

THE GRANT MONUMENT.

The executive committee of the Grant Monument Association have decided that the plan for the monument submitted by Architect John H. Duncan, was the best of the five plans they had to consider, and they formally recommended its acceptance by the association, subject to whatever change or modification the committee and the architect might agree on.

The general shape provided for is a pile of granite or marble, 100 feet square and rising 100 feet, whether as a cube or as a truncated pyramid could not be ascertained. On top of it will be a dome, 70 feet high. The ornamentation will be simple, and the architecture severely Doric.

The dome will be surmounted by sculptured figures, the nature of which will be determined by the committee, the sculptor and the architect later on. In the design there are the statues of four of the generals who were on General Grant's staff.

Thirty feet below the top of the dome there will be a row of windows. There will be four entrances at the base. The main entrance will be a gateless portico, an addition to the general design. In front of this entrance there will be a colossal equestrian statue of General Grant.

There are millionaires in the Senate, but they are in both parties? Senator Payne, of Ohio, and Senator Joe Brown, of Georgia, are both millionaires and both are democrats.

A republican Senator when asked his opinion about the speech said that no notice would be taken of it and that he did not think it would turn the world topsy-turvy. There is some talk in the house, though, of excluding it from the Record.

It is not understood that Mr. Kennedy had any grievance to justify his attack beyond the fact that he is not satisfied with the Senatorial course of the election bill. A difference of opinion therefore, as to the order of business for the rest of the session seems a queer basis for charging Senator Quay with personal corruption and the Senate as a body with being made up of ignorant and arrogant wealthy men who have bought their seats in the first instance and then disgraced them afterwards.

Remarkable session this. The White House again has a mistress at least temporarily. Mrs. Harrison came down from Cresson springs with a two fold object. First she desired to provide for the fall furnishings of the executive mansion which will shortly be commenced, and second she wanted to persuade the President to return to the springs with her.

Unlike other previous occupants of the White House, Mrs. Harrison does not leave everything to the upholsters and the like, but she wants to have things fixed to suit her ideas and tastes like other good housekeepers. Hence one part of her business in the city just as another warm spell is upon us.

The projected visit to Cresson will take place, but the President says he can hardly find time as the pressure of public business is very great. Things are shaping towards a final adjournment of Congress. This will be reached, leading members say, before the first of the coming month.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

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WHAT IS SCROFULA? It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck, produces unsightly lumps or swellings, which, if neglected, may become cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors," which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death.

How Can IT BE CURED? By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, often when other medicines have failed, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease.

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The tariff bill was passed by the U. S. Senate on Wednesday, after six hours debate, by a vote of 40 to 20.

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MARYLAND ITEMS.

Mr. Robt. Garrett is said to have had a relapse in Europe.

Mr. Enoch Pratt of Baltimore was eighty-two years old on Wednesday.

A recount of the population of Salisbury, has been ordered by the census bureau.

Representative McComas has introduced a bill to establish a national park at Antietam.

The glass works recently erected in Corbett's Addition to Hagerstown were put in operation on Monday morning.

Work has commenced on the Belt Line railroad in Baltimore. The road will be completed in about eighteen months.

Mrs. Christiana Spiegel, of Baltimore, aged 30, who has been sick, has developed a mania for suicide, and made ten different attempts on her life.

The Hagerstown Land Improvement Company reports that it has secured and will remove from New York to Hagerstown a silk plant that will employ 150 persons.

An organized band of robbers and sneak thieves is operating in Carroll county. Many persons have been greatly annoyed by both chicken and cellar thieves.

Ex-Judge George William Brown, who was also an ex-Mayor and one of Baltimore's most prominent and influential citizens, died at Lake Wobonok, N. Y., last Friday night.

Mr. M. W. Olfitt, counsel for the Baltimore County Agricultural Society, says that the managers of the society will stand by the men arrested for running the wheel of fortune at the county fair last week.

A feature of the republican mass-meetings in Western Maryland in the coming campaign will be the presence of an election booth and sample tickets by which the new system of voting will be illustrated.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has been making extensive improvements at their depot in Hagerstown. They have erected a new freight building and are now putting up a beautiful limestone passenger station.

George Woods, colored, of Baltimore county, ate sixteen ears of corn, last Saturday, and almost died from the effects of his hearty meal. He walked at the rate of twenty miles an hour to reach a hospital in Baltimore city.

