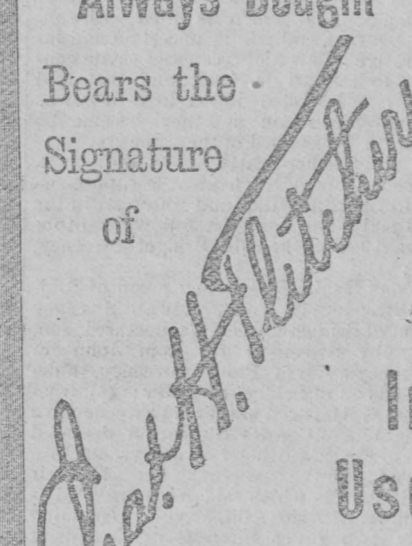


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MEDICINE IN THE ANDES.

Particular Properties of the Herbs the Indian Doctors Use.

An interesting character, frequently met with in the Andes, is the callaguanay, or Indian doctor. He is everywhere and is trader, thinker, peddler, fortune teller, conjurer and magician. His knowledge of botany is as mysterious as it is comprehensive, and the most astonishing stories are told of his cures.

A man in Lima was lying at the point of death with a disease which baffled physicians who brought diplomas from the medical schools of Paris and Vienna. One evening two of the physicians stood talking of the case at the sick man's door, without noticing a humble, barefooted Indian who leaned against the wall. As they departed the Indian entered the patio and asked to see the sick man. The family referred him to the attending doctor, who, amazed at his audacity, exclaimed: "What do you know about a disease that puzzles the best physicians in Lima?"

"I have herbs that will cure everything," said the callaguanay.

The doctor smiled in scorn and turned away. The Indian opened his pack, took from a paper a single leaf and handed it to the physician, asking him to smell it. He did so, and instantly his nose began to bleed, and he was unable to stop it.

The Indian stood stolidly by for a time, then handed him another leaf, saying, "Smell that and the bleeding will stop."

The result was what he promised, and the physician was interested. In the end the callaguanay saw the sick man. He selected herbs from his stock, brewed a tea and gave it to the patient, and the sick man recovered.—"Between the Andes and the Ocean."

THE LONG TAILED TROGON

A Most Gorgeous Bird in the National Emblem of Guatemala.

By far the most interesting bird emblem of a modern state is that of the republic of Guatemala. It has been adopted as the national crest for so long that, partly through the taste for stamp collecting, the existence of one of the rarest and most beautiful of the bird creation has been made far more widely known than it otherwise would have been. There is a race of birds called trogons, and of which we know very fine feathers and remarkable coloring. They are found in India and the Malay, but are most numerous in Central and South America. It was from their plumage that the Mexicans made their famous mosaics of feather work. From the tail feathers they made the lustrous green helmets of their kings and nobles. The most gorgeous of all was the long tailed or resplendent trogon, which was kept as a sacred or royal bird in the palace of Montezuma or in one of the two houses which formed the royal menageries. Adequate description of the bird is almost impossible. It has a rounded plume on the head, cascades of feathers falling from the back over the shoulders, plumes falling over the tail a yard long and a most elegant contour. The color of the whole of the upper surface and plumes is a most resplendent golden green, that of the breast and under parts crimson or scarlet. Such is the national emblem of Guatemala.

Gibraltar's Story.

In 1704 the rock of Gibraltar fell into the hands of the British by assault. The Prince of Hesse-Darmstadt commanded the troops and Sir George Rokeby the fleet, and in the remarkably short time of four days the stronghold surrendered. Many times the Spaniards attempted to get back the key to the Mediterranean, but without success, though on one occasion they got 500 men within the fort, but failed to re-occupy them. In 1726 it was in the mind of ministers to give back the rock to Spain, but so great an agitation arose against such a step that it was abandoned. There followed a siege by Spain and France, which lasted from 1727 to 1783. On Sept. 13, 1782, no fewer than 40,000 men constituted the besieging army, and in the grand attack delivered on that day 200 heavy guns, 47 ships of the line and 10 battering ships were employed, and upward of 5,000 red hot shots were fired at the fortifications. Since then the possession of Gibraltar has remained undisputed.

Wonderful Little Padlock and Chain.

In a curious old book entitled "The Wonders and Curiosities of London" there are the following particulars concerning a minute padlock: In the twentieth year of the reign of Queen Elizabeth Mark Scarlot, a blacksmith, made a lock consisting of eleven pieces of steel, iron and brass, all of which, together with the key, weighed but a small fraction over one grain. He also made a chain of gold, consisting of forty-three links, which, after fastening it to the lock and key above mentioned, he put around the neck of a common flea, the whole being so minute that the little insect could draw them over a silver plate with perfect ease. All of these together, lock, key, chain and flea, weighed a slight fraction less than two and a half grains.

New England Peanut Brittle.

Boil one and a half pounds of brown sugar, a half pint of New Orleans molasses, a half teaspoonful of cream tartar and a half pint of water to the "hard ball" degree. Then add a quart of small peanuts and continue the boiling until it cracks easily if put in cold water. Add a quarter of a pound of butter and let it just boil in. As soon as it begins to rise pour it out upon the marble or dish and spread it thin. When cold, break it up. The thinner it is run the better. Small Spanish peanuts are the best, and they must be removed from their skins by placing them in boiling water, as is done for blanching almonds.

Growth of Our Language.

To give some idea of the tremendous growth of the English language it may be mentioned that the words and phrases under the letter "A" have increased since the middle of the nineteenth century from 7,000 to nearly 60,000. So enormous indeed has been the growth of the English language that it would be practically impossible for the most learned man to be acquainted with every word. Intelligent persons, even those engaged in the learned professions, do not make use of more than from 4,000 to 8,000 words all told, although there are properly belonging to our language over 200,000.

A Life Sentence.

"Would you call stealing a life sentence?" queried the inexperienced young man.

"I suppose so," replied the married man, who was bustling from dawn to dusk to support his family.

"What is the penalty?"

"Why, I stole a kiss one time and was sentenced to hard labor for life."—Philadelphia Record.

PROPERTY.

Real Estate Versus Modern Paper Evidences of Wealth.

What a wonderful change has passed over our entire conception of the word "property!" The writer is old enough to remember when nothing except land and houses were regarded as true property, but now a man may be a millionaire and own nothing that he can see. A few pieces of paper in a box at his banker's or, better still, an inscription in a book of which he knows nothing except that it exists constitutes him a man rich beyond the dreams of avarice, and, moreover, a man who has not to guard his property and who can realize it—which the rich man of old could not do—in half an hour. It is a very curious change and one the full results of which we have yet to perceive, but we suspect that among them will be an immense increase in the amount of wealth at the disposal of industry and enterprise and an astonishing decrease in the permanence of the wealthy families. It is so easy to spend shares or bonds, and there are so few to notice whether you spend them or not. It took years to spend a great landed estate, but a fortune in bonds may disappear in a year of unlucky speculation or in the early lifetime of one spendthrift heir.—London Spectator.

Petrified the Englishman Too.

"Colonel Tom Ochiltree once upset Lord Londale when the latter was entertained in New York on his way home from an expedition to Alaska," said a man who saw in the honor Lord Londale told many thrilling stories, and an audible 'wh' went around the table when he finished telling of a petrified forest in Africa, in which he found a number of petrified lions and elephants. As the Englishman lapsed into silence and the applause sank into an echo all looked to Colonel Ochiltree to defend his nationality and beat this petrified lion story.

"Texas," said the colonel after a pause, "has its petrified forests; but, although they contain no petrified lions, they are remarkable for having petrified birds flying over them."

"Nonsense!" said Lord Londale. "That is impossible. Such a phenomenon is contrary to the laws of gravitation."

"Ah, that's easily explained," retorted Colonel Ochiltree quickly. "The laws of gravitation down there are petrified too."

Trundle Beds Out of Date.

"There are no trundle beds on the market nowadays," said a New York furniture store salesman. "They are not manufactured. It has been years since we carried them in stock, and the chances are that they will never be in vogue again. Science is against them, for one thing. Doctors and nurses have ceased that as a promoter of colds the trundle bed has no equal. For hygienic reasons trundle beds have been superseded by crib and infant's beds of a dignified height. Fashion has also had something to do with the change. Regular beds are now built so low that it would be next to impossible to slip the trundle bed under them. Perhaps there may be a few out in the country districts that have not been seized by curious collectors or split into kindling wood, but you cannot find one in a New York furniture store."

Skulls in a Crypt.

