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Associate Judges.—Hon. John T. Vinson and Hon. John A. Lynch.
State's Attorney.—Edw. S. Eichelberger.
Clerk of the Court.—W. Irving Parsons.

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Tax-Collector.—J. Wm. Bachman.
Surgeon.—William H. Hillary.
School Commissioners.—Samuel Dutrow, Herman L. Routhahn David D. Thomas, E. R. Zimmerman, Jas. W. Condon.
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Pastor.—Rev. U. H. Heilmann. Services every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, and every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, p. m. Wednesday evening lectures at 7 o'clock, p. m., Sunday School at 10 o'clock, p. m.

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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, p. m., Sunday School at 10 o'clock, p. m.

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Class meeting every other Sunday at 3 o'clock, p. m.

MAILES.

Through from Baltimore 11:20, a. m.
Way from Baltimore, 7:10, p. m., Hagerstown, 8:35, a. m., Rocky Ridge, 8:35, p. m., Frederick, 11:20, a. m., Gettysburg, 4:30, p. m., and 7:10, p. m.

DEPART.

Baltimore, Way 8:25, a. m., Mechanics-town, Hagerstown, Hanover, Lancaster and Harrisburg, 8:35, a. m., Rocky Ridge, 8:35, a. m., Baltimore, (clock) 3:30, p. m., Frederick, 3:30, p. m., Gettysburg, 3:30, p. m., and 7:10, p. m.

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ON and after Sunday, June 3, 1888, passenger trains on this road will run as follows:

PASSENGER TRAINS LEAVE WEST.

Daily, except Sundays, Daily

STATIONS. Mail, Pass, Est. M.

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Union Station, "..... 8:10 4:05 10:15

Penn. Avenue, "..... 8:15 4:10 10:20

Fulton Station, "..... 8:20 4:15 10:25

Arlington, "..... 8:25 4:20 10:30

Pikesville, "..... 8:30 4:25 10:35

Owings Mills, "..... 8:35 4:30 10:40

Glyndon, "..... 8:40 4:35 10:45

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THE OLD HOME.

It stands upon the hillside, with the tall elms bending over it, and the

The homestead, with the lilacs by the door,

And the quaint, old-fashioned garden, gently sloping down before it.

I see it just as in the days of yore.

I remember how the sunshine fell across the golden meadows,

Beyond the wooden doorstep, old and weathered,

And how the summer dandelions cast their quickly fleeting shadows.

On distant fields of rustling, ripening corn.

In the pleasant, roomy kitchen I see my father sitting,

With leather-covered Bible open wide; While my sweet-faced mother listens, as she lays away her knitting,

And rocks the old red cradle by her side.

Three brown-eyed little children, with tangled golden tresses,

When evening prayer in simple words is said,

Come clinging round her neck with loving, soft caresses,

Then merrily go tripping off to bed.

O! happy years of childhood, with thoughts so true and loving,

And sweet and guileless days so full of rest—

Our old hearts love to linger, after all our years of roving,

And clasp fond memory's pictures to our breast.

Shall we ever, in that country, the bright and glorious heaven,

Win back the simple innocence and bliss

We knew when, in our childhood, in the dear old home at even,

We received our angel mother's good-night kiss?—*Boston Journal.*

The Young Man Who Wasn't Particular About Wages.

Year before last a bright looking young man entered our counting room in response to an advertisement for an assistant shipping clerk.

He told the usual tale of how he desired a position more than wages for the time being, and was willing to accept a nominal salary to start in on.

The old man was feeling in a particularly good humor that afternoon, and said pleasantly to the new comer:

"Well, sir, what would you consider a nominal salary?"

"What would you be willing to accept in beginning?"

The young man picked at the lining of his hat with his fingers and deferentially replied:

"I want to show you, sir, that I mean business, and I will work for one cent the remainder of this month, provided you think it would not be too much to double my salary each month thereafter."

"That's a novel proposition, surely," said the old man, with a smile.

"Do you know what you're talking about, my dear boy?"

"Well, sir, my principal aim is to learn the business," responded the young fellow, "and I would be almost willing to work for nothing, but I'd like to feel and be able to say that I was earning something, you know."

"I'll take you," remarked the old man. "One cent, two cents, four cents, eight, sixteen," he enumerated. "You won't get much for awhile," he added.

He took him up to the cashier. "This is John Smith," he said.

"He will go to work as assistant shipping clerk to-morrow. His salary will be one cent this month, double it every month from now on."

"In conclusion of my working for this small salary might I ask you to assure me a position for a definite period?" inquired John Smith.

"We don't usually do that," replied the governor; "but we can't lose much on you anyhow, I guess, and you look like an honest fellow. How long do you want employment?"

"Three years, sir, if agreeable to you."

Well, by Jove, the old man agreed, and young Mr. Smith, on pretense of wanting some evidence of stability of his place, got the governor to write out and sign a paper that he had been guaranteed a position in the house for three years on the terms I have stated.

He worked along for six months

WOMAN AND THE HAIRPIN.

The Many Things which the Former can do with the Latter.

"Is there a very great demand nowadays for the common wire hairpin?" queried the writer of a Broadway dealer in fancy goods yesterday.

"There is always some demand for the useful little article," replied the dealer, "but the present style of hairdressing, which dispenses with the use of the wire pin and the advent of those large ornamental pins, now so popular with the ladies, has tended to lower the demand for the more common article considerably. I manage, however, to sell about a ton of cheap hairpins every year."

"What becomes of all the hairpins?"

"I fear you will have to ask Mme. Diss Debar for the solution of that conundrum. It is one of those questions which, like the Sphinx's riddle, is likely to remain unanswered for all time. I can only suggest that perhaps the hairpin goes the way of old bustles, buttons, ribbons and other discarded articles of feminine adornment. If it were not for the innumerable uses to which a woman can put the simple little hairpin it would have vanished into history along with the high comb and hoopskirt. I don't believe there is any tool which the average woman can manipulate with such consummate skill and dainty deftness as the hairpin. With a hammer or sharp-edged tool such as the chisel a woman succeeds in doing little more than bruising or cutting her fair fingers, but place a hairpin in her hands and watch the wonders she performs. One who had never before saw a hairpin in the hands of a woman would never imagine that so many devices lay hidden within so small a bit of metal.

"With the hairpin a woman opens envelopes, fastens her dress, suspends a calendar or picture on the wall, picks her teeth and cuts apart the leaves of her magazine or book. It becomes on occasion an improvised nail pick, or shoe and glove buttoner; or is as swiftly transformed into a hook, scoop or crank. Nor is this a complete catalogue of the manifold uses of the modest hairpin. Necessity is the mother of invention and so the hairpin becomes the tool of the moment for whatever purpose the fair mechanic wills."

"Then you believe that the hairpin has come to stay?"