The county commissioners of Washington county have offered a reward of \$100 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person who set fire to the barn of the Misses Shifler, near Boonsboro, a few months ago.

Rev. Simon S. Miller, for many years pastor of the Reformed church at Boonsboro, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Reformed church at St. Petersburg, Clarion county, Pa. He will enter upon the duties of the pastorate Oct. 1st.

Daniel Flanagan, giving his home as Haraburg, Pa., was arrested in Baltimore on Thursday for breaking two large plate glass windows, and was committed to the house of correction. At the magistrates office he stated that he was out of work and made desperate by hunger. He wanted to be locked up and adopted this way of being arrested.

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FRIDAY, SEPT. 12, 1890.

Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE. On and after June 8, 1889, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH. Leave Emmitsburg at 8.20 a. m. and 2.45 and 5.45 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8.50 a. m. and 3.15 and 6.15 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH. Leave Rocky Ridge at 10.40 a. m. and 3.25 and 6.30 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 11.10 a. m. and 3.55 and 7.06 p. m.

JAS. A. ELDER, Pres't.

SALES. Sept. 13.—I. M. Fisher, mortgagee will sell the house and lot of Joseph A. Baker E. Main st., this place. See adv. and bills.

Sept. 20.—William H. Fuss and Edw. M. Fuss, Executors of John Fuss, deceased, will sell a farm containing 140 acres of land and a mountain lot situated in this District. See adv. and bills.

Sept. 24.—Gran. T. Crouse, Agent, will sell a lot of household and kitchen furniture, 2 horses, several carriages, etc., at his residence in this place. See bills.

Sept. 24.—Mrs. Margaret A. Arnold will sell a lot of valuable personal property at her residence on the Waynesboro pike, 1 1/2 miles west of town. See bills.

Sept. 25.—John Donoghue will sell, without reserve, his valuable farm in Liberty township, containing 327 acres. Also five valuable horses. See bills.

Oct. 4.—Elizabeth Topper and Edward J. Topper, agents for the heirs of James B. Topper, deceased, will offer three properties in this vicinity. See bills.

LOCAL ITEMS. Established 1837. Welty's all rye whiskey. It has no rival for superiority, is absolutely pure, and has a reputation of the highest standard for excellence and purity, that will always be sustained.

MR. JACOB BAKER raised a tomato that weighed 1 lb. 10 1/2 ozs. FARMERS have commenced cutting corn, and the crop promises to be unusually large.

A PENSION has been granted to Abraham Herring of Freedom township, Pa., near this place. THE macadamizing of the streets of Littlestown has been completed, at a cost of \$2,611.21.

ZOLICKOFFER & Bro's roller flour a specialty. Also a full line of groceries, provisions, &c. at Jacob Smith's. THE G. A. R. Encampment at Gettysburg broke up last Friday. The attendance was not as large as heretofore.

THE best and surest dye to color the beard brown or black, as may be desired, is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers. It never fails.

THE Mt. St. Mary's Catholic Benevolent Association will give another grand hop at their hall near the College, on the evenings of Tuesday and Wednesday, the 23d and 24th inst.

LIVERY stable keepers should always keep Arnica & Oil Liniment in the stable, nothing like it for horses. For sale by James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

To Repair the Bridge Jointly. On Wednesday last, Messrs. David Stoner, Col. Wm. C. Polk and Hezekiah Hahn, the county commissioners for Carroll county, visited Frederick, and held a conference with the Commissioners for Frederick county, relative to the repairing of the bridge over the Monocacy near Harney which was recently destroyed by a cyclone.

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Not His Former Self. The many friends in this county of Judge A. K. Syester, of Hagerstown, will be pained to learn that he is a confirmed invalid, sick beyond recovery.

Church Improvement. Workmen have been engaged this week in painting the front of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. The pastor, Rev. H. F. White, C. M., informs us that he contemplates having all of the outside walls repainted, also the tower.

What It Does. Hood's Sarsaparilla 1. Purifies the blood. 2. Creates an appetite. 3. Strengthens the nerves. 4. Makes the weak strong.