In the crypt of St. Leonard's church at Hythe, England, are 7,000 skulls. The remains have been the subject of much discussion by scientists. They were once declared to be the bones of Danish invaders. Now the balance of opinion assumes that they are the outcome of a battle fought between Vortimer, a prince of the Britons, and the invading Saxons about A. D. 455. Many of the skulls bear the marks of the battleax. On a table on one side of the crypt are placed two skulls which are declared to be typical Saxon and British, one being long and narrow and the other short and broad. The custodian points out in another part of the crypt what he contemptuously describes as a "common churchyard skull."

His Two Great Remedies.

"Medicine chests" said the old retired skipper, with a snort of contempt. "I didn't 'ave no such tomfoolery aboard my ship when I were a-goin' to sea. Ketch me a-coddlin' of my crew. No, sir! If so be as wun of the 'ands was feelin' queer, I sez to 'im: 'Where's the pain? Is it above the belt or below the belt?' If 'e sez it's below the belt, I gives 'im a hemlock; if 'e sez it's above the belt, I gives 'im a dose of hopson roots. Turn my ship into a bloomin' chemist's shop! Not me, sir!"—London Telegraph.

Ointments From Whales.

Spermaceti, which is often used internally in catarrh and other affections, as well as in the form of ointments for wounds and excoriations of the skin, is obtained from the head of a monster of the whale kind which abounds in the south seas, while the highly esteemed ambergris is only a condition of disease in the same animal.

He Didn't Buy.

"Waal, some ways I'd like to an' some ways I guess I wouldn't," said honest Farmer Bentover when the suave dispenser of encyclopedias had paused in his siren song. "Ye see, if I was to sign for that 'ere cyclopedee in forty-seven parts, includin' the index an' appendicels, I'm sorter afraid I'd hev to work so hard to pay for it that I'd be too tired to enjoy readin' it, while if I read it at my leisure, as I'd ort to, in order to git the good of it, I wouldn't hev time to earn the price. So, all things considered, I guess I'll hev to deny myself the privilege, as it were. Looks sorter like rain off to the northwest, don't it?"—Judge.

As Jack Saw It.

Jack, who is five years old, came home one day last week crying that another boy had hit him.

"Why didn't you hit him back?" he was asked.

"I did," he answered. "I hit him back first!"—New York Times.

It is not the loudest church bell that brings the most money to the collector box.

—Washington Post.

THREE SHORT TALES.

Modern Children Who Are In Touch With the Ways of the World.

A writer in the Outlook, after lavishing pity on the little children of the rich, who by modern educational methods, he avers, are made blasé before they reach their teens, continues:

"Listen, you who are murmuring 'old fog' under your breath—listen to three short but pregnant tales:

Past the spectator's window one morning loitered two chubby little lads, their arms around each other's neck. The spectator thought to himself what a pretty picture of childish unsophistication they made. When they spoke, however, he caught his breath. "I won \$3 yesterday," remarked the younger of the two, who may possibly have been eight. "Honest? How?" demanded the other, big eyed. "Oh, my father and I bet on a race, and my horse won," was the nonchalant reply.

Before the spectator had fairly recovered from the staggering effect of this speech a group of little girls drew up before the house. One of the littles of them was in difficulties with her hair, which had been dressed in some occult feminine fashion beyond the spectator's power to describe and had slipped its ribbon. As an older girl struggled to reduce it to order she said reproachfully: "What makes you try to wear it this way, Gladys? It's much too short." The little tot turned on her a withering glance. "It's the fashion!" she exclaimed, with crushing finality.

To these disclosures of unblinking sophistication may be added the tale of a neighbor whose little boy is just six. He had hoped to keep the child unconscious that he is the heir of millions and had brought him up in the strictest simplicity. And yet the other night, as he climbed on his father's knee for a good night kiss, he electrified the father by demanding, "Papa, how much are you worth?"

HAD NO FAITH IN SIGNS.

He Was an Enemy of Superstition, With an Exception.

Mr. Holley looked at his grandson with a mixture of amusement and reproach on his shrewd old face. It was dusk in the barn, a time for confidences. "I dunno where in all the earth you got such notions, sonny," the old man said. "Not from your ma's folks or your pa's either. There never was any talk of belief in signs and superstitions in either the Holley or the Fawcett stock, that's sure. It must have come from that foreign lady they had to teach you, I expect."

"And you don't believe there's any harm in a bird's flying into the house or breaking a mirror or seeing a black cat, grandpa?" asked the little boy earnestly. "And don't you care whether a pin sticks straight up in the floor or which shoulder you see the moon over or whether you get anything on your wrong side out? Not any of those things?"

"All foolishness," said the old man, with a reassuring pat of the hot little hand. "I'm glad you've talked it out with me, sonny. Now, you just put it out of your head, and I'll tell you what I'll do. When we go up to the house, I'll give you a little, old penny I've been saving for you for a lucky piece. You just carry it in your pocket all the time, change it from one suit of clothes to another, and see what it'll bring you."

"Do they really bring luck, grandpa?" asked the little boy.

"Course they do," said Mr. Holley firmly. "When we get another spare time, I'll relate to you a few cases that's come under my own eye of lives saved by 'em, and so forth. Course they do."

Swelling the Unsuccessful Ranks.

A great many men have been left behind because of their listlessness, their easy going ways. They were too slow. Opportunities would not wait for them. They would have taken advantage of them, would have succeeded, if the chance had not hurried by so fast. If the opportunities had tarried awhile, had given them a chance to look them over and consult their friends or if they had only come back, these gentle people would now be on the heights instead of looking wistfully up from the foot of the mountain. But, alas, opportunities never return, and he who is not ready to seize them as they flit onward will have only regrets for his portion.

Slamming Reporting.

Slamming reporters are not quite so deft as our own specimens, says the London Globe, but they have a fine impressionistic touch which charms the fabled fancy. Here is an account of a murder from that happy land:

"Shooting outrage! Oh, fearful agony! Khoon Tong, one of Phya Song's staff, was on a mission to Lampon, and on his return instantly shot dead by some miscreants, seconded. Oh, untimely death! Oh, fearful! All friends expressed their sorrow. The cowardly dog is still at large. Six soldiers and six policemen were at once dispatched."

All or None.

Busy Merchant—Well, sir, what do you want?

Timid Youth—Y your daughter's hand.

Busy Merchant—Can't give it to you, sir. Either take her entire or leave her. We are not doing an installment business.—Chicago News.

What It Was Like.

Miss Bostonwick—Did you go to the Wagner concert?

Mr. Baker—I did.

Miss B.—What was it like?

Mr. P.—Like Browning set to music.—Town and Country.

Sam—Did de pavson tell his flock dat St. Peter would give dem each a hanp?

Remus—No; he knew better. He tole dem dat St. Peter would give dem each a banjo.—Philadelphia Record.

FORT BLUNDER.

Fort It Was That Uncle Sam Built It on British Soil.

Curious indeed is an American fort which was built on British soil. How many can guess what fort it is and where located? The name is Fort Montgomery, and the location is on an island near the foot of Lake Champlain, about half a mile northeast of Rouse's Point, N. Y.

A short time ago, when traveling in that part of the country, I saw this fort and asked the name of it. "Why, that is Fort Blunder," said my informant. "Did you never hear of it?" I confessed ignorance, and he explained matters.

It seems that after the war of 1812 the government of the United States became convinced that the entrance to Lake Champlain should be guarded by a fort strong enough to engage any British fleet which might attempt to force an entrance to the lake, and so Fort Montgomery was constructed at a cost of nearly \$500,000. It was an immense fortification for those days and was arranged for three tiers of guns.

Just about the time it was completed the joint surveyors fixing the line between the United States and Canada came along and, after doing a good bit of figuring, announced that Fort Montgomery was on Canadian soil. The northern boundary of New York state was the forty-fifth parallel, and this fort was several hundred yards over the line. Work on the fort came to an immediate standstill, and the matter was made the subject of a special treaty.

It was decided that in view of the fact that the United States had not intentionally encroached on Canadian soil the forty-fifth parallel should be bent a little out of its course at this point so as to include the fort. That is why the fort is called "Fort Blunder." It was never armed and has never been occupied by more than one or two men.—New York Herald.

PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

Do the dearest people in the world is dem dat takes de most case.—"Son."

The only safe investments are education and health.—"Daniel Everton."

The thing I did not pay for I found most expensive.—"The World's People."

You may be sure the devil will hump himself if you don't.—"Those Delightful Americans."

There is no such certainty of knowledge on all subjects as one holds at eighteen and eighty.—"Captain Macklin."

There are greater virtues than thrift. It is better to die penniless than to have been too much of a saver.—"The Un-speakable Scot."

"Let me get over this difficulty somehow," says youth, "that I may play the game of life well." And our hair is turning gray before we learn that the difficulty is the game.—"The Way of Escape."

