also touch his young brow. Who knows but it may be there like a consecrating chrism, appointing him to noble deeds for God and humanity? Do these things and do them now. Check not your kindly impulses until it is too late; until the thin hands are crossed within

How Sir Walter Scott Wrote.

Thackeray says: "Could we know the man's feelings as well as the author's thoughts, how interesting most books would be!—more interesting than merry." The mood in which Walter Scott wrote "The Bride of Lammermoor" was one of heroic resolution combating against acute physical suffering, which seemed so serious as to threaten life itself, while it was so severe and painful that but few would have had determination enough to carry on through it imaginative literary work. He was compelled to employ the services of amanuenses, and Wm. Laidlaw and John Ballantyne wrote to Scott's dictation. Ballantyne was the better amanuensis, because Laidlaw was too strongly stirred with admiration and delight, and exclaimed, as some fine passage was dictated to him: "Gude keep us!"—the like of that! eh, sirs! eh, sirs!" Scott's disease was called cramp, though later and better physicians might have given the complaint another name. The date of the "Bride" was April, 1819. Three novels—"The Bride of Lammermoor," "The Legend of Montrose" and "Ivanhoe"—were thus dictated, but when health returned Scott resumed his practice of writing with his own hand. Goethe, on the other hand, early employed the assistance of an amanuensis, and continued the practice until the end. Sometimes Laidlaw begged Scott to stop while the poet's audible suffering filled every pause. "Nay, Willie," said the afflicted author from his sofa of pain; "only see that the doors are fast. I would fain keep all the cry as well as all the wool to ourselves; but as to giving over work, that can only be when I am in woolen." Scott often turned upon the pillow with a groan of anguish, but usually continued the sentence in the same breath. When dialogue of peculiar animation was being dictated, he sometimes got up and walked up and down the room, as it were, acting the parts. Such were the feelings and the pains of the man while the heroic author composed "The Bride of Lammermoor"; and Scott assured Ballantyne that when the book was first out of his hands in a complete shape he did not recollect one single incident, character or conversation that it contained. Small wonder that!—Gentleman's Magazine.

The anxiety caused by the wandering away of a little child from his usual familiar surroundings, or his being separated from his parents in a crowd, is made unnecessarily distressing by the fact that he usually carries with him no certain means of identification. To label him with his full name and address would be so simple a precaution that it is surprising that it is not a universal practice. We brand our cattle, punch cabalistic characters in the web-feet of our fowls, engrave dog-collars, and scrupulously tag umbrellas and bunches of keys, while giving hardly a passing thought to what would happen to our little speechless toddlers and ourselves should they stray into unknown streets or meet with some accident in the domains of strangers. In the customary marking of undergarments with indelible ink it would be but little more trouble to use the full name instead of initials, and on outer garments a convenient place could be selected—say the inside of the collar-band or the end of the sleeve—where the full address could be placed. If everybody would adopt such a plan and recommend it to others, there would be at once a beginning which might go far toward establishing a uniform custom, the usefulness of which would seem to be beyond question.—Babyhood.

An advertisement reads: "Wanted, a young man to be partly out of doors and partly behind the counter," and a lady has written to ask, "What will be the result when the door slams?"

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FUNERALS.

The general disposition to make extravagant demonstrations, at the closing scenes of human existence has called forth much remonstrance of late years; which it is not unlikely will eventually result in an improved public sentiment, productive of much good.

The disposal of the bodies of the dead has ever been a matter of the deepest and most tender concern to the friends and relatives of the departed. The rites and ceremonies observed on such occasions have always been more or less elaborate, depending upon the civilization, the religious influences and other circumstances of the people.

Heathenism controlled throughout, as it is by sensual affections, naturally proceeds on that basis, in everything that comes under its direction, and its funeral rites naturally represent their social condition.

Christian civilization being governed by the revelation of an immortality of blessedness in the life to come, when not indirectly influenced by extraneous suggestions, manifests its belief by acts that rise superior to merely natural tendencies.

In its view the dead are buried out of sight, in the full assurance of a blissful resurrection for them hereafter. Hence the rites of sepulture rightly apprehended are simple and impressive, tending to the consolation of the survivors of the beloved dead.

Unfortunately however, the governing power of fashion, so despotic in its sway, in all our social life, has exerted its control even in these matters; leading to usages that have called forth the protests to which we have alluded. The cause may be attributed, without doubt, to the vast accumulation of wealth in recent years, which has encouraged a tendency to extravagance, and even folly extending to the very portals of the tomb, so that funeral observances have been invested, in many quarters, with a degree of pageantry and outward show, that is actually injurious to the living, by reason of the fact that many in their attempts to imitate the ways of the wealthy, do so to their personal inconvenience; and money is expended, or debts incurred, in the way of display, detrimental to the entire domestic circle involved.

A funeral rightly viewed only concerns the family and the relatives of the deceased, and the more quietly it is conducted, the better not only for the bereaved mourners, but also for the public good. Outward show cannot represent inward grief, and this last, when deepest is always most unobtrusive.

There can be no rational reason for a funeral procession to plod slowly along for miles, as is usual in the rural districts, regardless of heat or cold; of wind or calm. It is unwise for those in attendance to gather around the tomb, and remain there, under conditions unfavorable to health; as the final offices may properly be entrusted to friendly hands.

