

### EXERCISES FOR HEALTH.

**A Little Shaking Up Before Breakfast Is a Good Thing.**

For almost every person under fifty, and for a great many people over fifty, exercise is the nearest approach to a panacea for bodily ills that has yet been devised. Causing the body to move and stretch and push and pull makes the blood circulate, the liver do its work and the nerves pick up their dropped stitches. An excellent time to exercise is before breakfast. Neither man nor beast, as a rule, goes to sleep hungry. During sleep there is little waste of energy. On waking there is no immediate demand for replenishment of lost tissues. Furthermore, the digestive apparatus is dull and lendent. To sit down to a heavy breakfast with fifteen or twenty minutes after getting out of bed means that the stomach receives food which it does not need and will not readily digest.

A little shaking up before breakfast arouses the vitality and consequently makes the appetite and digestion better. That means better work done during the day. If a man can get away from work in time to take additional exercise during the afternoon he will have a better appetite for the evening meal and more power to digest it. That will mean better sleep at night. Many a man has succeeded in the world without paying any attention to his body—Joseph Chamberlain, for instance. But such men would probably have succeeded more easily and certainly with more pleasure to themselves if they had taken care of their bodies. A strong mind is certainly stronger and more enduring in a healthy body than in a sickly one. The best way to keep the body healthy is to use it.—Chicago Tribune.

### The Difference.

Little Rodney—Papa, what is the difference between climate and weather? Mr. Wayout (of Mansalhurst-on-the-Blink)—Climate, my son, is what a healthy man when you are buying a home there, and weather is what it has afterward.—Puck.

### Debts of Honor.

Johnny—Pa, what is a debt of honor? Pa—It is a debt that is incurred in a dishonorable way, Johnny.—Boston Transcript.

### Naturally.

Van X.—Why are you going into the soap business? De Q.—To clean up some money, of course.—Detroit Free Press.

The man who is miserable and makes a bluff at happiness is a benefactor for keeping his sorrows to himself.—Baltimore American.

### Bold Court Jesters.

"You are ready enough to point your satire at other people's faults," Queen Hessa once said to Clod, one of the court jesters. "But you never say a word about mine." "Ah," exclaimed Clod, "why should I waste time in reminding your majesty of your faults, seeing that they are in everybody's mouth?" Patch, one of Henry VIII's fools, once sought permission to demand an egg from every husband who was dissatisfied with his wife. No sooner had the king granted his request than Patch proceeded to demand the first egg from him, saying, "Your grace belongs to the class of husbands on whom I am entitled to make levy."

### Japanese Myths.

Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or savage. Among these are serpents 800 feet long and large enough to swallow an elephant, foxes with eight legs, monkeys with four ears and fishes with ten heads attached to one body. They also believe in the existence of a crane which, after it has lived for 900 years, has no need of any sustenance except water.

### Talleyrand's Sharp Tongue.

When Mme. de Stael published her celebrated novel, "Delphine," she was supposed to have painted herself in the person of the heroine, and M. Talleyrand in that of an elderly lady, who is one of the principal characters. "They tell me," said he, the first time he met her, "that we are both of us in your novel in the disguise of women."

### THE WORD "HANDICAP."

It Comes From the Ancient Custom of Hand in the Cap.

In former days a "handicap" was conducted thus: A, wishing for something which belonged to B, say a horse, would offer his watch for it. If A agreed, C was chosen to fix the sum that should be given by one or the other to make the exchange fair.

The three then put down a stake, and A and B, each holding a piece of money, put their hands into a cap or hat, or into their pockets, while C, enlarging on the respective merits of the horse and watch, made his award in as rapid and complex a manner as possible, ending it with the words, "Draw, gentlemen!"

A and B instantly drew out and opened their hands. If money appeared in both the exchange was made; if in one only, or in neither, the award was off, and in every case C took the stakes.

The modern use of handicap has arisen from the employment of experts to make fair conditions for a race in which the competitors are of unequal age or power.

### A BOOK FIELD WANTED.

The Poet Had a Long Search, but It Finally Turned Up.

Eugene Field was a book collector, and one of his favorite jokes, according to the Philadelphia Post, was to enter a bookshop where he was not known and ask in the solemnest manner for an expurgated edition of Mrs. Hemans' poems. One day in Milwaukee he was walking along the street with his friend, George Yenowine, when the latter halted in front of a bookshop and said: "Gene, the proprietor of this place is the most serious man I ever knew. He never saw a joke in his life. Wouldn't it be a good chance to try again for that expurgated Mrs. Hemans'?" Without a word Field entered, asked for the proprietor, and then made the usual request. "That is a rather scarce book," came the reply. "Are you prepared to pay a fair price for it?" For just a second Field was taken aback. Then he said, "Certainly, certainly. I—I know it's rare." The man stepped to a case, took out a cheaply bound volume and handed it to Field, saying, "The price is \$5." Field took it nervously, opened to the title page and read in correct print, "The Poems of Mrs. Felicia Hemans. Selected and Arranged With All Objectionable Passages Expunged by George Yenowine, Editor of Isaac Watts' 'For the Home,' The Fireside Hannah More,' etc., with the usual publisher's name and date at the bottom. Field glanced up at the bookseller. He stood there the very picture of sad solemnity. "I'll take it," said Field faintly, producing the money. Outside Yenowine was missing. At his office the boy said that he had just left, saying that he was going to Standing Rock, Dakota, to keep an appointment with Slitting Bill.

### WHAT THEY READ.

Hogarth was fond of joke books and faces and enjoyed them immediately.

Marie, the great tenor, read anything he could obtain relating to sports or hunting.

"Papa Haydn liked stories, and he said, 'The more love there is in them the better.'"

George III., for many years of his life, read nothing but his Bible and prayer book.

Swift made a special study of the Latin satirists and imitated their style and language.

Da Vinci read Placid and thought him the noblest poet who ever wrote in any language.

Heine seldom read anything but poetry, but he read that with the most scrupulous attention.

Gardener—This here is a tobacco plant in full flower. Lady—How very interesting! And how long will it be before the cigars are ripe?—New Yorker.

### ARMY'S NEW WEAPON

A Magazine Rifle That Can Fire Thirty-five Shots A Minute.

It is a fact, although not generally known, that the ordnance experts of the United States Army, after months of work, have at last succeeded in constructing a magazine rifle which is believed to be superior to any in use in foreign armies at the present time. Every government arsenal in the United States with the necessary facilities is working night and day just now turning out the new arm, and forty thousand of them have already been completed. None will be issued to regular troops, however, until a hundred thousand guns—the number requisite to supply the maximum strength of the army on a war footing—have been completed. At the present rate of progress this date will probably be December 1, when their issuance will be immediately begun. The old rifle, such as has been in use since the Spanish-American War will be returned to the arsenals and later reissued to the various militia organizations now armed with the ancient Springfield rifle, which is regarded almost as obsolete as the old flintlock or percussion cap gun.

During the Spanish-American War, as is well known, many of the regular troops and all of the militia were still armed with the old Springfield, firing black powder and carrying a 45 calibre ball that made a great deal of noise, did little damage and was absolutely ineffective at long range. The disadvantages under which the United States troops labored as a result of their obsolete small arms are too well known to the public to bear repetition, but it is interesting to note that the Spanish-American War, if it did nothing else, also awoke the army authorities to the necessity for keeping abreast of the times in ordnance construction.