The knights of the world no longer fight in armor, but in every street of every city there are still men "sans peur et sans reproche," who not only live for love, but who are ready to die for love's sweet sake.—"The Loom of Life."

An Emperor's Strange Fancies.

Strange fancies have taken hold of some men regarding the manner in which their bodies were to be disposed of after death and the ceremonies to be observed at their funerals.

The great Emperor Charles V. had the curious idea of celebrating his own funeral. Shortly before his death he caused a tomb to be made in the chapel of the monastery of Estremadura, to which he had retired after his abdication, and on its completion he was carried to it as though dead. Placed in a coffin and accompanied by a procession, he was borne along, while chants were sung, prayers said and tears shed. After the solemn farce was over he was left alone in the chapel, where he remained a short time before rising out of the coffin.

Too Good Highlanders.

Some years ago a vote was taken among the men of a certain highland regiment (at that time not wearing the kilts) to find out how many would be in favor of wearing the highland costume.

In due time the sergeant major appeared before the commanding officer with the result of the voting.

O. O.—Well, sergeant major, how many are in favor of the kilt?

S. M.—Two men, sir.

O. O.—Only two? Well, I'm glad there are at least two good highlanders in the regiment. What are their names, sergeant major?

S. M.—Privates Patrick O'Brien and Michael Rooney, sir.—Scottish American.

His Classification.

Ingram Buskin—There's a dispute about my rating. Some critics put it in the first rank, others in the second. Now, how would you designate it?

Hon. Jones—? Oh, I'd simply designate it as rank.—New York Times.

The Appreciation.

The Author (after the first performance)—Well, what do you think of my play?

Feminine Friend—It was just lovely! Who designed the heavenly dresses?—Brooklyn Life.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle

FRIDAY, JAN. 23, 1903

NEW GOVERNOR AT HARRISBURG

Samuel W. Pennypacker was inaugurated governor of Pennsylvania Tuesday to succeed William A. Stone...

The inaugural parade was the finest the state capital has ever seen. A large number of political clubs, a provisional brigade of the National Guard of Pennsylvania...

Governor Pennypacker, Lieutenant Governor Brown, the retiring officials, judges of the courts, the legislative inaugural committee...

Among the curious exhibits that the Prussian Ministry of Public Instruction will include in its educational display at the St. Louis exposition is an apparatus for measuring mental fatigue...

Caught in the ice the steamer Tivoli was unable to get out of the way of the steamer Maryland, near Sandy Point, and was slightly damaged by a rear end collision.

GOV PENNYPACKER'S FIRST APPOINTMENTS

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 21.—Governor Pennypacker sent to the Senate this morning for confirmation these names:

Attorney general, Hampton L. Carson, Philadelphia; secretary of the commonwealth, Frank M. Fuller, Fayette county; superintendent of public buildings and grounds, James M. Shumaker, Cambria county; adjutant general of the Pennsylvania National Guard, Thomas J. Stewart, Montgomery county.

He also sent the name of Bromley Wharton, of Philadelphia, as private secretary.

The confirmation of the appointments was unanimous by the forty-five members present and voting.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity.

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PURE FOOD BILL

The House of Representatives has passed the pure-food bill introduced by Mr. Hepburn. It provides for preventing the adulteration, misbranding and imitation of foods, beverages, candies, drugs and confections in the District of Columbia and the Territories...

BURGARS USED MOLASSES

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 20.—Last night three masked burglars broke into the postoffice and jewelry store kept by C. N. Mollereder.

They smeared the plate glass window with molasses before breaking in, in order to deaden the noise. Then they blew open the safe with dynamite, but were frightened away before obtaining any booty.

Fortify the system against disease by purifying and enriching the blood—in other words, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mount McKinley, the highest peak on the continent of North America was visited last season by a party of the United States Geological Survey. So far as is known this is the first time that white men have reached even the slopes of the peak, though its altitude was determined, from a distance, in 1898.

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An Austria-Hungary sent out the largest number, 15,459; Italy came next, with 10,992, and the Russian Empire was a close third, with 10,184. The immigration from all the countries of Europe showed an increase.

FISSURES IN THE EARTH

Whitman, Mass., Jan. 21.—Two fissures in the earth about three feet deep and a few inches wide and running for a distance of a quarter of a mile are the only evidences of a mysterious explosion which shook this town just before daybreak today. Houses were shaken violently and crockery was broken in several residences.

A number of persons, aroused by the explosion, began a search at daylight. In a meadow they found a crack in the earth's crust about three feet in depth and two or three inches wide. They followed it for three quarters of a mile before they reached the end.

Later they discovered another fissure of the same description about 75 feet away from the first and parallel with it. An explanation of the explosion is lacking.

During a brief visit of John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, at Atlantic City, Dr. Philip Harvel, a local physician, was called in to examine Mr. Rockefeller's throat, and the latter offered him \$1,000,000 if he would provide him with a new and healthy stomach.

Balto. News.

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The Maryland Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, with headquarters in Baltimore, is interested with many other humane societies of the country in opposing the bill recently rushed through the House of Representatives, and now pending in the Senate, to amend the revised statutes to allow the holding of live stock in cars in transit 40 instead of 28 hours without food, water or rest.

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Dr. Jean Charcoe has announced the plans for an Arctic expedition under the patronage of the French Academy of Science and the Ministry of Public Instruction. The party will leave France on May 15 for Spitzbergen, and thence will start for Frantz Josef Land. The expedition will be exclusively French. Lieutenant de Gerlach, who commanded the Belgian Antarctic steamer Belgic, will probably be a member of the party, which will also comprise several scientists.

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An Austria-Hungary sent out the largest number, 15,459; Italy came next, with 10,992, and the Russian Empire was a close third, with 10,184. The immigration from all the countries of Europe showed an increase.

ADVICE TO GOSSIPERS

Prof. Van Dyke, of Princeton University, offers a bit of advice, which those of us who are possessed of a disposition to gossip unduly might profit by. He says: "There are two good rules which ought to be written on every heart: Never to believe anything bad about anybody unless you positively know it to be true; never to tell even that, unless you feel that it is absolutely necessary."

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

No. 7506 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick county, sitting as a Court of Equity. Daniel P. Sweeney vs. Maud G. Halstead and Charles C. Halstead, her husband, Mary S. Norrid and James P. Norrid, her husband, Viola Sweeney, children of Charles Sweeney deceased, Mary C. Sweeney and John P. Sweeney and Philip Sweeney, his wife, children of Philip Sweeney, deceased, and J. Edward and Alice Sweeney his wife, a son of Timothy Sweeney, deceased. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of certain real estate of which William R. Sweeney died, seized and possessed and the division of the proceeds of said sale among the parties thereto.

THE BILL IN SUBSTANCE STATES: That on the 22nd day of April, 1902, William R. Sweeney, late of Frederick county, deceased, died testate, seized and possessed of certain real estate, situated in Frederick county, Maryland, fully described in the exhibit filed with said Bill.

That he left surviving him the following heirs at law, viz: (1) Daniel P. Sweeney, an unmarried brother, the Plaintiff, an adult and a resident of Frederick county, state of Maryland.

(2) The following children of Charles Sweeney, a deceased brother, viz: (a) Maud G. Halstead, whose husband's name is Charles C. Halstead, a daughter of the said Charles Sweeney, deceased, both adults and reside in the state of Missouri. (b) Mary S. Norrid, whose husband's name is James P. Norrid, a daughter of the said Charles Sweeney, deceased, both adults and reside in the state of Missouri. (c) Violet Sweeney, unmarried, a daughter of the said Charles Sweeney, deceased, an adult and resides in the state of Missouri.

(3) The following children of Philip Sweeney, a deceased brother, viz: (1) John P. Sweeney whose wife's name is Mary Sweeney, a son of the said Philip Sweeney, deceased, both adults and reside in the state of Pennsylvania. (2) Mary C. Sweeney, unmarried, a daughter of the said Charles Sweeney, deceased, an adult and resides in Frederick county, Maryland.

(4) J. Edward Sweeney, whose wife's name is Alice Sweeney, a son of Timothy Sweeney, a deceased brother of the said William R. Sweeney, deceased, both adults and reside in the state of Pennsylvania, but at the time of filing of this Bill the said J. Edward Sweeney resided in the state of California. That the said real estate on the death of the said William R. Sweeney descended to the said heirs at law as tenants in common and not susceptible of division among the parties in interest without great loss and injury, and it is therefore necessary that the same be sold, that the proceeds of the same may be distributed among the parties entitled thereto.