"I think it has, or at least it will remain until manual training forms a part of the education of our girls in the schools and colleges. You may rest assured, however, that the hairpin will receive the attention of at least one more generation of women."

A Sense of Honor.

There is little doubt that the thing which most needs to be taught this generation of Americans by ministers of the gospel, by both clerical and lay instructors of youth—by all who have public interest or private authority—is a sense of honor. It must be shown and insisted upon that every position in life where one person is employed by another to do a certain work imposes an obligation to fulfill the duties of the place with an honorable and disinterested regard for the interests of his employer. It must be shown that this view of employment applies to the cook, the errand boy, the cashier, the legislator, the Governor, the President. This is a trite and apparently simple and somewhat stupid view of the opportunities of a "smart" and ambitious American of our day, but unless this commonplace view of responsibility is laid hold of by increasing numbers in the future of our country we will not say that our society will go to pieces, but we will say that our calamities will increase, and that we will get into troubles and not soon out of them, compared with which the dangers and distresses of the past will seem almost insignificant.—*The Century.*

Our National Flowers.

While on this continent there are from sixty to seventy species, and perhaps more, of the solidagos, or golden rods, and nearly all of them of vigorous habit, growing from a foot to eight feet in height, all the world besides affords less than a dozen, and these, for the most part, of small size and confined to few localities of limited area, and always in such small numbers as to make them rare plants. The species of asters in this country are still more numerous than those of the golden rod. Both are the children of the sun, basking in its favors and reflecting his smiles. Although many indigenous species of flowers are peculiar to this country, yet none so abundant and apparently claim possession as these. And grouped together they might appropriately be taken as our national flowers, emblems of endurance, vigor, light and freedom. —*Vick's Magazine.*

Colored Seas.

It is a curious matter of interest to note that there are several large seas which are named from their color. The White Sea bears its name with perhaps the best reason of any. Its shores are covered with snow for the greater part of the year, and its frozen surface is for that time a snowy plain.

The Red Sea is also entitled to its name. Through its clear waters the reefs of red coral are clearly to be seen. Much of its rocky bed is the growth of the coral insect. Another reason, and probably the true one for the name of this sea, is the fact that along its eastern shore lies ancient Edom. This name signifies Red. It was given to the region not from the color of its sandstone hills, but from its people. These are the descendants of him who came in, faint and weary from hunting, and said to his brother, "Feed me, I pray thee, with that same red pottage, for I am faint; therefore was his name called Edom."

In the case of the Yellow Sea, its name is sufficiently accounted for from the appearance of its water. The sea receives a great deal of mud from the rivers of China. Moreover, it is shallow, and the sandy bottom gives its own color to the water a long way from the shore.

The Black Sea affords us no intelligible account of its name. Its waters are not black, they are described as of a deep blue like that which is seen in sunny weather off the southwestern shores of England.

The Secret of Health.

Don't worry. "Don't hurry. 'Too swift arrives as tardy as too slow.'"

"Simplify! simplify! simplify!"

Don't overeat. Don't starve.

"Let your moderation be known to all men."

Court the fresh air day and night. "Oh, if you knew what was in the air!"

Sleep and rest abundantly. Sleep is Nature's benediction.

Spend less nervous energy each day than you make.

Be cheerful. "A light heart lives long."

Think only healthful thoughts.

"As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he."

"Seek peace and pursue it."

"Work like a man, but don't be worked to death."

Avoid passion and excitement.

A moment's anger may be fatal.

Associate with healthy people.

Health is contagious as well as disease.

Don't carry the whole world on your shoulders, far less the universe. Trust the Eternal.

Never despair. "Lost hope is a fatal disease."

"If ye know these things, happy are ye if ye do them."

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THE TELAUTOGRAPH.

Professor Gray of Ohio, well known to electricians by his system of harmonic telegraphy, has brought a startling invention before the public, consisting of a combination of instruments which he calls the Teltautograph, by which every man becomes his own telegrapher, and the recipient of the message can have whatever is written by his correspondent instantaneously reproduced before his eyes, no matter how far away he may be from the writer.

This Teltautograph, the inventor thinks, is destined at no distant day to revolutionize the existing system of telegraphy, for by its use, the out-of-town correspondent can transmit the news to his paper in his own hand writing, in the very act of writing; and not only that, but a correspondent of the Associated Press can have his reports of debates, etc., reproduced simultaneously in the newspaper offices of several different cities, and as the communications are made directly from one interested party to the other, there is no possibility of the message becoming known to any other.

LAIN IN THE TOMB.

On Saturday last the remains of General Philip Henry Sheridan were consigned to the tomb at Arlington Cemetery, a few miles from Washington city. The religious ceremonies were observed at St. Matthew's Catholic Church, Washington. The sermon was by Cardinal Gibbons. The interment was a strictly military affair, save as to the offices of the church which were recited by Father Foley (Bishop Elect of Detroit). The President, the Judges of the Supreme Court and the Senate and House of Representatives were in attendance and the long march to Arlington was highly impressive.

A CONVENT DESTROYED BY FIRE.

The convent of the Sacred Heart, New York, was almost totally destroyed by fire on Monday night, involving a loss of about \$1,000,000. The nuns were interrupted at prayers by the alarm; The most of the children were away for the summer vacation, and only about forty-eight were in the institution. Most of the beautiful statuary and expensive paintings, worth thousands of dollars, were gotten out in time, and also a part of the bedding and the trunks belonging to the scholars. Almost everything else was consumed. Insurance about \$200,000.

It is almost impossible to represent the political aspect at this time. The Democrats are largely desecrating on free whiskey as the alleged bearing of the Republican position; The Republicans persist in charging the Democrats with being free-traders, and so the contest wages. Each party reads only its own papers and don't get at the contradictions of the other; and thus facts or falsehoods are seen through the colors of the glasses worn on either side.

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, is a stricken city; the presence of yellow fever has caused more than half of its citizens to leave, and those who remain are making a heroic struggle with the dread epidemic. Buildings have been burned together with much furniture; disinfectants in large quantities have been used. They have been firing cannon to test the concussion theory, the aim is to kill the germs of the disease in that way.

VON MOLTKE HAS RESIGNED.

Count von Moltke has retired from his position as field marshal of the German army, and is succeeded by Lient. Gen. Count von Waldersee. Emperor William has written a gracious and affectionate letter to Gen. Moltke, nominating him for president of the Country Defence devisions. The venerable count is almost 88 years of age.

The wife of Captain Bates died recently at their home near Wadsworth, Ohio. They were the largest married couple in the world. The captain is 8 feet tall and his wife was 7 feet 9 inches. Mrs. Bates gave birth to a child weighing twenty-eight pounds several years ago and had been in poor health ever since.

PIMPLES, boils and other humors are liable to appear when the blood gets heated. To cure them, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

LEARY'S SEA MONSTER.