PERSONALS. Miss Annie Brawner has gone to Dayton, O. Mr. J. Thos. Gelwicks made a trip to Baltimore.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers of real estate have taken place in this county, as recorded in the Clerk's office during the past week:

Wm. H. Pearce and wife to Clarence A. Lindsay, 16 1/2 square perches of land, \$3,000. William Lewis to Thomas Cook, 1 acre, \$22.75. Thomas Cook and wife to Chas. Scheller, 2 acres, \$150.

Excursions to Historic Battlefields. A series of special excursions to the Battlefields of Cedar Creek (Middle-town), Winchester and Harper's Ferry, under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic are announced for September 16 and October 16, 1890, affording a rare opportunity to visit the Historic Ground where the contending hosts struggled for victory.

Put on the Brakes. If you find you are going down hill in point of health, falling strength, impaired digestion, an assimilation of the marks of decline, check these and other indications of premature decay with the grand vitalizer and restorative, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.

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A GREAT WEDDING. The Bride and Groom in a Coach and Four with 20 Brass Bands. The Frederick County Agricultural Society has appointed Messrs. J. Wm. Baughman, C. Staley Gambrell and John U. Markell a committee to have in charge the arrangements for the wedding at the fair grounds during the progress of the coming annual exhibition—October 14, 15, 16 and 17—the Society having offered to present the couple to Niagara Falls, or some equivalent as the couple may desire, including money for all necessary expenses.

PEOPLE who live in new countries are liable to be prostrated by malarial fevers. Inhabitants of cities, by reason of bad drainage and unwholesome odors, suffer from similar diseases. Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted a specific for all malarial poisons.

Base Ball. A game of base ball was played here on Wednesday between a nine from Mechanicstown and the Emmitsburg team, which resulted in a victory for the visitors by a score of 32 to 15.

The Ladies Delighted. The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy.

ROCKY RIDGE ITEMS. From the Clarion. Wm. H. Biggs & Bro. have cut their ensilage corn which was quite a task. They cut as much as thirty-five loads in a single day, giving employment to many hands.

Straw Ride. A party composed of Misses Anna Motter, Gertrude Annan, Alice Annan, Ethel McNair, Pauline McNair, Emily Annan and Bessie Bodenhamer, Messrs. E. L. Annan, E. M. Kerschner, Grier Simonton and J. Stewart Annan took a straw ride to Mechanicstown last Tuesday evening.

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THE Key Monument fund, at Frederick has reached \$522.81. CATOCTIN district is the home of sixteen school teachers, only two of whom are unemployed.

AN inmate of Montevue Hospital, named Williams, escaped from that institution on Monday, and, at last reports, had not been recaptured.

THOUSANDS walk the earth to-day who would be sleeping in its bosom but for the timely use of 'Downs' Elixir. For sale by James A. Elder, Emmitsburg, and A. C. Musselman, Fairfield, Pa.

MR. FRED. MCINTIRE, of Fountain Dale, Pa., has in his possession a clock that belonged to the late Judge McDivitt. It is a very antique clock, and was made in Creysfelt, Germany.

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THE subject of the biographical sketch in the Frederick News of last Saturday, was Barbara Fritchie, whose name has been immortalized by the poet Whittier.

AARON Calaman was convicted last week, before the Circuit Court on a charge of assault with intent to murder and sentenced to the Penitentiary for four years.

AMONG the new names mentioned for the democratic nomination for congress in this district are Hon. Outbridge Horsey of this county and Hunter Boyd of Allegany.

MR. C. E. BOILEAU, of Middletown, who took twenty-five coops of pure-bred chickens to the Montgomery County Fair at Rockville, was awarded 23 first and 2 second premiums, and also premium for best display. Pretty good, that.—News.

THE Frederick Daily News has completed its census of that city, which shows it to have a population of 8,452, an increase of 591 over the figures last returned by the Government enumerators and 721 over those first returned. In addition to this, Schleysville, which is properly a part of the city, has 64 inhabitants.

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THE NECKLACE.

"Now, madame, what do you think of that?" asked Mme. Valois, drawing from a little mauve colored velvet case a necklace of curious beads, of a substance resembling amber, but having in the heart of each a light like that of the finest opal, and being generally of the color of which we speak as crushed strawberry.

"What are those stones?" "I think the necklace beautiful," I replied. "But you must tell me what the stones are, for I can not even guess; I have never seen anything like them, nor do they tally with any descriptions that I remember."