The United States magazine rifle which was being introduced in the army when the war began was considered a good weapon, but the advance made in the last few years as result of careful study and exhaustive experiments may be understood when it is known that the rifle now in use and the arm which is to be introduced next December have no two points in common.

The most noticeable difference between the old and the new arm is in the barrel of the latter arm, which is entirely covered with wood. This innovation was the result of practical suggestions made to the ordnance officers by enlisted men of the army.

Following the campaigns in Cuba and in the Philippines many complaints were made by officers in the field, who said that after a period of rapid discharges the rifle barrels became so hot that it was sometimes necessary to cease firing for a time to permit them to cool. In many cases men in the heat of battle had the skin burned from their hands by hot barrels. The wood covered barrel is the result of these suggestions, the steel being entirely covered to within two inches of the muzzle of the gun.

In almost every other particular, from stock to forward sight, there is an important difference between the old and the new gun, and in other features, which are not apparent to the ordinary observer, but which have the greatest weight, and ordnance experts the new arm is far superior to the old. The bore of the new rifle is smaller, the calibre being about .30 inch, while the old arm, about the length of the old Springfield carbine, with which the United States cavalry were armed after the Civil War. Indeed, if they were not for the wooden covered barrel and the peculiar loading and ejecting mechanism, the gun would be almost a counterpart of that famous cavalry weapon.

The "United States Magazine Rifle Model of 1902," as the new arm is technically known, will, it is believed, prove exceptionally popular. In addition to the covered barrel feature, the ejecting lever, which on the rifle now in use projects at right angles and has been the cause of more profanity on the part of the enlisted men than any other portion

of his entire equipment, projects downward at a small angle in the new arm and is somewhat shorter. The magazine has a capacity of five cartridges and can be filled with ease and quickness. The gun, fully assembled, weighs a trifle over eight pounds, and according to the ordnance experts, is exceptionally well balanced, making ease of discharge and accuracy of aim a feature of importance.

Some idea of the efficiency of the new arm can be gained when it is known that twenty-three aimed shots have been fired in one minute with the rifle when used as a single loader, and twenty-five shots in the same time with a magazine fire. When fired as a single loader from the hip, without aim, twenty-seven shots have been discharged in one minute and with the use of the magazine thirty-five shots have been fired in one minute. With an ordinary service charge the powder pressure in the rifle chamber is about 49,000 pounds a square inch, the maximum energy of recoil is 18.08 feet pounds and the maximum effective fighting range 4,781 yards. The exceptional penetrating powers of the rifle were illustrated in a test held some time ago. With full service charge, the rifle, fired at a distance of fifty feet, drove its steel missile 54.5 inches into white pine butts, and penetrated a steel plate nearly one-half an inch thick. The bullet which will be used in the arm has a core of lead and tin composition in a jacket of cupronickel, and when fired with a service charge has a muzzle velocity of 2,300 feet a second.

The army officers on duty in Washington say that it will be only a little while after the regular army is supplied with new guns before about half of them will be back in the arsenal in need of repairs. The enlisted man, as it has been found from long experience, is most set in his ways, and it takes him a long time to get used to anything new in his fighting equipment. Consequently, when a new rifle is issued to him he proceeds to take it to pieces to find out how it works. In the case of the modern rifle this is a rather formidable undertaking, and the army regulations prohibit an enlisted man from experimenting in this manner. The new gun has ninety component parts, and is so complicated that it is freely predicted that if an enlisted man takes it to pieces he will land in the guard house and his rifle in the repair shop before it is ever put together again.

### Thought She Knew Him.

A would-be exquisite, in a tramcar, seeing a young lady whom he thought to be impressed with his personal charms, crossed over and took a seat beside her and said:

"Haven't I met you somewhere before?"

To which she replied in a voice heard by the other passengers:

"I'm not sure, but I think that you're the man who cleans our windows."

The passengers laughed and the young man hurriedly left the car.—Sun.

### Isn't That Thoughtful?

Tess—She used to say she didn't care how homely a man might be if he were only thoughtful.

Jess—Well, that's the kind she got for a husband.

Tess—Why, I heard he was anything but thoughtful.

Jess—He's full of thoughts for himself.—Philadelphia Press.

### Conclusive Evidence.

"I never supposed Diggles would marry a homely woman. He used to be so crazy over the pretty girls."

"Then you are acquainted with his wife?"

"No, I never saw her, but I hear other women referring to her as being 'so good and sweet.'"—Chicago Record Herald.

"Yes, I'm going to run down to the fair for a week or two next month," remarked the cheerful Mr. Stavlate.

"That will be quite a change for you," replied Miss Yavner, with a glance at the clock. "I understand that every one has to leave the grounds at 12 o'clock sharp."

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### JAPAN'S WAR COST.

If any doubt as to Japan's appreciation of the magnitude of her war task remained in the minds of westerners, that doubt should be now dispelled by Count Okuma's frank statement before the members of the united clearing houses of Japan that the country must prepare for a long war, the date of the end of which cannot now be foretold. Count Okuma is leader of the progressive party, and a man of first consequence in Japan. He is plainly a shrewd judge of men. With his warning that the struggle may be greatly prolonged, he uttered a few words calculated to hearten those who might otherwise have been depressed. The Russians, he said, are in a bad way, their service being steeped with corruption.

A war lasting two years, said Count Okuma, will cost Japan \$1,000,000,000, including the loans already placed and the expenses incurred incident to the termination of the struggle. That will mean a per capita burden of \$20, the individual cost to the Japanese of the removal of the Russian menace, provided the campaign is won by the close of 1905. That would be a small expense, considering the magnitude of the stake. Nothing is more certain than that Japan must win this way if she is to retain her unquestioned independence as a nation. Failure would not only mean an enormous debt, greater than that caused by the war itself, being swelled by the indemnities, but the firm establishment of Russia upon the eastern coast of Asia under circumstances which permit no doubt of her remaining. Such an establishment of the Russian power in Korea as well as farther west, would serve as a perpetual menace to Japan's integrity.

During the next year the empire must borrow \$250,000,000. Count Okuma warns the financiers of Japan that if as much as \$75,000,000 is taken by foreign capitalists the country must face a depreciation in the value of its securities. This is a bid for a domestic absorption of the debt, and much now depends upon the degree in which the warning stirs the people to put their savings into government bonds. An outpouring of home funds sufficient to take up all the loans incident to the war would serve as a strong showing of confidence, and would greatly hearten the Japanese armies in the field.—Washington Star.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "a man takes credit for being generous when he's only payin' out money to please his own vanity."—Washington Star.

### Pill Pleasure.

If you ever took DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness or constipation you know what pill pleasure is. These famous Little pills cleanse the liver and rid the system of all bile without producing unpleasant effects. They do not gripe, sicken or weaken, but pleasantly give tone and strength to the tissues and organs of the stomach, liver and bowels. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, Druggist.

### An Odd Court Incident.

Sensational incidents are not uncommon in the closing stages of famous criminal trials. One of the most remarkable occurred in Melbourne on the last day of the trial of Ned Kelly, known as the "ironclad bushranger of Australia." A knife dropped from a gallery overhead and fell at the feet of the defendant in the dock. He had every temptation to grasp it and put an end to his existence, for there was not the slightest chance of his escaping the gallows. But it was promptly picked up by a bailiff, and his owner was arrested and brought before the judge. He pleaded that the occurrence was purely accidental, and the explanation was accepted by the court.

