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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND WELCOME ALL!

GRAND OPENING DAY AT

JOSEPH E. HOKE'S

SANTA CLAUS' DEPARTMENT EVERY DAY

I have on hand the largest and best selected Christmas Goods every displayed in Emmitsburg. I cordially invite every one to come and bring the Children with them, to examine my goods before buying.

A few Christmas Suggestions.

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Rag Dolls, 10 cents.
Washable Dolls, 5, 10, 25 cents.
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Every thing that will make a boy happy.

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Hemstitched Towels, 50 cents to \$1.00.
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Dessert Plates.
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Lamps, Vases, Mirrors, Pictures.
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FOR THE YOUNG MEN.

Gloves.
Neckties, 25 to 50 cents.
Collar and Cuff Boxes, 50, 75 and 85 cents.
Shaving Sets, 50 cts., \$1.25, \$2.25, \$3.50.
Calendars, 5, 10, 15, 25 cents.
Linen Paper.

FOR THE MEN.

Fancy Pipes.
Neckties, 25 to 50 cents.
Shaving Sets, 50 cts., \$1.25, \$2.25, \$3.50.
Handkerchiefs, Gloves,
Pocket Books.
Way's Mufflers, 25 to 50 cents.
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I have a large assortment of fresh Candy and Chocolates, in prices ranging from 7c. a pound to 50 cts. Also have Lowney's Chocolates.

Fruits of all Kinds.

Oranges, Lemons, Grapes,
Bananas, Dates, Figs,
Raisins, Currants, Conserved Pine Apple.

Nuts of all Kinds

Christmas Tree
Ornaments.

Christbaum-Moos, Lametta
Artificial Snow, Christmas
Bells, 5, 10, 15, 30cts. and \$1
Tinsel, Holly Wreaths.

Give us a call, I am sure you will be pleased.

Joseph E. Hoke

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RUSSIA FACES MARTIAL LAW

Government Takes Drastic Steps to
Put Down Revolution.

COUNT WITTE'S LIFE IN DANGER

St. Petersburg, Dec. 18.—A shudder of horror has convulsed Russia. The government claims it has given battle only to the "Red" revolutionists, but the populace generally believe that the "white terror" has returned. Already the leaders of the proletarian organization who escaped capture on Saturday night at the Economic Society, and even men of the rank of Professor Milukoff are in hiding from the police, who are hunting them down. The government evidently anticipates a battle royal, and has made its dispositions accordingly. It fully understands that the proletariat will give blow for blow in answer to the wholesale arrests.

The Workmen's Council and the League of Leagues Saturday night issued a declaration of a general strike, to begin immediately, and consequently by an Imperial ukase published all governors general, governors and prefects throughout the empire who are cut off by telegraph are clothed with almost dictatorial powers, being authorized, without consulting St. Petersburg, to declare a state of siege and, if necessary, even martial law. As most of the provincial authorities are reactionary officials of the old regime, the advantage they will take of such power to terrorize the populace can be easily imagined, they being in position to become petty tyrants and wage war each in his own particular fashion against the revolutionists.

In addition to the general strike, it is expected that the revolutionaries will have recourse to the old methods of fighting the government. It is stated that the terrorist organization held a meeting in the small hours of the morning.

Count Witte's life is considered to

be in danger, and the annex of the palace where he is residing is heavily guarded.

A report that Count Witte has resigned is in circulation, but it is false. It may, however, become true at any moment, as General Count Alexis Ignatieff is being held in reserve.

A close friend of the premier says that Count Witte had no faith in the policy of Minister of the Interior Durnovo, and only consented to it on the condition that it should be confined to legal means. The same informant says that an official communication declaring a resort to legal measures to be the policy of the government will be issued today. It is the opinion of many Liberals as well as revolutionaries that "with the first discharge of cannon Count Witte will go."

TROOPS AT RIGA REVOLT

Are Shelling the City, Which is Said
To Be in Flames.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Eydkuhnen says that the conductor of a morning train from St. Petersburg asserts the troops at Riga have joined in the revolt, and that the town is being shelled and is burning. Between St. Petersburg and Wilna the flames, according to the conductor, could be seen from several places, and were often reflected by the sky.

