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FIVE JAP SHIPS SUNK IN FIGHT?

Hong Kong Sends Sensational News,
Which Gets Little Credence.

RELIABLE NEWS IS MEAGRE

Hong Kong, April 11.—It is reported here that two sections of the hostile fleets clashed near Singapore yesterday, and that Togo lost five vessels. The rumor is not given much credence, although it originated in a wire received by the Russian consul here.

Hong Kong pilots have gone off to navigate the Russian vessels through the Straits. They have been offered high pay. It is understood that the Russian fleet will make for the friendly harbor of Saigon. There the vessels, which are exceedingly foul, will be cleaned.

Naval officials here are busy. The Sutil and the Iphigenia, two British cruisers, left Monday for an unknown destination. The Ocean and the Centurion, two battleships, were coaled on Saturday and are now lying off this port with their fires banked. The cruiser Bonaventure arrived on Friday and is being hastily coaled. The Andromeda has been docked, and the Albatross is being painted.

Russian Fleet at Anchor.
Singapore, April 11.—Russia's Baltic fleet anchored near Pulo, an island 150 miles north of this port. Four two-funneled warships, apparently Japanese scouts, were sighted off Cape St. James, near Saigon, on Friday night. It is believed that Rojstevsky has divided his fleet and is making the passage of the Straits in two divisions.

The squadron of 44 vessels which passed through the outer channel was not accompanied by the battleships and would be utterly impotent against any Japanese fighting squadron. Two Russian cruisers and one destroyer passed through the inner channel.

Great activity is being manifested by the British garrison here. The artillerymen are at the guns and the engineers are ready to fire the harbor defense mines, which are numerous and formidable. No news can be obtained of the whereabouts of the main Japanese fleet. The Dutch in Java exercise strict censorship over all cable messages.

Fifty-one Ships in Russian Fleet.
Singapore, April 10.—Fifty-one ships of Vice Admiral Rojstevsky's second Pacific squadron passed here Saturday. The most important fighting vessels of the squadron, including the battleships Kniaz Souvaroff, Alexander II, Borodino and Orel, with their complement of cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers, etc., did not arrive, and their whereabouts is totally unknown.

The vessels which passed Singapore were the following: Battleships Sissoi Veliky and Oleg; cruisers Admiral Nakhimoff, Dmitri Donskoi, Aurora, Izumrud, Jemchug, Almaz, Russ, Anadyr, Furst Bismarck, Kaiserin Maria Theresa, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Kaiser Friedrich, Rion and seven torpedo boat destroyers, all sailing under the naval flag. Under the commercial flag were the volunteer steamers Voronezh, Kiev, Yaroslav, Tamboff, Vladimír and Orel, the Russian Navigation company's steamers Meteor, Jupiter and Mercury, the East Asiatic company's steamers Korea and Kaitai, the North Baltic company steamer Gortschakoff, one salvage ship and 16 colliers.

The squadron was led by a large armored cruiser. Then came the cruisers, colliers, battleships, etc. The colliers were mostly in the centre of the fleet. The decks of the warships were coal-laden, while the colliers and the former Hamburg-American liners were light of draft.

The fleet passed seven miles out and made no stop. The Russian consul, Roudanovsky, spoke to one of the torpedo boats and to the flagship of the vice-admiral, whom he addressed by the first information of the fall of Mukden.

The vice-admiral offered no information as to the fleet or its intentions. Steaming at the rate of eight knots an hour, it took 55 minutes for the whole fleet to pass a given point. It was very evident that the ships' hulls were exceedingly foul, and the vessels seemed unfit for fast manoeuvring. The crews of the various ships heartily cheered Consul Roudanovsky.

Japs' Base at Pescadores.
Victoria, B. C., April 11.—Advises received by the steamship Athenian say that the Japanese fleets, with a base at the Pescadores, off Formosa, whence Togo was moving to give battle to Rojstevsky's fleet, were reinforced by a squadron composed of vessels withdrawn from the blockade squadron which watched the northern approaches to Vladivostok until the middle of March.

Vice Admiral Kataoka was given command of this fleet, called the third squadron. Blockade work is now entrusted to old coast defense vessels and converted transports.

Guarding United States Neutrality.
Manila, April 11.—The American vice consul at Singapore reports that a Russian fleet, consisting of six battleships, six cruisers, six converted cruisers, eight torpedo boat destroyers and one hospital ship, one repair ship and 16 colliers have passed Singapore, headed this way.

The American cruiser Raleigh, the torpedo boat destroyers Barry and Chauncey and the supply ship General Alford have been dispatched to patrol the west coast of Palawan island to enforce neutrality. Three other destroyers are preparing to sail.

PATTERSON TRIAL POSTPONED

The Prosecution Secures Delay For a Week.

New York, April 11.—The trial of Nan Patterson on the charge of killing Caesar Young, which was to have begun before Recorder Goff in the court of general sessions, was postponed for one week upon request of the prosecution.

The motion for a delay was strongly opposed by Abraham Levy, chief counsel for the defendant. In granting the postponement Recorder Goff said he did not think that the interests of the defendant or the public would be interfered with because of a week's delay.

SMITHS WILL RETURN TO NEW YORK

Cincinnati, April 11.—When the habeas corpus hearing was called counsel for the Smiths appeared before Judge Spiegel and announced that J. Morgan Smith and his wife were perfectly willing to return to New York without further opposition to the extradition proceedings if proper assurances were given that their presence there had only to do with the indictment for conspiracy and that they would not while in New York be called on to answer or appear in any other case. This promise was made by Assistant District Attorney Gavan and the habeas corpus proceedings was at once dropped.

MYSTERY IN BEEF TRUST PROBE

Grand Jury Examines Contents of Eight Mysterious Trunks.
Chicago, April 11.—The contents of eight mysterious trunks, unearthed by government secret service men in the vaults of the National Safe Deposit company, occupied the attention of a federal grand jury which is investigating the business affairs of the so-called beef trust. A subpoena duces tecum for Daniel Peckham, secretary of the depository company, was issued by Federal Judge Landis to force the company to produce the trunks in the jury room. The trunks were taken to the office of District Attorney Morrison, where, it is said, they were opened and their contents examined.

As to what the trunks contained and what their connection with the present investigation might be was unknown to those outside of the jury room, as government officers refused to discuss the subject.

"I don't know a thing about these trunks," said Secretary Peckham, after having been served with the subpoena. "I cannot say who deposited them in the vaults, because that would be violating business ethics."

MOTHER'S FRIGHTFUL ERROR

Poisons Children by Mistake and Kills Herself From Grief.
Chatham, Va., April 10.—As the result of a mistake in giving medicine to her children, Mrs. Nannie Bowe lies dead at her home, near Concord Church, nine miles from this place, with a bullet wound through her heart, having committed suicide; her 12-year-old daughter, Winnie, is dead from an overdose of strychnine, accidentally administered by her mother in the place of quinine, and her 10-year-old son, Cabell, is desperately ill from strychnine administered in a like manner.

J. T. Hall, who lives near the Bowe home, was aroused by screams. With his son he went to the Bowe home. There Mrs. Bowe told him she had killed her children by mistake. Mrs. Bowe also said that after learning of her fatal error she had herself taken both strychnine and carbolic acid. While Hall was ministering to the Bowe boy Mrs. Bowe left the house. A few minutes later her body was discovered near the door, with a bullet through the heart. A pistol, with one chamber empty, was lying nearby.

CYCLONE HITS MINING VILLAGE

Did Great Damage to Property and Blew Two Girls Fifty Feet.
Mahanoy City, Pa., April 11.—A cyclone struck Jacksons, a mining village near here, causing considerable destruction. Houses were unroofed, trees were uprooted and telephone and telegraph wires were torn down.

Miss Mamie Keating and Miss Marion Higgins were picked up by the storm and deposited in a field 50 feet away. Neither was badly hurt. William Dowling was caught in the whirl and buried quite a distance but escaped unhurt. About half a mile from Jacksons the storm hit a culm bank and ploughed a deep furrow about 20 feet wide through it.

The storm rose in the southwest and travelled northeast. It did great damage in the rural sections, but no loss of life is reported.

HUNDREDS SAW MAN LEAP TO DEATH

New York, April 11.—Hundreds of persons saw George G. Bauer, a buyer for the Arbuckle Brothers, sugar refiners, leap to death under a Sixth avenue elevated train at Franklin Street. His body was ground to pieces. Bauer entered the station just before a train pulled in and paced calmly up and down near the edge of the platform. When the train was within 15 feet of where he stood he tore off his coat and hat, and, throwing them behind him, jumped directly in front of the approaching train. Four cars had passed over his body before the train was brought to a stop.

ENTIRE FAMILY ASPHYXIATED

Chicago, April 10.—Henry Monroe, his wife Anna, their 11-month-old child and a brother of Monroe were asphyxiated by gas in their home at 2556 Canal street. The body of the father and husband was found near the door, with his arms outstretched as if he had been trying to open the door when overcome. The others were found lying in bed. A leak in a gas pipe in the kitchen was responsible for the accident.

MAINTAINS RIGHT TO RULE MINES

George F. Baer Discusses Problems
That Confront Companies.

RESENTS ALL INTERFERENCE

Pottsville, Pa., April 10.—Special trains from every part of Schuylkill county carried the superintendents and employees of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company to Pottsville to hear a lecture by President George F. Baer. The lecture was delivered in the Academy of Music, and marked the close of series of lectures which the company has had delivered to its employees during the winter. These lectures have been on practical topics, embracing instruction on first aid to the injured and every phase of practical mining.

At his start Mr. Baer got right down to the meat of things by laying down the problems of the coal industry, as follows:

"The public wants cheap fuel.

"The miners and workers want high wages.

"The owners want a reasonable profit on their investment. This simple statement at once discloses an irrepressible conflict. I regret to say that the coal company managers' lot is not a happy one. It is not materially improved by giving him the barren title of 'Coal Baron.'

"The public has a high appreciation of either our incompetency, or of the difficulties besetting us, because it is forever advising us how to manage our business. There are our friends, the newspaper fraternity, who, to meet public expectation, are compelled to be at all times oracles of wisdom as to the many things they know nothing about. They are expected to know all about mining and selling coal, and to be always amazed at the stupidity of our management. Then, there is the disinterested altruistic 'walking delegate,' who, though he tells no, neither does he spin, is delighted to exercise a benevolent supervision over both capital and labor.

"We receive little praise, but much censure from the big and little statesmen and politicians, who give no employment and pay no wages, but exchange sympathetic talk and promises for votes.

"There is still another class of wise men, willing to aid us: the emotional reformers and idealists, each one of whom believes himself competent to make a better world than he who in the beginning created it and pronounced it good.

"Relatively, coal deep in the ground is of no more use until it is mined and prepared for consumption than is the waste field, which needs to be plowed and sown to produce food.