In cases of contagious diseases, interments should proceed in accordance with the regulations of the Board of Health, so that contagion be not extended by those in attendance. The clergy and others occupying positions of influence should seek to promulgate wholesome views on this subject, and they will ere long have the satisfaction of beholding the beneficent results of their efforts.

TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH.

It is said that the Bell Telephone Company is preparing to enter into active competition with the Western Union Telegraph Company for the telegraph business of the country. As the same wires can be used for either the telegraph or telephone, it becomes clear as to the object of the Bell Company in extending its system of wires. The immense wealth of the company and its vast extent of facilities in all the important cities, gives it a position far in advance of any company heretofore endeavoring to compete with the Western Union should the matter become a fixed fact, the great Gould monopoly will have a formidable rival to the benefit of the public.

Stomach headache is readily cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which tones and regulates the digestion, and creates an appetite.

THE CANAL.

The long felt want in human affairs is almost invariably supplied in time. It begins to look now as if the attention that has been directed towards the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal for some months past may be about to result beneficially to the interests involved.

We give from the correspondence of the Baltimore Sun the most recent suggestions in relation to the subject:

"The Chesapeake and Ohio canal will very soon occupy a share of the attention of the Legislature, and it is understood the syndicate's proposition to lease the eighty-five miles of the canal from Cumberland to Williamsport for a railroad will be brought to Annapolis this week with the backing of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, Colonel Charles Marshall, counsel of that company, is formulating a bill providing for the canal case. The details are not yet settled. An outside rumor has it that the syndicate have agreed to guarantee one million dollars of 5 per cent. bonds with which to build the railroad after the lease is secured. The indications are that several other canal schemes will come along. Dr. Wootton, of Montgomery county, will ask for a lease of the whole canal to the best bidders. The board of public works are said to incline toward the purchase of the canal repair bonds. The canal company will no doubt have a relief scheme also. The idea is advanced for the organization of a transportation company, made up of coal operators, shippers, boat-owners and others, to co-operate with the canal company, and make coal contracts direct with the Eastern consumers, the shipments to go to tide-water by way of the canal."

THE DEADLY CIGARETTE.

The recent death of a young man in Westminster, as has been alleged from the excessive smoking of cigarettes, has called forth considerable criticism on the habit. It has been shown that whatever may be the effects of tobacco on persons of mature growth, there is evil and only evil from it to all whose physical organization is not perfected. There are habits and customs that seem destined to reach their natural and necessary results, as in the case above mentioned. Of what use is the law to forbid the sale of tobacco to minors if it is not enforced? when parents allow their children to indulge in those habits which are so evident, they can blame only themselves for the results of their misjudged indifference, children must be governed to fit them for life's duties. Those who are a law unto themselves in youth will never be leaders of others. The cigarette that gives forth its vile smell for a few moments, in that brief time leaves behind a deadly influence that needs but to be followed up to complete its dire work.

AFTER THE TRUSTS.

Representative Bacon of New York and Chairman of the House Committee on Manufactures has reported a resolution to investigate the subject of the "trusts" and the resolution was adopted. The schemes of robbery and ruin will thus come under review. Pools, combinations and conspiracies to advance the prices of the necessities of life will be examined by the committee. Standard oil, Western Union, and the great anthracite coal combine will be included. There can be no doubt about the authority of Congress to take account of all matters that regard the general public good and those who seek wealth from the necessities of the people, should be restrained in the heartlessness.

They had a million dollar fire in Philadelphia, on Arch and Eighth streets on Tuesday.

Mrs. ELIZA BALLOU GARFIELD, the mother of the late President James A. Garfield, died at five o'clock Saturday morning at the home of Mrs. Garfield, in Mentor. Her age was 86 years. She has gradually been failing during the past two months, the result of old age. Mrs. Garfield was born at the foot of Mount Monadnock, New Hampshire, on September 25, 1802. She was married in 1827 to Abram Garfield, of Watertown, Mass., and came to Ohio with him and a six-year-old boy, now Thomas A. Garfield, of Grand Rapids, Mich., in July 1834. The family settled in the woods at what is now Orange, Cuyahoga county, where James A. Garfield was born. Abram Garfield died when Tom, the eldest child, was 10 years old, leaving his widow with four children and a log cabin in the woods. Her care and energy carried the family in respectable poverty to the point where it could make its own way. James A. Garfield was her pride and joy, and she aged very rapidly from the day Guiteau's bullet struck him down. About December 1 last she was compelled to take her bed, and gradually sank to a peaceful death.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS FOR FREDERICK COUNTY.

FREDERICK, MD., Jan. 25, 1888. A regular meeting of the Board of School Commissioners will be held in this office, On Tuesday, February 7, 1888.

Teachers' Reports must be in the office, or in the hands of their Commissioner, on Saturday, February 4. All reports must be properly filled out and signed by at least two of the trustees. All exceptions must be signed by at least two trustees and accompany the report.

All Bills must be received. Teachers' salaries will be paid on and after Friday, February 10. By order, GLENN H. WORTHINGTON, Secy. Jan. 28-2t.