A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Koenigsberg, Prussia, says: "During the street fighting at Mitau, the capital of Courland, 300 persons were killed."

"At Lennwarden, in southern Lithuania, the revolutionists liberated all the prisoners and shot Assistant District Governor Petersen and M. Maximowitch, his secretary, and threw their bodies into the river."

Over 400 refugees from Libau and Mitau have arrived. The regular train from St. Petersburg brought about 200 refugees, many of them women and children.

The waiting rooms here are overcrowded. The further movement west of all the refugees is impossible at the present.

The refugees report that brutalities of the most frightful description have been committed in the Baltic region. They say that at Libau, Riga and

Mitau many officers have been horribly mutilated by the Lithuanian peasants.

Three Killed By Train.

Toledo, Dec. 18.—Mrs. John Lashaway, aged 70; her daughter-in-law, Mrs. L. L. Lashaway, and the latter's 2-year-old baby were killed at Weston. A carriage in which they were riding was struck by a south-bound passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road at the Main street crossing. The carriage was demolished and the bodies of the two women were frightfully mangled. They died instantly and the baby only lived five minutes. The horse was also killed.

Hoch Must Pay Death Penalty.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—The supreme court of the state affirmed the verdict of the lower court, which condemned Johann Hoch to death for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Marie Weicker-Hoch, and the date of his execution has been set for February 25.

Indicted For Wife Murder.

Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 16.—A true bill of indictment was returned by the grand jury against Dr. J. B. Matthews, who is accused of having poisoned his wife, Zola, two weeks ago. Dr. Matthews will be arraigned for trial at the February term of court.

Merely a Trifle.

"I suppose your late uncle didn't fail to remember you in his will?" said the sympathetic friend.

"You could hardly call it a remembrance," replied the poor relation. "It was more like a faint recollection."

Chicago News.

True to the Saying.

"All the world's a stage," quoted one misanthrope.

"Yes," replied another. "and it's the same old story. A lot of fellows that's cut out for supers is tryin' for star."

Dream Extravaganza.

"Don't the Highways live beyond their income?"

"Dear me, why, they live beyond the income they wish they had."

"Psyche" was the first English opera. It was produced in 1673.

THREE CHICAGO BANKS FAIL

Institutions Involved in Operations
of John R. Walsh.

DEPOSITORS LOSE NOTHING

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Three of the largest financial institutions in the west, the Chicago National Bank, the Home Savings Bank and the Equitable Trust company, all of them controlled by John R. Walsh, of Chicago, and in great measure owned by him, have suspended operations. Their affairs will be liquidated as rapidly as possible and they will go out of business.

Mr. Walsh, who was the president of the Chicago National Bank and of the Equitable Trust company, and all the other officers and all the directors of the Chicago National Bank have resigned. National Bank Examiner C. H. Boworth has succeeded Mr. Walsh as the head of the Chicago National Bank, and the places of the directors have been filled by men appointed by the Chicago Clearing House.

Back of the new management stand the allied banks of Chicago, which have pledged their resources that every depositor shall be paid to the last cent, and that no customer of any one of the three institutions shall lose anything by reason of the suspension. This action prevented a disastrous financial panic.

The immediate cause of the collapse of the institutions controlled by Mr. Walsh is said to be the large amount of money which they have lent to various private enterprises of his, notably the Southern Indiana railway and the Bedford Quarries company, of Indiana. Mr. Walsh says that if he could have had a little more time and been left untrammelled in his operations he could have saved his banks and made enormous profits for himself and his associates. He bases this statement on his estimate of the value of the bonds of the Southern Indiana Railroad company.

The liabilities of the three institu-

tions are estimated in the aggregate at \$26,000,000. Against this amount the banks and the trust company have resources that are, on a conservative estimate, worth \$16,000,000. The bonds of the Southern Indiana Railroad company are estimated by Mr. Walsh at \$16,000,000. They are considered by the comptroller, the state auditor and the clearing house committee to be worth a little more than half of that sum.

The directors of the two banks, as well as Mr. Walsh, who has turned all of his private property, as well as that standing in the name of Mr. Walsh, have pledged real estate and securities valued at \$5,000,000, making a total in assets of \$29,000,000, estimating the railroad bonds at \$8,000,000, against \$26,000,000 liabilities.