"As there is no obligation on the farmer to cultivate his field and produce food to be sold at a loss, because the public needs food, so there can be no obligation on owners of coal mines to operate them at a loss because the public needs fuel.

"We co-workers number over 30,000 souls. We have our various duties assigned. Unless we work in harmony we cannot accomplish good results. There can be no outside influence nor tribunal to control these things. The discipline must rest where the responsibility rests. If the captain of ten finds a co-worker indifferent, careless or insubordinate, he must discharge him, because he is responsible for the men under him. This power, which can never be surrendered, casts heavy responsibility on those who exercise it. It must be done fairly and justly, not in passion or personal pique, not to favor or to oppress men by reason of social, religious or political affiliations, but simply to secure efficient service in the work to be done.

"Many good people believe the state should regulate hours and conditions of labor in our anthracite coal operations, and in some arbitrary way, even fix the price. Anthracite coal is always a favorite theme for criticism. One would suppose it was the largest industry in the country. Did you ever think how comparatively insignificant it is? The value of eggs produced by the diligent hens is, yearly, twice as great as the value of anthracite coal. A Milwaukee newspaper recently asked: 'How would it do to have a state commission to superintend the laying of eggs, in order that a uniform size and price may be obtained?' It would, perhaps, be as practical as the modern clamor for government supervision of the business of the country."

"You and I, charged with the duty of the coal mines, need not bother ourselves about adverse criticism. We have a work to perform; let us do it honestly, energetically and skilfully; and, if necessary, courageously, and then let the wicked rage and imagine vain things."

Killed His Sister With Hat Pin.
Huntington, W. Va., April 10.—James Callen, of Wilsandale, became enraged at his 5-year-old sister because she refused to play with him, and, grabbing his mother's hat pin, he stabbed his sister five times. The little girl ran screaming from the room and fell dead in her mother's arms, the hat pin having pierced her heart.

Monuments Unveiled at Appomattox

Lynchburg, Va., April 11.—With about 2000 persons present, the three monuments erected to the valor of the North Carolina troops in the Civil War were unveiled at Appomattox, Va. The main monument is located on the spot where the last shot was fired in the war by North Carolina troops.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, April 5.

T. A. Letbetter has dug up a pot containing nearly \$2000 in gold coin, 20 miles north of Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

While attempting to board a freight train at Steubenville, O., Peter Hardy was struck and killed by President Roosevelt's special train.

An express train on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh railroad collided with a freight at Costana, Pa., and two persons were killed and three injured.

At Corsicana, Tex., fire destroyed the main building of the I. O. O. F. widows' and orphans' home, with all its contents, and several inmates were hurtumping from windows.

Thursday, April 6.

Mrs. Joseph Motzalis died at Shenandoah, Pa., after 11 hours' illness from spotted fever.

Chief A. W. Atchison, of the Hamilton, Ont., fire department, was killed in a collision while responding to an alarm.

James Hayes, a negro lawyer of Richmond, Va., has been tendered the position of consul at Gaudaloupe, West Indies.

Ex-Judge George Y. Maynader, a distinguished member of the Maryland bar, died of apoplexy at his home at Belair, Md.

Major General Gillespie will be retired June 15, on his own request, and Brigadier General Randall will be promoted to the vacancy.

Friday, April 7.

While exercising on parallel bars, Michael Fisher, a well-known athlete of Chester, Pa., burst a blood vessel and died a short time afterward.

During a lovers' quarrel, H. A. Ballard was fatally wounded by his sweetheart, Miss Olga Hardie, at Huntsville, Ala., who then killed herself.

Postmaster General Cortelyou has been made the first honorary member of the American Chamber of Commerce, recently organized in Naples, Italy.

Alexander E. G. Gordon, charged with sending a threatening letter to President Roosevelt, was sentenced to prison for one year at Minneapolis.

Saturday, April 8.

Albert Lowdermilk, clerk in a hotel at Addison, Pa., committed suicide by cutting his throat with a penknife.

The bank at Benson, N. C., has been closed, owing to a shortage and a charge of being improperly conducted.

At Palsak, Va., Clyde Hale, colored, was indicted for murder, tried, convicted and sentenced to hang in less than an hour.

George W. Graulich, a Reading railroad conductor, while standing beside the track at Columbia, Pa., was struck by an engine and killed.

The ninth annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science was held in Philadelphia, with many prominent men in attendance.

Monday, April 10.

The battleship Minnesota was launched Saturday at Newport News, Va.

Japan has ordered 500,000 gun stocks from a firm at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. Roosevelt and three of her children, who were cruising in Florida waters, have returned to Washington.

Eugene Harris, aged 15 years, was hit on the head with a batted ball at Asheville, N. C., and died in 15 minutes, his neck being dislocated.

Three employes at the American distillery, at Pekin, Ill., were cooked to death by boards over a vat of boiling water giving way and dropping them into the tank.

Tuesday, April 11.

Daniel Mason, 6 years old, of Philadelphia, choked to death while eating a candy sour ball, which lodged in his throat.

The United States supreme court decides that portion of the Alaska code providing for a jury of six men to be unconstitutional.

During a quarrel in a saloon at London, Ky., Tilford Bengt shot and killed J. C. Howard, a representative in the Kentucky legislature.

Andrew Carnegie has given an additional \$14,000 to Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., for Conway Hall, making his total gift \$64,000.

Eighty icebergs, some towering 150 feet above the surface of the sea, were sighted by the steamer Chemnitz, which arrived at New York from Bremen.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Yesterday's Closing Prices in the Principal Markets.
Philadelphia—Flour steady; winter extras, \$4.10@4.30; Penna. roller, clear, \$4.00@4.20; city mill, fancy, \$3.90@4.25. Rye flour firm; per barrel, \$4.20. Wheat firm; No. 2 Penna. red, new, \$1.03½@1.04. Corn steady; No. 2 yellow, local, 50½¢. Oats firm; No. 2 white, clipped, 37½¢; lower grades, 36¢. Hay steady; No. 1 timothy, \$14@15 for large bales. Fork steady; family, \$17. Beef firm; hams, \$23@24. Live poultry steady; hens, 13½¢; old roosters, 10¢. Creamery products; extra, 20@30¢; held, 22@25¢; No. 4, 24@24½¢; mixed, No. 2, 35@35½¢; No. 3, 34@34½¢; No. 4, 33@33½¢. Butter steady; creamery separator, extra, 20@30¢; held, 22@25¢; prints, 31¢; Maryland and Penna. dairy prints, 27@28¢. Eggs steady; fancy Maryland and Penna., 18½¢; Virginia, 16½¢; West Virginia, 16½¢; southern, 15½¢.

Live Stock Markets.—Cattle—Union Stock Yards, Pittsburg.—Cattle higher; choice, \$5.75@6; prime, \$5.50@5.70; mediums, \$5.70; heavy Yorkers, \$5.55@5.70; Light Yorkers, \$5.50@5.55; pigs, \$5.30@5.40; roughs, \$4@4.50. Sheep firm; prime wethers, \$5.50@5.65; common, \$2@3; lambs, \$4@6.30; veal calves, \$9@6.50.

SHAKE-UP IN PENSION OFFICE

Ten Reviewers to Show Cause Why
They Should Not Be Dismissed.

SERIOUS DELINQUENCIES FOUND

Washington, April 11.—Commissioner of Pensions Warner has cited 10 members of the board of pensions review to show cause why their services should not be dispensed with. This action was taken by the commissioner because of the discovery of serious delinquencies in the allowance of pensions to members of a Pennsylvania regiment organized in 1861 but never participated in the service. Applications from members of Mercers brigade, New Jersey National Guard, in which the same circumstances control, also have been allowed. Six pensions were granted to the Pennsylvania regiment and two to the New Jersey Regiment.

Commissioner Warner said that he was determined that such practices should be stopped in his term of office.

The errors made in the case of the Pennsylvania militiamen were inexcusable, he said, because the records of the pension bureau show that the members of that regiment are not pensionable and should not have been given the slightest attention. Mr. Warner said that the commissioner and his assistants depend on the accuracy of the examinations of the members of the board of review and consequently he intends to make an example of the members who have been found delinquent.

More from Rockefeller
Offers Another \$100,000 to Baptists For Mission Work.

Boston, April 11.—An offer from John D. Rockefeller to give a second \$100,000 to the American Baptist Missionary Union was received at the headquarters of that organization in this city. On Saturday the union received a check for \$100,000 from Rockefeller, the amount representing Mr. Rockefeller's customary annual donation to the Baptist society to be used for the purpose of conducting the missionary work in foreign lands. The contribution was at once accepted and acknowledged.

The last offer received from Mr. Rockefeller specified that the money, if accepted, is to be applied to the upbuilding of the missionary plants in foreign countries, as distinguished from the running expenses of the society and salaries for clergymen.

Shot Himself in Cell
Scranton Merchant Prefers Death to Facing Trial on Serious Charge.

Scranton, Pa., April 11.—A. D. Pierson, a leading wholesale merchant of this city, sent two bullets into his head while a prisoner in the county jail. Pierson was arrested a short time ago charged with enticing young Polish girls into his store for improper purposes. He secured bail and immediately left Scranton. His trial was set for this week and his bondsmen brought him back and delivered him to the police officials. He was in his cell but a few minutes when he shot himself in the head twice. Little hope is entertained for his recovery. Pierson is 60 years of age and has several grown up children. It is not known how he got the revolver into his cell.

Strikers Parade With Red Flag.
Lancaster, Pa., April 11.—One hundred Italians employed on the new line which the Pennsylvania Railroad company is building through the southern end of the county, struck for higher wages. Headed by a man carrying a red flag they marched along the four miles of work east of Quarryville and compelled the other men to quit. They attacked two gangs of Austrians who attempted to continue at work and beat several of them severely. Teams were taken from teamsters who resisted, while engineers who refused to do as ordered were dragged from their dinky engines. More trouble is feared.

To Establish Presbyterian Cathedral.
Washington, April 8.—Justice John M. Harlan, of the United States supreme court, has started a movement in support of the establishment in the Capital City of a "Presbyterian cathedral." The idea has been talked of for some time, but the first definite steps have been taken by the sending of identical letters from Justice Harlan to all the leading Presbyterian ministers in the United States inviting their advice and co-operation in the project.

PRESIDENT OFF FOR BEAR HUNT

Will Pitch Camp for a Week or More Near Newcastle, Colo.

Newcastle, Colo., April 11.—The big pack train and camp outfit for President Roosevelt's Colorado hunting party received hurried orders to move and guides Jake Borah and John Goff headed the procession of nearly 100 horses and 60 dogs which started for the Johnson ranch, 20 miles south of Newcastle, where camp will be pitched for a week or ten days. As soon as the camp is well established the extra men, as well as several ranchmen and trappers, will scour the country in search of bear tracks. They will carefully note all the signs and general locations so that when the president starts out there will be no delay in looking for tracks.