It will be remembered that on November 15th, 1887, an immense raft of logs was launched and sailed from Port Joggins, Nova Scotia, and that it was subsequently broken up at sea and the logs were scattered over the Atlantic to the general consternation of the shipping interests. Nothing daunted, however, the projector, Mr. Leary, announced his determination to launch another raft, and so in connection with a Mr. Robertson, built the monster described below.

Accordingly on last Saturday the monster arrived in the port of New York City, in view of vast crowds that thronged the docks and with many vessels at hand to give it a royal welcome. The Star reporter thus describes it:

It is an enormous affair and looks in the water like some mammoth prehistoric whale or the upturned bottom of a giant ship. It is cigar-shaped; 592 feet long, 55 feet beam, tapering to 12 feet beam at the end, 38 feet in depth or hold and draws 22 to 23 feet of water. It contains 21,300 spruce and pine logs, ranging from 25 feet to 65 feet in length, with a diameter, at the butt, of from 11 to 26 inches. It weighs about 15,000 tons, contains about 3,000,000 feet of lumber, board measure, cost when launched \$50,000 and is worth from \$80,000 to \$85,000 delivered here.

The raft was launched at Port Joggins, Nova Scotia, at the head of the Bay of Fundy, at 12:32 p. m., July 24. It started on the long trip July 31, and was safely moored in the Erie Basin at 3 p. m. yesterday.

It is bound together with fifty-eight triple bands of seven-eighth-inch crucible steel wire; through the center there runs a double and three-quarter-inch cable, which is connected with the wire bands by cross cables. The raft was towed from the center cable. Forty-five miles of wire and 3,500 feet of cable were used. This went to Nova Scotia from American factories duty free, being for reshipment.

The contract for towing the raft was taken by the L. Luckenbach Towboat and Transportation Co. of New York and it is understood the fee was \$5,000. To bring this lumber in the ordinary way would have required forty-five schooners at a total cost of at least \$36,000, a saving in favor of the raft of \$31,000 or more.

The success of the undertaking will no doubt induce others of a like character. The saving in tariff charges and transportation, the employment of home labor in sawing up the timber, will bring vast stores into the country that would not otherwise come, and tend to the cheapening of lumber.

The raft made the voyage from Port Joggins, a distance of about 800 miles in ten days.

The American Party met in Washington City on Tuesday, and after some preliminary work adjourned over to Wednesday, on which day part of the delegates bolted, and those that remained nominated Gen. James Langdon Curtis of Connecticut as the candidate for President.

THE PLATFORM.

The majority report of the committee on platform and resolutions was taken up and discussed, and finally adopted. Among other things, it favors the total abolition of the naturalization laws; demands that no criminals, paupers or insane persons shall be allowed to immigrate, and that, in order to become an immigrant to the United States a man must satisfy the consul at the port from which he wishes to sail that he does not come under the prohibited classes and must pay a per capita tax to the consul before sailing. It declares in favor of prohibiting immigration of all persons not in sympathy with the Government of the United States; against alien ownership of land; in favor of free technical schools for American children, and in favor of the expenditure of the surplus for the building of fortifications and naval vessels. A recess was then taken until 10 o'clock.

MR. BLAIN arrived in New York on the 11th inst. The procession that was intended to honor him came off the evening before his arrival, there having been a slight derangement of the steamer's machinery that delayed the arrival, however his reception came off the next day, and was honorable to the distinguished statesman.

The President assigned Major-General John M. Schofield to the command of the Army of the United States on Tuesday.

The reservoir belonging to the Menas brewery at Valparaiso burst on last Saturday morning. The principal streets of the city were flooded and traffic was suspended. It was reported that upward of 200 persons were drowned.

HUGH M. BROOKS, alias Walter H. Lenox Maxwell, the Englishman who murdered Charles Arthur Preller, an English salesman in St. Louis, April 1885, was hanged in St. Louis on Friday last.

HIS CRIME.

On April 14, 1885, a body packed in a trunk, was found in the Southern Hotel, St. Louis. Investigation showed that the two young Englishmen, had been at the hotel. It turned out that neither had been seen about the hotel for eight days. Maxwell told a servant that he was going away and that his friend Preller had gone to the country to see friends, and would return. Maxwell paid the bill of both men and left, further investigation showed that on Easter Sunday, April 5, Maxwell had bought chloroform twice, and the next day he purchased the trunk in which the body was found. Maxwell was captured in New Zealand by two St. Louis officers and taken back to St. Louis. His remains will be taken to England.

Martyrs to Headache

Seek relief in vain, until they begin to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Then they regret the years of suffering they might have escaped had they tried this remedy earlier. The trouble was constitutional not local; and, until Ayer's Sarsaparilla did its effective work as an Alterative and Blood Purifier, they were compelled to suffer.

The wife of Samuel Page, 21 Austin st., Lowell, Mass., was, for a long time, subject to severe headaches, the result of stomach and liver disorders. A perfect cure has been effected by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Frank Roberts, 727 Washington st., Boston, says that he formerly had terrible headaches, and until he took Ayer's Sarsaparilla, never found any medicine that would give

Permanent Relief.

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The Tax Books for 1888 are now ready and the Collector would call the attention of the Tax-Payers of 1888, to Section 45, Article 11, Revised Code of Maryland.

All persons who shall pay their State Taxes on or before the first day of September of the year for which they were levied, shall be entitled to a deduction of five per centum on the amount of said taxes. All that shall pay the same on or before the first day of October of the said year, shall be entitled to a deduction of four per centum; and all that shall pay the same on or before the first day of November of said year, shall be entitled to a deduction of three per centum.

CHARLES F. ROWE,
Collector.

July 14-41.

Jos. K. Hays

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MECHANICSTOWN, Md., July 13, '88.
MESSRS. W. H. BIGGS & BRO.,

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
GENTLEMEN.—I have been selling your flour ("Victor" and "Rocky Ridge") for several years, and have found them of excellent quality and always uniform, one time with another, and since I have been handling flour, have never had any to give more general satisfaction to my trade.

Very Respectfully,

M. CLAY CRAMER.

SARILLASVILLE, Md., July 9, 1888.
MESSRS. W. H. BIGGS & BRO.,

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
GENTLEMEN.—We have been selling largely of your "Victor" flour since the fall of 1886, and since that time our trade has increased. The flour has always been uniform and has given the best possible satisfaction. We do not hesitate to recommend it for general family use.

Very Respectfully,
CRAWFORD & BRO.

MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, Mar. 31, '88.
WM. H. BIGGS & BRO.,

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
GENTLEMEN.—It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the last flour you sent me is excellent. It would be hard to beat it. I would like to have that kind all the time and I would never complain. I expect it will take about forty more barrels to see us through to July 1st. Please to try and grind for us a little ahead of order, as I like the flour to have a little age.

Yours truly,
ROBT. BYERNE, Baker.