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TOWN PROPERTY PRIVATE SALE THE undersigned, as attorneys-in-fact for the heirs of David W. Horner, late of Frederick County, deceased, offer at private sale, the HOUSE & LOT upon which said deceased resided prior to the time of his death, adjoining lots of W. G. Horner and E. L. Rowe, Esq. It will be sold upon easy terms, which will be made known by the undersigned. O. A. HORNER, W. G. HORNER, Attorneys-in-fact. July 30-1t

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Advertisement for 'Hindercorns', a medicinal product for various ailments.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JAN. 28, 1888.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after Dec. 11, 1887, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAFFIC SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg at 8.45 a. m. and 3.30 and 8.45 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 9.15 a. m. and 4.00 and 6.15 p. m.

TRAFFIC NORTH. Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and 4.08 and 6.31 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 4.38 and 7.01 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

We are always pleased to receive communications from our friends, containing an account of the news of their localities. Incidents of interest to the public, given in a few words setting forth the facts, are always acceptable. We will give them the shape proper for publication, when the name of the writer accompanies them, this we must have.

SALES.

On February 6, Annan, Horner & Co., assignees of mortgage, will sell the property on the north-west corner of the square, now occupied by Mr. J. H. T. Webb. See adv. and bills.

On March 1, George H. C. Wachter, on C. T. Zacharias' farm near Motter's Station will sell a lot of valuable personal property.

On March 13, J. C. Rosensteel will sell a valuable lot of personal property, at Clairvaux, near Mt. St. Mary's College.

On March 16, Martin Baker, in Liberty twp., Pa., will sell a lot of valuable personal property.

On March 19, The Messrs Shriver will sell at the residence of the late Lewis P. Shriver about 3 1/2 miles east of this place, stock and farming implements.

Prof. C. H. Jourdan offers his valuable little farm, situated near Mt. St. Mary's College, at private sale. See adv.

O. A. and W. G. Horner, Attorneys-in-fact for the heirs of the late David W. Horner, offer at private sale, the house and lot occupied by said deceased prior to his death, situated near the Public Square in this place. See adv.

LOCAL ITEMS.

475 gallons of milk are daily shipped from Westminster to Baltimore.

Ar bushel eggs sell for 18 cts. per doz., and butter at 15 cts. per lb.

The big fire in Philadelphia the other day, originated in a foul chimney. A word to the wise is sufficient!

To make your hens lay and keep your chickens in a healthy condition give them Chick-Chick-er-ke-ke. For sale by P. Hoke.

DR. CHARLES SMITH sold 100 shares of Frederick and Emmitsburg turnpike road stock to Mr. Joseph E. Holkey, of Walkersville.

The Directors of the First National Bank of Frederick have declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent on their capital stock.

If the skies are clear this (Saturday) evening, the eclipse will be visible, under circumstances for observation that only occur at distant intervals.

The snow-banks may prove a blessing for the preservation of the growing grain, where the fields are not laid bare; but the buried partridges will not be replaced.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Reformed church will hold an Ice Cream Festival at the residence of Mrs. H. Motter, this (Saturday) afternoon and evening.

One hundred and sixteen shares of the First National Bank of Hagerstown, par value \$10 per share, were sold at public sale at that place on Tuesday, at \$21.10 per share.

The cold wave held its own with remarkable tenacity after its late coming, and the ground-hog's doings will now be watched with interest, so that we know what's to come.

Persons intending to hold sales the coming season, should call at this office and arrange the dates, that we may construct our Sale Register in due order. Notices and bills will be printed as may be desired.

Note paper equal to that made from linen rags, it has been discovered can be made from tobacco stems. No doubt it will be chewed, as well as smoked in pipes, and may revolutionize the cigarette business.

Mr. Lewis Ripple of Baltimore has presented the Lutheran Congregation of Williamsport with a bell and fixtures weighing 1200 pounds. The gift was the suggestion of C. W. Humrickhouse, Esq., and is from McShanes foundry.

On Sunday last the thermometer in the early morning indicated 2 1/2 which rose to about 22 by noon and by evening declined again, and Saturday and Sunday night were the coldest of the season as some found out to their cost in the water pipes.

Ork County Commissioners have had a bill prepared regulating the salary of the present sheriff, which they will ask the Legislature to make a law. The bill allows the sheriff the sum of \$6,000, which, after deducting \$850 for his riding deputy, \$700 for office deputy, \$500 for jail warden, \$350 for a cook, and meeting all other expenses, would leave him between fifteen hundred and eighteen hundred dollars a year, or nearly \$1,500 less than the amount received by his predecessors since the creation of the board of charities and corrections.

Mr. J. M. MILLER, engaged in the lumber, machinery and fertilizing business at Walkersville, Frederick Co., has made a deed of trust to Messrs. Harrison Miller, Jos. G. Miller and Wm. P. Maulsby, Jr. His liabilities are said to be about \$13,000 or \$14,000 and assets about \$4,000.

We had the pleasure of receiving a few lines from Rev. Fr. Gambon of Owensboro, Ky., a few days since extending his subscription—he says his "new church is now almost covered with the best Pennsylvania slate and will be one of the finest in the Diocese, and stands without comparison in this (his) city."

Arm Broken.

In descending the steps of the portico at the front of Eyster's City Hotel, on Monday last, Mrs. W. G. Horner fell and in so doing broke the inner bone of her left arm below the elbow, and also displaced it from the elbow. Drs. J. B. Brawner and J. K. Wrigley adjusted the displacement and the fracture. The patient we are glad to learn has been progressing finely.

Burned to Death.