Citizens of Newcastle are planning a novel reception to the president next Saturday morning, which will be subject to his approval. It is proposed that a grand parade should be held in which President Roosevelt shall ride so he can be seen by the citizens. At the head of the procession will be a large brown bear in a cage. This animal was recently captured and he is now at the home of Frank Hilliard, where he has killed at least a dozen dogs and injured several men who ventured too near him.

Goff and Borah will put their pack of hounds in the corral and the bear will be given an hour's start for the hills. Then the packs will be set on the trail and President Roosevelt and party will follow in hot pursuit. This is planned to be the official start of the hunt.

Capsizing Boat Drowns Five
Overloaded Skiff Overturns While Crossing the Hudson.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 11.—James Malloy, a fisherman of Barrytown, started across the Hudson river in a rowboat at that place with six Poles and before reaching the other shore the boat capsized, and Malloy and four of the Poles were drowned.

The party of Poles arrived at Barrytown from Albany. The little steamer that was to have conveyed them across the river had departed, and as there were no large boats in the water, Malloy offered to take them to their destination in his skiff, a small boat that was not capable of carrying three men without danger of being sunk. The Poles accepted the invitation. The water was rough, and when the boat was about two-thirds across the river the boat was overturned. Two young men put out in a rowboat and succeeded in rescuing two of the Poles. One of the men is in a critical condition.

Will Get Her \$25,000 Necklace
Wife of Wealthy Philadelphian Wins Suit Against Government.

New York, April 8.—By a decision of the United States court of appeals, Mrs. L. Harrison Dulles, wife of a wealthy man of Philadelphia, wins the suit over the seizure of her \$25,000 pearl necklace by a treasury agent in June, 1902.

In two decisions, one by Judge Lacombe and the other by Judge Wallace, it is declared that when Mrs. Dulles declared "wearing apparel of a value unknown," she included all the jewelry she had, and that William H. Theobald, the treasury agent in question, had no "probable cause for seizure," and therefore was entirely at fault. The case has been in the courts nearly three years. Twice has Mrs. Dulles won in the appeal court, and once only, in the first trial, has the government won.

Town Destroyed By Fire.
Cumberland, Md., April 11.—The extensive plant of the Condon Lane Room and Lumber company, at Horton, W. Va., one of the largest in that state, was destroyed by fire, and with it went the entire town, consisting of about 150 company houses, and millions of feet of lumber, shipment of which has been prevented by shortage of cars. Sparks from the dinky engine on the logging railroad set fire to the woods, the flames gradually eating their way to the town and the company's plant. In the hope of saving the twin town of Whitmer, houses have been pulled down, but a high wind made this of little avail.

Panic in a Theatre.
Kokomo, Ind., April 10.—George Armstrong, 17 years of age, was fatally injured and a score of persons seriously burned during a fire in the Sipe Theatre, which was caused by the ignition of a roll of celluloid films used in operating a moving picture machine. In the panic that followed Armstrong jumped through a window on the third floor and sustained fatal injuries. The machine operator threw the audience into a panic and started a rush for the fire escapes and exits with a cry of "Look out, everybody; the theatre is afire." In an instant about 600 people rushed toward the exits.

Will Close Big Coal Contract.
Pittsburg, Pa., April 10.—The Gazette says: The Pittsburg Coal company will close a contract within a few days with the United States Steel Corporation to furnish the latter all the coal it may require during a period of 25 years at market price. The contract calls for all the coal the corporation may need after the product of its own mines are exhausted. The amount of coal necessary for the company to furnish will probably be between 4½ and ten million bushels a year.

Fatal Explosion in a Mine.
Lafayette, Pa., April 11.—By a premature explosion of dynamite in mine No. 2 of the Atlantic Crushed Coke company at Bradensville, Pa., James Cronin was instantly killed and William Nelson was fatally injured.

COUNTESS POTOCKA.

The Woman Who Sang to Chopin as He Sang to Death.

As the great Chopin lay dying his soul was ushered out by the song of the beautiful Countess Delphine Potocka, who had been his dearest confidante and friend. The romance of their friendship, one of the sweetest in history, is related by Gustav Kobbe in the Delinator. The last tragic scene in the life of the composer has often been described and has been painted by Barrios, but it is so touching that one may well read another version of it. Mr. Kobbe writes:

"Then came what is perhaps the most touching scene that has been handed down to us from the lives of the great composers. When Delphine entered what was soon to be the death chamber Chopin's sister Louise and a few of his most intimate friends were gathered there. She took her place by Louise. When the dying man opened his eyes and saw her standing at the foot of his bed, tall, slight, draped in white, resembling a beautiful angel, and mingling her tears with those of Louise his lips moved, and those nearest him, bending over to catch his words, heard him ask that she would sing.

"Mastering her emotion by a strong effort of the will, she sang in a voice of bell-like purity the canticle to the Virgin attributed to Stradella—sang it so devoutly, so therapeutically, that the dying man, 'artist and lover of the beautiful for the very last,' whispered in ecstasy: 'How exquisite! Again, again!'"

"Once more she sang, this time a psalm by Marcello. It was the haunted hour of twilight. The dying day deepened the scene in its mysterious shadows. Those at the bedside had sunk noiselessly on their knees. Over the mournful accompaniment of sobs floated the voice of Delphine like a melody from heaven."

Beggars' Appeals.
How the Professionals Base Them on the Public's Emotions.

Never do panhandlers make the mistake of appealing to the reason. The emotions of the crowd only are attacked. There is always a complete human story in the pose. What, for instance, could be more compelling of sympathy than the spectacle of the bent old graybeard patiently and despairingly as it seemed grinding a wheezy old organ which he had tied into a broken down baby carriage? The suggestiveness of that perambulator, coupled with the wails of that organ, more forlorn than mortal child ever uttered, was worth dollars a day to the old fellow. It was reprehensible art, of course, but art nevertheless. And the artist grew rich, for when investigated by the police he was found to be the owner of many houses in Hoboken.

Again, could there be anything more likely to excite compassion than the crust throwing trick? It was invented by a French beggar named Lang, whose French disciple, Lemaitre, practiced it subsequently. I have seen a crust thrower operating in Sixth avenue. He was a semi-well dressed man, who walked swiftly down through the crowds of shoppers. Suddenly he uttered a hoarse cry and darted out into the roadway, where, pointing upon a crust of bread which he had thrown there previously, he began gnawing it ravenously. He did not wait for sympathy. He walked rapidly away, but a number of women who saw the act ran after him and crowded one another for the privilege of giving him money.—Theodore Waters in Everybody's Magazine.

Oriental Courtesy.
An Incident in Which Miss Anna Dickinson Figured.

Miss Anna Dickinson traveled everywhere independently and saw human nature in all of its moods. Writing to a woman friend once, she described a reception given by wealthy Chinamen in a restaurant kept by Chi Lung in San Francisco, and she was the guest of honor. She said that she saw a servant coming toward her with a box divided into many compartments, with different kinds of nuts and candies in the smaller trays. She picked out half a dozen or more and laid them on the arm of the chair, which served as a table. As the attendant passed on to others she saw that each took only one bonbon, and she was much embarrassed.

But when the servant approached the chief Chinaman, the one who had originated the reception, he took a large handful, and those after him did the

Sparrows on a Drunk.

A lady residing in Hagerstown, Md., has a large marten box on the end of the house, and the sparrows have taken possession and held it all winter. Evidently they had come to regard their tide as perfect, for when the martens were being expected a man climbed a ladder and cleaned their nests out, finding the boxes filled to the ceilings with twigs and feathers. They raised a terrific appeal, and lined the fence near by in excited protest. They went back and began rebuilding, having evidently come to the conclusion the man was only a wandering mischance. The martens came and found them building and were disgusted, but they did not fight, being only two advance couriers. They went back and reported what they had found to the slow armies coming north.

The lady, failing to disperse the sparrows, by a happy inspiration, thought to slay them. So she soaked wheat in whiskey for two days and then sprinkled the fence and grass near the box with the loaded wheat. The sparrows pounced on the grain and appeared to find it hilariously appetizing. They simply fell over one another for it. Four martens arrived and found the telegraph wires and fence and box perches in possession of maudlin gangs of debauched sparrows, who chased them in riotous abandon from roof to roof and wire to wire. The martens were worse than annoyed—they were simply astounded. They retreated and the cackling sparrows tumbled to the grass to take another nip of the marvelous wheat with the juicy fragrance, and they kept it up until they could find no more. Then they flew to the box and went to sleep.

The lady who acted upon the prescription thinks the adviser made some error about the ingredients.—Hagerstown Mail.

A MESSENGER OF DEATH!

In connection with the death of Mr. Elias V. Albaugh, which occurred at his home near Woodsboro, Frederick county, Friday night, the following story is related by the Frederick Daily News:

"Not many days before Mr. Albaugh's death two buzzards flew to his home and alighted at one of the doors. The day was warm and the door was open. One of the birds walked into the house, while the other remained outside. Mrs. Albaugh found the strange intruder in the house and drove it out. Instead of flying away immediately it lingered about and remained for some time perched on a bell post near the door.

"Mr. Albaugh's sister, Mrs. Etzler, who also lived near Woodsboro, was ill at the time. His daughter-in-law, widow of William Albaugh, lives on the same farm on which Mr. Elias Albaugh resided, but in another house. In telling a neighbor of the buzzard's visit she expressed a fear that it was an omen of death—that either her father-in-law or his sister would die before long.

"Mrs. Etzler died on Thursday night last. Mr. Albaugh died the following afternoon."

FOUND 100 INDIAN GRAVES.

Winchester, Va., April 7.—While plowing near Newmarket Mr. J. F. Niswander unearthed an Indian burial ground, in which he found the graves of more than 100 Indians.

The bodies were found ten feet apart and were lying flat and covered with stone. Indian pottery, clay pipes, arrows, tomahawks, scalping knives and Indian beads were found in the graves with the dead Indians.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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FACTORY FIRED BY INCENDIARY.

An unsuccessful attempt was made about 9:30 o'clock Wednesday to burn the Ox Fibre Brush Works, formerly the Palmetto Fibre Works, the largest manufacturing establishment in Frederick. The fire was started in the extreme end of what is known as the block department, the employes of which struck last week, demanding the discharge of the foreman, and were themselves turned off.

The firebug broke a window and set fire to a pile of lumber against the wall inside. Afterwards a ball of waste, saturated with oil, was found near where the fire started.

The factory is equipped with an automatic sprinkler system, hose attached to a water tank and chemical extinguishers. The automatic sprinklers had already started when the fire was discovered by the night watchman. With the aid of men who were working in another wing of the building, the fire was extinguished by the use of the chemical extinguishers and waterhose before the fire companies succeeded in laying lines of hose to the factory, which is near the city limits.