P. S.—It may take near fifty barrels to see us through.

CHEAGERSTOWN, Md., July 13, '88.
MESSRS. Wm. H. BIGGS & Bro.

GENTS.—I have been selling flour for six years, but since I have taken hold of yours I sell twice the amount I ever did, and have no complaint. In fact "Victor" flour has been so uniform, and of such a high grade that I have no trouble to sell it, and have but little competition in my place, in the flour trade, as the people want no other.

Respectfully,
J. B. P. MATHIAS.

DEERFIELD, Md., July 5, 1888.
MESSRS. BIGGS & BRO.

Your Rocky Ridge Flour is all you claim it to be. Our customers want no other.
J. B. BROWN & SON.

WOODSBORO, MD., May 23, 1888.
WM. H. BIGGS & BRO.

GENTLEMEN.—As we are about out of flour you will please send us a load down as soon as you can, as we don't care about being out of it any length of time, for we are getting a good trade on it. Your flour is giving general satisfaction and is selling in a hurry.

Yours truly,
G. W. SHANK & SON.

EMMITSBURG, Md., July 10, 1888.
MESSRS. Wm. H. BIGGS & BRO.,

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
GENTLEMEN.—I have for over a year, been selling all your flours ("Isabella," "Victor" and "Rocky Ridge") starting with scarcely any trade—I feel it due you to say that part of my success in building up and holding the large flour trade I now have, has been due to the high grade, unvarying purity, and fine condition of your flours. Very Respectfully,

JOSEPH K. HAYS.

MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE, April 24, '88.
WM. H. BIGGS & BRO.

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
GENTLEMEN.—I have used three barrels of your last lot of flour and it has given me general satisfaction. If you continue to make an article same as you have sent here, cannot fail but be appreciated by whoever uses it. Yours truly,

ROBT. BYERNE, Baker.

FAIRFIELD, Pa., July 7, 1888.
WM. H. BIGGS & BRO.

ROCKY RIDGE, MD.
DEAR SIRS.—We have been using the "Victor" flour in our family for some time, it gives perfect satisfaction and proves itself to be what you represented it.

Respectfully,
W. C. ROGERS.

Mr. Rogers is a dealer and sells our Victor flour largely. W. H. B. & BRO.

DOUBLE PIPE CREEK, Md., July 5, 1888.
MESSRS. Wm. H. BIGGS & BRO.

GENTS.—We have for over one year been selling largely of your flour and take pleasure in saying it has given us universal satisfaction in every respect, and a great many of our customers say it is the best flour they have ever used.

Yours respectfully,
L. F. MILLER & SONS.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 1888.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after June 3, 1888, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH.

Leave Emmitsburg at 8.30 a. m. and 3.25 and 5.45 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 9.00 a. m. and 3.55 and 6.15 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH.

Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.43 a. m. and 4.02 and 6.36 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.13 a. m. and 4.32 and 7.06 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. Articles for insertion must be in this office not later than Thursday morning of each week.

SALES.

On Aug. 25, Sheriff Benner will sell a mountain lot in front of Eyster's Hotel, in this place. See adv. and bills.

On September 1, P. A. H. & H. F. Maxell, Executors, will sell the valuable farm and mill property of the late Samuel Maxell, on the premises. See Bills.

On Sept. 13, N. C. Stansbury, Executor will sell the farm of the late Nicholas Stansbury, situated about 2 miles S. E. of Motter's Station. See bills.

LOCAL ITEMS.

CALL at Geo. Gilling's for vinegar and cider barrels.

The public schools will open on Monday two weeks, September 3.

Why don't the Town authorities give the Lock-up a coat of paint? It need not be black.

A Pic-Nic will be held in Krise's Grove near Krise's school house on Saturday, Aug. 25.

Mr. N. BAKER of this place killed a black snake four feet long on his mountain lot this week.

MESSRS. I. S. ANNAN & Bro. have sold the Harry Hardman property in this place to Mr. George Winter.

REV. JOHN M. TITZEL, D. D., a former pastor, will preach in the Reformed Church to-morrow (Sunday).

TUESDAY last was a perfect day, it was warm, and yet the breezes tempered the air so that its pleasant influences were felt by all.

Excursion trains will leave this place at 8.15, a. m., on the 19th and 26th inst., to attend the Camp meetings at Pipe Creek and Asbury.

If you would have a desirable head of hair, use Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer, the most wonderful discovery of modern times for the hair and scalp.

The Choral Union will meet at the Public School House on Tuesday evening, the 21st inst. As important business will be discussed there should be a full attendance.

WANTED.—An active man to sell a desirable line of goods in this section. Salary or commission paid. Address, W. F. C. No. 85 E. Second St., Frederick, Md. July 28-St.

When an insect gets into the ear, a few drops of pure olive oil (sweet oil) will soon kill it; and the next thing to do, is to remove the dead body from the ear, with tepid water and a syringe.

PASSENGERS for the Lutheran Reunion at Pen-Mar on August 22nd, will leave Emmitsburg on the regular train at 8.30 a. m., and arrive at Pen-Mar at 9.55. Returning will leave Pen-Mar at 6.30, p. m.

Mrs. S. G. COCKEY, wife of ex-Judge Cockey, near Frederick, was stricken with paralysis Tuesday afternoon while on the way to that city in a buggy with her son. Judge Cockey is also seriously ill.—American.

YORK, old, and middle aged, all experience the wonderfully beneficial effects of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Young children, suffering from sore eyes, sore ears, scald head, or with any scrofulous taint, become healthy and strong by the use of this medicine. Six bottles, \$5.

The body of Mr. James L. Neely of Gettysburg whose sad drowning at Baltimore we noticed last week, was found by an old River-man about half a mile from where the accident occurred. His drowning was supposed to have resulted from heart-failure. The internment took place at Gettysburg on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Demarest officiating. Mr. Neely was but a little over twenty years of age, and was a member of the senior class of Pennsylvania college.

THE Union, Messrs. Wareheim & Page Publishers, Frederick, entered upon its thirty-fourth volume on Wednesday. It is a good Democratic paper and should commend itself especially to the members of its party. We wish the esteemed Publishers every increasing success.

Ayer's Ague Cure is an antidote for malaria and all malarial diseases, whether generated by swamp or sewer. Neither quinine, arsenic, nor any other injurious drug enters into the composition of this remedy. Warranted to cure fever and ague.

Found Guilty.

Geo. Gilling for selling choice Liquors of all kinds.

The wife of the editor of the Banner of Liberty was badly, though not seriously, bruised in her effort to get out of the way of Mr. Worman's runaway team on Thursday last in Frederick. Her escape from serious injury was a very narrow one.

Victor Horse and Cattle Powders.

Pays every Farmer 500 per cent for feeding them. Stock fatten much faster, increases the flow of milk. It cures Hog Cholera, Chicken Cholera and Gapes. Fowls will lay one-third more eggs if fed regularly. feb 18-6m.