A terrible accident occurred in Paradise township, York Co., Pa., on Monday. While Mrs. Latchaw was out of the room her little grandson made his way to the stove, and when she returned she found the child's clothing in a blaze. He was so badly burned that he died in the afternoon. The child's mother was in the city when the accident occurred.

Cramp on's Head Full of Knowledge.

To cram one's head full of knowledge and the stomach full of food, and then neglect to observe the simplest laws of nature are the unfailing means to induce nervousness and constipation and certain loss of health. Laxador prevents all this trouble. Price only 25 cents a package.

The best remedy for the complaints of early childhood, such as colic, flatulency, &c., is Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Price 25 cents.

Drop a Lead While at Work.

Mr. Reuben S. Cochran, a well-known blacksmith and carriage-builder of Jefferson, Middletown Valley, dropped dead about 11:30 o'clock on Tuesday while at work in his shop. His death is supposed to have resulted from paralysis of the brain. He was about 55 years of age and leaves a wife and one son. Mr. Cochran was a brother-in-law of Mr. Samuel Dutrow, of Frederick president of the board of county school commissioners.—Sun.

Wedding Bells.

Special to the Emmitsburg Chronicle. MAHANSY CITY, Pa., Jan. 21.—A very quiet and impressive marriage took place at the pastoral residence of Rev. Stephen Bunz, at Ashland, on Friday evening, January 20th, 1888. The contracting parties being Mr. Chas. W. Colchon of Girardville, Pa., and Miss Alice G. Spates, formerly of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., now of Reading. The young folks start out in life with best prospects, and will visit important places on their wedding tour through Pennsylvania. B'n.

The Eclipse.

The moon will enter the shadow this evening at 4 hours and 24 minutes. Total eclipse will begin 5 hours, 24 minutes, middle of the eclipse 6 hr. 13.6 m. Total ends 7 hr. 23 m. p. m., and will leave shadow 8 hr. 33 m. magnitude of eclipse 1.647 the moon's diameter being unity. To those who can secure favorable positions the sight will be highly interesting, as it occurs so near to sunset. But of course everything will depend upon the favoring state of the clouds.

An Enterprise.

Mr. Chas. E. Eyer, residing about 5 miles north of Mechanistown, this county, had on exhibition yesterday at the store of Besant & Knott a fine sample of molasses which was made by Mr. Eyer himself. Some time ago Mr. Eyer purchased from parties in Florida some seed which he planted and from that raised the sugar cane, from which the syrup was manufactured. It is pronounced to be of a superior quality and is the intention of Mr. Eyer, should the syrup suit the trade in this section of the county to manufacture the article on a large scale.—News.

WHEN the newly elected directors of the First National Bank met Wednesday Mr. H. M. Schmuok, who has served a number of years as president of the institution, tendered his resignation both as president and director. Vincent O'Boyd was made president; Geo. D. Gitt, (who was chosen to fill the vacancy in the board,) vice president; and G. H. Shirk, secretary. Mr. Schmuok's retirement is a great surprise to the business portion of our community, and will be keenly felt by the bank. He is a most successful business man, and his counsel and advice in financial matters are valued in our midst.—Hagerston Critic.

How Men Die.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and well-known remedy—Rocher's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

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At the regular semi-annual election of Massicot Tribe No. 41 Imp'd O. R. M., of this place, the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months: Sachem, D. R. Gelwick; Prophet, Geo. T. Gelwick; Sen. Sage, Jacob K. Byers; Jun. Sage, Jos. Byers; C of R, John F. Adelsberger; K of W, C. S. Zeck. Representative to the Great Council of Maryland, Edward C. Wenscheloff. Trustees, Geo. T. Gelwick, Geo. G. Byers and E. C. Wenscheloff. At the installation Geo. T. Gelwick assisted Geo. G. Byers and installed the newly elected chs.

Davis-Krise.

There was a very pretty wedding at the M. E. Church in this place, on Wednesday afternoon, the contracting parties being Miss Anabel Krise, daughter of Mr. Elbridge F. Krise of this place, and Mr. Francis A. Davis of Baltimore. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens, and the couple stood under a large marriage bell, composed of flowers and greens. The ceremony was performed by the Pastor, Rev. Osborne Belt, assisted by Rev. W. Simonton, D. D., of this place, Messrs. Sheridan Biggs of Rocky Ridge and Morris Krise of Chicago, acting as ushers. Precisely at 2 o'clock, the bridal party entered the church, while Dr. J. K. Wrigley, who presided at the organ rendered the well known Mendelssohn Wedding March. The bride wore a white henrietta cloth dress, trimmed with white wadded plect ribbon, with a cluster of Marshal Niel roses in her hair and carried a bouquet of the same. The happy couple started on the 3:30 train for a trip through the north, intending to stop at Niagara Falls and other places of interest, and will be present at the wedding of the bride's brother Mr. Morris Krise, at Boston on the 7th of February. The bride was the recipient of a number of handsome and valuable presents, among which were a set of diamonds from the groom, a pair of bracelets set with diamonds from her brother, and a check for \$1,000 from her mother.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., Jan. 23, 1888. Persons calling will please say advertised, otherwise they may not receive them: Daniel J. Baumgardner, Miss Katie R. Baker, Miss Alice Eckard, Miss Eliza Liles, F. P. Reaver.