### Concentration.

The weakest living creature, by concentrating his powers on a single object, can accomplish something. The strongest, by disposing of his over-much, may fail to accomplish anything. The drop, by continually falling, bores its passage through the hardest rock. The hasty runner rushes over it with hideous uproar and leaves no trace behind.—Carlyle.

### Her Strikes.

Mr. Benedet—Do you know, my dear, I think we have a pretty good cook? How does she strike you? Mrs. Benedet—For mere wages about once a week.—Illustrated Bits.

### A CARDBOARD WOMAN

THE MALIGN INFLUENCE OF A MUMMY CASE FROM EGYPT.

Queer Sequence of Fatalities and Hard Luck Experiences That Appeared to Be Unhappy Legacies to Those Interested in Its Custody.

In a corner of the first Egyptian room at the British museum, headed the crouching body of the prehistoric chief who lived before there were pharaohs in Egypt or pyramids on the Nile, stands a woman moulded from some ancient form of cardboard. She is merely a shell, the cover of a mummy case. Her hands are crossed above her breast, and her dark eyes stare forward into vacancy.

According to the catalogue she is No. 22542, a prehistorical royal personage and a priestess of the College of Amen Ra. She lived in the mighty city of Thebes some 1,600 years before Christ.

And about this same coffin cover there hangs as terrible a story as ever an Edgar Allan Poe or a Balzac or a Kipling produced from a gloomy hangar.

If you question the attendants in the first Egyptian room they will shake their heads and say nothing. But there is a famous professor in the museum who knows that the facts are true, though whether they be a coincidence or a manifestation of supernatural power who can say? He says:

"For three months I have been gathering the tangled threads of evidence. I have now in my possession proofs of the identity of all those who suffered from the anger of the priestess of Amen Ra. But for the sake of friends and relatives I have been requested to suppress the names.

"About the middle of the sixties of the last century a party of five friends took ship in a dahabeah for a trip up the Nile. They traveled to Luxor on their way to the second catamaran, and stayed there to explore the ruins of the great and wonderful city of Thebes, with its avenues of sphinxes and rams, its vast hall of columns and its temple to Amen Ra, which is unquailed on earth in the sublimity of its ruined magnificence.

"One night an Arab sent by Mustafa Agha came to one of their number, Mr. D., as we may call him, saying that he had just found a mummy case of unusual beauty. What became of the mummy the man did not explain. The next morning Mr. D. bought the case. Both he and his companions were impressed by its remarkable beauty and by the curious face of the woman portrayed on a face that was filled with a cold malignancy of expression unpleasant to witness.

"They had agreed that, being all interested in Egyptology, they should apportion their finds by lot, and so, though Mr. D. had been the cause of its discovery, he lost the mummy cover, which passed to a friend, whom we will call Mr. W.

"It was on their return journey that the series of misfortunes commenced. Mr. D.'s servant was handing him a gun, when without visible cause it exploded, the charge lodging in his arm, which had to be amputated; a second died in poverty within the year; a third was shot, while Mr. W., the owner of the mummy case, discovered on his arrival in Cairo that he had lost a large part of his fortune. He died soon afterward. The priestess of Amen Ra had signified her displeasure in a very convincing manner.

"From the date it was shipped on board the steamer Mr. D. lost sight of the mummy case for several years. He did not at the time in any way associate the misfortunes that had occurred to the party with its discovery, but when he next heard of it and had full information of the disasters which had been subsequently associated with its possession he began to suspect that it was not merely chance, not merely a coincidence, that had brought so sinister a fate on all who had dealings with the priestess of Amen Ra.

"On the arrival of the case in England it was given by its owner, Mr. W., to a married sister living near London. From the day the case entered the house misfortune followed misfortune. The family suffered large losses, and the end came with painful troubles which need not be specified.

"The lady while in possession of the case received one day a visit from Mme. Blavatsky. The great theosophist became very disturbed on entering the room, and after a few minutes' conversation told her hostess that there was something in her house possessed of a most malignant influence. She asked to be allowed to search the house and on discovering the coffin lid appeared to her hostess to send away an object which she described as of the utmost danger. Her hostess, however, refused, laughing at what she imagined to be an example of foolish superstition.

"Some time afterward the lady sent the case to a well known photographer in Baker Street. Within a week the chief of the firm came down to this lady's house in a state of great excitement. He had, he said, photographed the face with the greatest care, and he could guarantee that no one had touched either the negative or the photograph in any way, yet it was not the cardboard features that looked out of the photograph, but a living Egyptian woman staring straight before her with an expression of singular malevolence. Shortly after the photographer died suddenly and mysteriously.

"It was about this time that Mr. D. happened to meet the owner of the coffin lid and begged her to give him the story to get rid of it at once. She agreed, and a carrier was found to carry it to the British museum. The carrier died within a week.—London Express.

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The grand prize, another gold medal, was awarded to the Baltimore and Ohio for its section as a whole.

In the group of engineering and architecture the grand prize, carrying highest honors, was given also to the Baltimore and Ohio for its model of the new Union Station to be built at Washington, D. C.

The "sweepstakes," as it might be called, in the fourteen cores of exhibits in the department of transportation, the grand prize in the railway group in the same building, a grand prize in the department of Liberal Arts, and the medal of honor—altogether making four gold medals of the highest class and eighteen others, most of them gold—is the reward of the company for its splendid exhibit.

At Adams Gives \$1,600 To Convicts New York, Oct. 17.—Overjoyed at his release from Sing Sing, Al Adams did not forget other men in the great prison less fortunate than he, according to a story that came out today.

"I want this to go to 25 long-timers," was the request. "The fellows who won't get out for many years or won't get out at all. It may make them feel better for a little while. If you see any other poor fellows leave them some too."

H. A. Tisdale, of Summertown, S. C., suffered for twenty years with the piles. Specialists were employed and many remedies used but relief and only permanent good was found only in the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

BRUTAL ASSAULT ON SCHOOLGIRL While on her way home from school in Hagerstown Wednesday evening Miss Ina Stotler, the 16-year-old daughter of John Stotler, keeper of the tollgate on Clearfork Pike, one mile from the city, was brutally assaulted by an unknown white man.

KUROPATKIN AT LAST TURNS BACK THE TIDE

Monday night, at the close of the frightful battle of the Shakhe River, Manchuria, the Russians had at last turned back the tide of defeat and had gained slightly since Sunday.

General Kuropatkin has not only held the line of the Shakhe, to which he had been withdrawing his exhausted and beaten men, but has actually recrossed the river and regained possession of a strip of ground south of it, which will act, to some extent, as a buffer in protecting the withdrawal of the supply train.

While the center and the right wing of Kuropatkin continue to hold the Japanese at bay, his left wing, which led the advance at the battle's beginning, has not been heard from in four days. This leads to fears for its safety, though Tokio does not report any new successes in this direction.

General Oku's army on the left of the Japanese—the Russian right—has won control of the railroad almost as far north as the village of Shakhe. It has dealt a series of sledgehammer blows which broke the obstinate resistance of the Russians, but not until General Kuropatkin's baggage and ammunition train had been saved.

An official Japanese estimate of the Russian forces engaged in the battle puts them at 200,000 infantry, 26,000 cavalry and 950 guns. Allowing for the artillerymen necessary to handle this great mass of cannon, there would be a total of more than 250,000 men.

It is believed that Marsual Oyama's available army does not exceed 200,000 men. A dispatch from a correspondent with the headquarters of General Nogai's army, in front of Port Arthur, is the first detailed statement of the operations by the Japanese subsequent to the battle of Nanshan Hill.