The Bill then prays for process against the resident defendant and for an order of publication against the non-resident defendants and that a decree may be passed for the sale of the said real estate and the distribution of the proceeds of sale among the parties entitled thereto according to their respective interests and for general relief.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

No. 7525 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick county, sitting as a Court of Equity. Daniel P. Sweeney vs. Maud G. Halstead and Charles C. Halstead, her husband, Mary S. Norrid and James P. Norrid, her husband, Viola Sweeney, children of Charles Sweeney deceased, J. Edward Sweeney and Alice Sweeney, his wife, son of Timothy Sweeney, deceased, and John P. Sweeney and Mary C. Sweeney, children of Philip Sweeney, deceased. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of certain real estate of which Bridget Sweeney died, seized and possessed, and the division of the proceeds of said sale among the parties entitled thereto.

THE BILL IN SUBSTANCE STATES: That on the 22nd day of July, 1878, Bridget Sweeney, late of Frederick county, deceased, died, seized and possessed of certain real estate situated in Frederick county, Maryland, fully described in the Exhibit filed with said Bill. That she left will which has been probated in the Orphans' Court for Frederick county, Maryland, a copy of which is filed with said Bill, but that said will is unenforceable, operative in law and creates an estate contrary to law and is void, and that said real estate vested in her heirs at law as tenants in common and they became so seized and possessed of the same.

That after her death her son William R. Sweeney, one of her heirs at law, purchased all the right, title and interest in the said real estate from the following other heirs at law of the said Bridget Sweeney, viz: (1) From Daniel P. Sweeney, a son of Bridget Sweeney; (2) from J. Edward Sweeney, a son of Bridget Sweeney's deceased son, Timothy Sweeney; (3) from John P. Sweeney a son of Philip Sweeney, a deceased son of Bridget Sweeney, deceased, from Maud G. Halstead and Violet Sweeney two daughters of Charles Sweeney a deceased son of the said Bridget Sweeney, and received from the said parties deeds for their said interests which said deeds are filed as exhibits with this Bill, leaving remaining only two other interests of the heirs at law of the said Bridget Sweeney outstanding and not secured by the said William R. Sweeney, viz: about a one tenth interest in Mary C. Sweeney, a daughter of the said Philip Sweeney a deceased son of the said Bridget Sweeney, and about one-fifth interest in Mary S. Norrid a daughter of Charles Sweeney a deceased son of the said Bridget Sweeney of which they are now seized and possessed.

That since purchasing the said interests and shares in the said real estate the said William R. Sweeney died on the 22nd day of April, 1902, intestate, leaving surviving him the following heirs at law, viz: (1) Daniel P. Sweeney a brother, the plaintiff in the case; (2) J. Edward Sweeney, son of Timothy Sweeney, a deceased brother, whose wife's name is Mary Sweeney; (3) Maud G. Halstead whose husband's name is Charles C. Halstead, a daughter of whose husband's name is James P. Norrid and Violet Sweeney who are three daughters of Charles Sweeney a deceased brother; and John P. Sweeney whose wife's name is Mary Sweeney and Mary C. Sweeney two children of Philip Sweeney a deceased brother to which heirs at law the said real estate of which the said William R. Sweeney died, seized and possessed descended as tenants in common and which said heirs at law are also the heirs at law of the said Bridget Sweeney and they are now so seized and possessed of the same.

That all of the said heirs at law are adults over twenty-one years of age. That Daniel P. Sweeney and Mary C. Sweeney reside in Frederick county, Maryland, Maryland, but that all the rest are non-residents of the state of Maryland; that J. Edward Sweeney resides in the state of California and that Alice Sweeney, his wife, John P. Sweeney and Mary Sweeney his wife, reside in the state of Pennsylvania and that Maud G. Halstead and Charles C. Halstead her husband, Mary S. Norrid and James P. Norrid her husband, and Violet Sweeney are all residents of the state of Missouri.

That the said real estate is not susceptible of division without great loss and damage and that it would be to the best interest of all parties in interest that the same should be sold and the proceeds divided among the parties entitled thereto. That even if the Court should determine that the said will creates a valid trust or contains a valid devise of the property above mentioned, then in that event it would be to the interest and advantage of the parties entitled thereto if the same are also the parties under the said will, who will participate in said devise, to make sale of said real estate.

The Bill then prays for process against the resident defendant and for an order of publication against the non-resident defendants and that a decree may be passed for the sale of the said real estate and the distribution of the proceeds of sale among the parties entitled thereto, and for general relief.

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Table with market quotations for Wheat, Oats, Hay, Country Produce, Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Potatoes, Dried Cherries, Raspberries, Blackberries, Apples, Peaches, Lead, Beef Hides.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

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NOTICE.—All announcements of concerts, entertainments, picnics, ice cream and cake festivals and similar enterprises, get up to make money, whether for churches, associations, or individuals, must be paid for at the rate of five cents for each line.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 23, 1903.

FREDERICK COUNTY 'PHONE 33

A party was held at the home of Mr. Edward Riffe, near town, on Friday evening of last week.

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Coal is the question of the day. Many must burn wood. The ax may slip. Have a bottle of Vectors Liniment. It is a noble Remedy.

On Wednesday morning Dr. J. B. Brainer slipped and fell on the icy pavements in this place. The doctor was painfully, but not seriously, hurt.

The grocery store of Thomas West, at Pond town, Washington county, was robbed by burglars, who carried away a large amount of groceries, tobacco, cigars, etc., in a wagon.

William Garlick, a brakeman residing in South Cumberland, had his leg crushed by being run over by the cars at Gratton. He was taken to the Cumberland Hospital.

Mr. James McAllister, of Frostburg, is suffering from a very bad attack of blood poisoning of the foot, having run a darning needle in it a few days ago, making an ugly wound.

Samuel Solomon, of Washington, indicted in two cases for conducting a poolroom in Montgomery county, gave \$1,000 bail in Rockville for his appearance in court.

The warehouse of Bitler Bros., at Walkersville, was broken into on Saturday night by unknown parties and a barrel of flour carried off. So far as known, nothing else was taken.

David Harry, 74 years old, who was married last Thursday to Miss Mary Hollingsworth, 60 years old, in Harford county, died suddenly of pneumonia at the home of the bride, near Dublin.

Patrons of rural free delivery throughout the county have been notified that after February 1 all wooden mail boxes must be replaced with metal boxes approved by the Postoffice Department, to insure the delivery of mail.—*Examiner.*

There is a movement on foot looking to the erection of a large six-story office building in the rear of the court-house in Hagerstown. The plans provide for a restaurant on the sixth floor and a roof garden on top of the building.

GRAND VOCAL CONCERT.—The Cecilia Singing Society of Taneytown, Md., will give a grand vocal concert on Tuesday evening, Jan. 27, 1903, under the direction of Prof. Newborough, of York, Pa.

In Easton Sunday night, while people were at church, some unknown parties went around the town and cut the harness from the teams of several persons, stole the robes, whips and coats, and committed other depredations.

Workmen are engaged in placing the Town Clock in position in the steeple at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. The iron weights to be used in running the clock are being made by Messrs. Frailey Brothers. The clock will be in running order in a few days.

The eighty-second anniversary of the Young Men's Bible Society of Frederick county was celebrated Monday night in the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Frederick. An address was delivered by Rev. Dr. E. K. Bell, of Baltimore.

The Centerville National Bank has purchased property on which to build a modern banking building, to cost \$20,000. Several other handsome buildings are planned to be erected in the business section of Centerville in the spring.

At the annual election for directors for the Thurmont National Bank held on Tuesday, 13th inst, the following were chosen: John Root John R. Stoner Geo. W. Stockdale, Vincent Sebold, Chas. H. Brown, Dr. Morris A. Birely and Samuel M. Birely.—*Clarion.*

Mr. J. Thos. Gelwicks has purchased from Mr. Eugene L. Rowe, executor, the brick dwelling house and store, situated on the north side of West Main street, this place, and belonging to the estate of the late Mr. George W. Rowe, deceased, for \$1,675.

Dr. Frank Skinner, coroner of Franklin county, had a narrow escape from drowning while attempting to ford a swollen creek in his buggy. His robes and medicine chest were swept away, and but for a farmer who waded in the water and helped the horse out the doctor would have gone under.

SHOOTING AMONG NEGROES
Robert Snowden, colored, of Sandy Spring, was shot and dangerously wounded early Sunday morning by John Curry, colored, of Oakdale. Snowden was shot in the abdomen and shortly afterward was taken to Garfield Hospital, Washington, where an operation was performed. He is in a critical condition. They attended a dance at Norbeck Saturday evening, and after the festivity started down the pike together. Just before reaching Oakdale the shooting occurred. Curry claims it was accidental.

The Baltimore Sun Almanac for 1903 was sent to the subscribers of the Sun last week. The present issue of this almanac consists of 176 pages of highly valuable information of a statistical and historical nature. Of the publications of this kind there are none better than The Sun Almanac.