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Another Wedding. Mr. Charles I. Baker of Baltimore was married to Miss Mabel Motter, daughter of Mr. Samuel Motter of this place, at the Church of the Incarnation on Thursday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. E. Higbee, D. D., of Lancaster, Pa., assisted by Rev. U. H. Heilmann, pastor of the church. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens. The ushers were Dr. J. W. Eichelberger, Jr., Messrs. Elnathan M. Kerschner and Robert H. Johnston of Emmitsburg, and Howard Marcum of McKeesport, Pa. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents. The newly married pair started on the 3:30 train for Baltimore, where they will make their future home.

The Peach-Growing Interest. NEAR EMMITSBURG, Jan. 23, 1888. MR. EDITOR.—I will give my views on the future of fruit growing in our section of country. That fruit-growing will become a great industry here is a fixed fact. Many are now planting considerably and turning their attention more in that direction, and instead of planting a few trees are being planted by hundreds and thousands. In Harbaugh's Valley there will be many thousands of peach trees planted this coming spring. The farmers see that the more they plant the sooner the attention of fruit buyers will be drawn to our section. All kinds of fruit will do well in the mountains; and grapes will do well on all our high ground or any place where the ground is not too wet. No fruit will do well on land on which water stands on or near the surface, cranberries excepted. Quinces like a moist soil, but not where it is wet for months at a time. Under draining will make moist lands good fruit land. Grapes and peaches do best on rolling land, and there are a great many places so rough that farm crops will not pay, and several kinds of fruit do well and are much easier attended to than any grain crops in proportion to the returns. Small fruits will pay, especially raspberries, for if they do not pay to ship they can evaporate them. Strawberries will not pay well for shipping unless they are well cultivated, and we must raise fine berries and ship only the best. But as soon as we can get enough fruit, canning establishments will start up and thus add another industry to our country. If we select and grade the fruit we ship, it will always pay, but to expect a few fine specimens to sell the balance of our product is nonsense. Let every package be as near uniform as possible, and we will always realize more out of the same fruit. Can any one doubt that we have a bright future before us, because as soon as people turn their attention to the business it must pay.

In Delaware they have grown peaches so long on the same land, that now it is an uncertain crop, and they are talking of going into apples and pears more extensively. Peaches still do well there where they clear up new land, but the fruit is not as highly colored or as finely flavored as the Western Maryland peaches. Here we have new land and land that peaches never grew on before. In the peach belt across the mountain, among the thousands of acres they have and will plant this spring, they plant no old orchards. They say in Franklin County, Pa., that formerly they thought Adams County only could grow peaches, but now Franklin is the best. It is attention to the business that brings success. Why is our side of the mountain not equally as good as that, as they thought formerly we had the best side for peaches. But in the peach country over there, they are planting peaches almost to the exclusion of apples and pears; they are planting a few plums and some quinces. So as old apple orchards year out and no new ones coming on, apples will bring better prices. Pears are too much neglected, for good pears are certainly delicious and bring good prices in the city markets. Respectfully yours, S.

THE February issue of the Eclectic has an excellent list of articles on a wide variety of subjects. The Duke of Argyll's curt attack on Darwin and his school, "The Power of Loose Analogies," M. Charles Bryant's opening paper on "Irish Secret Societies." The criticism of Karl Marx's great book "Capital," Archibald Geikie writes on "Charles Darwin." The paper on "Schools of Commerce," by Sir Philip Magnus, is exceedingly suggestive. Rev. Dr. Jessop contributes another sketch of English peasant life, under the name of "Doris." Andrew Lang has a paper on "Realism and Romance," John Morley's address, entitled "Aphorisms," "The Rostropoffa Protherhead," by Arthur E. Waite, and "The Parable of the Tuidan Art." There is a short story by the Marquess of Lorne.

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Read the Death Roll Which the bills of mortality of any large city may be fitly designated, and you will find that renal and vesical maladies, that is to say, those that affect the kidneys or bladder, have a remarkable prominence—we had almost said preponderance. Bright's disease and diabetes in the chronic stage are rarely cured, and gravel, catarrh of the bladder and ureters, stay many. Yet at the onset, when the trouble merely amounts to inactivity of the organs involved, the danger may be nullified by that pleasant, renal tonic and diuretic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitter, which imparts the requisite amount of tone to the organs, without overstimulating them, and the use of which is convenient, and involves no elaborate preparation. Dressed in a simple, constant of renal complaints, and debility, which they invariably produce, are remedied by it. So also are constipation, psoriasis, rheumatic and nervous ailments.

The following patents were granted to citizens of Maryland, bearing date Jan. 24, 1888. Reported expressly for this paper by Louis Bagger & Co., Mechanical Experts and Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D. C. Advice Free. E. M. Allen, Stafford, wagon. W. O. Crain, Baltimore, sewing-machine. J. M. Cook, Baltimore, flour-bolt. E. C. Lindenmann, Baltimore, underground conduit for electric wires.

Runaway. We are informed that whilst Rev. Father Dufour, pastor of the Catholic church in this place, was accompanied by Rev. Father Haugh, their horse ran away, and the former reverend gentleman considerably injured. It appears that Rev. Father Haugh got out of the buggy to fix something at the harness just on the top of the steep hill at Mt. Rock, and as he was in the act of getting back into it, the horse made a sudden plunge, broke the lines, and descended the hill at full speed. When the store of Mr. J. E. Smith was reached the vehicle struck a hitching post, breaking it (the buggy) to pieces and throwing Rev. Father Dufour to the ground, bruising and scarring him considerably about the shoulders and face, but fortunately no bones were broken.—New Oxford Item.