REV. DR. E. F. McSWEENEY, who has been for the past two years one of the faculty of the seminary of Bishop Ireland's diocese, St. Paul, Minn., will take a professor's chair at Mt. St. Mary's College this fall. He has given a valuable collection of books to the college library.—News.

List of Letters.

The following letters remain in the Post Office, Emmitsburg, Md., Aug. 13, 1888. Persons calling will please say advertised, otherwise they may not receive them:

Miss Susie C. Haver, Miss Annie M. Cook.

Seriously Ill.

Our esteemed townsman Rev. Henry Wissler has been extremely ill during the past week and at one time death was considered imminent. He has been suffering from paralysis agitans for several years and the disease has developed rapidly during the past several months.—Clarion.

Buckley's Arnica Salve.

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SOME vandals cut a lot of vines at the fountain on the square one night this week. Every effort will of course be made to find out and bring the perpetrator of this outrage to justice; but in our opinion a coat of tar and feathers, or a good cowhiding would suit the case far better than a fine or imprisonment. The malevolence that could mar the beauty of that scene should be made an example.

Dyspepsia.

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. We know of no remedy for dyspepsia more successful than Hood's Sarsaparilla. It acts gently, yet surely and efficiently, tones the stomach and other organs, removes the faint feeling, creates a good appetite, cures headache, and refreshes the burdened mind. Give Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial. It will do you good.

That Railroad Deal.

The House of Representatives yesterday took up and passed the bill providing for the incorporation of the Washington and Western Maryland Railroad Company. This is the new road which proposes to start from the west side of the free bridge, Georgetown, and run along the river road to Williamsport, Md. It will also in the near future have some reference to the rumored deal affecting the purchase of the Frederick Division of the P. R. R. by the Western Maryland.—Union.

Our Candidate for President.

He will be nominated by the convention and will be elected by the people, because he will come the nearest to filling their ideal of a Chief Magistrate. Electric Bitters has been given the highest place, because no other medicine has so well filled the ideal of a perfect tonic and alterative. The people have endorsed Electric Bitters and rely upon this great remedy in all troubles of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. For all Malarial Fevers and diseases caused by Malarial Poisons, Electric Bitters cannot be too highly recommended. Also cures Headache and Constipation. Satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50c, and \$1 at all Drug Stores.

The Clarion Clarion says:—

The Board of County Commissioners do not consider the North end of sufficient importance to give them the benefit of such information as their local newspapers bring to them; however, Gentlemen, the Clarion and the Clarion are the recognized sources of local information in the North end, and it would not only be becoming, but would be just that you, too, recognize it. At least be just even though the "political" brethren do expect it all. The above is well put. What the Chronicle expects and demands, is that its locality shall be as fully informed in regard to the public business of the county as any other Districts. We ask not personal favors, but justice to our people, whose intelligence and interest in affairs is, to say the least, equal to the most favored quarters.

What Florida People Live On.

"What do you Florida people live on in the summer?" "Fish." "What in the winter?" "Yankees." Alas! how many northerners draw their last breath in Florida, slain by that fell destroyer, consumption, who would have lived, had they used at first that marvelous specific for consumption, when not too far advanced, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—better than hypophosphites and cod liver oil, because more nutritive and tonic; also an invaluable liver corrector and blood-purifier, cleansing away all scrofulous humors (which cause consumption), and all other impurities of the blood, curing glandular swellings, goitre or thick neck, old sores, and ulcers. Of druggists. Don't hawk, and blow, and spit, but use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

A Big Rattler.

On Tuesday Mr. Zacharias Breighner killed a rattlesnake in the mountain, that measured four feet in length, and nine inches in circumference. The snake being unusually large he cut it open, and found a half grown rabbit inside of it. The snake only had four rattles and a button.

A BREAK in the Reservoir about three miles from Frederick, caused the flooding of some adjacent fields. With about half the water capacity of the reservoir being retained, it is hoped the supply may be sufficient. Is it not about time that reservoir should be finished? It is not profitable to hold a house that needs repairs evermore.

Hit 'em Again.

The cuffs advertised in our last issue, as they were brought to this office on Tuesday morning in perfect order, and their owner was delighted to have found them. It again shows what we have so often said, that it pays to make known your wants, your losses, what you wish to sell, &c., &c., in these columns.

Big Damage Suit.

The case of the Piedmont and Cumberland Railroad Company against the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad Company for trespass has been placed upon the docket of the Circuit Court of Frederick County for trial in September. Damages are claimed to the amount of \$400,000. A number of well-known lawyers will appear as counsel.—Sun.

A Runaway.

On Saturday last Mr. Wm. Valentine being on his way to the Festival at Moritz's School House, an approaching traction engine frightened his horse so that he turned short around in the road and upset the wagon, and tossed out his supply of ice cream, and then made off towards Rhoads' mill where he was caught. The wagon was demolished, the harness badly broken up, but the horse was not injured, and the ice cream was in good repair as needed.

Reducing the Surplus.

The disposal of the Surplus in the U. S. Treasury engages the attention of our Statesmen, but a more vital question has our attention, and that is the reduction of the Surplus Consumptives. Since the discovery and introduction of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, there has been a marked decrease in the mortality from this dreaded disease, and it is possible to still further reduce the number of Consumptives. How? By keeping constantly at hand a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and using according to directions, upon the appearance of the first symptoms, such as a Cough, a Cold, a Sore Throat, a Chest or Side Pain. Taken thus early a cure is guaranteed. Trial bottles free at all Drug Stores.

A COMPARATIVELY light expenditure of money might have saved Jacksonville, Florida, from its present stagnation of business, broken up family affairs, and the dire consequences of the epidemic of yellow fever now at work. Prevention is better than cure says the old saying. We at home here are blessed with health in the most perfect forms. Shall we be able to resist febrile attacks as the Fall comes on? We can assurely, but to do so every citizen must see to his premises, that decaying materials of every sort, are not allowed thereon, and that cleanliness and order shall prevail on all sides. That which is done willingly and from considerations regarding the common good is always effective, far more so than duties enforced by law. Those who don't care for others must be compelled, hence with all the good will, law is necessary. The authorities are bound by their oaths to see to its enforcement.

Squirrels.

Chapter 198, laws of 1884, reads: An act to protect the gray and fox squirrels in Frederick county, Maryland. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to shoot or trap gray or fox squirrels from the 20th day of December to the 15th day of June of each and every year; and if any person or persons shall be found guilty of violation of said act, by shooting or trapping either gray or fox squirrels, between the 20th day of December and the 15th day of June, shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than five dollars for each and every squirrel killed, for the first offense, or upon failure or refusal of the party to pay said fine, then to be committed to the county jail for a period not exceeding ten days; and for each and every such offense, after the first, such party shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten dollars for each squirrel killed, or upon failure or refusal to pay said fine to be committed to the county jail for a period of not less than twenty days; the right of appeal, however, shall not be denied any person or persons adjudged guilty.