At a recent meeting of tomato growers at the store of George W. Maddox, in the Fairmount district, it was decided that they would not contract to grow tomatoes for less than 15 cents for a five-eights basket, to be sold by the basket, and the cannery to furnish baskets for the grower to dump his tomatoes in at the factory.

On Sunday last Rev. Dr. J. Spangler Kieffer celebrated the thirty-fifth anniversary of his pastorate of Zion Reformed Church in Hagerstown. Of the 138 members comprising Zion congregation only 20 were left; of the 10 who signed his call only one remains—Mr. William Gassman. During his ministry 984 members were added to the church roll.

While blasting for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad tunnel at Ilchester, a piece of rock weighing several pounds was hurled into the air and fell through the skylight of the silk-weaving factory of the Thistle Mills, nearly 200 yards away, grazing the head of one of the female operatives. The sudden and unexpected appearance of the missile created consternation among the operatives.

A CHILD FATALLY SCALDED
A three-year-old son of Joshua Stewart, a farmer, residing two miles from Union Mills died Monday morning as the result of an accident. The child fell from a high chair into a bucket of boiling water, and the lower half of its body was terribly scalded. Dr. J. J. Stewart, who had charge of the case, made every effort to save the life of the child.

PERSONALS
Mr. Charles Rider has returned to Altoona.

Messrs. P. G. King, George Zimmerman and Edward Shriver attended the inauguration of Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker, at Harrisburg, Pa., on Tuesday. Messrs. Martin L. Baker and John Overholzer attended the inauguration of Gov. Pennypacker at Harrisburg, Pa., this week.

ENRICHED BY GOLD FIND
Information has been received in Hagerstown that Melvin Rowland of Omaha, Neb., son of David Rowland of Hagerstown has struck it rich in the Cape Nome gold field.

Mr. Rowland had an interest in a claim there on which gold has been discovered, and he is said to have sold out for \$300,000 to a syndicate.

Mr. Rowland is a young man, and has been in the Alaska field for seven years.

GOV SMITH PARDONS GEORGE GIBBONS

George Gibbons, of Braddock, who was serving a five-year sentence in the Maryland Penitentiary for shooting and killing Leslie Horine on the night of March 11, 1898, has been pardoned by Governor Smith. Gibbons had just been married Young Horine was one of a party who tendered Gibbons and his bride a calypsonian serenade, and Gibbons raised the window and fired several shots from a revolver. One of the bullets struck and killed Horine.

Nasal Catarrh quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. A remedy for Nasal Catarrh which is drying or exciting to the diseased membrane should not be used. Cream Balm is recognized as a specific. Price 50 cents at druggists or by mail. A cold in the head immediately disappears when Cream Balm is used. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Mr. Louis Oest, aged 63 years, was found dead in his apartments, at 726 Light street Baltimore Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. The deceased was well known in South Baltimore, having resided in that section nearly all his life. Coroner Otto M. Reinhardt, of the Southern Police Station, was notified, and after an investigation decided that death was due to bronchitis, from which the dead man suffered for several months. A widow, Mrs. Mary E. Oest, and several children survive him.

REFORMED CHURCH LIGHTED BY GAS.

The Reformed Church, in this place, was lighted last Saturday evening for the first time by acetylene gas. Messrs. J. T. Hays & Son having just finished the work of putting in one of their Sunlight Acetylene Gas Machines. Besides the large chandelier extending down from the centre of the edifice, which lights the body of the church, there are two lights in the chancel, two for the choir and one in the vestibule. The church was beautifully lighted on Sunday evening, and those who attended the evening service were highly pleased with the light and the working of the new plant.

MOURNED AS DEAD BUT MUCK ALIVE

Thomas Phebus, long mourned as dead, has returned to Cumberland after an absence of 27 years. A few years after he left his home in Cumberland Mr. Phebus was reported to have been killed. No contradiction of the report was ever received, and relatives and friends thought he was dead.

Tuesday Mr. Phebus visited his friends in Cumberland. At Cripple Creek, Col., where he now lives, he has acquired considerable property, and is well off. His relatives have removed to New Market, Washington county, since he left Cumberland.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

A very beautiful and impressive wedding ceremony was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Emerson near Cone, Iowa, Thursday evening, Jan. 8, when their daughter, Miss Effie, was united in marriage to Mr. Lewis Motter Ann of Rock Island, Ill., formerly of Emmitsburg, Md.

Promptly at 6 o'clock, to the delightfully impressive strains of Lohegrin's wedding march played by Mrs. Rev. Baumgartel, the happy couple came from their apartments above unattended and in the presence of twenty guests, mostly relatives, pledged their love for life, in the ceremony pronounced by Rev. Baumgartel of the Reform Church. The impressive ring ceremony was used. A niece of the bride, little Miss Lora Van Tuyl was ring bearer. While the words which meant so much to the contracting parties were being pronounced, "O Promise Me," was softly played by Mrs. Baumgartel.

Following the ceremony a bounteous supper was served. The house was tastefully decorated in holly. The presents were many and beautiful. At a seasonable hour the guests bid the happy couple good-bye and God speed as they took the train for their home already prepared at Rock Island, where the groom is a leading hardware man. The heartiest good wishes of a host of friends follow them.

TO TRAIN SERVANTS

For several years past the families of Rockville, Md. have had considerable trouble in obtaining proper servants for the household. A movement has recently been organized which, it is thought, is the solution of this problem. There has been organized there what is known as the Industrial and Employment School for the Colored Youth. This school is now under the supervision of the Montgomery County School Board. The school is managed by a board of directors, all of whom are prominent colored residents of the town, of whom Rev. Moses Lake is the leader. It is proposed by this school to give the colored youth of the county an industrial training, fitting them for service in the arts of cooking, nursing, farming and the like. Girls are to be given instruction in cooking, sewing and laundry work. Scientific and economical methods are to be used as much as possible. Male students are to be taught the theory and practice in farming and gardening.

To this school is to be an employment department from which the pupils receive their diplomas of skill and testimonials when persons apply for a servant. This department will also furnish servants to those who apply.

CHILD HANGED WHILE AT PLAY.

The 2-year-old son of Harvey Lester, near Middleburg, Washington county, was accidentally hanged last Thursday evening under peculiar circumstances. Two children one two years old and the other three years, were playing in a bedroom upstairs. The elder got a rope from a hobby horse and tied it around the neck of the younger. They played around the room and on the bed. The noise ceased, Mr. Lester went upstairs to ascertain the cause. He was horrified to find younger child hanging from the bedpost, dead. It is thought he fell out of the bed and the rope became entangled with the bedpost. The elder child was lying in bed but was young to give an account of the tragedy.

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REAL ESTATE DECEASED.

James O Harbaugh and wife to John M. Stouter, 232 acres of land, \$500.
Mary A. Sheeley, et al., to J. Singleton Sheeley, real estate in county, \$1,500.
Jacob H. Reeves to Geo. S. Springer, real estate, \$200.
Sarah C. Martin and Samuel J. Martin to George S. Springer, real estate in county, \$250.
I. S. Anson and wife to George S. Springer, real estate in county, \$100.
James O. Harbaugh, et al., executors, to John Miller, 108 acres of land, \$4,635.18.
Josephine Pryor and Cornelius Pryor to Charles Lantz, 4 acres of land, \$400.
George C. Alexander and wife to Josephine Pryor, 64 acres and 40 perches of land, \$475.

Frederick county farmers are greatly alarmed by the appearance of a new disease among the horses on many farms. Martin Young, who lives on the Three Springs farm, near Adams town, last week lost three fine horses from this disease, and Sunday two more died. Six other horses belonging to him are affected by the disease. Howard Alburt, of Licksville, last week lost a pair of horses valued at \$275 from the same cause, and the disease has made its appearance among the horses of Henry Miner, in the same neighborhood. The disease, which has so far baffled all efforts of the veterinarians, is thought to be the same as that which a few years ago was epidemic on the Eastern Shore and caused the death of thousands of horses. In some particular it resembles glanders.

CRUSHED BY SAUSAGE STUFFER

James Baker, aged 14 years, was killed in a peculiar manner Tuesday afternoon on Park street, Cumberland. He was riding in a butcher's wagon holding a sausage stuffer upright when the wagon jolted, throwing him out. The stuffer fell on his head, crushing his skull.

DEATH OF DR. GEORGE T. HOTCHKISS

Dr. George T. Motter, a former resident of this place, died after an illness of less than two weeks with pneumonia and heart failure, at his home in Taneytown, on Friday of last week, in the 63rd year of his age. He was a well known physician and enjoyed the acquaintance and respect of a large number of warm friends. His death will be keenly felt in the town in which he resided for so many years, as he was deeply interested in everything having a tendency to improve the town and better the condition of its people. He was Burgess of Taneytown at the time of his death, having served in that capacity for several terms; he was treasurer of Trinity Lutheran church, and President of the Board of Directors of the Carroll Record Company.