AFTER the snow-storm of Wednesday, Thursday dawned bright and with a temperature greatly moderated from that of several preceding days, but about 10 a. m., there set in a sort of a hurricane from the north-west, that put the fine snow in motion, helter skelter, making it highly disagreeable to be out doors. The drifting continued in all its fury till evening and blocked up all the roads running north and south. A party starting from town to Gettysburg about 4 o'clock p. m., got fixed in a drift within less than a mile of town and had to be shovelled out, and the mail carrier from Gettysburg had to leave his horse and vehicle about four miles from town, and brought the mail through on his back. The 3:30 train on the Emmitsburg Railroad ran into a drift in McCarren's cut, and broke two windows out of the engine. The track hands had to shovel out the cuts to enable the train to return. The storm was the most violent of the winter. On Friday morning the train for Rocky Ridge did not get through until 11 o'clock.

They Want Help. The citizens of Frederick are trying to get authority from the Legislature for the County Commissioners to appropriate money to be used for the repairing of their streets. Every effort of the officials to obtain aid from the county to repair the streets of this village, has proven in vain, notwithstanding the amount of taxes paid by our citizens, there not being allowed for our streets the amount the citizens pay on the streets, which form parts of the county roads continued from them. Of course after the magnificent outfit of our county town, made by the out-lying districts, the cry of the horse-leeching—naturally enough comes up from the bloated bond-holders of that peculiar city, which has not the ambition to beautify itself, even in the contracted extent to which the ornamentation of the Court House Square would lead them. Like Ephraim of old, they are "joined to idols," and deserve the isolation to Ephraim adjudged.

PERSONALS. Mr. G. T. Crouse made a trip to Frederick. Mrs. Theresa Gibbs made a visit to Baltimore. Mr. Charles A. Manning made a trip to Baltimore. Mr. Geo. Seltzer and wife have gone to Washington. Mrs. A. S. Hartman has returned to her home in Chambersburg. Miss Annie Adams of Waynesboro is visiting her sister Mrs. L. D. Cook. Miss Lizzie Hoover has gone to Waynesboro. Miss Annie Snively of Shady Grove, Pa., is visiting Miss Belle Rowe. Mr. Morris Krise of Chicago is visiting his parents in this place. Rev. H. F. White, C. M., made a trip to Frederick. Rev. E. E. Higbee, D. D., of Lancaster, spent several days in town this week.

Miss Kate Slangenhaupt of Smithsburg, made a visit to Miss Edith Motter. Mr. Charles McCurly and Misses Lillie and Grace McCurly of Gettysburg made a visit at Mr. L. M. Motter's. Miss Jennie Newcomer of Funkstown is visiting Miss Carrie Motter. Miss Belle Rowe has returned home from Baltimore. Mr. Howard Marcum of McKeesport, Pa., and Miss Eliza Sibbet of Pittsburg, are the guests of Mrs. Samuel Motter. Misses Helen and Lucy Higbee of Lancaster are visiting at Mrs. H. Motter's. Mrs. Wood of California is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Catharine Hyder. Mrs. Charles Wentz and family of Baltimore made a visit to her mother, Mrs. Hyder. Misses Martinez and Nannie Adelsberger have returned home from Baltimore. Mrs. Geo. B. Resser of Lebanon, Pa., is the guest of her father Mr. L. M. Motter. Miss Carrie Motter has returned home from Hanover. Mr. Jno. P. Seabold made a visit to Mechanistown. Mr. Lewis Pennell of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of his brother Mr. W. A. Paunell. Misses Lulu and Mamie McGrath are visiting in Waynesboro. Rev. E. S. Johnston and wife made a visit to Taneytown. Miss Luella White has returned home from a visit to Pittsburg.

A Fortunate and Grateful Woman. Mrs. J. H. Giles of Everett, Pa., says: I suffered for many years from Kidney and Gravel trouble. Besides, I had other complaints common to my sex. I began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a happy and perfectly well woman once more. Thanks to Dr. Kennedy and his Favorite Remedy. Price \$1.

Organize. We suggest to our young folks to form an association to begin its work in the spring, of planting trees in the town and country. It could be arranged to afford much amusement and be very beneficial; and as an outdoor recreation, could be made to take a position quite in advance of a picnic. There could be processions, the men carrying the implements needed for the work, the ladies ordering the processions, and adjusting refreshments, &c., and here and there a tree will stand forth to indicate in the future, the joyous associations of the planting time.

COHOON—SPATES.—On January 20, 1888, at Ashland, Pa., by the Rev. Stephen Bunz, Pastor of Kingtown Evangelical Methodist Church, Mr. Charles W. Cohoon of Girardville, Schuylkill county, Pa., to Miss Alice G. Spates, formerly of Gettysburg, Pa.

WEANT—RIDINGER.—On Jan. 24, 1888, at the Presbyterian Manse, Emmitsburg, by the Rev. W. Simonton, D. D., George W. Weant to Clara J. Ridinger, both of Carroll County, Md.

DAVIS—KRISE.—On Jan. 25, 1888, at the M. E. Church in this place, by Rev. Osborne Belt, assisted by Rev. W. Simonton, D. D., Mr. Francis A. Davis of Baltimore, to Miss Anabel, daughter of Mr. E. F. Krise of this place.