PROF. LOISETTE WINS IN COURT.

Literary Piracy Condemned. "Chief Justice Van Brunt, holding the Special Term of the Supreme Court on the application of Nelson Smith and Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, made the injunction in favor of Prof. Loiset, restraining George S. Fellows from publishing his Memory System perpetual. Dr. William A. Hammond, Daniel Greenleaf Thompson, author of a work on psychology, and several other professors testified that Prof. Loiset's system was original, being a new departure in the education of the memory. The Court ordered Fellows to deliver up to Prof. Loiset the stereotype plates and all the books in his control. Over nine thousand copies of the pirated edition were delivered up yesterday."—N. Y. Sun.

We are informed that full details will be furnished in the prospectus sent post free by Prof. A. Loiset, 237 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Lutheran Reunion.

An interesting programme has been arranged for the Lutheran Reunion at Pen-Mar, which occurs on next Wednesday, (August 22nd.) Dr. H. W. McNight, of Pennsylvania College, will deliver an address on the subject of Education; Rev. H. M. Fress, of York, Pa., on Missions; Rev. J. C. Zimmerman, on Church Extension; Rev. S. Stall, of Baltimore, will illustrate the work and progress of the church with large maps and charts. Other short addresses will be made. Cornet bands, pipe organ, and church choirs have been engaged to furnish music. Ample track has been laid to accommodate all trains and dispatch them on time. Passengers will have access to their trains during the day. Excursion trains will stop at all stations on the Western Maryland Railroad.—Star and Sentinel.

In Memory of Miss Mary Keene.

On Monday evening last, about half past seven o'clock, a goodly number of friends gathered in the Cemetery of the M. E. Church of this place to testify by their presence, to the sincere Christian life and character of Miss Mary M. Keene, and to tenderly deposit in its last resting place, her lifeless body. It was an impressive scene. The gathering shades and the growing darkness and the open grave told in tones that could not be mistaken, that "it is toward evening." But the moon in the heavens, dissipating to some extent the gathering gloom, seemed to speak of the Christ in the grave, to scatter its darkness and to be with his people when the lustre has faded, whether it be in the morning, at noon or in the evening.

Miss Mary was born in Germany, Feb. 12, 1800. When quite young, her parents left that country and with their children came to America. Her father died on the passage and her mother settled in York county, Pa., where in a few years she married a Mr. Bushman. Mary, though a delicate child and almost blind from her birth, at the age of twelve, walked from the home of her step-father, to the neighborhood of Taneytown, where she found a home in a family by the name of Buffington. About sixty-two years ago she came to Emmitsburg, and some ten years afterwards she went to housekeeping on her own account, but her want of sight made her more or less dependent on her friends for her support, during all these years. For some years she rented rooms of Mrs. Elizabeth Mentzer, then of Mrs. Margaret Smith and in 1851 moved into a small building in the rear of the house now owned by Mr. James A. Rowe. Here she lived for thirty-three years, or until her increasing infirmities made it necessary for her to have more personal care than it was possible for Mr. Rowe's family to devote to her. Her friends then secured a room for her in Montevue Hospital where she was comfortably cared for during the last four years of her life. Before leaving here she requested to be brought back on her decease and buried in the Cemetery of the M. E. Church, at a place she had selected. She also made arrangement for a tombstone, leaving with Mrs. Rowe, her few household goods, to be sold to pay for the same.

The universal testimony with regard to her, is that she was a good Christian woman. May she rest in peace.

MT. ST. MARY'S NEWS.

From our Special Correspondent. MT. ST. MARY'S, Aug. 15.—Miss Mamie Martin of Westminster is visiting her father Mr. David Martin of this place. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Myers of Baltimore are visiting at Miss M. L. Warren's. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Forbes and family have returned to Baltimore. Mr. Andrew Kreitz has returned home from Baltimore. Miss Kate Baker and Master Lewis Goulden of Liberty Township, Pa., made a visit to Dr. J. G. Troxell's. Mr. W. Gelwicks of Baltimore is visiting Mr. W. E. Rosensteel. Miss I. Del-Torre made a trip to Baltimore. Messrs. Anthony and Frank Wivell, Edward Baker and Charles Baker of Emmitsburg made a trip to Dr. J. G. Troxell's. Rev. Pius P. Hemler has returned home from Harrisburg, Pa. Misses Mary Waltrup, Stella and Maggie Troxell made a visit to Mr. W. Wivell's near Emmitsburg. Dr. J. G. Troxell and Master William Waltrup made a visit to James Baker, in Liberty Township, Pa. Mr. Wm. Wivell and Miss Maggie Troxell are at Piney Creek. The game of base ball to-day, between the Emmitsburg team and the Mountain nine resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 12 to 11. The features of the game were the second base playing of James McBride, and the batting of J. Seton. Batteries—Emmitsburg, B. Adlesberger and C. Bowers; Mountain, Althoff and Warthen.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown,—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

Mrs. JOHN REIFSMIDER sent to this office two bunches of tomatoes, the one having nine and the other eleven large and perfectly developed tomatoes on it, all evenly ripened.

As Ed. Riffe and a colored man with Harry McFar's team, were coming to town on Sunday evening, the horse kicked and broke up the buggy generally, together with the harness, and being free came on to town and was stopped here.

Mrs. A. C. Carlin for many years past proprietress of the Carlin House, the large hotel on West Church street, Frederick has sold the property to Mr. Louis McMurray for \$22,500. Mr. McMurray has made Charles D. Doll manager of the hotel.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Harriet Horner of Baltimore is visiting at Mr. John A. Horner's. Miss Helen Zacharias is visiting in Mechanicstown.

Fred'k. White, Esq., and wife of Mechanicstown are in town on Sunday. Miss Carrie VanCleaf of Gettysburg is visiting at Mr. I. S. Annan's.

Miss Carrie Johnston made a visit to Taneytown.

A. P. MacLeod, Esq., of Coalport, Pa., is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. K. Wrigley. Master Willie and Miss Annie Uzell, of Baltimore, are visiting their grandfather, Mr. Bennett Tyson.

Miss Mary Motter of Williamsport, and Miss Sallie Motter of Hagerstown, are the guests of their uncle Mr. L. M. Motter.

Miss Kate Slaghenhaupt of Smithsburg is visiting Miss Edith Motter.

Miss Mollie Horner of Gettysburg is visiting Misses Grace and Mary Horner.

Miss Katie Mueller has returned to her home in Baltimore, Miss Annie Hoke accompanied her.

Miss Helen J. Rowe Principal of the Samuel Reddy Orphan Asylum, Baltimore, is on a visit to her home in this place.