He is survived by a widow and two daughters—Mrs. Anna M. Cunningham and Mrs. Wirt H. Tutwiler. Also by a brother and a sister, viz: Judge John C. Motter, of Frederick, and Mrs. Ezra R. Zimmerman, of this place.

The funeral services took place from Trinity Lutheran Church, Taneytown, Monday morning, Jan. 19. The services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. C. A. Britt, assisted by Rev. A. Bateman, of Grace Reformed Church, Rev. Charles Reinwald, of this place, and Rev. George W. Baughman, of Uniontown, were also present.

SURPRISE PARTY NEAR FAIRFIELD.

A very agreeable surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Hettie Baker, near Fairfield, on the evening of Jan. 14, by a number of her many friends. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing various games and social chat. About 10 o'clock the guests were invited to surround a table, heavily laden with refreshments for the inner man, and it is needless to say that justice was done to the many good things provided. About 11:30 the guests separated for their various homes, all declaring they had a royal good time.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hull and daughter, Miss Effie; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Overholzer and son, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Baker and their daughters, Misses Yrda, Alice, Cora, Emma and Mary; Mrs. Charles Reid, and daughters, Maggie, Lottie and Irena, and sons, Lloyd and Harold; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Seabrook, and daughter, Marian.

Mrs. Baker proved a very genial hostess, and no doubt will be surprised again in the near future.

A GUEST.

JAIL DELIVERY AT HAGERSTOWN.

Carl Mong and Charles N. Hebbe, white, and Howard Williams, colored, made their escape from the Washington County Jail Saturday night. The escape of the three prisoners was not discovered until about 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning. They, with a number of other prisoners, were not locked in cells in the steel cage, but were allowed the freedom of the large room in the jail. Sometime during the night they climbed up on top of the cage, which is about five feet from the ceiling, and then lowered a hole about two by three feet in the ceiling. By this means they were able to reach the roof, and from there they got on the roof of the jail through a small trap door. Once on the roof it was an easy thing for the prisoners to reach the ground by way of a two-story porch between the jail proper and the sheriff's residence.

Sheriff Angle stated Sunday that he was up in the jail Saturday night about midnight, and then everything was apparently in order. He thinks the prisoners made their escape sometime between midnight and morning.

Howard Williams, colored, was arrested at Brunswick and lodged in the Hagerstown jail again.

A SNAKE FARM

Ezra Willets, of Mill Stone, Washington county, has situated a snake farm, consisting of half an acre of stony hillside. The land is so overgrown with brush and grass that it furnishes a most ideal retreat, and the number which Mr. Willets has confined is estimated at 20,000. All of the snakes are of a variety known as the "garter." They seldom attain a length of more than four feet, and their bite is not poisonous. There is a demand for "snake oil," supposed to be effective in the cure of rheumatism. As they are caught, the snakes are skinned, and their bodies chopped up and fried like lard. The resulting oil is thick and heavy and has rather a disagreeable odor, which is partially dispelled by repeated cooking. About 200 snakes are treated at a time. Last season Mr. Willets shipped one barrel, but this year, on account of the extraordinarily severe cold of last winter, which killed many of the snakes, the amount will be reduced.

UNCONSCIOUS FROM CROUP

During a sudden and terrible attack of croup our little girl was unconscious from strangulation says A. L. Spafford, postmaster, Chester, Mich., and a dose of One Minute Cough Cure was administered and repeated often. It reduced the swelling and inflammation, cut the mucus and shortly the child was resting easy and speedily recovered. It cures Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, and all Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure lingers in the throat and chest and enables the lungs to contribute pure, health-giving oxygen to the blood. T. E. Zimmerman.

A girder weighing 110,000 pounds was put in position on the new railroad bridge spanning the Patapsco at Ilchester. The bridge is 400 feet long, and will be completed in March. The new tunnel at Ilchester, seven-eighths of a mile long, is through, but the archwork will not be finished for some time.

SALE REGISTER.

March 13, at 11 a. m., John S. Hollinger will sell at his residence at Bee Mill, on the Waynesboro pike, 17 horses and colts, 14 head cattle, hogs and farming implements. Jas. Caldwell, auctioneer.
March 21, at 10 a. m., Cameron F. Oiler will sell at his residence near Tom's Creek Meeting House, 5 horses and mules, 5 milch cows, 30 hogs and shoats, farming implements and household furniture.
March 26, at 10 a. m., John P. Moser will sell at his residence, about 2 miles southeast of Emmitsburg, near the Bruceville road, horses, cattle, hogs, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture. W. T. Smith, auctioneer.

FATAL AFFAIR

At Narrows Park, Cumberland, Saturday night John Welsh, aged 47 years, shot Charles J. Grimes, foreman of the electric railway, aged 30 years, with a revolver, inflicting two wounds, from one of which he died Sunday evening. The wife of Welsh was in conversation with Grimes back of the Narrows Park pavilion about 9 o'clock, when the shooting took place, and two daughters were dancing in the pavilion a few feet away. The husband, having heard from one of his children that the wife had gone to the park to meet Grimes, followed them and shot him twice. One bullet struck him in the head and the other in the side, entering the scalp. The head wound was only a scald wound. Welsh says that before firing he ordered Grimes to throw up his hands, but he used the woman as a shield and endeavored to get his revolver out of his hip pocket. Then he says he fired twice quickly at short range. He gave himself up.

It is denied that Grimes had a revolver when Welsh met him with Mrs. Welsh. The wounded man said he met the woman at the park to give her a bottle of laudanum, which she had told him in the afternoon to get for her. Grimes was a son of William Grimes, a veteran passenger brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, between Cumberland and Pittsburg. Welsh was about to shoot Grimes a third time, when Mrs. Welsh knocked the revolver from his hand. Grimes, while conscious all the time, refused to discuss the shooting.

THE WORCESTER HOMICIDE.

George Riley, who is now in Snow Hill Jail for shooting and killing John Fassett in Berlin last Friday night, says that about one hour after locking his barn Friday night he found the door ajar and as he started to open it his wife rushed into in a very excited state. Upon being asked why she was there she said she was watching someone whom she thought was stealing their wood. Riley doubted the truth of this and upon going into the barn in the dark put his hand on a man lying in the corn bin. He stepped aside and called to the man to come out, but receiving no reply after several demands for him to come out he, Riley, ran to his store near by and got his gun and several friends, one of whom carried a lantern, to go back with him. He could get no one to take the lantern in the barn, so he went in alone with his gun, but could neither see nor hear anyone. Suddenly he heard noise in an adjoining room and looked in, to see the form of a man going through a sliding window. He called to him to stop with out effect, so he shot him, intending, he says, only to cripple him to prevent his escape. It afterward transpired that it was John Fassett, colored, who, in an ante-mortem statement admitted the charge made against him by Riley.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS

Mr. Edward Spensler and Miss Emma Apple, of Littlestown, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barr, of this place.

Mrs. F. Shulley, of this place, who has been a sufferer for the past 4 or 5 years with female trouble, left on last Saturday for Reading, Pa., where she will undergo treatment at a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sinn, of Harney, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zac Sanders, of this place.

The school directors of Adams county met in Gettysburg at the Court House. The State Superintendent was in attendance and explained some points in school law.

Mr. John J. Sanders and family, of Liberty to township, were recent guests of Mr. Zac Sanders and family.

There is a farmer living near Ringgold, Md., who has 29 acres of corn to husk, all standing out in shocks.

[The account of the surprise party given Mr. Hettie Baker is omitted from the above items, as an article giving an account of the party was already in type.—*EDITOR.*]

"TESSIE" OLDER THAN "OLD PETTIE"

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 19, 1903

EDITOR OF THE CHRONICLE.
Dear Sir:—After reading of the death of Miss Sweeney's hen, "Pettie," I submit this life story of a hen of which I am the proud owner. Tessie was hatched on February 29th, 1888, at Taneytown, Md., a turkey hen acting as her mother until she reached the age of six months. In her career she has laid 3218 eggs and raised forty-five broods, aggregating 597 "peeps," besides Wimp, foster mother, and a number of kittens and a puppy. She is very fond of onions and peanuts, and is addicted to the use of tobacco, a habit which she formed when very young. In the fall of 1895 she was injured while on exhibition at the Trenton, (N. J.) State Fair, her right leg was badly crushed, necessitating amputation, she now uses her wing as a crutch with dexterity that betokens human intelligence. At the present writing she is standing behind the kitchen stove, a privileged character.
J. W. HARPER.