President Roosevelt is ready to exercise his good offices in bringing about peace in Manchuria. He will not take this step, it is stated, until both sides are willing.

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110 Years Old Lynchburg, Va., Oct. 15.—Paul Calloway, an aged negro, died here this morning. He claimed to be 110 years old and was the father of at least 28 children, 25 of whom are living.

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MET DEATH LIKE RATS IN A TRAP

An incendiary fire in a big five-story double decked tenement, 15 and 17 Moore street, New York, in the Williamsburg Ghetto, caused the death of five children and one woman, the fatal injury of six other little ones and the painful injury of six more.

The twenty families were sleeping soundly when the hallways suddenly filled with smoke, which rose in clouds from the cellar. The cellar flames burst through the floor and seemed to come from all corners of the building at once.

Quickly the injured were got to the hospital. There were many who were burned badly and who were treated at the homes of neighbors. From every source the police learned of persons who are missing.

While the firemen and policemen were busy at the Moore street fire the blaze at 59 Graham avenue was gotten under control. The house is a tailoring establishment of Samuel Greenblat.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in the Mortgage executed by Abiah Harvey Martin and Annie C. Martin, his wife, to Virginia Brunner, dated October 30th, in the year 1890, and recorded in Liber W. L. P., No. 12, folios 392, etc., one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

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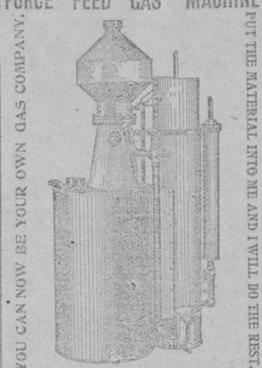
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The undersigned, member of the late firm of Tyson & Lansinger, contractors and builders, will continue the carpenter business in all its branches. Estimates for the construction of all kinds of buildings will be given upon application. Good work and satisfaction guaranteed. When you want any kind of carpenter work done, kindly give me a call.

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# Emmitsburg Chronicle.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

NOTICE.—All announcements of concerts, parties, picnics, tea-dances and cake festivals and similar enterprises, got up to make money, whether for churches, associations, or individuals, must be paid for at the rate of five cents for each line.

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, OCT. 21, 1904.

FREDERICK COUNTY PHONE 33

Mr. David S. Gillelan is quite sick at his home in this place.

O. W. King, of Boonsboro, Washington county, was appointed a guard at the House of Correction.

The front part of Mrs. Annie Spindler's residence has been brightened by a coat of paint.

Mr. T. E. Zimmerman has had the front of the house occupied by him as a drug store and butcher shop repaired.

Andrew Leonard, the wife-murderer, was hanged in the yard of the Baltimore city jail, death being due to strangulation.

A verdict for \$3,000 damages was awarded Miss Mary E. Cavanaugh for injuries in a trolley car accident in Allegany county.

Burglars blew open a safe in the store of George H. Irving, at Aberdeen, and carried off \$300 in cash and \$300 worth of postage stamps.

Walter Finney, formerly cashier of the Second National Bank of Belair, was sentenced to five years in jail, having pleaded guilty to making false entries on the books of the bank.

WANTED.—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for a firm of \$250,000 capital. Salary \$1,072 a year and expenses; paid weekly. Address, M. Percival, Emmitsburg, Md.

A Confederate flag seized by men of the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment at Laurel, Md., early in the Civil War, is to be given by the captors to the Confederate Veterans' Association at Laurel.

In Dorchester county, Howard Taylor, aged 9 years, son of John Taylor, of Cabin Creek, was killed Tuesday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of Fred Hardman, aged 14 years.

While excavating for the new mess hall of the midshipmen at the Naval Academy, workmen unearthed two coffins. One coffin contained an entire skeleton, while the other had but one bone in it. The coffins were of the old style.

Benjamin Cline accidentally shot John Cronin in the arm while hunting near Frostburg, Allegany county. An artery was severed and the wounded man nearly bled to death before aid could be secured.

Mr. Burkett Accused Court  
Mr. Peter F. Burkett left this place on Sunday last for Scranton, Pa., where he will appear as a witness in the case of Edward Hill, of this place, charged with passing counterfeit money.

Superstitions  
Rev. James M. Nourse will lecture in the Presbyterian Church, in this place, on Thursday evening, Oct. 27, at 8 o'clock, (instead of Monday, Oct. 24, as announced last week.) A silver collection is asked.

KILLED 14 CATTLE  
This week Mr. I. S. Amann killed another cow because of the rabies. This makes a total of 14 cattle killed out of a herd of 25. No signs of rabies have appeared among the balance of the cattle for a few days and it is thought that the others may not be affected.

FOR SALE.—Several second hand carriages, all in good condition, consisting of closed carriages for two and four passengers, 2-seated surreys, and 1 Top Spring Wagon. Parties desiring carriages of this kind will do well to call at St. Joseph's Academy, Emmitsburg, where they can be inspected. Oct 7-14

Democratic Rally at Harney  
The Parker and Davis Club will have a grand Democratic Rally at Harney, Md., on Thursday, Oct. 27, at 8 o'clock, p. m. Several of the speakers will be from Gettysburg and Westminster. Everybody welcome.

In the 12 months during which the gasoline question has been before the Baltimore City Council special committee, whereof Mr. William C. Smith is chairman, there have been 11 fatal and 30 serious accidents due to the volatile fluid.

Dwelling Burned  
The large stone dwelling of Charles Bingham, at Waverton, Washington county, was destroyed by fire Monday morning by sparks from a Baltimore and Ohio engine. All the household furniture was saved. The loss will be several thousand dollars.

Alfred H. McCardell 55 years old, was found dead Sunday afternoon on the floor of his room at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Brown, in Hagerstown. He retired Sunday night apparently in good health. Physicians stated he had been dead about six hours when found. His death was due to natural causes.

Physicians almost universally appreciate the value of a good whiskey. Those who have investigated the subject recommend Parker Rye, manufactured by the Oxford Distilling Company of Baltimore. Their advertisement appears in another column, and is a fine example of advertising that produces results.

## THE "FARMERS" WON

Mr. St. Defeated By The M. A. C. Football Eleven  
The Maryland Agricultural College football team defeated the Mount St. Mary's College eleven on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon by 11 to 6.

Although the farmers were outweighted, they completely outclassed the mountaineers in both offensive and defensive work. In the first half the Aggies kicked off and recovering ball on fumble rushed it over for a touchdown, in one minute of play. G.H. kicked goal. Mount St. Mary's then kicked off, and the farmers without losing possession of the ball carried it down the field 80 yards for another touchdown. The mountaineers then took a brace and prevented any more scoring in the first half.

In the second half Kinkhead, of Mount St. Mary's, made a sensational 85 yard run for a touchdown on a delayed pass. The rest of the second half was played almost entirely in the mountaineer's territory. The playing of Stoll and Smith was the feature of the game.

This is the first time for a number of years that Mount St. Mary's football team has been defeated on the home grounds.

## SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Judge Breaks Down And Negro Prisoner Is Unmoved.  
"You shall be hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may God have mercy on your soul," were the closing words of a most dramatic situation in the Circuit court at Salisbury, Md., last Friday, when Judge Lloyd delivered the sentence on the negro wife-murderer, John Handy.