Mme. Valois looked pleased. "Ah, madame, I cannot tell you," she said, spreading her hands abroad, "nor can any one, I believe. They have been examined by many people learned in such things without having a name given to them. They are pretty now, but when the warmth of the wearer's neck acts upon them they glow like rubies. The little clasp also becomes transparent, and you see that a toad is carried upon it. It has been in our family a century and a half, and many celebrated jewelers and lapidaries have examined them. I never dreamed that I should be able to get a clew to the mystery, but think at last, I have done so. It was by reading your Shakespeare, madame. You look astonished, but it is true. I am much indebted to your Shakespeare," said Mme. Valois. "What a wonderful man he was! It was while reading his plays that I solved a problem that has puzzled many generations of our family. You remember what he said:

"Like a toad, ugly and venomous, still hides a precious jewel in his head."

"My necklace, I am assured, is made of those jewels that are mentioned by your Shakespeare. I will tell you my reasons for thinking so: "You must know that I have in Avignon a very old yet still very pretty chateau which I now lease to an American.

"A hundred and fifty years ago our family resided there and one day a Valois brought home to the chateau a very gay and pretty Parisian wife. Mme. Valois, coming a young bride to her husband's chateau in Avignon, thought it gray and gloomy, and felt that, after Paris, it was very stupid. To be sure, there was a great garden, but it was so infested with toads that at first her walks among the borders always ended in her flying homeward in an agony of terror, crying out that the little wretches were too disgusting to endure.

"One day, however, as she sat upon a bench beside an old stone fountain she heard close to her a little singing noise and saw squatting close beside her on the bench a little toad. It sat quite still and made this little plaintive musical sound continually. Its eyes were fixed upon her and she noticed that they were very bright.

"Poor little thing," she said to herself. "Really, it looks hungry." And, having a little cake in her pocket, she crumbled it upon the bench.

"The toad looked at her as she did so, and when she said kindly: "There, Toady, is your breakfast," it hopped forward and ate every crumb. Then it did a strange thing. It sat upon its haunches and touched its fore feet to its forehead as an Oriental does to make an obeisance, and hopped away.

"The next day Mme. Valois awoke thinking of the toad, and whenever she ate anything she liked very much she saved some bits, saying Toady would like that, and at sunset she went to the fountain, carrying a basket, and sat down upon the old bench.

"Not five minutes had she been seated there when she heard the soft, singing sound, and there sprung to the bench beside her the toad she had fed the day before and four of the most charming little toads any one ever saw, evidently Mme. Toady's family.

"She sat in the middle with two on each side of her, and they ate the crumbs Mme. Valois gave them and when all were gone Mme. Toad made a salutation as on the first occasion, and hopped away backward as people are expected to retire from the royal presence, and Mme. Valois went home and wrote in her journal—which is preserved to this day

—all the particulars I have recounted to you.

"She was now quite in love with Mme. Toad, and every day she went at the same hour to feed the little creatures. She was very young and very much afraid of her husband, who was a very grave, elderly man, and did not tell him anything about all this, but kept the secret for her diary until winter came. Then indeed she was obliged to confide the matter to her maid, for the death of insects caused a famine among the toads, or so she supposed, for when she went to the fountain hundreds of them came and squatted about her with pleading looks in their little bottle shaped eyes, and all their little hands clasped imploringly.

"When she saw them thus assembled for the first time, Mme. Valois made them this speech: "My pretty little toads, I love you all. You are my tenants—being born upon my ground. I assure you you shall not starve. Every morning and every evening you shall be fed."

"After this the maid always carried a basket of food to the bench and Madame distributed it. The army of toads swallowed the last crumb, Mme. Toad thanking her as at first, and away they hopped. All this and much more she has written in her diary.

"Time passed on, and one day there came a baby to the chateau—a beautiful little girl. Madame was very happy, but she did not forget her toads. Every day the maid fed them and reported to her. As she lay in bed she often said to her baby: 'Ah, petite, when you are able to take notice you shall see my toads.' But while she was still an invalid a very curious thing happened.

"The winter was passing, the air was mild; the window of her chamber was left open, and one evening when the nurse was absent for a time Mme. Valois suddenly saw a dark object appear on the window sill—another and another.