NEW CANAL SYSTEM

A decided change in the management of navigation on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal is proposed and will go into effect next spring. A syndicate has purchased all the boats belonging to the Consolidation Coal Company and H. C. Wintrop of Georgetown, and is negotiating with F. Mertens & Sons of Cumberland for their boats.

G. L. Nicholson, general manager of the Canal, who is said to represent the syndicate, is making a proposition to the boatmen, which is to the effect that the syndicate will pay the boat captains \$100 dollars a month salary for operating the boats and they are to hire the necessary hands and crew. The syndicate will furnish the team and rigging. Mr. Nicholson conferred with a number of boatmen at Williamsport and Hancock and made the proposition, which the boatmen are considering. Shippers have advised their boatmen to accept the terms. It is not known who composes the syndicate, but it is thought the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and coal owners are back of it.

Two Manual Pipe Organ for sale. Call at Mr. F. W. Lansinger's residence, Emmitsburg, where you may examine the instrument. Jan. 19-18

DEATH IN STEAM.

Two Men Lose Their Lives By Engine's Crown Sheet Blowing Out.

Four men composing the crew of Baltimore and Ohio freight engine No. 1956 were so badly scalded by the falling of a crown sheet of the engine at Monrovia Frederick County, Md., 10 miles east of Frederick, at 5.15 o'clock Sunday morning that two of them died at the City Hospital, in Baltimore, one Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the other at 9:15 Sunday night. Little hope is entertained for the recovery of the others. One man, whose name is not known, escaped with but a few scratches, although he was riding on the engine. The dead are:

Louis John Hahn, 29-years old, fireman, whose home was at 1617 Patapsco street, Baltimore.

George R. Graham, brakeman, about 25 years old, 1511 East Lafayette avenue Baltimore.

The injured: Charles A. Cotsall, 40 years old, engineer, 729 Eliza street, Baltimore. William Steinacker, extra fireman, son of John F. Steinacker, a dairyman, living at Westport.

The story of the accident as told by Mr. John T. Severns, of 115 East Randall street, the conductor of the train, is as follows: "We were coming up a steep grade right at Monrovia. The train was still in a deep ravine, which hemmed the track in closely on both sides. We were running at about eight miles an hour, with extra engine 1836 at the rear and 1956 in front.

"Suddenly there was a heavy report, and Jefferson Hall, the engineer in charge of the rear engine, shouted to me: "Did you see that flash?" I had seen it. It was like a blinding flash of lightning, and we felt the power of the forward engine released almost immediately.

"I was in the caboose and soon joined Hall, who had leaped to the ground in a flash. We had gone the length of three or four of the 32 foot cars in the train when we encountered Steinacker, who was rolling into a gully beside the track, a mass of flames. After we had torn the clothing from the upper part of his body and extinguished the flames I left him with Hall and again started toward the engine.

"I had gone but a few yards when I saw Hahn stretched across the west track. A farmer met me just as I stopped to attend to Hahn. He was carrying Graham in his arms and said he had seen him thrown into a field, probably 100 feet from the engine. We got the two men to my caboose, where we found that Hall and the rest of the train crew had already taken Hahn.

"We returned and found Cotsall lying 50 feet in front of his engine and raving wildly about having lost his hat. We laid him in the caboose beside the others.

"I ran to a store at Monrovia and telephoned to New Market, about four miles away, that we wanted all the doctors we could get right away. Within 30 minutes Drs. H. H. Hopkins, Sr., and H. H. Hopkins, Jr., were on the scene. Dr. Gaver, of Monrovia, came later, and a wagon was sent for the men that could be done.

"When the passenger train which leaves Frederick for Baltimore at 6:18 A. M., reached us the caboose was attached to that and the men brought to Baltimore.

"While we were waiting for this I was surprised by a stranger, who walked in and said he had been on the engine. He knew that there had been a fearful shock and had awakened later in a field 30 feet from the engine. He was leaning forward and missing his own engine at Reel's Mills, a few miles above, had boarded our train. I believe he came to Baltimore on the train which carried the wounded men."

As to the cause of the accident, Mr. Severns said that water had been taken at Reel's Mills, but whether care had been taken to keep the engine full he did not know. After the accident the crown sheet had been examined, and it was found that the bolts on the left side had been loosened and the sheet warped away from that side, allowing all the water to escape over the fire. The effect of this had been to release the contents of the boiler, and the men in the cab were enveloped in the steam, which rained out without warning. Not so much as a speck of ashes was left in the furnace, and the doors, which had evidently been closed, were blown off.

The men lapsed into unconsciousness shortly after they were carried to the caboose. Mr. Hahn regained his senses for a moment before the start was made for Baltimore and asked what had happened. He lost consciousness before he was answered.

Practically no damage was done to the locomotive other than destroying the crown sheet, and it was hauled into Baltimore with the train it had been drawing and sent to the Mount Clare shops.

Superintendent Spurrier, when asked what type of engine 1956 was, replied that it was "the regular Baltimore and Ohio type" and had been in use about six months.—*Baltimore Sun.*

Croup.

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not waste valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how highly they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by T. E. Zimmerman, Druggist.

FELL DEAD IN CUMBERLAND

Mr. Jacob Hoock, who was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Martin, in Cumberland, dropped dead from an attack of apoplexy Monday afternoon as he was entering the door of the Queen City Station, to purchase a ticket for Hancock. His little granddaughter, a daughter of Mr. Martin, was accompanying him. His head struck the stone step which made an ugly gash over the temple. Death was instantaneous. He was 70 years old.

Mrs. Martin says that her father had \$49 in his pocket when he left home. He offered her a ten-dollar bill as a present, which she refused, and which he placed back in his pocket. When his clothes were searched only \$2 was found. It is believed by relatives that some one robbed Mr. Hoock after he died, and before the coroner took charge.

Pains in the Back

Are symptoms of a weak, torpid or stagnant condition of the kidneys or liver, and are a warning it is extremely hazardous to neglect, so important is a healthy action of these organs. They are commonly attended by loss of energy, lack of courage, and sometimes by gloomy foreboding and despondency.

"I had pains in my back, could not sleep and when I got up in the morning felt worse than the night before. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and now I can sleep and get up feeling rested and able to do my work. I attribute my cure entirely to Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. J. N. Pravy, care H. S. Copeland, Pike Road, Ala.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills
Cure kidney and liver troubles, relieve the back, and build up the whole system.

MR. DAVID RINEHART.

Mr. David Rinehart died January 15 at the home of his son, Winfield S. Rinehart, in Frederick county, near Union Bridge, Carroll county, aged 85 years. He was born in Carroll county and was a brother of the sculptor William H. Rinehart. Of seven of these brothers Israel C. Rinehart is now the only survivor and lives near Union Bridge, in Carroll county. David Rinehart was twice elected County Commissioner of Frederick county. He was twice elected to the Legislature of Maryland, his first term being in 1863. He was elected to the constitutional Convention in 1864 and re-elected to the Legislature in 1865. He ran for State Senator on the Republican ticket in Carroll county in 1879, but was defeated by the late Henry Vanderford. He leaves two sons—Winfield S. and Lincoln W. Rinehart, of Medford, Carroll county.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS A BOX is the value H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C



FARM GARDEN

DANISH DAIRY METHOD.

Manipulation of the Udder as Practiced by Progressive Dairywomen. A test of Danish dairy methods at the Wisconsin station, reported by Professor Woll in bulletin 96, shows a constant daily gain in the amount of milk from manipulation of the udder when milking.



Fig. 1.

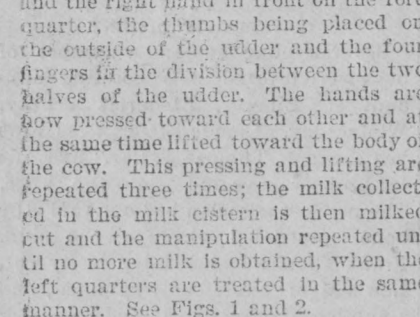


Fig. 2.

only one-quarter at a time is taken, with the left hand on the hind quarter and the right hand in front on the fore quarter, the thumbs being placed on the outside of the udder and the four fingers in the division between the two halves of the udder. The hands are now pressed toward each other and at the same time lifted toward the body of the cow. This pressing and lifting are repeated three times; the milk collected in the milk pail is then milked out and the manipulation repeated until no more milk is obtained, when the left quarters are treated in the same manner. See Figs. 1 and 2.