The large buildings are equipped with expensive machinery and the loss to company, if the fire had not been promptly discovered, would have been great, as the destruction of the factory would have thrown several hundred men out of work.

DIED FROM TIGHT LACING.

Tight lacing, in which she persisted despite her physician's warning, caused the sudden death at St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday, of Mrs. Violet O'Connor, 28 years old, of Baltimore, who fell in a faint while in a few blocks of the Washington Hotel, where she was a guest. Three physicians said cerebral apoplexy probably caused her death, but an inquest will be held. The hotel people say she admitted having been warned that the way she was lacing was dangerous. Her husband, John O'Connor, a traveling man, is at present in Kansas. Her parents reside in Baltimore.

Old Engineer's Sateje.

Discharged from his place as an engineer, where he had been employed for many years, because he was called too old to be of service, John Wandell, 70 years old, killed himself at the Market House, a hotel at 22 South street, New York, Wednesday, by inhaling gas. Old Wandell had a large family of grown children, and it is probable that they would have come to his assistance when he lost his place had he not been too proud to ask them, "Osler ought to have got me 10 years ago," he said, as he retired to his room. "Osler is right. Kill the old men off before they get past usefulness." Then he went to his room, turned on the gas and lay down to die.

\$50,000,000 Leather Trust.

Trenton, N. J., April 12.—The Beutler Leather Company, with an authorized capital of \$50,000,000, was incorporated here today. The company is to manufacture and deal in leather. The stock is divided into \$40,000,000 preferred, paying 7 per cent. cumulative dividends, and \$40,000,000 common. The incorporators are Howard K. Wood, K. K. McLaren and Horace S. Gould, all of Jersey City.

The prudential committee of the Foreign Mission Board of the Congregational Church decided to hold on to Mr. Rockefeller's gift of \$100,000. Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden, who opposed the acceptance of the gift, made a caustic statement concerning the committee's action.

Florina S. Darrow, who represented the anthracite miners in the hearing before the arbitration commissioners appointed by President Roosevelt, has been appointed by Mayor Dunne, of Chicago, to take charge of all traction litigation in that city.

State Game Warden Avirett and Biologist Marsh, of the United States Fish Commission, are investigating the cause of the death of fish in the Potomac River above Cumberland.

As the result of a fire in a saloon and boarding house in Grand Rapids, Mich., an eight-year-old girl is dead. Five persons were seriously injured.

Mildred J. Deise, the three year old daughter of Mr. John Deise, of 502 Jefferson street, Baltimore, was drowned in a bath tub.

The Pennsylvania Legislature has passed the bill appropriating \$100,000 for a display of the State's resources at the Jamestown Fair.

Ground was broken at Gaithersburg for a new Southern Methodist Episcopal church which will cost \$15,000.

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TIDE-LEVEL CANAL.

The Panama Canal Commission had a satisfactory interview Wednesday with Secretary Taft regarding the work ahead of them.

The labor problem was discussed at length, and it was resolved that contracts should be made for the employment of 2,000 Japanese and 2,000 Chinese coolies in the canal construction. This is merely preliminary and experimental move, but if it succeeds the engineers will have an almost unlimited force of labor to draw on. No opinion has yet been had from the Attorney General as to the right of the commission to employ its labor more than eight hours daily, but it has satisfied itself that there is no legal obstacle to the employment of this coolie labor under contract. This conclusion is based on the theory that while the United States exercises control over the canal zone for administrative purposes, yet the titular sovereignty over the strip remains in Panama, over which no American labor law can be held to extend.

An interesting feature of the discussion was a statement by Engineering Commissioner Wallace to the effect that it is entirely feasible to construct either a tide-level or lock canal across the isthmus, though he himself strongly favored the tide-level project.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY.

A very serious accident occurred some days ago near Motter's, this county, a horse running away and smashing the buggy to splinters. The occupants of the buggy were Misses Agnes and Carrie Eckenrode, who were on their way to a farm a mile from Motter's. The ladies were near their destination when the accident occurred.

When the buggy upset Miss Carrie Eckenrode was thrown some distance over against the fence, and Miss Agnes curled up in the buggy top. They were found unconscious by Stewart Martin, who was sowing seed in a field nearby and came quickly to the rescue. He ran to the home of Mr. Samuel Siess and with his spring wagon and the aid of Mr. and Mrs. Rosensteel got them to the house of Theodore Rosensteel. Both were badly cut and bruised about the head and arms and Miss Carrie Eckenrode had one of her limbs broken in three places. Dr. D. E. Stone, of Emmitsburg, and Dr. Birely, of Thurmont, were summoned and the wounds were dressed. —Frederick News.

Found Dead by Roadside.

Wednesday the corpse of a man was found under a maple tree beside the fence of the farm of Jacob Snyder, near Bakersville, Washington county, in a bad state of decomposition. The face was black and unrecognizable and the fingers were missing. By the clothing, however, the corpse was identified as that of Daniel Smith, aged 38 years, son of Mrs. Prudence Smith, of Boonsboro, who disappeared January 10. He was last seen alive at Tilghmantown. At the time of his disappearance an extensive search was made, but without getting any clue. Near the corpse lay an empty whisky flask. His shirt and suspenders were found on the opposite side of the fence and his hat 50 yards away. The body lay near a public road. It was decided by a coroner's jury that the cause of death was unknown. The general opinion is that he died from exposure. It is probable that he fell at night in the snow and froze to death. The snow lay for several months in high drift at that spot.

A FIGHT WITH ROBBERS.

Carlisle, Pa., April 11.—Three robbers visited the home of Jacob Shank, near New Kingston, and murderously assaulted him. Mr. Shank is a wealthy farmer, about 60 years old, and was sitting alone in his big arm chair. A gentle rap came on the door, but, without waiting for an invitation, three men rushed in, flourishing revolvers and demanded money.

Mr. Shank refused to tell where his money was and the robbers began firing at him. This aroused Mr. Shank's son, who was upstairs, and he came down to defend his father. In the fight the elder Shank was shot three times—in the forehead, breast and side. Young Shank was shot in the arm and one of the robbers was hurt. The outlaws made their escape. The robbers secured no money.

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Many Sheep Killed by Dog.

Wednesday morning a dog got into a pen of sheep belonging to John J. Bottlemag, a farmer near Boyds, and out of 70 or more killed 35 of them. Mr. Bottlemag went to the pen early Wednesday morning and saw the dog at its work. He did not kill it, but drove it off and followed it to its owner and Wednesday evening had damages appraised for the purpose of making the owner pay.

In the presence of 50 people, near Norfolk, Thomas Spencer, colored, was stabbed to death by his rival in love, Edward Morris, colored.

The Rockville Town Council has notified the Standard Oil Company to discontinue at once the storing of gasoline within the corporate limits of Rockville.

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By authority of the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, I hereby announce to the public that Mr. James O. Harbaugh is in charge of the large and valuable stock in trade of John C. Williams, and will sell the same until further notice at private sale, at cost. Bargains can be had in all lines of

GROCERIES, Dry Goods, Hardware, MACHINERY,

and all other goods contained in the store. The public is invited to call at once for a selection of bargains from this stock.

Jacob Rohrbach, Trustee.

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PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Jacob W. Dubel and Emma C. Dubel, his wife, to Vincent Sebald, bearing date the 24th day of February, A. D. 1898, assigned to Victor K. Jordan, which said mortgage and assignment is duly recorded in Liber D. H. II, No. 2, Folio 233, etc., one of the land records of Frederick County, the undersigned, assignee of said mortgage, will sell at public sale, at the Western Maryland Hotel, now Hotel Spangler, in the town of Emmitsburg, Frederick county, Maryland, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on

Saturday, April 29th, 1905, all the following described real estate, situate about one and one-half miles south of Motter's Station in Frederick county, State of Maryland, along the public road leading from Rocky Ridge to Maxwell's Mill, adjoining the lands of Ulysses S. G. Dubel, Mrs. Smith and others, containing

10 ACRES and eleven square perches of land, more or less, improved by a good

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, with porch in front and a kitchen attached to the rear, a frame stable and other out-buildings, all in good repair. A good well of water is on the premises and considerable choice fruit, such as apples, peaches, grapes, etc. This is a very desirable property, both from its convenient location to schools and stores, and from its excellent condition and repair.

Terms of sale prescribed by the Mortgage:—Cash. All convenancing at the expense of the purchaser.

VICTOR K. JORDAN, Assignee of Mortgage.

MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY.

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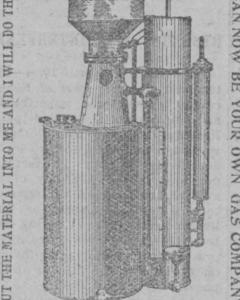
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PUBLIC SALE

Valuable REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland, in Equity, passed on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1905, in No. 7877 Equity, on the Equity Docket of said Court, wherein Joseph K. Hays, Committee of Annie Smith, non compos mentis, is Plaintiff, and Jacob Smith is Defendant, the undersigned, Trustee, appointed by said decree to sell the real estate adjoining the premises in Emmitsburg, Maryland, on

Saturday, April 22nd, 1905, at 2 o'clock, p. m., all the following real estate to wit: That lot or parcel of ground situated on the North side of Main Street, in Shields' addition to Emmitsburg, in Emmitsburg, Maryland, improved by a Two-Story

WEATHERBOARDED HOUSE,

with one story brick building, containing nine rooms, including a store room, and cellar under front part of house, said property adjoining the premises of M. Frank Rowe and others. There are also a stable and ice house on the premises. Being the same property which is described in a deed from Jacob Smith to Annie Smith dated March 28th, A. D. 1898, and duly recorded in Liber J. L. J., No. 14, folio 168, etc., one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

Terms of sale as prescribed by the decree:—One half cash on the day of sale, or on the ratification thereof by the Court, the residue in one year from date of sale, the purchaser or purchasers giving his, her or their notes with approved security and bearing interest from the day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100.00 will be required of the purchaser on the day of sale. All convenancing at the expense of the purchaser.

RENO S. HARP, Trustee.

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Wheat, (dry)..... 1 05
Rye..... 56
Oats..... 29 25
New Corn per bushel..... 45
Hay..... 6 60 to 8 50

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke.

Butter..... 18
Bees..... 14
Chickens, per lb..... 32
Spring Chickens per lb..... 35
Turkeys..... 35
Ducks, per lb..... 32
Potatoes, per bushel..... 30
Dried Apples, (seeded)..... 30
Raspberries..... 12
Blackberries..... 10
Apples, (dried)..... 2
Peaches, (dried)..... 2
Lard, per lb..... 8
Beef Hides..... 7

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers.