"The toads," she said to herself, and, watching, saw the great throngs that she had fed drop from the sill into the room and approach the bed.

"How I would have screamed once!" she writes in her diary. "But now I loved them, and I knew well that they loved me. 'Good evening, my little toadies,' I said. 'Do you want to see my baby?'"

"Then the room was full of the faint little toad music, and I lifted my Celestine and held her up, and one by one the toads hopped to the bed, looked at her, hopped down the other side and out of the window."

"Mme. Toad was last of all, and made obeisance as in the garden. Her four toadlets remained upon the floor and looked up at us.

"Before the nurse returned the room was empty again, but lying at my elbow I found a string of exquisite, jewel-like beads—a chain or necklace such as I had never seen before. The toads had brought it to me, and I wore it at my Celestine's christening, where it was remarked that numbers of toads hopped across the church floor and seemed to stop to listen to the music. But no one can tell me what the jewels are.

"No one has ever been able to tell that, madame," continued the speaker. "But my ancestress now felt that she must tell her husband all, and so she did; and after that the toads were fed every winter as long as this Mme. Valois, of whom I have told you, lived. Also, Mme. Toad maintained terms of the most intimate friendship with the family, as far as a toad might. Even yet the toads are always fed in the winter at the Chateau Valois, and the necklace is given to the eldest daughter. So it came to me, and it is I who, having read the account of the jewels in the heads of toads given by your Shakespeare, know of what the necklace of my ancestress is made."—MARY KYLE DALLAS in Fireside Companion.

An alloy that expands in cooling and is suitable for repairing cracks in cast iron is made with nine parts of lead, two of antimony, and one of bismuth.

"UNCLE ABE, they tell me your colored church is very exclusive?" "It tries to be, sah, but er white man will sneak in occasionally."—Epoch.

MANY run after felicity like a man hunting for his hat while it is on his head.

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Natural Gas Phenomenon in Indiana.

On August 11, at 9 o'clock A. M., the farmers near Waldron, which is eight miles southeast of Shelbyville, Ind., were startled by a terrific explosion. When they reached the Ogden graveyard, which is on a bluff near the Flat Rock stream, they discovered that fully ten acres of the earth was in commotion. Geysers were shooting up to the height of six and eight feet, and gas was blazing from ten to fifteen feet above the water of the geysers. The river bed was torn up and the water had stopped running below the graveyard. Flames are still shooting from fifty different fissures in the earth.

The county had not been considered in the gasbelt, although local companies have sunk many wells. At Waldron a sufficient flow of gas was found to supply the citizens with fuel. Nobody thought that a gusher was slumbering near the town, and few have entertained the idea of permanent flow of gas in this locality. A little stream known as Flat Rock, runs southwesterly through the country, and about three miles south of Waldron, on the banks of Flat Rock, a sort of butte upon which a country graveyard has been in use for many years. The river at this point runs west, and Conn's Creek empties into it from the north, forming a kind of horseshoe-shaped strip of land opposite the graveyard. Edmund Cooper owns the land on the north side of the river, and it was in this strip that the explosion occurred.

J. H. Lowe, who lives on the Cooper farm, heard a terrific report, and felt the earth quivering beneath his feet. He went toward the graveyard, and was soon confronted by a sheet of flame 200 feet high.

The fifty or more fountains of fire burst from the earth. These were interspersed with six or eight active geysers. At the east side of the eruption a large stack of straw was in flames, and a field of green corn was drooping before the excessive heat from the ten acres of flame. The river bed was torn to pieces, and huge fissures were receiving the river's water. Sheets of flame swept over the water, and an area of about one acre was quickly converted into a huge hole, from which a continuous roaring and rumbling noise proceeds.

Within the bend of the river and for one-eighth of a mile along the stream great rents were seen in the earth and river bed. At the bend of the river, which is of limestone, is a fracture a quarter of a mile in length and stones the size of a house have been hurled from their places. The graveyard was shaken up, the skeletons of the dead being distinctly seen in the fractures of the earth. Gas flows freely from the entire surface of the ten acres.

It is said when the explosion occurred, rocks and trees were thrown 200 feet high.

Ear-Ache.