The speech of Judge Lloyd to the negro was one of the most beautiful and pathetic ever delivered in the courthouse in Wicomico county. Judge Lloyd broke down twice during its rendition and cried like a child. The negro received his sentence with Indian-like silence, never a muscle of his face quivering and no sign to show that he was hearing his awful doom pronounced. An offer will be made to intercede with Governor Warfield in behalf of the murderer, but it is believed that the negro will be hanged. This is the first time in the history of Wicomico county that a sentence of death was pronounced against a prisoner.

## PERSONALS.

Miss Clarissa Reigle is visiting friends at York, Pa.

Mrs. O. A. Hooper and Miss Gertrude Amann spent a few days in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Arthur Lamb and two children are visiting Misses Louise and Hallie Motter.

Miss Barbara Beam has returned from a visit to St. Joseph and St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Robert Beam has returned to St. John's College, Annapolis, Md.

Mr. Harry Beam's family have gone to Baltimore for the winter.

Mrs. Wm. Churchill, of Front Royal, Va., visited her sister, Mrs. F. A. Welty, of this vicinity, last week.

Mr. Michael Hoke visited his son and daughter in Baltimore this week.

For fine Wine and Distill House Liquors try Harry C. Harner's brands. E. Main Street, Emmitsburg. July 1-6m

## FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Fairfield, Oct. 18.—Mr. G. E. Brown, of Fairfield, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. Hartzel, of Reading. His wife came along with him home to Fairfield.

Mr. John Pitzer brought a mule to Fairfield to Dr. Hudson to have a wart cut off. They had to throw the mule, and after the animal was down they had hard work to keep him down until the doctor removed the wart.

Rev. Laughlin is making preparations to move from Fairfield. He preached his last sermon on Sunday last.

Mrs. F. Shulley and her daughter, Mrs. Lillie R. Moyer, of Womelsdorf, were recent guests of Mrs. John Butt, at Ortanna.

The farmers in Franklin county are paying \$1 a day for husking corn. Laboring hands seem to be scarce in this section of the county.

Mrs. F. Shulley and daughter, Mrs. Lillie R. Moyer, are visiting at Taneytown, Md., the guests of S. W. Plank.

Misses Mary Riley and Lavina Artzberger, of Fairfield, are visiting at Taneytown.

Mr. James Moore, postmaster at Fairfield has improved his property by painting the house.

Rev. and Mrs. Sifer are visiting Mrs. Sifer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Walter, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jere Plank and daughter, of Knoxlin, and Mrs. John Butt, of Ortanna, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Riley, of this place.

Dr. W. G. Dubs has a pumpkin that measures 6 feet 6 inches in circumference. The doctor lives on F. Shulley's property.

Mrs. Lillie R. Moyer left for her home at Womelsdorf on Wednesday.

Can You Eat?  
J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Christian, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and ran down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cure effected by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me, and after taking taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and cures. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

## DROWNED IN A TANK.

Slagular Fate Of A Night Watchman In A Mine  
The body of James Cosgrove, aged 45 years, night watchman at Bekhart mine, Frostburg, was found last Saturday night in a large water tank at the engine house of the mines. We went to work on Friday night as usual, but when the day watchman went in the morning to relieve him he could not find him.

Later in the day Cosgrove's cap, lantern and dinner bucket were found near the tank and as Cosgrove did not go home in the afternoon a search for him was started. When the tank was examined the body was found standing upright with his arms wrapped around the large pipe over his head. The tank contains about nine feet of water and stands upon a platform about 15 feet above the engine-room floor. It is reached by climbing a ladder and is examined from time to time by the several watchmen.

Just how Cosgrove got into the tank is a mystery, as he would have to take his lantern with him had he gone up to examine the tank. The coroner's jury reached a verdict of accidental drowning after examining a number of witnesses, whose testimony, however, failed to throw any light on the mystery.

A large part of the population of Bekhart get their water supply from the tank for domestic purposes. When Cosgrove relieved John Dean, the day man, and spirits. He leaves a widow and the following children: Allen Cosgrove, of New Mexico; Jacob Cosgrove, of West Virginia; Albert Cosgrove, of Frostburg; Miss Veronica Cosgrove, bookkeeper in the Health Department of St. Louis; Misses May, Gertrude and Regina Cosgrove, of Frostburg.

## REV. CHARLES D. SMITH.

Death Of A Widely Known Methodist Minister.  
Rev. Charles D. Smith, a widely known and very successful clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died at the home of his sister, Miss Mary Smith, in Westminster, Sunday evening, aged 65 years. He was a native of Carroll county and spent his boyhood and early manhood amid the scenes made historic in Maryland by the labors of Robert Strawbridge, the founder of the denomination in America. He was a grandson of Jacob Cassell, who was converted and became a Methodist under Strawbridge's preaching. He was thoroughly familiar with the localities made historic by Strawbridge's work, and it was due to him that these localities were identified and their history preserved and also that the Strawbridge pulpit and other relics of this pioneer of Methodism in America were preserved. He was one of the organizers of the Methodist pilgrimages to the Sams creek neighborhood, where Strawbridge labored, and was the leader of the pilgrims. He was the author of a booklet in which much of the local history is recorded.

Mr. Smith was converted in the historic Stone Chapel in 1858 under the preaching of the late Rev. Charles A. Reid, and was licensed to preach shortly thereafter under the pastorate of the late Rev. James Bradt. In 1864 he was licensed to preach, and having had few educational advantages, was anxious to take a college course, but was discouraged by some of his ministerial brethren and abandoned the project, thus, he has himself said, committing the mistake of his life as a Methodist. "I wish," he has said, "I had been a layman to enter the ministry without obtaining a first-class education." He always felt handicapped by the lack of this and worked extremely hard in preparing for his pulpit work. Believing he was deficient in that respect, he gave his time and energies largely to pastoral labor, visiting from house to house and making special efforts with the children. For 30 years he was never without a children's class. He was in the ministry 30 years, and four-fifths of that time was spent as pastor of churches in Baltimore, his last charge having been Oxford Church, York road and Payson street. He was pastor of that church several times and in all about 10 years. Altogether he served 15 or 16 churches, and during his ministry received about 2,000 persons into the church upon profession of conversion under his labors. He never married, and assigned as a reason that with the necessity of arduous work to properly discharge his duties, in the ministry it would have been unjust to himself, the church, and for any woman for him to have done so, as he felt bound to give to church work the time that would have been taken up by domestic cares and duties.

Mr. Smith was an ardent patriot and deeply attached to American institutions, though he took no part in politics. In political sentiment, however, he was a Republican. He belonged to the Masonic fraternity and was a member of Doer to Wm. Logan, in Westminster.

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Boy Bitten By Horse  
Benjamin Vaine, 17 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vaine, 120 North Washington street, Baltimore, was bitten Monday afternoon by a horse which showed symptoms of rabies and was afterwards killed. The animal, which was owned and being driven by Mr. Henry Gross, 2512 Canton avenue, fell on Foster avenue, near Essex street, Baltimore and Vaine among others surrounded the prostrate animal. When the horse was raised to its feet it grasped Vaine in the right side with its teeth and lifted him from the ground. He was taken to the Johns Hopkins Hospital, where the wound was cauterized, and he is under treatment.

Property Sold  
On last Saturday Mrs. Mary E. Hamter sold at public sale her home property situated in Liberty township, Pa., containing 20 acres of land and improvements thereon to Mr. Alfred Manahan, of Mt. Joy township, Pa., for \$1,960. Also the house and lot situated about one mile north of this place, on the Tract road leading from Emmitsburg to Diehl's Mill, and containing 9 acres of land, to Mr. David Orndorff for \$400.