Mrs. G. W. Claiborne of Baltimore is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Annan.

Miss Weisner of Baltimore and Miss Newcomer of Graceham made a visit at Mr. J. L. Hoke's.

Mrs. F. A. Maxell and two children are visiting in Greenacres.

Robert Biggs, Esq., of Baltimore made a visit at Mr. E. F. Krise's.

Mr. James M. Kerrigan and wife made a trip to Baltimore.

Mr. Kearney has gone to Baltimore. Messrs. D. D. Courtney of Reading, Pa., and Daniel Bride of Baltimore, B. & O. Railroad Ticket Agents, were in town this week.

Jacob Settemeyer is very ill again. Rev. John M. Titzel, D. D., and family of Lancaster, Pa., are visiting among their friends in this place and vicinity.

Miss Mamie Schlegel of Hanover is visiting Miss Carrie Motter.

Mrs. Cary and daughter Ella of Philadelphia, are visiting at John Reifsmider's.

Helping the Right Side.

To help the right side is not commendable in a general point of view, but is judicious and prudent when that help is enlisted in behalf of the right side of the body, just over the lower ribs in the region of the liver. The most efficient help is afforded by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, an acid and bilious medicine of incomparable efficacy. Inaction of the liver is accompanied by constipation, sick headache, furred tongue, nausea, occasional vertigo, an unpleasant breath, yellowness of the skin and ball of the eye. The author of these symptoms, liver complaint, routed by the Bitters is accompanied by them in its slight, fever and ague, which always involves the liver, dyspepsia, rheumatism, debility and kidney troubles are all maladies to the early relief and final cure of which this standard medicine is adapted. Don't use it by fits and starts, but systematically, that its full effects may result in a perfect restoration of health.

DIED.

KEENE.—On Sunday, August 12, 1888, at Montevue Hospital, Frederick, Miss Mary Keene, a former resident of this place, aged 88 years and 6 mos. The interment took place in the M. E. Cemetery, at which Rev. E. S. Johnston officiated.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a Writ of the State of Maryland, of F. F. A., issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick county, the same being Judicial No. 21 in May Term, 1888, being at the suit of James A. Elder, Executor of Mary Patterson, deceased, and to me directed, I will sell at Public Sale, in front of Eyster's Hotel, in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Md.,

On Saturday, August 25th, 1888, at 2 o'clock, p. m. All the right, title, claim, interest, at law and in Equity of William Eisenhart and Frederick Stambaugh, in the following described property, viz:

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containing 2 Acres, 3 Rods & 21 Perches of land, more or less, situated about 2 miles west of Emmitsburg, adjoining the lands of Charles F. Rowe, Charles McCarron and others.

The above described property was taken in execution to satisfy the claim of James A. Elder, Executor of Mary Patterson, deceased, and for officers fees. Terms of Sale Cash.

ALONZO BEXNER, Sheriff of Frederick County, Md. aug. 4-ts.

Order Nisi on Audit.

No. 5383 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Equity.

JULY TERM, 1888.

In the matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 13th day of August, 1888.

Silas M. Horner, Theodore McAllister and J. Harvey Coburn, Executors of John Withrow, deceased, vs. Oliver A. Horner, Winfield G. Horner, et al. Ordered, that on the 4th day of September, 1888, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid, in the above cause, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for two successive weeks prior to said day. Dated this 13th day of August, 1888.

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Earthquake Lore.

A Mehnontine divine lately discoursing upon the earthquake says: "The devil is sending out more missionaries than the churches. Over five million dollars are collected for missions, while nine hundred millions of dollars are spent for whisky and six millions for tobacco. At the same time only five hundred and fifty millions are paid for bread and three hundred and three millions for meat. Marriage is a divine ordinance, and yet the numerous divorces show that it is not regarded as such. They marry and are divorced and marry again. It is no more for some people to marry than to take dinner. The numerous earthquakes show that we are living in the last days. There were only 58 earthquakes before Christ appeared and only 4 of these proved disastrous. During the 900 years after Christ there were 182 earthquakes, 15 of which were disastrous when cities were destroyed. During the next 600 years there were 532 earthquakes 44 of which were disastrous. During the last 50 years there have been 3,204 earthquakes. We have 400 burning mountains and 2,000 volcanoes and the world seems just as rotten as the people."

"Throw away your cigarettes and eat a good bowl of mush and milk for your breakfast," said a learned doctor a few days ago, "and you will not need any medicine. Indian corn is essentially an American institution. As the staple food of our daddies it can really be said to have helped to lay the foundation of this great republic. With its product, the hog, it was in the not very remote past almost the sole food supply of the rural districts, and the dishes that can be prepared from its various forms are of much greater variety than can be prepared from wheat. Like Sambo's rabbit, it is good to roast, to bake or to boil, and can be fermented and turned into whisky, but its stimulating qualities are best procured by making it into mush. It contains a large amount of nitrogen, has qualities anti-constipating and is easily assimilated. Though originally the poor man's food, it has come to be the rich man's luxury. It is cheap and has great nutritive properties. A course of Indian meal in the shape of Johnny-cake, hoe-cake, corn or pone-bread, and mush, relieved by copious drafts of pure cows' milk, to which, if inclined to dyspepsia, a little lime water may be added, will make a life now a burden well worth the living, and you need no other treatment to correct your nervousness, brighten your vision and give you sweet and peaceful sleep."

Insect Remedies.

The report on entomology made by W. B. Alwood to the Columbus Horticultural Society, last winter, states that many remedies were employed on the two described cabbage worms, consisting of alum water of different degrees of strength, tansy water, tomato water, benzine, coal oil emulsions of different strengths, Hammond's slug shot, Cayenne pepper, half a dozen remedies from England, several preparations of tobacco soap and pyrethrum. None proved of any value except the tobacco soaps and pyrethrum. The tobacco soaps prepared with potash were quite efficient, the value of which was ascribed to the potash. Pyrethrum is recommended as the best remedy, being perfectly safe, easy of application, and more deadly on the worms than any remedy used. Powder of good quality, mixed with three times its bulk of flour, was found perfectly effective, applied with a dusting bellows. One pound, costing fifty cents, was enough to cover an acre if properly handled.—*Scientific American.*

A Few of Josh Billings' Epigrams.

There is no treachery in silence; silence is a hard argument to beat. Don't mistake habits for character; the men of the most character have the fewest habits. The man who is thoroughly polite is two-thirds a Christian anyhow. Flattery is like cologne water—to be smelt of, not swallowed. I have noticed that the man who is always telling what he will do when he gets there, never gets there. When a man has a great deal to say he can say it in a few words.

Miscellaneous.

Wealthy People and Their Doctors.