Ear-ache, a very painful and common disorder of children, is best relieved by hot foot baths; by dropping into the ear a few drops of laudanum and warm sweet oil; by the application of a warm brick, or bag of hot salt over the ear; or by putting a ball of cotton into the bowl of a pipe, dropping on it a few drops of chloroform, and then blowing the vapor into the ear by putting the bowl of the pipe over the ear, and blowing into the ear through the stem of the pipe.

If there is "rising" in the ear, apply warm moist poultices, or a hop poultice, and when the boil, or rising is "ripe," it must be opened.

Wax in the ear may cause ear-ache or "risings." This is to be removed by dropping in a little glycerine and gently syringing a few hours after with warm water. No attempt should be made to remove it by picking with hair pins, or "gouging" with anything.—Woman's Work.

A TEMPERANCE writer has given us the following original sentiments concerning the popular beverage known as "half and half": "The title of 'half and half' is given to a mixture composed of two sorts of liquor. To the drunkard's wife it suggests that her 'better half' has proved for worse instead of for better. It may also signify the many half-dollars that have been transferred from the drunkard's pocket to the saloonkeeper's till. In some cases it is suggestive of half-witted children, born so because their father was a drunkard—half and half—the best half of the man gone and the other going. Who or what shall stop him?—W. C. T. U. Bulletin.

SAVED BY TOBACCO.

A Drummer and a Madman at Niagara Falls.

"I have seen three or four suicides at Niagara Falls," said the drummer, "but the first was the queerest and gave me the greatest shock. I had made the acquaintance of a guest at the hotel as we sat on the veranda, a man of handsome looks, with soft, low voice, and at about 10 o'clock he proposed that we go over to Goat Island together on foot. I readily assented, and we were crossing the bridge when he suddenly stopped and looked over the railing. Naturally I followed suit. He had been in Brazil, and he began telling me of the customs and manners of that country, but after about ten minutes he suddenly stopped short and queried:

"Would you mind taking a swim with me this morning?" "A swim! Great heavens, man, but where could you swim here?" I gasped.

"Here in the rapids." "But you'd be swept over the falls in ten seconds!"

"Of course!" he laughed, showing his white teeth, and before the words were fairly uttered he struck the water. Almost before I could breathe twice he was over the falls and out of sight forever, and I stood there rubbing my eyes and wondering if I was asleep, until a crowd came and began to ask questions. In the afternoon the keeper of a private insane asylum arrived and identified the man as an escaped patient, and when he had heard my story he asked:

"Did he lay hands on you?" "No." "It's a wonder. He was always planning to get here and compel some one to go over the falls with him. Excuse me, but do you chew?"

"I do." "You didn't offer him any?" "But I did—while we were leaning over the rail."

"That accounts for it. He always declared that a man who used tobacco was a hog, and that to die with one meant eternal disgrace. The fit came upon him as he looked at the rushing waters, but your tobacco saved your life. Stranger, lend us a chew!"—New York Sun.

Less time ought to be given to the routine work of housekeeping and more to relaxation and relaxation. All that "the best of wives" did not do, and for the lack of which she became an inmate of an insane asylum the housekeeper ought to do. The woman who "always stays at home," who "never goes out of the house even on Sundays," and who is "always doing something for her family," not only will "have no ideas outside of her home," but will soon come to have none even there.

The short of the matter is that women if they desire good health must not be confined so closely to the cares of the household. I know that many women will look upon this advice as absurd, and will say, "It is all very easy for you to preach, but quite another thing for us to practice. A woman's duties involve a multitude of little things, the importance of which a man never realizes until they are omitted, and then he is the first to find fault. These things must be done. I cannot stop, I cannot find time to take out-of-door exercise."

A Cow Disturbs a Meeting.

A young divinity student from Harvard, who was passing a portion of his vacation in West Gouldsboro, occupied the pulpit of the quaint little chapel there on a Sabbath morning. Waxing eloquent with his theme he sought to embellish his discourse with numerous flights of poetic fancy and allegorical illustrations. Pausing a moment after one of these supreme mental efforts he continued, "And now, my friends let us listen to the low, sweet prelude."

At this juncture a cow beneath one of the windows launched forth into a series of such vigorous, discordant bellows as would have made the trombone player of a German street band green with envy. The crimson flush of the young man's face rivalled the hue on the statue of the venerable John Harvard.—Lewis-ton Journal.

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