The property known as the Jacob Krise farm, advertised to be sold at public sale on Saturday last, was not sold.

Shot By Her Brother  
Theresa, 6 years old, daughter of John Snyder, of near Pinto, Allegany county, was accidentally shot and probably fatally injured Monday afternoon by her brother Percival, aged 13 years. He was handling a gun, when it was discharged, the bullet entering the child's lungs. She was taken to the Cumberland Hospital. Less than a year ago another daughter of Mr. Snyder was accidentally shot and killed by a friend of the family, who was searching through the house for a burglar.

Shooting Case In Cumberland  
J. C. Turner, 27 years old, is in jail, charged with shooting John Dunn, 24 years old, a tinworker, during a quarrel in South Cumberland Sunday morning. The bullet entered to the right of the right shoulder blade and passed over to within four inches of the spinal cord, when it struck a rib and glanced up under the shoulder blade, making an ugly wound.

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Theresa, 6 years old, daughter of John Snyder, of near Pinto, Allegany county, was accidentally shot and probably fatally injured Monday afternoon by her brother Percival, aged 13 years. He was handling a gun, when it was discharged, the bullet entering the child's lungs. She was taken to the Cumberland Hospital. Less than a year ago another daughter of Mr. Snyder was accidentally shot and killed by a friend of the family, who was searching through the house for a burglar.

Shooting Case In Cumberland  
J. C. Turner, 27 years old, is in jail, charged with shooting John Dunn, 24 years old, a tinworker, during a quarrel in South Cumberland Sunday morning. The bullet entered to the right of the right shoulder blade and passed over to within four inches of the spinal cord, when it struck a rib and glanced up under the shoulder blade, making an ugly wound.

## CLOSED WITH EXCITEMENT.

Burning Of The Sideshow Tent At The Hagerstown Fair  
The Hagerstown Fair which closed Friday last will be memorable for the sensations attending it. There was another prime excitement Friday when the burning of a sideshow tent Friday afternoon caused a panic on the grand stand, in which several thousand persons were packed. Loss of life was prevented only by cool-headed persons who at once took to the situation and succeeded in quieting the people. In the tent, which was 50 by 50 feet in size on electrical show, entitled "The Great Train Robbery" was in progress. The electrical films took fire as they passed through the moving-picture machine, and in an instant everything inflammable round was ablaze.

The tent, in which were 32 men, women and children, was soon a mass of flames. The occupants rushed for the opening and all got out without injury. Everything in the tent burned, including the personal effects of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lucas, who operated the show. Their loss was about \$1,000.

The tent was only a few feet from the wooden grand stand, on which smoke and blazing canvas were blown. Someone shouted that the grand stand was on fire and immediately everyone made a mad rush for the exits. For a time it looked as though it would be impossible to empty the grand stand without the loss of life, but the panic-stricken crowd was eventually quieted, and no one was hurt.

## A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Aeronaut Eugene Stevens, of New York city, was seriously injured at Hagerstown last Thursday afternoon by dropping from his parachute when it was over 200 feet high. That he was not instantly killed is believed to have been due to the fact that he fell on soft ground. He was taken to the hospital and the physicians say that while the injuries sustained by Stevens are not necessarily fatal, his chances of recovery are slight.

Stevens had been engaged by the fair association to make a balloon ascension and parachute leap each day of the fair. He was carrying out his part of the program when the accident occurred. In making the descent Stevens is said to have misjudged the distance, and when within about 200 feet of the ground he detached the hook, intending to hold on merely with his hands until the parachute reached the ground. He became exhausted, however, and when the parachute was still 200 feet up he fell.

When aid reached him he was unconscious, with blood streaming from his mouth and nose. Stevens is about 21 years old, and is said to be a son of George Stevens, the noted aeronaut.

Stolen Thieving  
On last Saturday night some person stole a basket, with its contents, from Mr. Edgar Shriver's buggy, which was standing in front of Mr. W. D. Collier's store, in this place. A lady saw the man take the basket from the buggy, and gives a very good description of the party. The returning of the basket and its contents to Mr. Shriver may prevent trouble.

On the same night some meat was stolen from another party in this place, and in a similar manner.

## PASTOR STINESPRING

General regret is expressed at the announcement that Rev. C. W. Stinespring who has been pastor of the United Brethren Church in Frederick for the last 10 years, was transferred from Frederick to the Franklin Street Church, in Baltimore.

Rev. Mr. Stinespring is one of the most popular ministers in Frederick. During his pastorate there he built the United Brethren Centennial Memorial Church at a cost of \$19,000, and has largely increased the membership of his congregation.

## FIREBUGS CREATE TERROR

Firebugs created terror in Mercersburg Saturday night by burning the barn of Henry Spangler and attempting to burn Brubaker's Opera House. The former building was destroyed, together with nearly all the contents, entailing a loss of several thousand dollars.

The fire in the opera house was started back of the stage. The miscreants hauled a wagon loaded with excelsior into the building and set it on fire. The alarm of fire followed by smoke bursting from the stage, created a panic in the audience, and a number of women and children were hurt in the rush for the doors. Prompt work by the stage hands and members of Lowe's company, which was playing there, checked the flames. An hour afterward there was a general alarm of fire, caused by the burning of the barn.

## CORNFIELD TRAGEDY

An inquest into the death of Ernest Peacock, who died in a Washington hospital of a pistol-shot wound inflicted by Henson Pool, white, aged 18 years, on Selden's Island, near Edwards' Ferry, Montgomery, 10 days ago, was held in Rockville Monday afternoon.

In a quarrel and fight in a cornfield Peacock struck Pool in the mouth, knocking him backward, Pool then drew his revolver and, daring Peacock to "come on," began firing. Peacock started to run, and while he was stooping over and running through the cornfield received the fatal wound in the back, the bullet coming out near the left nipple. The jury returned a verdict finding Pool guilty of manslaughter. Soon after the shooting the accused took his departure, and his whereabouts have not yet been learned.

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## TRAY OF RINGS STOLEN.

Daring Robbery In A Hagerstown Jewelry Store.  
One of the boldest robberies committed in Hagerstown in recent years occurred shortly before noon last Thursday, when a tray of rings set with precious stones valued at \$1,500 was stolen from the jewelry store of A. V. Polard, on West Washington street, in the central part of the city. The rings were taken from a show window in the front part of the store. Nearly an hour elapsed before the robbery was discovered.

The only persons in the store at the time were the proprietor and one clerk. Two strangers entered, and one asked to have a crystal placed on his watch and the other expressed a desire to see some souvenir spoons. While thus engaged two more strangers entered, stopping in the front part of the store. The two latter remained but a few minutes and departing without making a purchase. It was noticed, however, that while they were in the store one man unfolded a newspaper and for a moment held it in a position so that it hid his partner from the view of the proprietor and his clerk.

It was at this moment that the tray of rings is thought to have been taken from the window, which was open.

The officers are of the opinion that the four men planned the robbery and arranged all details before entering the store. They were well dressed. The stolen rings are set with diamonds, opals and sapphires.

## STOLEN TEAM RECOVERED

A stolen horse and buggy were recovered and the thieves, who gave the names of George W. Rathmore, a white man and Conrad Rinehart, colored, were arrested on last Friday through the shrewdness of Harry Bush, of Wexley's district, Carroll county, at whose home they had stopped and offered to sell the team.