BAKER—MOTTER.—On January 25, 1888, in the Church of the Incarnation, Emmitsburg, by Rev. E. E. Higbee, D. D., assisted Rev. U. H. Heilmann, Mr. Charles I. Baker of Baltimore, to Miss Mabel Motter of Emmitsburg.

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EBENEZER'S SLEIGH RIDE.

'Twas in the state of Indiana, Farmer Sproggins and his wife, Lizzy Ann, set out to market quite comfortable-like and snug. They were going to the town of Rattle-root. They took along with them two dozen chickens and six dozen eggs.

This has been a great winter for sleighing in Indiana, especially around the town of Rattle-root.

"Hitoh Ebenezer to the sleigh this morning, Sproggins," said Lizzy Ann.

Sproggins blessed the signs in the almanac for sending such good wheat-growing winter weather, and obeyed.

Ebenezer was not a horse; he was a mule. He was white, with fair long ears, and a tail of remarkable intelligence. Over a good feed of hay Ebenezer whisked his tail softly, to show his gratitude and peace. When Sproggins gave the caudal member a brisk twist Ebenezer knew as well as his master that that meant "Git up!"

When a boy came fooling around there was a sudden upheaving of the appendage, a storm signal, as it were, to indicate that hereabouts was the earthquake end of Ebenezer.

Farmer Sproggins was wont to say:

"That there mule's got more sense in his one tail than the town council of Rattle-root have in their heads."

The farmer and his wife had raised their Ebenezer from a gawky quavery-legged colt. He was born the same year their oldest son was, and Simon is old enough to vote for the next president. This family mule was crowned with years, dignity, and faithfulness.

"He's the stiddest creature, Ebenezer is," said Lizzy Ann. "You couldn't startle him no more'n you could Gran'ther Sproggins's family Bible."

That market morning they sledged on over the snow in happiness and peace, Ebenezer, Sproggins, Lizzy Ann, the chickens and the eggs. At the top of Pigeon Hill there was a rough place. The sleigh jolted slightly. It struck the rheumatism in the old white hen's knees, and she gave a squawk. An egg or two cracked.

"Huddup, Ebenezer," said Sproggins.

Ebenezer looked around and winked. Then he looked ahead.

Pigeon Hill was half a mile long and very steep. Before the snow came there had been a heavy rain. The ground froze stiff and icy. Then the heavy snow fell.

"Splendid bottom for sleighin'," Sproggins said.

The wind had blown the snow off the hill, and left not much else than icy coating. There wasn't much of anything to sleigh ride on except the splendid bottom. Ebenezer slid slightly.

"Slow it up, Ebenezer," said the farmer.

The mule shook his tail vigorously. He planted his fore hoofs bravely into the ice. They began to go.

"Back, Ebenezer, ba-a-ack!" shouted Sproggins.

By that time the sleigh itself was like the old lady's tongue in meeting. It had "got a going and couldn't stop." It shot forward and touched the mule's hind legs.

Ebenezer was surprised. He, a dignified gray haired family mule, who had never in his life kicked over the traces, had been hurt and insulted in his tenderest spot. It was too much. He lifted his hind legs to kick.

Then he was still more surprised. In point of fact, if a gallon of iodized horse radish had been poured up his nose he couldn't have been more astonished. Before he raised his respectable heels he had been a thing with a leg at each corner. But after that fatal moment he was a thing with legs only at his front corners.

The instant his hind heels were lifted off the ground the sleigh shot still further forward. The shafts snapped off quicker than the cords of gratitude. Sleigh, Sproggins, Lizzy Ann and the chickens went under the mule. Ebenezer was on top.

Then the strangest thing of all happened.

The sleigh struck the mule's front legs. After that he hadn't legs at all any more, but only just corners. The sleigh knocked him off his balance and scooped him in bodily,

Ebenezer sat down with the folk to take a sleigh-ride.

He was a big mule. Part of him sat in Lizzy Ann's lap. Some more of him spread itself upon the basket of six dozen eggs. There followed a destruction that was pitiful to see. Beautiful lost possibilities of Christmas cake and omelet lay scattered along that icy hill in a way to draw tears from your eyes. Ebenezer's tail, Sproggins's feet and Lizzy Ann's spare-room coverlet were all blended together in that dazzling true sulphur-orange tint which fashionable milliners would give at least half of one eye to catch.

Still there wasn't enough seat to hold all of Ebenezer. He laid the rest of himself upon the chicken-coop. He didn't look around very long about it, either. Next followed a crash and splintering and a sound like the sudden wreck of senatorial hopes in Ohio.

The old white hen, in spite of her rheumatic knees, escaped to the roadside, and lay a moment fluttering on her back. Then she gave one flop and all was over. She died of heart disease.

With a wild screech the Shanghai rooster darted out from the other side. Sproggins's Shanghai had been a beauty in his day. In the year 1880 he had been selected to head the triumphal Democratic procession that was to celebrate the presidential election. But the election went 't'other way, and the Shanghai was left in inglorious retreat. The disappointment struck in on him somehow. From that day he drooped, or mostly lost the use of his wings. For a year he had been too down-hearted to fly upon the roost.

In moments of violent shock the dumb have been known to talk, the blind to see. Even so, in this supreme instant, old Shanghai flew out of that doomed sleigh as spry as a spring chicken. Far 'o'er the wide expanse of snow, from field to field he flew, shouting to all the world as he went:

"Kookle, kookle, koo-koo!" Still the sleigh shot madly on.