Steers, per lb..... 35 1/2 to 41 1/2
Fresh Cows..... 20 00 to 40 00
Fat Cows and Bulls, per lb..... 24 1/2 to 30 1/2
Hogs, per lb..... 5 1/2 to 6
Sheep, per lb..... 3 1/2 to 4
Lamb, per lb..... 4 1/2 to 6
Calves, per lb..... 4 1/2 to 6

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(2) Contingent guarantee fund 71,477,814.42

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MEETING OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.

A regular meeting of the Board of County School Commissioners will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 2nd and 3rd, 1905. Trustees will be appointed at that meeting. Teachers' salaries for the Spring Term will be paid on and after Thursday, May 11th.

The public schools for white pupils will close on Wednesday, May 31st. Teachers will have exercises in their respective schools appropriate to Arbor Day on Friday, April 14, the day designated by Governor Warfield.

Term reports are required to be sent to the Secretary of the Board on or before Tuesday, April 18th.

By order of the Board of School Commissioners. EPHRAIM L. BOBLITZ, Secretary.

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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

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Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1905.

FREDERICK COUNTY 'PHONE 33

Potatoes are selling as low as 10 cents a bushel.

A new Catholic church will be erected at Belair in the near future.

There will be a Pig Roast at Motter's Station, on Saturday, April 29, at 8 P. M.

Five young preachers were ordained into the ministry of the Methodist Protestant Church at Salisbury.

The tax rate of Allegany county, for the year 1905, including the state tax, is \$1.275 on the one hundred dollars.

The wine rooms in Cumberland, where women congregate, will be investigated by the Allegany county grand jury.

The next annual meeting of the Maryland Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church will be held in Baltimore.

It is reported that 50.3 inches of snow fell during the past winter. This is 12 inches more than we had the previous winter.

Mr. Charles McCarron, who has been quite sick for some time, was taken to St. Agnes' Hospital, Baltimore, for medical treatment.

The *Caloclin Clarion*, published at Thurmont, has changed ownership and is now being published by "The Clarion Publishing Company."

Mr. Ernest R. Shriver, of Freedom township, Pa., has purchased the James H. Schriver farm, situated about 2 1/2 miles east of Emmitsburg, for the sum of \$6,300.00.

David P. Miller has purchased the Green Point farm, near Narrows Park, Cumberland, from George Clauson, for \$18,000. He will lay the tract out in building lots and start a town.

Those who have tried Parker Rye, a real Maryland Whiskey, have discovered that it is far superior to the ordinary brands. It is recommended by the medical fraternity, and its sale is constantly growing.

On Wednesday Messrs. Gelwicks & Friezel, sold at public sale their Mountain farm, known as the Adam Tresler property, containing 150 acres, situated on Friend's creek. The farm was purchased by Mr. J. Thomas Gelwicks for \$1,050.00.

I will have on exhibition, Friday and Saturday, a magnificent Millinery display in Mr. Zimmerman's building, second floor, Center Square. A full line of ready to wear and dress hats. Prices to suit all.

MISS ZIEGLER.

On last Saturday Mr. Peter F. Burket, Assignee of Mortgage, sold at public sale the property of Alonzo Peddicord, situated on the Mountain, 2 miles southwest of this place, containing 4 1/2 acres of land and improvements. The property was purchased by Mr. Burket for \$287.00.

Nettie Patterson, the 6-year-old daughter of George Patterson, living in the vicinity of Roadside, not far from Pen-Mar, is in a dying condition as the result of being burned while playing near a fire under a wash kettle. Nearly all of her clothing was burned from her body before an older brother and others could extinguish the flames.

A New Trade Mark Law.

A copy of the New Law of Trade Marks will be sent free to any one interested in Trade Mark Protection, by C. A. Snow & Co. opposite Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

Escaped Prisoners Recaptured.

Tom Wright and Medford Handy, colored, who broke out of Easton Jail December 24 last, have been arrested in Salem, N. J. Both men confessed to being the men who broke jail at Easton and the Sheriff of Talbot county has gone after them.

Barn Burned.

During the rain and electrical storm which passed over this section of the country last Monday evening lightning struck the large barn belonging to Mr. Benjamin Hobbs, near Mt. St. Mary's. The building, with its contents of hay, etc., was destroyed. Between 600 and 700 bushels of corn were burned. There was a small insurance on building.

TOWN ELECTION.

The annual election for a Burgess and six commissioners to manage the affairs of Emmitsburg for one year is drawing near. Candidates should be nominated at a public meeting at least a week or more before the day of the election. Will this be done? The people have a right to know who the candidates are before the morning of election day.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. James McGrath, who was visiting her two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Zurgable and Mrs. Wm. Roddy, of Baltimore, Md., has returned home.

Mrs. John McGrath and daughter, Lillian, and Misses Annie Gintley and Mary Harris, of Waynesboro, Pa., visited Mr. and Mrs. James McGrath.

Mr. Charles Hardman is visiting his mother in this place.

FOR DOUBLE TRACK.

Extensive Improvements To Be Made On Western Maryland.

F. S. Landstreet, vice-president of the Western Maryland Railroad announces that work will soon begin on another important improvement. This is the double-tracking of the Western Maryland from Hagerstown to Baltimore. Engineers have been making surveys for the work to be done in this connection. It means the taking out of a number of curves and the reduction of the grades so that the road will be brought up to the physical standard called for by the heavy tonnage which the company is destined to handle from the coal fields of West Virginia, and from the West, when the connection with the Wabash is completed.

The first work to be done will be near Baltimore and the line from Baltimore to Emory Grove will be improved. This work will start during the summer. It means a double track railroad, with the least practical curvature and grade from Baltimore to Emory Grove. It is important to the Western Maryland, because with the opening of its Cumberland extension in October next there will be need for greater facilities in entering Baltimore.

A TRAGIC DEATH.

Harry Hoffman, aged 17 years, son of Mrs. Anna Hoffman, of Bakersville, Washington county, was seized with an attack of vertigo Saturday evening while sitting on a horse at Grime's Station, on the Norfolk and Western Railway. He fell on his head, broke his neck and died instantly. He was a book-keeper in J. D. Eakle's store, at Bakersville, and to get exercise rode a young horse to Grime's Station. He was talking to Misses Emma Middlekauff and Louisa Beeler, when without warning, he was seen to reel and finally to plunge head foremost to the ground. The horse ran off. He was librarian of Bakersville Lutheran Sunday-School. Surviving him are his mother, brother, Selbert Hoffman, Bakersville; sisters, Misses Myrtle Hoffman, Conway, S. C., and Bessie Hoffman, Bakersville.

Slumbers of the Dead Disturbed

Shortly before being taken into custody the last time (a few days ago) to be placed in the county insane asylum, Clifford E. Davis, the poet-author of Mt. Hermon, who quite frequently contributed to the newspapers before his mind became affected, insisted that the body of his mother, buried in Mount Hermon graveyard, did not face the east. A custom in that vicinity in burying is to place the remains facing the east.

He was not satisfied until the grave was uncovered, his statement verified and the remains turned around. After that he stated that all other bodies buried at Mount Hermon had been placed facing the west, and now there is considerable unrest at Mount Hermon, and the other bodies may also be raised and turned.

ONE FOR MT. ST. MARY'S.

The Mt. St. Mary's College baseball team defeated the Lebanon Valley College team on Friday afternoon of last week by the score of 5 to 4. The game was interesting and at times exciting. The features of the game were the pitching of Connelly, the batting of Dunphy and the sensational catch of Hendricks.

The score by innings:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E
M. S. M. 0 0 2 2 0 1 0 0 0 5 9 1
L. V. C. 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2 0 4 4 2
M. S. M., Connelly, p.; McShain, c. L. V. C., Panstiss, c.; Murbarger, p.

Expensive Trial.

County Clerk W. W. L. Cissel Tuesday presented to the Allegany Circuit Commissioners an itemized account of the costs in the recent murder trial of Edward C. Watts in the Circuit Court at Cumberland. The case was removed from Baltimore county, which will refund the payment of the costs to Allegany county. The bill shows the court costs to have amounted to \$1,060, and the sheriff's and witness fees to \$700, thus making the costs in the second trial of the prisoner to aggregate nearly \$1,760.

Base Ball Schedule.

The following is the schedule of games to be played by the Mt. St. Mary's College baseball team during the present ball season: April 15, Maryland College, at home; April 19, Penn Park, at York; April 27, Maryland School, at Frederick; April 29, Westminster, at home; May 6, Westminster, at Westminster; May 10, Gettysburg, at Gettysburg; May 13, Dickinson, at home; May 17, Gettysburg, at home; May 19, St. Johns, at home; May 27, Waynesboro, at Waynesboro; May 31, pending. Admission, 25 cents.

Republican Primary Meeting.

The Emmitsburg District Republican Primary meeting will be held in Spangor's Opera House, in this place, on Saturday, May 27, at 4 P. M. for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican County Convention, which will be held in Frederick, on Saturday, June 3, when a county ticket will be nominated, and delegates to the Republican State Convention will be elected.

Crushed by Car Wheels.

Leander Foye, 44 years old, formerly of Barton, Allegany county now a resident of Braddock, Pa., was so seriously injured at Cumberland that he cannot recover. He attempted to jump a freight train going toward Braddock, but fell under the wheels. One leg was crushed off and his skull badly fractured. He was placed in the hospital at Cumberland.

Several nights ago all of the outbuildings on the farm of Tyson Baker, near Cecsville, Montgomery county, were consumed by fire. The stable, corn crib, poultry house, 40 barrels of corn and a lot of poultry were included in the loss.

MAN'S BODY FOUND.

Sister of Reubin L. Bowen Suspects That He Met With Foul Play.

The body of Reubin F. Bowen, an engineer of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, was found floating in the water at the foot of Charles street, Baltimore, Tuesday evening about 7:30 o'clock by two sailors. His family when notified were inclined to believe that he had met with foul play. His body was taken to the Morgue, and Coroner Otto Reinhardt, of the Southern district, was notified. Captain Henry has instigated a thorough investigation, and expects to fathom the mystery surrounding the man's death.

Mr. Bowen had been employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for nearly two years as an engineer. When he went to Baltimore from Calvert county, of which place he is a native, he secured board with Mrs. Emma Perry, at 506 East Barney street.

On the morning of February 28 he left home at the usual time presumably to go to his place of work. As he did not return home that evening nor the following day, Mrs. Perry notified his sister, Mrs. Ella Linticum, of 1749 Covington street. He had never been known to stay away from home before, and becoming somewhat alarmed at his absence, Mrs. Linticum notified the police on March 3.

It was later ascertained, however, that Bowen had visited the Holiday Street Theatre on the night of February 28, and after the performance had visited the home of his uncle, Mr. D. W. Bowen, who conducts a store at the corner of Fayette and Howard streets. That was the last seen or heard of him until his body was discovered Tuesday in the river.