The price they asked was so low that Mr. Bush at once suspected theft, and pretending that he had come to Westminster to get the money, he induced them to accompany him. He had been told by the men that they were from Pennsylvania, and at once opened up telephonic communication with some of the officials of that State, from whom he learned that a horse and buggy, such as were in possession of the men, had been stolen from a man named Kimball, in Cumberland county. He then had the parties arrested and they were committed to jail by Justice Wm. Moore. Mr. Kimball had the team insured against theft in a protective association, the president of which went to Westminster Saturday morning, paid all costs and expenses incurred in the arrest and commitment, and gave Mr. Bush a substantial reward. The accused consented to return to Pennsylvania without a requisition, and were delivered to the authorities of that state by Sheriff Wilson.

## FOUND HIS WIFE DEAD

Mrs. Adella Emerich Kohlenberg, wife of Mr. George T. Kohlenberg, of Adamstown, this county, committed suicide Wednesday afternoon about 2 o'clock in the garret of her home.

Mrs. Kohlenberg had been suffering from insomnia, and was despondent Wednesday morning it is said, she threatened to take her life, and during the morning Mr. Kohlenberg kept a close watch upon her. She ate dinner with him and immediately afterwards Mr. Kohlenberg, who is the B. & O. R. R. agent at Adamstown, was compelled to go to the office. As soon as possible he returned to the house and, not finding his wife immediately, made a search for her. She was found hanging above the garret stairway. A stout cord was drawn about her neck, the other end being fastened to a nail driven into a rafter above the stairs.

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## Lectures On Parties

In the series of political addresses which has been arranged for the instruction of the students of Western Maryland College the second, given Friday night, represented the Socialist party, and the speaker was Mr. C. P. Nesbit, of Washington, D. C. He expounded in a clear and forcible manner the doctrines of his party and was heartily cheered by the students at the close of his speech. Mr. John G. Wooley, the prominent Indiana prohibitionist, was the speaker a week ago. Next Friday night Hon. Stevenson A. Williams will discuss Republican issues, and the week following Mr. John P. Poe, representing the Democratic party, will close the series, which has been greatly appreciated by the students as giving them, in the best possible way, the information so desirable for young people to have.

## Put Away For Seven Years

Mary Dinsmore, an habitual thief, who has been arrested about 25 times for larceny, has been sentenced by Judge Wright, of the Criminal Court, Baltimore, to seven years in the Penitentiary. Judge Wright remarked that such an irreclaimable character ought not to be allowed at liberty to prey on the public and to be coming into court time and time again at the expense of taxpayers. She had been out of the Penitentiary only three days when arrested the last time for stealing some clothes from Mrs. Tessie Hooker, 825 West Saratoga street. Mary was once a good looking woman, but the loss of one eye in a drunken brawl spoiled her beauty. She was already ready with a pitiful story and a plea for mercy when brought into court.

## Calldwell In Bed

Benjamin Franklin, a farmer residing near Bisgah, Charles county, committed suicide Thursday night by putting a bullet through his brain. He was in bed at the time, having retired for the night and had one of his children bring his revolver to him, and committed the rash act in the presence of his family. No cause for the deed is known, but it is reported that he had been drinking excessively during the day, and that that is the probable reason for his taking his own life. He was one of the judges of election for the Second district of Charles county. He leaves a wife and several small children.

## DIED.

CALDWELL.—On October 15, 1904, at the home of his parents near this place, after a brief illness, Mr. George S. Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis T. Caldwell, aged 28 years, 5 months and 10 days. The funeral services, which were largely attended, were held in the Lutheran Church, and were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Charles Reinowald. The interment was made in Mountain View Cemetery, Monday afternoon.

WASTLER.—On October 16, 1904, at his home in this District, Mr. Jonas Wastler, aged about 45 years. Interment at Thurmont on Tuesday.

## Good For Children

The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives instant relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by emulating the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

## FREDERICK FAIR

This was fair week at Frederick and the delightful weather made Wednesday a record-breaking day at the fair. The attendance on Wednesday is said to have been the largest in the history of the fair on that day of the week.

On account of the large number of entries, the judging in a number of departments was not finished until Wednesday afternoon. The competition was keen, the judges of live stock declaring the quality to be of an unusually high order. The exhibit of farm products is also warmly praised. Some extra fine specimens of sugar corn is shown

JAILS IN JAPAN.

Discipline Is Military In Form, but Reformatory In Spirit.

A Japanese prison is thus described: Imagine a park or garden in the Japanese style, with dwarf trees, surrounded by a hedge instead of a wall. In this park one sees a group of Japanese houses like those occupied by the peasants. The prisoners are all at work, proportioned to their physical ability. Some are thrashing and grinding rice. Others are weaving coarse cloth of a dark red color of which the prison uniforms are made. The old and infirm are separating leaves of paper. All of them receive a percentage of their earnings. The younger prisoners are in school. The discipline is military in form, but in its spirit reformatory. There are few evasions, notwithstanding the ease with which they could be effected. One reason for this is the efficiency of the Japanese police, which is said to be the best in the world. The prisoners are divided into three grades and are differently fed, according as they are idle and refractory, amenable to discipline or exceptionally well behaved. The only other punishment is solitary confinement in a sort of dungeon, not exceeding five days. No prisoner may be discharged, however short his term of sentence, unless his family or friends assume responsibility for him. The result has been the organization of a large number of prisoners' aid societies.

FEVER HEAT.

The Reason Some Fruits Have the Effect of Cooling the Blood.

In health the temperature of the blood is constant, and even when spots and rashes appear on the skin there is no departure from the normal temperature unless there is a cause for fever, such as blood poisoning, the invasion of some microbe or serious disturbance of the nervous system. In fevers, when the temperature of the blood is raised, vegetables are never given, as they would not cool the blood, but might help to heat it. Some fruits have cooling properties, as they contain citric acid, and this forms citrates in the blood and increases the perspiration. In serious fevers, however, it is much safer to give measured quantities of citrates to produce this effect than to trust to the uncertain action of fruit.

SOAP BUBBLES.

The Method Newton Adopted in Measuring These Thin Films.

Sir Isaac Newton studied the colored rings in soap bubbles, which appear white at first and then, as the bubble is blown out, brilliant iridescent colors appear in zones around the summit till it becomes black and bursts. These films Newton succeeded in measuring by their color, producing them by a plano convex lens on plate glass. At the point of contact was a black spot with some six or seven rings of light and dark colors alternately. The thickness of the dark rings he found proportional to the numbers 0, 2, 4, 6, and of the bright rings proportional to 1, 3, 5. The thickness of a sky blue film was found to be two-millionths of an inch; of orange red, eight; of violet, eleven; of green, fifteen; of purple, twenty-one, and of yellow, twenty-seven-millionths of an inch.

A Pretty Name For a Girl.

"You didn't think of the work we have to do when you christened it," said the Ebbew Vale magistrate's clerk wearily on Saturday when an applicant for a certificate of exemption from vaccination stated that his child's name was Caeletracelbwyneith.

A Trick of the Trade.

Many of the local curiosity shops planted in the back streets of most county and country towns are simply kept up by large London firms who, from a prolonged study of human nature, have discovered that people who are shy of buying old furniture or old silver in Bond street or Piccadilly are ready and eager purchasers of precisely the same objects, at a rather higher price, when they come upon them in the back streets of a country town—English Country Gentlemen.

His Secrecy.