Second Manipulation.—The glands are pressed together from the side. The fore quarters are milked each by itself by placing one hand, with fingers spread, on the outside of the quarter and the other hand in the division between the right and left fore quarter. The hands are pressed against each other and the teat then milked. The hind quarters are milked by placing a hand on the outside of each quarter, likewise with fingers spread and turned upward, but with the thumb just in front of the hind quarter. The hands



Fig. 3.

are lifted and grasped into the gland from behind and from the side, after which they are lowered to draw the milk. See Figs. 3 and 4.

Third Manipulation.—The teats are grasped with partly closed hands and lifted with a push toward the body of the cow, both at the same time, by which method the glands are pressed between the hands and the body. The milk is drawn after each three pushes.

Important and interesting. A note from the Montana experiment station states that the chemists of the station, Dr. Trapnauer and Mr. Burke, have succeeded in detecting the presence of salicylic acid in nearly all fruits and in many vegetables.

What Started the Jar. Wife—I wonder how you can look me in the face. Husband—Oh, a man can get used to anything.—New York Times.

WHAT ASSOCIATION DOES.

How the Long Island Growers Handle the Eggplant Crop. The Long Island Eggplant Growers' association is handling its crop in about the same way as last year. There is an increase in the membership and acreage. We handle this season fully 35 per cent of the crop in the section where we operate. By arrangement with the railroad company here we have this year secured a special eggplant train which runs every day and gives a much improved service over anything we have had before. Our shipment of this season will probably be 20 per cent greater than last year. Our expenses are met by loading and shipping in car lots to our own consignees and applying the difference between local rate and car rate to expense account. This works very nicely and is sufficient for our needs.

We are delivering about 3,000 barrels daily to the New York and Brooklyn markets and try to maintain the shipment at this point or below it, as any increase above this number results in very low sales. In fact, the limit of a paying market in these two cities seems to be reached at 3,000 barrels, and we try to keep it within this limit by diverting the excess to other markets. We are for this purpose continually shipping to Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago, maintaining for these markets a service in food cars. This service is furnished without extra cost to our members, as the difference between local rate and car rate increases with the length of haul, and we are able to pay for the loss and carry on the car without making a charge on the shipper. The association has done something this season in the way of selling cars outright on the track here and with very satisfactory results. I believe a sales department could be established, and if competently managed it would be a great benefit to our people.—J. M. Supton in American Agriculturist.

An Iron Kettle Support.

An article very handy to have in the kitchen, a stand for the iron kettle used for heating water, is sketched by an Iowa Homestead correspondent.

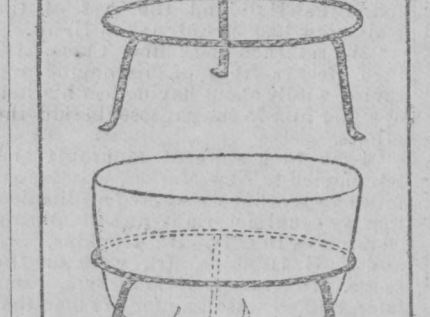


Fig. 4.

Take a piece of wagon tire and bend it into a circle so that it will fit the kettle about half way up the side; then rivet or weld the ends together and fasten legs to this by rivets or welding. The legs should be turned out at the bottom so they won't sink into the ground. The height of the legs should be about twelve inches.

I prefer riveting as it is so much easier done and can be done on the farm, while if the legs are welded on it will have to be made by a good blacksmith. With this device a person can heat water and render lard with the greatest convenience.

To the Practical Corn Breeder.

The practical corn breeder I urge only three things: First, adopt the row system, plant twenty-five to fifty good seed ears, one ear to a row, then select your seed for the next year on the basis of performance record from about ten rows which produce the highest yield and the best ears. Second, breed corn for a purpose. If you wish to feed corn, breed and grow high protein corn. If you wish to grow corn for starch and glucose factories, breed and grow the corn the factory wants. Third, until we have more facts don't devote too much time in trying to produce kernels on the tip end of the cob or in trying to reduce the size of the cob or in trying to make the tip end of the ear as large as the butt or in pinning out suckers or in doing other things the ultimate effect of which is unknown. It is not yet known with any degree of certainty whether those things are beneficial, injurious or without effect on the production of the crop.—G. C. Hopkins, Illinois.

First Class Hay Likely to Be Dear.

According to the Hay and Grain Reporter, good hay is a scarce article all over the country, and this following so closely upon last year's shortage may result in a duplication of the twenty-six dollar a ton rate which prevailed in Kansas City last year before the late rains fell. There is plenty of hay, such as it is.

Thought and Action.

Alip high. Don't let the pump freeze. Face the future with courage. Miss no chance to gather life. Send for the seed catalogues now. The clean, warm stable is the place for profit. A singletree makes a fine gambrel upon which to hang a hog. A temporary shelter fixed for stormy days will be appreciated by the flock. A lighted lantern under the lap rock will help you keep warm in zero weather. Bringing up the farmer is a greater study than bringing up the farm. It pays better too.

Reforma Mocked. "Look here," said the reforming husband, "we must have things arranged in this house so that we shall know just where everything is kept." "With all my heart," sweetly answered his wife, "and let us begin by your late hours, my love. I should dearly like to know where they are kept." He let things run on as usual.

Almonds and Raisins.

Nuts are the protid kings among fruits. It is on them that the apex maintains much of their vigor. Thus the almond can be thoroughly masticated or else pounded or milled. It is rich in oil as well as in protid. Almonds and raisins, which are so often taken after a full meal, are, like cheese, absolutely a complete meal in themselves, so great is our ignorance about food values. It is said of the almond: Nut cream is recommended for brain workers. It is made as follows: Pound in a mortar or millce fine three blanched almonds, two walnuts and two ounces of pine kernels. Steep overnight in orange or lemon Juice. This cream should be made fresh daily and may be used in the place of butter. Milk of almonds is made of kernels finely minced, with boiling water added. Almonds roasted to the color of amber are delicious to eat with biscuits or bread and butter. Grated in a nut mill they are good to serve with any kind of steamed fruit. They are useful medicinally because of their soothing and emollient properties. They should always be blanched in hot water, the skins being indigestible.

Von Moltke's Simplicity.

Once while traveling General Moltke entered a small Swiss hotel, and as the head waiter saw his gaunt figure stalking in, wrapped in a worn out leather satchel, he measured his wealth by his looks and ordered his assistant to show him to a small room in the uppermost story. As he was making himself comfortable in the attic another assistant came, as is customary there, to ask the silent stranger his name and rank. "Give that to my servant," replied Moltke, "when he comes with my carriage. This is good enough for me." And he remained.

Cushing's Chair for Visitors.

Caleb Cushing desired people to keep at a distance from him while talking, and many of his callers had a habit of gradually moving their chair nearer to him during a conversation. So one day, having been very much annoyed in that way, he sent for a carpenter and made him fasten two pieces of board to the legs of the chair and then screw it to the floor at the place where he wanted people to sit. When it was done, he contemplated it with a smile and remarked: "I guess I have got them now. They can't blow their bad breath in my face any more."

Collar is Good to Eat.

"Collar" is the unusual name applied in England to a preparation of meat that is only slightly different from one often served here. Equal parts of cold cooked ham and tongue are put through the meat chopper and afterward pounded to a paste, a little dry mustard added and the whole heated. When warm, press down in a bowl, put on a weight and let stand to get cold and pack into form. Slice thin and serve at luncheon or supper.—Harper's Bazar.

He Caught Him.

Slick (to Blossom)—Is this Mr. Blossom's office? Blossom—No. His office is across the hall. Slick (leaving the door open as he walks out)—Thank you, sir. Blossom—Hill Come back and close that door. Haven't you any doors in your house? Slick—Yes, sir, but they all have springs on 'em. Allow me to show you, sir, my patient double back action door spring. It closes without a bang and is warranted to last a lifetime.

Advertisement for ELY'S CREAM BALM, featuring a bottle illustration and text describing its uses for various ailments like colds, headaches, and rheumatism.

Advertisement for WINE OF CARDUI, featuring a portrait of a woman and text describing its benefits for women's health and general well-being.

Advertisement for Mrs. Fred Urnath, President Country Club, Benton Harbor, Mich., including a testimonial about her recovery from illness.

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Advertisement for Emmitsburg Rail Road, including a detailed time table for various routes and connections.

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Digests what you eat. This preparation contains all of the digestants and digesta of all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it.

Cures all stomach troubles. Prepared only by E. O. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. 25c a bottle. Contains 100 grains of active ingredients.

Directory for Frederick County, listing various officials, churches, and societies.

Advertisement for THE Emmitsburg Chronicle, published every Friday morning for 50 cents a year in advance.

Advertisement for FOLEY'S Kidney Cure, THE DAILY AMERICAN, and THE TWICE-A-WEEK AMERICAN, including subscription rates and contact information.