The public often marvels at the prices paid by rich persons for art objects. Greater surprise might be caused by the sums given to physicians for the preservation of health. It has been said that Miss Wolfe, the hopeless invalid, owner of \$10,000,000, pays Dr. William Todd Heimuth \$5000 a year to doctor her. She confirms those figures. Mrs. Alexander T. Stewart retained three doctors at an aggregate cost of at least \$40,000, and called in one of them nearly every day. She had what seemed like a system, by which she abided by the decision of two out of three in matters of diet and medicine. Mrs. William Astor pays to Dr. Fordyce Barker personally an average of \$20,000, always sending a check for double or treble the amount of each bill rendered. Her idea is that by rewarding his skill and vigilance liberally she will get the very best service of which he is capable. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt's physician is Dr. W. S. Belden, and although her health is excellent he is consulted often, prevention being preferable to cure, doubtless, and the belief is that the prevention costs not less than \$10,000 annually.

Concerning the Cleaning of Watches.

"People spend a great deal of money needlessly for having their watches cleaned," said a Maiden lane jeweler the other day. "A gentleman living in New Jersey called here one day last week and said his watch had stopped unexpectedly and then gone on again the same as usual. He wanted it cleaned, as he feared that if it stopped again he might lose a train. Most jewelers would have taken the watch, cleaned it and charged him \$3 or \$4 for the work. The proper thing to do if a watch acts in that way is to take note of the hour, minute and second when it stopped. Then a jeweler can see just where the dirt that has stopped the works lies, and can remove it by fastening down the main-spring and taking off the balance wheel. Otherwise he would have to clean all the works, not knowing which particular part needed cleaning. I told my customer this and he had only a trifle to pay for having his watch put in order. If the watch had really needed cleaning all over it is not likely that it would have gone on again after stopping."—*N. Y. Sun.*

On a Japanese Volcano.

A current number of the *Japan Weekly Mail* contains a short account of a night ascent of the active volcano Asamamsama. The party left Kanisawa in the afternoon, and commenced the ascent from the eastern side about sunset. The sky was perfectly clear, and the summit was reached about an hour before midnight. The wind, blowing from the south, carried the sulphurous vapor away to the northward, and thus the ascent was made less uncomfortable. The party saw quite to the bottom of the crater, which presented the appearance of a furnace filled with glowing coals. The sound of the roaring, hissing and bubbling is described as loud and awful. The walls of the crater are of a light brown color, and are composed of successive layers marked out with striking regularity. Like the seats in an amphitheater, allowing ten of the layers to each interval of twenty feet, the depth from the surface to the incandescent matter would appear to be two hundred feet. The periphery of the crater is about half a mile, although the Japanese calculate it at two miles and a half.

"Flies are things we could dispense with without much grief in summer," struck in the commercial traveler, smiling diffidently in his usual fashion, "but they have their uses. While I was on the road last week I met an old schoolmate whom I had not encountered for some time. He carried under his arm cylindrical shaped fly traps well filled with flies. I asked him what they were for. He replied: 'I'm harvesting for the winter. I dry these flies, and when the cold weather is here feed them to my mocking birds. They make a very nice relish for them. During the summer I gather about a bushel of flies in these traps, and these last all winter. Before giving to the birds I soak the flies a little and that freshens them up. That is a good receipt.'—*Ex.*

FROSTING.—White of one egg, not beaten, and the juice of a lemon, thickened to the right consistency with confectioner's sugar.

Humorous.

THE PLATFORM.

Free whiskey and tobacco
For those that drink and chew;
Taxed fuel, food and clothing
For those who wash and sew.
A HEALTH journal says that you ought to take three-quarters of an hour for dinner. It is well also to add a few vegetables and a piece of meat.

Why is it that, whenever you are looking for anything, you always find it in the last place you look? The reason is because you always stop looking when you find it.

"Bridget," said the mistress to the new hired girl, "you can go now and put the mackerel in soak."
"Sure, ma'am, all ye refused to that?" asked Bridget sympathetically.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A LITTLE girl, nine years old, having attended a soiree, being asked by her mother on returning how she enjoyed herself, answered: "I am full of happiness. I couldn't be any happier unless I could grow."

Choosing the lesser evil.—Female boy (to editor)—There's a female book agent outside, sir, and a red-eyed man that wants to whip de editor. Editor—Well, show the man what wants whip the editor in.

It is said that by holding the breath one can make his skin insensible to the sting of an insect. This remedy never had a trial. When a man is interviewed on a tender point by a wasp, he is bound to shout.—*N. O. Picayune.*

"SOLOMON ISAACSTEIN," cried his wife in alarm, "dot little Jacob has a-volled a ten-cent piece."
"Vat!" exclaimed Mr. Isaacstein, "a ten cent piece?" Der next time you gif dot poy moneys to blay mit, Rebecca you gif him a von-cent piece."

The rooster would be a much more popular bird if he could only be induced to feel that there is no real, vital necessity for his reporting his whereabouts between midnight and three A. M. We know that he is at home, in the bosom of his family. So are we, but we don't get up in the night to brag about it.

"Did you ever dance to the air of that piece in the Mikado called 'Willow-Tit-Willow-Tit-Willow'?" asked Dandyman of his country cousin.

"No," but dad often made me sing and dance to the willow-tit-willow he keeps in their woodshed. Er reckon it's erbout ther same kinder tune, ain't it?"

FREDDIE AENDRICE, eight years old, concluded to go into the poultry business, and by taking the contents of his little savings bank and some assistance from his father's pocket-book was enabled to purchase four young hens (pullets) and a rooster. Every morning he went hunting for eggs, and was successful in finding just four each day. One morning he came into the house with a look of disappointment on his face and said: "I don't believe that rooster is a pullet rooster, for he hasn't laid a single egg yet."

MISTRESS—Well, Bridget, did you see the dentist?
Biddy O'Galway—Yis, ma'am.
MISTRESS—did he pull your tooth?
Biddy O'Galway—Sure, ma'am, he didn't lay a han' to it to pull at all. He scooped it out wid a wee hoe, and thin he druv it in to stay feriver—wid a plug on the top o' it to kape it tight. I'll never be caught doin' the likes ag'in, ma'am. What wid him upstittin' the safe he put me in, an' tyin' a dirty bit av an old gum shoe in me mouth fer a bib, an' makin' a noise the size o' a coffee mill in my head, I'd laver walk the flure and serame.—*Ex.*

JOHNNY, who is 4 years old, was playing in the yard one day, and a lady who lives close by wished to have the eggs, if any were laid since her last visit to the henry, brought in. She said to the little boy: "Johnny, will you go to the henry and see if there are any eggs there? Don't bring in the china eggs; leave them there, but if there are any others bring them in."

Johnny started to do the bidding, and soon returned with two or three broken eggs and his pinafore soiled. The lady, seeing him coming, exclaimed:

"Johnny, how did you break the eggs?"
Johnny looked at her in surprise and said: "How should I tell whether they were china eggs or not if I didn't try them?"—*Boston Globe.*

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