Comedian—So our manager has been sick. What did the doctor say? Soubrette—Said he needed a change of scenery. Comedian—H'm! The doctor must have seen the show.—Philadelphia Record.

He Was Sincere.

Friend—What did he say to you when he proposed to you? Miss Rox—He said I like you without me meant nothing. Friend—He was sincere in that. That's just what his possessions amount to.

Children never know what a safeguard their mother has been to them till after their father is left a widower.—Acheson Globe.

THE AMIABLE MULE.

A Few Words of Praise For This Much Maligned Animal.

"After a lifetime of close association with the mule," says an old military official, "I have never known him to kick a man, nor have I ever met a man who knew another man of his own knowledge who had been kicked by a mule.

"This is a bold statement, but it is true nevertheless. You can question soldiers of the army everywhere, and I confidently predict that they will bear me out in this. I know I am uprooting a popular belief, but I ask you to stop and think and see if I am not doing our mule friend a deserved justice. Horse's kicks are plenty. Mule kicks are as rare as promotions. Were you ever riding at night on the prairies, far away from comrades and camp, weary, looking for the distant twinkling campfires not to be found? Did you ever at such a time see your mule friend lift his tireless head and blow his resonant trumpet of discovery of the sought for haven? He has not seen it, but he has smelt it, and in a moment is trotting a bee line for the distant picket line and forage ration. Were you ever riding across a dreary, dry, dusty country, thirstily, no water in sight and its whereabouts undiscernible? Throw the bridle loose on the mule's neck and give him his way. He will take you to water as unerringly as a carrier pigeon wings its way to its roost."—Nebraska State Journal.

THE PHONOGRAPH.

His Invention Was the Result of a Cut on the Finger.

An accident—a cut on the finger—caused Edison to invent the phonograph, or talking machine.

Mr. Edison told the story of this invention to a reporter. At the time, he said, he was singing into a telephone and in the telephone's mouthpiece he had placed, for safe keeping, a steel point. Suddenly this point cut his finger. He found, to his surprise, that it had been moving here and there and roundabout, guided by the vibrations of his voice.

He placed a strip of yellow paper under the steel point, replaced it in the mouthpiece and said the alphabet. The steel, while he spoke, ran over the paper, and for each letter of the alphabet it made a different mark or scratch. This was what Mr. Edison had hoped for. He now held the steel point still and drew the paper scratches slowly over it. There was given forth, very faintly, the alphabet as he had recited it.

Thus the principle of the phonograph—the registering and the reproduction of the voice's vibrations—was discovered through the cutting of a finger. It was Edison's finger, though, that was cut. Smith's or Brown's might have been quite backed off and no phonograph would have resulted.

Nose Musicians.

Of the Tagabona, a tribe on the long narrow island called Palawan, in the Philippines, Mr. Landor writes: "Most musicians of other nationalities play wind instruments by applying their breath to the mouth. The Tagabona plays them with his nose! This instrument, a reed flute, has two holes, and one nose piece at one end of the cane, at the joint. The flautist is pressed by the thumb against the left nostril, the right nostril being held tightly closed by the first finger of the hand. The Tagabona nose is so flattened at the base and has such expanded nostrils, elongated at the side, that it is especially adapted for this purpose. The Tagabona musician can get in this fashion some sweetly pathetic sounds—by far the most melodious sounds I have ever heard from any body's nose, and he is even bold enough to attempt, with success, too, a trill."

Success may sometimes come unexpectedly, but work alone can hold it.—Murray.

SALT AND ICE.

The Process That Begins When the Two Are Mixed.

It is not correct to say that salt dissolves in ice, since real solution only takes place when a solid, liquid or gas is dissolved in a liquid.

The true explanation of the fact that ice melts when common salt is added to it depends upon the simple physical principle that when a salt is dissolved in water heat is absorbed, and its temperature is lowered. When salt and ice are mixed together some of the salt dissolves in the small amount of water which is always present, the temperature is thereby lowered, and a new freezing point is established.

The remainder of the ice—being at a temperature higher than this new freezing point—melts, and this new salt is dissolved until the solution is saturated. The temperature can in this way be lowered to 22 degrees C., which is the freezing point of a definite compound of salt and water.

The salts dissolved in sea waters serve a very important purpose, as it requires a greater degree of cold to cause the formation of ice on them than on fresh water.

ANCIENT CURRENCY.

The Chinese Once Used Small Bronze Knives For Money.

Knife money, a species of ancient Chinese currency, was associated with the state of Ts'ui, and put the form of the early subdivisions of the Celestial Empire, which came into power B. C. 1122 and was subdued by the rival state of Ts'in, B. C. 224. This quaint form of money consisted of small curved bronze knives, some seven inches in length, with inscribed blades and handles terminating in rings.

This knife money dropped out of use with the reduction of Ts'ui, but was revived by the usurper Wang Mang, who was murdered A. D. 23. The issues of this potentate were half as long again as the earlier currency. They were also much thicker, and the ring at the end of the handle was replaced by a rim and central square hole resembling the hole in the modern "cash." Other Chinese currencies of great antiquity and of similar sort were adze money, or small hatchets, with such varieties of tool currency as chisels, spades and planes, all of which passed from hand to hand in the ordinary way as a circulating medium.

Temper.

A great source of cruelty is temper. When it is considered what a vast sum of misery temper causes in the world, how many homes are darkened and how many hearts are saddened by it; when we remember that its persecutions have not even the purifying consequences of most other calamities, inasmuch as its effects upon its innocent victims are rather cancerous than medicinal; when we call to mind that a bright face and a bright disposition are like sunshine in a house, and a gloomy, lowering countenance as depressing as an Arctic night, we must acknowledge that temper itself is only another form of cruelty, and a very bad form too.

A Family Problem.

Teacher was explaining the meaning of the word temperate.

"Now, Willie," she said, "if your father worked hard all day he would be tired and all worn out, wouldn't he?"

"Yes'm."

"Then when night comes and his work is over for the day, what does he do?"

"That's what ma wants to know."—Cleveland Leader.

His Point of View.

"What is your idea of a truly good wife?" asked the youth.

"A truly good wife," answered the Commisville sage, "is one who loves her husband and her country, but doesn't attempt to run either."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Looking Ahead.

She (bored)—No, Mr. Lytely, I can never see you. I honor and respect you. I am sure you would make some other woman a good husband. I—He—Well—er—could you—er—give me a letter of recommendation to my next place?

His Sole Bequest.

"You are not afraid to die, are you?" asked the weeping watcher by the bedside.

"No," whispered the chronic kicker, "but it does worry me to think that I shall soon be with the silent majority when all of my life I have so enjoyed being in the noisy minority."

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What It Contained. Analysis of the water of an artisan well bored in a southern state showed that it contained a large proportion of ammonia. Uncle Zeb, a colored resident of the town, spoke of the matter in this wise to a drummer whose grip he was "toting" from the station: "We's got er artillery well here, an' las' week dey done scandalized de watal an' foun' it plum full er hydrophobia."

James Fenimore Cooper, once upon a day, caught a man on his grounds stealing some of his best apples. At the sight of Mr. Cooper the man began to run away. Cooper hailed him, and told him that he was not only doing wrong, but had wronged him, for if a stranger saw people slyly creeping into his grounds to get a few apples or vegetables they would come to the conclusion that he (Cooper) was a miserly, ill natured and niggardly person. If he wanted any such thing he should come in boldly at the front gate, like an honest man, fill his basket and freely receive with the best wishes of an open heart.—Schoolmaster.

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