When Mrs. Linticum was notified of her brother's death she jumped to the conclusion that he had been murdered.

He was perfectly happy, she said, and had no apparent reason for committing suicide. When his clothing, which was covered with mud and slush, was searched, a dollar bill, four quarters and some change was found in an old purse, together with a small paper-back novel, a pocket knife, rules, several nails, etc.

Bowen was 26 years old. He was born in Prince Frederick, Calvert county, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bowen, of that place.

Barn burned at Highfield.

Heavy thunderstorms passed over Washington county Monday afternoon. Lightning was particularly severe in the vicinity of Pen-Mar.

At Highfield a bolt struck the large frame barn of Henry Fitz, and in a short time was in ashes. The barn was filled with many buggies and wagons, as Fitz conducted a livery business. None of them was saved. A lot of bay, corn, etc., was also burned. The live stock was saved, but the loss will be \$3,000, partly insured. The barn stood directly in rear of Kirkwood Hotel, near the Western Maryland railroad. Burning brands were carried by the high wind and fell on the summer cottages, some of which were saved only with difficulty.

Hail in large quantities fell in a strip of country from Chewsville, Washington county, to Blue Ridge Summit, on the top of the mountain, but there was little damage. There was a heavy rainfall in several sections of the county. At Williamsport the big smokestack on Byron's tannery was blown down.

A Tried And True Friend.

One Minute Cough Cure contains not an atom of any harmful drug, and it has been curing Coughs, Colds, Croup and whooping Cough so long that it has proven itself to be a tried and true friend to the many who use it. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

C. & O. CANAL.

It is officially announced that the Chesapeake and Ohio canal will not be opened until May 1. Heretofore the waterway traffic has been resumed as early as March 15. G. L. Nicholson, general manager, reports everything to be in readiness as far as the condition of the canal is concerned.

The Canal Towage Company still controls the traffic over the canal, and has made every arrangement for the present season to be the busiest in the history of the company. The company employs 600 men, 400 horses and mules and 150 boats, each boat having a crew of four men—two drivers, a captain and a steersman. Last season the company purchased about 50 of the finest Kentucky mules.

Last year over 900,000 tons of Cumberland coal was shipped to Georgetown.—Hagerstown Mail.

SUSPENDED BY SCHOOL BOARD.

At Belair, Md., the School Board, at its meeting Tuesday, ordered the suspension of Stanley and Elmer Loving from Rose's School and from the privilege of attending any school in Harford county until such time it should see fit to remove the prohibition.

The two boys were before the commissioners some time ago with reference to causing much trouble and disturbance at the school, and at the time they not only promised to refrain from such actions again but also signed a written agreement to that effect.

The teacher, Miss Pearl Pifer, reported Tuesday that the boys were persistent in their attitude of defiance and insubordination and that they had given her more trouble.

Passenger Train Derailed.

The Baltimore and Ohio passenger train due in Hagerstown at 9 A. M. was wrecked at Eakle's Mills, on the Washington county branch, last Friday. An empty passenger coach and a box car were derailed. Both cars went over an embankment. The box car landed in the public road, with the passenger coach on top of it. One end of a car turned across the track, completely blocking it. The brakeman, who was riding on the box car, jumped and was slightly injured.

CONFIRMATION

Fifty-Nine Candidates Were Confirmed at St. Joseph's Church By Cardinal Gibbons.

For The Chronicle.
Cardinal Gibbons confirmed fifty-nine candidates at St. Joseph's Church on Sunday morning. The beautiful edifice, one of the handsomest in the State, was filled with people from the parish as well as from the neighborhood, and even from distant parts of Pennsylvania. Miss Lansing brought out the powers of the new organ quite effectively, and the choir rendered the sacred music in excellent style. Rev. B. J. Bradley, of the College Faculty, sang the Mass, assisted by Fathers Sullivan and McNeil, C. M., and Father McGovern, of the College. There was in the sanctuary Fathers Hayden, C. M., pastor of the church; McDermott, of Waynesboro; Traggess, of Mt. St. Mary's; Fathers Flynn, McSweeney, Coad and Tierney, of the College Faculty, and Rev. Dr. Hassett, professor at the Catholic University, Washington.

The Cardinal preached from Hebrews, 9th chapter, 15th verse, on the sonship of God's children and the eternal inheritance for which they were destined. Although the New Testament is scarce a quarter in extent when compared with the old, yet while we find the Fatherhood of God expressed hardly a dozen times in the latter, it is found between two and three hundred times in the former. God came very near to us in the person of His Son, through whom we become adopted children of the Father. We should recognize our dignity and live up to the high vocation to which we are called, and "as we have borne the image of the earthly so let us bear also the image of the heavenly." For this we are strengthened by the Holy Ghost in the sacrament of Confirmation. The Holy Ghost changed the Apostles from timid, ignorant, selfish men, into brave, intelligent lovers of mankind, and they showed His power by their courage, their eloquence, their love for all, their wonderful works and the glorious deaths they underwent for the sake of the Son of God. The same Holy Ghost whom they received they imparted to others by prayer, and the imposition of hands (Acts, 8th chapter, verses 15-17), and this is what the Bishops, the successors of the Apostles, do when they give confirmation.

The Cardinal visited the College and the Sisterhood in the afternoon, and returned to Baltimore next morning, highly pleased with his visit to this portion of his flock.

FIRED BULLET INTO HEAD.

C. Schoman, Temporarily Insane, Ends Life. Had Been In Bad Health.

Without giving any intimation of his intention, Charles Schoman walked into the bathroom of his home, 1112 North Stricker street, Baltimore, Monday morning between 7:30 and 8 o'clock and shot himself through the head with a .38 calibre revolver. He died almost instantly.

Attracted by the report of the weapon his wife hurried to the bathroom, where she found her husband in a pool of blood with the revolver by his side. Dr. Wilbur F. Skillman was summoned. Mr. Schoman was dead when he reached the house.

Since last fall Mr. Schoman had suffered from nervous exhaustion. Sometimes his condition was so favorable that he could work, but often he was so seriously ill that, in the opinion of Dr. Skillman his attending physician, he was temporarily deranged. This is believed by Dr. Skillman to have been his condition Monday morning when the shot was fired.

When Mr. Schoman arose Monday morning he was apparently much better than usual, and he expressed the intention of going to his office, from which he had been absent for several days. Mrs. Schoman called him to breakfast.

"In a moment," he replied. Only a minute or so passed before he ended his life.

Mr. Schoman had been employed as a clerk by the Baltimore Life Insurance Company, with offices at Liberty and Clay streets, for 18 or 20 years. He was 46 years old. A widow and six children—three sons and three daughters—survive him.

Went a Name Of Fame.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills, have been made famous by their certain yet harmless and gentle action upon the bowels and liver. They have no equal for biliousness, constipation, etc. They do not weaken the stomach, gripe, or make you feel sick. Once used always preferred. They strengthen. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

NEWS FROM LOYS.

Loys, April 12.—Mr. W. L. Miller and son, George, left Saturday morning for Marion, Pa. Returned home Monday evening, accompanied by his wife, who has been spending several weeks with relatives in that place.

Mrs. David Hine, of D. P. Creek, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. A. Lohr. Mrs. Chas. Summers, mother and son, of Zora, Pa., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Loy.

Mrs. John Martin and family spent Friday evening with Mrs. Jacob Martin, of Hoover's Mill.

Mr. Edward Martin, who has been quite ill, is improving at this writing.

Mr. C. W. Loy and family spent Sunday with Mr. Andrew Hankey, of near Creagerstown.

Mr. William Gruber, while unjolting one of Mr. Edward Martin's horses, was kicked badly on the knee. He is improving slowly.

No Gloss Carriage Paint Made will wear as long as Devoe's. No others are as heavy bodied, because Devoe's weighs 3 to 7 ounces more to the pint. Sold by J. Thos. Gelwicks.

LADIESBURG HAPPENINGS.

Ladiesburg, April 12.—Mr. Theodore Augustus Miller, a former resident of this place, and familiarly known as "Tawny" Miller, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Amos Weisenale, near Hanover, Pa., on Saturday evening last, of senile debility, aged 84 years, 11 months and 26 days. Mr. Miller removed from this place to Hanover about 22 years ago. While a resident of this place he was quite popular, being a veterinarian of ability and a successful trapper. He is survived by one daughter and five sons, his wife having died on the 11th day of March, 1898. His remains were brought here on Tuesday at 9:42 over the P. R. R., and conveyed to Haugh's church, where services were held and the body interred by the side of his wife. Rev. Geo. Lauerer, of New Oxford, Pa., conducted the services. The pall bearers were his five sons, Fred, J. Theodore, Thomas, George, Charles, and his son-in-law, Amos Weisenale. Mr. Parker C. Grossnickle had charge of the funeral arrangements here.

The many friends of Mr. Adam D. Birely, senior member of the firm of A. D. Birely & Sons, who was operated on at the Emergency Hospital, Frederick, two weeks ago for gall stone, will be pleased to learn that he is doing nicely, with every prospect for a speedy and permanent cure.

Dr. Thomas F. Birely, a former resident of this place, but for some time past a resident physician of the Wm. Yingling Sanitarium, at Louisville, Mo., was here over Sunday as the guest of his friend, L. C. Shoemaker.

Dr. Thomas F. Birely has severed his connection with the Wm. Yingling Sanitarium and is moving to Maryland, where he will continue the practice of medicine. Mr. Finkle H. Birely has succeeded his brother, Clarence E. Birely, as merchant here.

Grain is looking fine with every prospect for a large crop.

The body of Mr. John McGinnis, of Double Pipe Creek, who died in Philadelphia on Friday last, passed through this place on Sunday last en route for Beaver Dam, where interment was made. The funeral cortege was a large one. The body was in charge of Waltz & Grossnickle, undertakers of Johnsville.

Mr. George W. Vanfosson, of near Middleburg, the famous potato raiser, has only about two hundred bushels of his immense crop left. The demand for Carmen No. 1 is great. It suits this part of the State better than any variety we know of, and has been thoroughly tested and is a large yielder and a grand cooker.

Mrs. John Biehl is again on the sick list suffering from grip. The general health of this community is good.

HARNEY NEWS.

Harney, April 11.—Miss Gertrude Reaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Reaver, near this place, and Mr. Chas. Welkert, of near Gettysburg, were quietly married on last Sunday evening at the bride's home.

Mr. Williams, of Baltimore county, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frank Shryock, of this place.

Mr. Dallas Shriver has purchased a dark bay gaited horse.

The communion services were largely attended on Sunday morning at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, it being a very beautiful morning.

Miss Anna Reck and Miss Myrtle Shriver, both of Gettysburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shryock on Sunday.

Mr. George I. Shriver is having his new house, along the Littlestown and Harney road, painted.