The rest of the feathered crew that were not crushed were set free. Each instant one and another made its escape; now from the top of Sproggins's fur cap, now from Lizzy Ann's shoulder, and now from Ebenezer's ears. All the way down the hill they sped from this side and that, like shooting stars, each shrieking as it got out of that "Quackle, quackle, quack-quack!"

It was the most expressive talk ever heard in those parts. It roused the country. Take it in all its features, the animated picture was a scene for a great American chromo.

Ebenezer's nerves were not soothed by these proceedings. He made frantic struggles to get free. And here was the tip-top act of the circus. Sproggins' brain had whirled around for half a minute, and then settled itself unalterably upon the conviction that the mule sitting right there in the sleigh with him was running away. To his credit be it said that, true to his duty as a man and a male protector, he held fast by the reins throughout. Whenever a chicken flew this side or that he jerked the lines, called Ebenezer frantically to "wo." As the sleigh shot down faster and faster, pale but determined, the blessed old idiot still grasped the helm and shouted, "Wo, Ebenezer; wo! wo! Blast yer pooter, you old fool, wo!"

Once Ebenezer looked around with an expression of infinite disgust, and if to say:

"Maybe you'd like to wo' yourself, wouldn't you?"

They reached the bottom at last. Nobody was hurt. Ebenezer's dignity had been ruffled beyond redemption. He looked not around. He gave a bound and snort and disappeared down the road. His head was up, and his tail was standing out horizontal. Thus he vanished from human ken. He has never been heard of. For two weeks after there was seen in *The Rattle-root Roarer* the following "ad." to-wit:

"STRAYED—A white mule, sixteen hands high, ugly on the hind legs."

"Of course, it was unexpected-like to himself," said Farmer Sproggins.

ELIZA ARBOREDA.

"BOBBY," said his mother, "I told not to forget to bring up three scuttles of coal before you went to school, and you only brought up two." "I know, ma, but I forgot the third one. Three scuttles is a good many for a little boy like me remember."

Humorous.

"He gave me some pointers," said the tramp of the farmer; "he jabbed me with a pitchfork."

If it were true that "time tries all things" there would be no use for courts.—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

THE caterpillar is a beautiful type of frugality, because he never has the slightest trouble in making ends meet.

TRAMP—"I have lost an arm, sir; will—? Passer-by (in great hurry)—"Sorry, but I haven't seen anything of it."

A BOOTMAKER has this extraordinary announcement in the window, "Ladies will be sold as low as seventy-five cents a pair."

A WOMAN confesses to the marrying of eight husbands, few women possess her power to fasten-eight men.—Binghamton Republican.

"I HAVE a great car—a wonderful car," said a conceited musician, in the course of conversation. "So has a donkey," responded the party addressed.

A LADY living in Rappahannock county, Va., had twelve stands of bees, which were very valuable until a distillery was started in the neighborhood. Since it was started however, the bees pay frequent visits to the still, get very drunk, and are of little profit.

"How old are you, my son," asked an old gentleman of a "tot" who was celebrating his birthday.

"I'm 4," was the reply, "and I'm mighty glad of it; I was getting very tired of being 3 all the time."—Leisure Hours.

"LAY off your overcoat, or you won't feel it when you go out," said a landlord of a Western inn to a guest who was sitting by the fire. "The last time I was here I left off my overcoat. I didn't feel it when I went out, and I haven't felt it since."

MRS. MIXES—Does your boy show any particular bent yet? Mrs. Binks—Yes, indeed. He'll be a noted scientist some day. "Do you really think so?" "O, there's no doubt of it at all. He always uses the biggest words he knows."—Omaha World.

A PENNSYLVANIA woman kept her husband away from a certain saloon in rather a novel manner. She trapped a skunk and flung it into the place, and even the proprietor, who is a great home body, decided to take a week off.—Detroit Free Press.

It was a colored preacher who said to his flock: "We have a collection to make this morning, and for de glory of heaven which ever one stole Mr. Jones' turkeys don't put anything on the plate." One who was there says: "Every blessed niggah in de church came down with de rocks."

MAMMA seeks to console her crying child. "Why do you cry, John? What has hurt you?" "Mamma," (and he bawls more lustily than ever), "yesterday I fell down and hurt myself." "Yesterday! Then why do you cry today?" "O, because you were not at home yesterday."

A CLERGYMAN in Carson, Nev., recently sent to a local paper a notice of the services at his church, in which the subject of his sermon, "How to Cure Hoodlumism," was given. It appeared in print, however, as "How to Cure Rheumatism," and the church was packed.

It is easy enough for a preacher to be popular. All that is necessary is to preach on subjects which people are interested in.—Exchange.

ON fast day Henry was taken to church (having just passed his third birthday), and the following morning while trying to get his eyes open said: "Mamma, is this a slow day?" He was not at first understood, and when asked what he meant replied: "Yesterday was a fast day and I went to church, but I like slow days best so I can go to kindergarten."—Babyhood.

"WHAT kind of a snake did you say that was, pa?" "An adder, my son." "An adder? What do they call him that for? He hasn't got any feet, has he?" "No, but what has that to do with it?" "Why, if he hasn't any feet I don't see how he can be an adder, for he can't foot up a column, can he?"—Yonkers Gazette.

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