Dr. M. S. Pearce is convalescing from an attack of grip.

Miss Onedia Reck entertained a few of her friends at "finch" on Saturday evening.

Spring is here for the grass is getting green and the frogs are croaking, and now is the time to get good creek fish.

Mrs. Andrew Herr is on the sick list.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Fairfield, April 11.—The stores in Fairfield all have their spring goods in stock. Hon. J. W. Neely and Mr. James Cunningham are going out of the business.

Fairfield is a nice little town. The streets are all paved and crushed stone have been put on as a top covering, except Centennial street. It is in a very bad shape at this time. Perhaps the council will pave the street, as there is a lot of stone at the crusher at this time. The town council should see that the streets are kept in good condition. The constable cannot make a good report of Centennial street.

The School Directors have not decided upon a site for the new school house as yet, but it will probably be built on the old site. They have decided to build.

Eggs were selling for 15 cents per dozen on last Saturday in Fairfield.

Rev. J. F. Mackley has had his house repainted, which is an improvement. Mrs. Mackley has some of the finest flowers in town.

Rev. C. L. Ritter will hold communion services in the Lutheran Church, in Fairfield, on Easter Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Mr. George Byers, butcher of Fairfield, is killing some corn fed cattle. They are very fine, making first class beef.

Miss Rosie Sipe, of Fairfield, is going to New Jersey to live with Rev. Laughlin.

Mrs. Lewis Wertz, of Fairfield, is visiting near Emmitsburg.

Mrs. Zac Sanders, of Water street, Fairfield, is having a small summer kitchen but up. Mr. C. Frey is doing the work.

Mr. Jacob Hare has commenced Mr. J. M. Musselman's house, on Centennial street. He is having the house remodeled.

CHURCH CELEBRATION.

Episcopalian of Frederick Hold Jubilee on Occasion of the 50th Anniversary of the Laying of the Cornerstone of All Saints.

Frederick, April 11.—The fiftieth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of All Saints Protestant Episcopal Church, on West Church street, Frederick, was fittingly celebrated on Sunday and Monday last. Sunday morning the Archdeacon of Cumberland, Rev. Edw. T. Helfenstein, preached, his subject being "Privilege and Responsibility," and the records of the laying of the cornerstone, which was on April 10, 1855, were read by the pastor, Rev. Osborne Ingle. The evening services were held by the pastor, assisted by the ministers of the various city churches. Monday's services were the consecration of the church. Upon the entry of Bishop Paret and the vestry and wardens of the congregation, Hon. Wm. P. Mansby presented the instruments of donation and endowment. Bishop Paret preached the day's sermon. In the evening the jubilee was closed by a sermon by the Bishop of West Virginia, Rev. Geo. W. Peterkin. Miss Mary Steelck had charge of the music for the occasion, which was finely rendered. All Saints' parish is a very old and prominent one in the Episcopal Church, dating back prior to the War of the Revolution and many eminent divines were at different times connected with it. The present beautiful edifice was opened for worship in January, 1856, and was built at a cost of \$23,000. Rev. Osborne Ingle, the present pastor, has been connected with the local church since 1866 and is one of the best known and loved pastors and citizens of Frederick City.

Notes.

The Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, just adjourned, has announced the following assignment of ministers for the following year in Frederick county: Frederick, D. A. Thirkold; Doubs, B. A. Edwards; Liberty and Livingston, O. C. Marriot; Walkersville, L. N. Ridgley; Brunswick, C. T. House; Mt. Airy, F. A. Kilman; Thurmont, F. R. Bayley; Union Bridge, B. F. Clarkson.

S. A. Lewis, of the Frederick Bar, has been admitted to practice before the Interior Department at Washington.

The first of a series of Sunday excursions on the trolley line between Frederick and Hagerstown will be run next Sunday. Many persons have been going between the cities the last few weeks.

The Republican Central Committee for Frederick County, at a meeting here last Saturday, decided to hold the primaries on Saturday, May 27, and the County Convention on the Saturday following, when the county ticket will be named. Many aspirants have loomed up so far for the various offices.

Jesse Seaville, of Shepherdstown, Va., was fined \$10 and costs in the Police Court for violation of the State Automobile Law. The arrest was made at New Market by Deputy Sheriff Thos. Waltz. The fine was paid.

Reno S. Harp, of Frederick, has just been elected Grand Chancellor of the Domain of Maryland Knights of Pythias. Improvements in City and Vicinity.

It is reported that Mr. C. Thos. Kemp, of Frederick, will know dry goods merchant of this city, has purchased the properties of M. A. Woodward and C. A. Castle, situated on the corner of Market and Patrick streets, and that in the near future will build on the site of the present buildings a large department store. This new building and the Price Building on the other corner, which will also be remodeled by C. E. Cline, the furniture man, will add materially to the Main Square of the city.

F. & M. at Braddock.

The Frederick and Middletown Electric Railway Company have decided to erect a large auditorium at Braddock, also to construct another reservoir, erect a covered train shed and depot and make other improvements at that summer resort. The auditorium is very badly needed for services on Sunday and other special occasions. Work will be commenced immediately.

In the Courts.

The Brengle-Dill case is still being heard before the Court Examiner, D. P. Buekey. The defendant, Mr. Dill, on Monday last produced the bonds in dispute before the Examiner, as ordered by the Court.

The Orphans' Court has refused to probate the reputed parole will of the late Wm. H. Mercer, of Braddock, and an administrator will be appointed.

The case of the State of Maryland vs. Mercer, for perjury, growing out of the Mercer will case, has been made up and forwarded to the Court of Appeals, and will be argued as soon as possible.

Interment of Body of Allan Rohrbach

The remains of Allan Rohrbach were interred at Mt. Olivet Cemetery on Tuesday last. Many friends were in attendance. Mrs. Rohrbach and children returned home from the South, where the children were quarantined with scarlet fever, in time to attend the funeral.

There is one rational way to treat nasal catarrh: the medicine is applied direct to the affected membrane. The remedy is Inly's Cream Balm. It restores the inflamed tissues to a healthy state without drying all the life of them and it gives back the lost senses of taste and smell. The sufferer who is tired of vain experiment should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cents. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York, will mail it.

FOR SALE.—My

FLORIDA'S EXTENT.

The Everglade State Is Larger Than Most Folks Imagine.

But few people have any conception of Florida's extent. Jacksonville is about as far north of Miami as she is south of Charlotte, N. C.; about as far north of Key West as she is south of Danville, Va. Ignorance of the extent of Florida leads to many amusing mistakes.

CHATEAUBRIAND IN LONDON

A Picture of the English Capital of a Century Ago.

"All the English are mad by nature or by fashion," Chateaubriand writes nonchalantly in the book of his embassy in London (1821), but he had a very gay time with the same lunatics.

At an evening party at Lord Londonderry's, the English premier, "I was presented by his majesty to a severe looking lady seventy-three years old. She was dressed in crape, wore a black veil like a diadem on her white hair and resembled a queen who had abdicated her throne.

Henry II. sought peace for his soul after the murder of Becket by feeding and sustaining 10,000 people daily, a proceeding that must have made many a man rejoice in the fall of the "prince prelate."

The economy of saving time is wise, but there is an economy of spending time. In reading, especially, hurry is most wasteful. Reading is the making of thoughts, of ideas, of pictures in the brain.

When a girl is dressed engaged she figures on a ten room house in the swell part of town. As time goes on the house gradually decreases in size until it is a four room structure, then all the fancy trimmings are left off, and next the house is located in a remote part of town.

Bill had a bill-board. Bill also had a board bill. The board bill bored Bill so that Bill sold the billboard to pay his board bill.

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FARM GARDEN

WHEN THE KNIFE IS SHARP.

Pruning in March is Customary From Motives of Convenience.

The best time to prune is between the middle of May and the middle of June, when the trees are growing thickly, as the wounds will heal ever quicker.



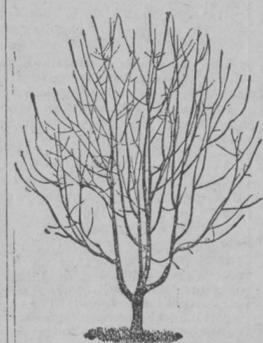
1. Hawkbill knife for small trees and shrubs. 2. Hand pruning shears for larger branches. 3. Lopping shears for still larger branches. 4. Shears for pruning hedges. 5. A very desirable form of pruning saw.

young growth, which is not required. In summer, labor will be saved in pruning. It is much better to prune at any time of the year than to neglect it altogether, as it is not a matter of great consequence which month it is done in.

Modern orchardists have come to look upon the low headed apple tree as more desirable than those headed high.

A head which is two and a half to three feet from the ground is at present considered more desirable than one which is six feet or more from the ground. The latter height was formerly frequently used. In forming the head care should be taken to have the framework branches disposed at different heights along the body of the tree, say from three to six inches apart, and distributed as evenly as possible around the body as a central axis.

When the trees begin to grow thickly many new branches will be formed, and it is the work of the pruner to remove all those which are not necessary and to cut back others. The top of the tree should be kept open to admit air and sunlight, but pruning should be so carefully done that there will be no bare limbs. All branches which are growing across and through the top should be cut out. If two branches touch one another one of them should



A LOW HEADED APPLE TREE.

be removed. If a branch on one side of the tree has outgrown the other it should be headed back so as to make the tree symmetrical, cutting it off just above a bud which is on the side that it is desired to have the new growth.

One item we have learned will be of untold benefit to sections just above the cane belt. Many farmers higher up have attempted to raise ribbon cane and have been compelled to quit on account of loss from our early frost.

The new variety, the Japanese cane, is a true cane, smaller than the ribbon, but suckers more and will grow on poor land. It is fine for sirup and is also splendid feed for cattle of all kinds. It will stand 15 degrees more cold than ribbon cane. We think any farmer in middle Georgia, Alabama or South Carolina would do well to try some and learn of its adaptability. One gentleman told us he grew twenty-three stalks from a single eye.—Southern Cultivator.

Enthusiastic beginners in gardening should beware of the common mistake of starting outdoor operations too soon. Do not try to work the soil when it is too wet nor, on the other hand, delay the operation till it is too dry. Taken just right, the soil will generally second your efforts to put it into a nice mellow condition.

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EAR OF DIONYSIUS.

One of the Famous Whispering Places of the World.

Among the notable whispering places of the world is the "Ear of Dionysius" of ancient Syracuse. It is in the shape of a parabolic curve, ending in an elliptical arch, with sides parallel to its axis, perfectly smooth and covered with a slight stucco incrustation that renders its repercussions amazingly sonorous.

It is 64 feet high, from 17 to 35 in breadth and 187 deep. It has an awful and gloomy appearance, which, with its singular shape, perhaps gave rise to the popular and amusing paradox that Dionysius had it constructed for the confinement of those whom he deemed inimical to his authority and that from the little apartment above he could hear all the conversation among the captives who were brought to the ancient town of Syracuse in the time of its splendor, when it was the largest in Sicily.

The sound of words uttered with a low voice is augmented in vaults or galleries so as to become audible at a considerable distance from the speaker. A like effect takes place in a less degree when sound ascends from the bottom of a deep well or when words are uttered at one extremity of a long corridor or passage in a building. If a pin be dropped into a well the sound produced when it strikes the water is distinctly heard at the mouth or the sounds of words spoken near the surface of any well is similarly augmented. Try it.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A FAMOUS STAR GROUP.

The Constellation Orion in Legend and Literature.

The constellation Orion is mentioned in the literature of all ages. In Egypt it represented Horus, the young or rising sun, in a boat surmounted by stars, closely followed by Sirius, which was shown as a cow. It has also been found sculptured on the walls of Thebes 5,000 years ago. And on the men of that early time it shone down from the same position and with the same brightness as it does on us today, a striking example of the unchangeableness of the heavens.

From the days of the early Hindus to the present the constellation has for some reason borne always a storied character. Allusions to its direful influence are found everywhere among the classic writers. Thus Milton wrote:

When with fierce winds Orion arched Hath vexed the Red sea coast.

The loss of the Roman squadron in the first Punic war was ascribed to the fleet having sailed just after the rising of Orion. The group has also been employed as a calendar sign, its morning rising indicating the beginning of summer, its midnight rising the season of grape gathering and its early evening rising the arrival of winter, with its attendant storms. In recent times the group has always represented a great hunter or warrior. Its present title came into Greek astronomy from the Euphrates and originally signified the light of heaven.

Fig Sunday.

Palm Sunday is known in England as Fig Sunday because in many districts figs are freely eaten on that day. The custom is common in the villages of Bedford, Bucks, Hertford and Northampton and is found in some parts of north Wales. As Palm Sunday approaches the shop windows of Dunstable are filled with figs in readiness for the crowds who go to the top of Dunstable downs to regale themselves on that day. At Kempton, in Hertfordshire, to "keep wassel" is to feast on figs or fig puddings with your friends on Palm Sunday. Fig Sunday is probably connected with the story of the barren fig tree, which forms part of one of the lessons for the day.—London Mail.

A Tailor's Proclamation.

The art of advertising is reached a high pitch of excellence in these days, but old newspapers and circulars furnish some fetching examples which it would be difficult to improve upon. Fifty years ago a Madstone (England) tailor made this alluring appeal to the public:

"Neoteric cutting. Coats, trousers and vests, in almodadi style and material, are scientifically constructed and symmetrically adjusted to the anthropological flexibilities, for a thymatological minute, prompt, momentary gesticulation." Then follows the address, where your "commands will be executed with rabidological exactitude and mellifluous courtesy."

Bishop Brooks' Joke.

Some years ago Bishop Phillips Brooks was recovering from an illness and was denying himself to all visitors when Robert Ingersoll called. The bishop received him at once. "I appreciate this very much," said Mr. Ingersoll, "but why do you see me when you deny yourself to your friends?" "It is this way," said the bishop. "I feel confident of seeing my friends in the next world, but this may be my last chance of seeing you."

In the History Class.

"Who set fire to the temple of Diana at Ephesus?" asked the teacher, looking sharply at the boy. "I—I don't know, ma'am," answered the frightened urchin. "As true as I'm striven here, I didn't have nothing to do with it."

Love's Young Dream.

A Washington youth wrote home after the elopement, "I am married now, and all my troubles are over. Married men, please don't titter.—Chicago Journal.

Nobody ever presses into another man's concerns but with a design to do or to be able to do him mischief.—South.

Couldn't Spend It.

"Say, Bill, once I had more money than I knew what to do with."

"Yer don't mean it?"

"Sure. I found a quarter in a temperance town."

An Interference.

Clerk—The old man thinks you are pretty. The Typewriter—Really? Has he said so? Clerk—No, but he doesn't criticize your spelling.—New York Press.

Avoid popularity; it has many snares and no real benefit.—Penn.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy.

What is CASTORIA Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

NEW STOCK OF SHOES FOR SPRING AND SUMMER, 1905. 18 Different Kinds OF DOUGLAS SHOES TO SELECT FROM.

Made of many different leathers. Patent Vici, Patent Corona, Dull Finished Corona, Box Calf, Valour Box Grain and French Calf.

These shoes are made on the newest, up-to-date lasts. Neat and well finished. Perfect fitting.

A New Lot of Ladies', Misses', and Children's Shoes.

Good lot of Infants' Shoes. Lot of Infants' Socks and Soft Sole Shoes.

Boys' and Youths' Shoes of the best makes. Shoes and prices will please you.

Respectfully, M. FRANK ROWE.

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THE SUN is the best type of a newspaper, morally and intellectually. In addition to the news of the day, it publishes the best features that can be presented, such as fashion articles, and miscellaneous writings from men and women of ability and prominence. It is an educator of the highest character, constantly stimulating to noble ideals in individual and national life.

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Western Maryland Railroad

MAIN LINE

Schedule in Effect February 27th, 1905.

Table with columns: Read Downward, STATIONS, Read Upward. Lists stations like Le Cherry Run, Hancock, Big Foot, Charton, North Williamsport, Hagerstown, etc.

Additional trains leave Baltimore for Union Bridge and Intermediate Stations at 10:12 a. m., and 4:15, 6:15 and 11:35 p. m., and leave Union Bridge for Baltimore and Intermediate Stations at 4:45, 5:45 and 6:45 a. m., and 12:50 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

Sundays Only—Leave Baltimore for Union Bridge and Intermediate Stations 9:30 a. m., and 2:30 p. m. Leave Union Bridge for Baltimore and Intermediate Stations at 4:45, 5:45 and 6:45 a. m., and 12:50 p. m., daily, except Sunday.

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Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

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Emmitsburg Rail Road.

TIME TABLE.

On and after October 2, 1904, trains on this road will run as follows:

TRAINS SOUTH

Leave Emmitsburg, daily, except Sundays, at 7:55 and 9:55 a. m., and 2:55 and 4:50 p. m., arriving at Rocky Ridge at 8:25 and 10:25 a. m., and 3:25 and 5:20 p. m.

TRAINS NORTH

Leave Rocky Ridge, daily, except Sundays, at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m., and 3:30 and 6:52 p. m., arriving at Emmitsburg at 9 and 11:02 a. m., and 4 and 7:22 p. m.

W. M. A. HIMES, Pres't.

DIRECTORY FOR FREDERICK COUNTY

Circuit Court.

Chief Judge—Hon. James McSherry.

Associate Judges—Hon. John C. Motter and Hon. J. H. Henderson.

State's Attorney—Arthur D. Willard.

Clerk of the Court—Dr. Samuel T. Haffner.

Orphan's Court.

Judges—Russell E. Lighter, Jacob M. Birely, William H. Pearce.

Register of Wills—William B. Cutshall.

County Officers.

County Commissioners—Wm. H. Blandinger, Lewis H. Bowler, John H. Elzier, William H. Hagarth, David G. Zentz.

Sheriff—Charles E. Young.

County Treasurer—Charles C. Biser.

Surveyor—Rufus A. Rager.

School Commissioners—Samuel Dufrow, S. Therman, Brian, Charles W. Wright, J. Henry Stokes, Charles B. Single, Dr. H. Boteler Gross.

Emmitsburg District.

Notary Public—W. H. Troxell.

Justices of the Peace—Henry Stokes, Millard F. Shuff.

Constables—School Trustees—Dr. R. L. Annan, M. F. Shuff, Oscar D. Fralder.

Town Officers.

Briggs—E. L. Fricell.

Churches.

Ev. Lutheran Church.

Pastor—Rev. Charles Reinewald. Services every Sunday morning and evening at 10 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school every Sunday at 9 o'clock. Sabbath school at 9 o'clock a. m.

Reformed Church of the Incarnation.

Pastor, Rev. A. M. Gluck. Services every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and every other Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday School at 9 o'clock a. m. in Midweek service 7 o'clock. Catholic school on Saturday after noon at 2 o'clock a. m.

Presbyterian Church.

Pastor—Rev. David H. Riddle. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. W. C. Woodcock, Lecturer and Prayer Meeting at 7 o'clock. Sabbath School at 9 o'clock a. m.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Pastor—Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M. First Mass 6:00 o'clock a. m., second Mass 9:00 o'clock a. m., Vesper 7 o'clock p. m., Sunday School at 2 o'clock p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

Pastor—Rev. F. R. Bayley. Services every other Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Sunday School at 9 o'clock. Devotional Service 6:30 p. m. Sunday School at 7:30 p. m.

Societies.

Emmitsburg Penitential Association.

Officers—President, Edwin Chisler; Vice-President, J. Edward Baker; Secretary, Chas. O. Rosenstiel; Asst. Secretary, Albert Bowling; Treasurer, R. H. Dinkel; Steward, James Rosenstiel; John Seelinger and J. Edward Baker; Messenger, Daniel W. Stoner. Branch on the fourth Sunday of each month, in C. O. Rosenstiel's house east of town.

Mt. St. Mary's Catholic Benevolent Association.

Rev. Thomas Lyons, Chaplain; President, A. V. Keepers; Vice-President, Charles R. Weller; Treasurer, John H. Rosenstiel; Secretary, Chas. E. Rosenstiel; Asst. Secretary, Frank Troxell; Executive, Assistant Secretary, Frank Troxell; Committee, John Kelly, Chairman; John Seelinger; Edward Rosenstiel; Frank Troxell; George Keepers; Board of Directors, George Wagner, John Peddicord, George Lipp.

Arthur Post, No. 41, G. A. R.

Commander, James B. Black; Senior Vice-Commander, George T. Eyster; Jr. Vice-Commander, John H. Metzger; Adjutant, Samuel Gamble; Charles M. Samuel McNaught; Officer of the Day, Wm. H. Weaver; Officer of the Guard, Samuel Wackerman; Surgeon, Abraham Herring; Quartermaster, Geo. T. Gelwick.

Vigilant Hose Company.

Meets the first Friday evening of each month at Fireman's Hall. President, Charles R. Hoke; Vice-President, Jas. A. Single; Secretary, G. V. Ashbaugh; Treasurer, J. H. Stokes; Capt. R. C. Moyer; Lieut. C. E. Hower; Lieut. Lieut. Chas. E. Jackson; Chief Nozzlemann, W. E. Ashbaugh; Hose Director, John Single.

Emmitsburg Water Company.

President, I. S. Annan; Vice-President, L. M. Motter; Secretary, C. D. Jichelberger; Treasurer, E. L. Annan; Directors, L. M. Motter, I. S. Annan, E. L. Rowe, J. Thos. Gelwick, J. Stewart Annan.

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