The deposits in the bank were \$14,483,000 and there is due to other banks \$2,038,851.

The following statement was issued by Comptroller Ridgely:

"A misunderstanding seems to exist as to what has happened to the Chicago National Bank. This bank has not failed or closed its doors. It has been embarrassed by the investment of its assets in unavailable securities, but the banks of Chicago have come to its relief, and have guaranteed the payment in full on demand, of all the creditors of the Chicago National Bank. The bank is open for business as usual, with these guarantees behind it that it will meet all its obligations and every dollar at once."

GIRL KILLS NEGRO ASSAILANT Man's Body Was Then Thrown Into River By Citizens.

Logan, W. Va., Dec. 18.—Herman Nolan, a negro, was shot and killed by Miss Daisy Wilkinson, a young school teacher. The shooting occurred on the highway running through a woodland near the Guyandotte river. Miss Wilkinson was walking to her school and was overtaken by the negro. He made advances and threatened to kill her unless she would submit. Miss Wilkinson drew a revolver and sent a bullet through the negro's brain. The girl then walked to a farm house and told her story. The negro's body, after lying in the road several hours, was thrown by citizens into the Guyandotte river. The girl has not been arrested.

and the indications are that she will not be.

Miss Wilkinson is but 20 years old. She boarded more than half a mile from her school and friends had advised her to carry a revolver.

Chicago "Brick Trust" Fined \$18,000.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The so-called "brick trust" of Chicago made a complete surrender to State's Attorney Healy in court and a number of its officials and several labor union officers were fined an aggregate of \$18,000. The company and some of its officers, together with two labor leaders, were indicted for conspiracy to do an illegal act, to prevent competition and to restrict the production and sale of bricks in the Chicago market.

Six Moonshiners Captured.

Gate City, Va., Dec. 19.—Deputy United States Marshal R. H. Wisley, assisted by a posse of citizens, in a raid on the line between Scott and Russell counties, captured six men and their distillery. The prisoners, who were placed in jail here, are Nathaniel Keith, Elbert Salter, George Dugas, Bud Castiel, William Castiel and Jefferson Meade. They were operating their still in a cave, which the officers entered by a ladder.

Nothing will cure Indigestion but doesn't digest the food itself, and give the stomach rest. You can't expect that a weak stomach will regain its strength and get well when it is compelled to do the full work that a sound stomach should do. You wouldn't expect a sick horse to get well when it is com- pelled to do a full day's work every day of the week. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant and di- gests the food regardless of the condition of your stomach. Re- lieves Indigestion, Belching, Sour Stomach, and all stomach disorders. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman.

Will Exhume Woman's Body.

New York, Dec. 19.—Judge Hendrickson, of the supreme court of New Jersey, ordered that the grave of Mrs. Frank Brouwer, former wife of a physician of Toms River, N. J., be opened, so that an autopsy upon her body may be performed. Charges had been made by T. E. Heyer, of Long Branch, the woman's brother, that she had been poisoned. The order was granted on the application of County Prosecutor Brown, who presented sworn statements made by Mr. Heyer. No date has been set for exhuming the body. Deep interest has been aroused in the case throughout Southern New Jersey. Dr. Brouwer, her husband, said he concurred in the action taken by the county authorities.

Eccentric Woman Murdered.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 19.—Miss Eliza Read, an eccentric woman, who lived alone on the mountain, three miles from Pocahontas, Va., was found murdered in her home, apparently having been struck in the head with an axe or club. Miss Read had a good income from royalty on coal lands, and robbery is thought to have been the motive of the crime.

Shot to Death By "Black Hand."

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 18.—Antonio Miguel, an Italian, was held up on the streets of Pittston and shot to death. When people in the neighborhood rushed out of their homes to learn the cause of the commotion the assassins had escaped. Miguel was dying when found. This is believed to be another "Black Hand" murder.

President's Gift to School Children.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Dec. 19.—A Christmas check was received from President Roosevelt by Miss Sarah C. Provost, principal of the school which the president's children formerly attended. The money is to be used in buying gifts for the pupils at the school.

Student Commits Suicide.

Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 18.—James S. Dox, aged 25 years, of North Adams, Mass., a student at the Bowman Technical School, this city, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. He had been in ill health for some time.

MIDDIES ARE NOT DEFIANT

Abandon Efforts to Control Hazing Investigation.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 19.—The midshipmen of the first class at the Naval Academy, who form the court of last resort in matters relating to the "code," have, it is said, passed the word among the fourth-class men, who are being called as witnesses before the board of investigation, that they may answer freely and fully all questions asked them. This is understood to mark the breakdown of all effort of the midshipmen to defy the authorities. The board has summoned so many shipmen of the fourth class, that the upper-class men are said to have decided that it will be useless to make any further attempt to control the matter.

Touching the rumor that whole classes, as such, contemplate admitting hazing, an officer in authority said that the midshipmen would not be allowed to admit hazing in a general way, but that any of them who desired to confess to a special case would have it attended to promptly.

Midshipman Jerome P. Kimbrough and Henry G. Cooper, Jr., were both released from the hospital, and will, it is thought, shortly be called before the board of investigation.

PHILADELPHIA SUBWAY OPENED

Travel Started On First Section of Underground Railroad.

Philadelphia, Dec. 18.—The market street subway, from the Schuylkill river to the city hall, travel through which was started today, was thrown open for public inspection Sunday by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company. It is estimated that fully 50,000 persons took advantage of the opportunity to walk through the tunnel.

The subway when completed will extend from the Schuylkill river to the Delaware river, a distance of two miles. The construction of the tunnel from the city hall to the Delaware river has not yet been started. Work on the portion completed was begun in April, 1903. An elevated railroad along Market street from 53d street east to the Schuylkill, a distance of three miles, is under construction by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company. When completed cars from the "R" road will cross the Schuylkill and dip into the subway.

SHANGHAI RIOT SUPPRESSED

Twenty Chinese Killed and Several Europeans Injured.

Shanghai, Dec. 19.—Anti-foreign rioting broke out here and raged for several hours before it was suppressed. Twenty Chinese rowdies were killed and a few Europeans were wounded. Otherwise the damage done was only slight.

Police, sailors and volunteers co-operated in suppressing the riots. In the course of which one police station was partly burned, a barroom was wrecked and a bicycle store looted. No European was killed. The streets are now deserted except for armed police, which are everywhere.

The riot was promoted by boycotters on account of an incident involving the mixed court. The German consul was stoned and the American vice consul and several other foreigners were attacked and injured. The Chinese closed their shops when the rioting began. The local volunteers were called out to restore order.

SAW HER SON ELECTROCUTED

Friend Restrains Her From Rushing to Save Him From Accident.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 19.—Crawford C. Cooke, aged 26 years, an electrician employed in the Norfolk navy yard, was electrocuted in the cellar of his home in this city. Cooke went into the cellar to look after his furnace and attempted to turn on an electric light while standing on a damp concrete floor. As he did so he was charged with 2300 volts of electricity and died while his aged mother looked on and was only held back from rushing to his rescue and certain death for herself by Mrs. Hattie Chase, who, with the mother, had been attracted to the cellar entrance by the shrieks and groans of the dying man.

Several persons in the same neighborhood received light shocks when they turned on their lights, but all but Cooke were at the time standing on a dry wooden surface.

Maryland Trust Company Resumes.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 19.—The Maryland Trust Company resumed business, with a balance of assets over liabilities of more than \$750,000, after having been in the hands of a receiver since October 19, 1903, when its doors were closed. The principal business transacted was the payment to creditors of an amount in the neighborhood of \$1,700,000. The first account opened was with an elderly lady who had been one of the creditors of the institution. New York capital is largely interested in the reorganized company.

Gives Hospital \$250,000.

New York, Dec. 18.—Isaac Guggenheim, the New York capitalist, announced that he would give to the Sydenham hospital, in East 116th street, a quarter of a million of dollars for the purpose of erecting a new building. Mr. Guggenheim's only proviso is that the hospital authorities and directors shall raise a sufficient endowment for the maintenance of the larger institution.

Hotel Burned During Blizzard.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 18.—The Hotel McAden, at South Hill, Va., was burned to the ground, its 30 or more guests being turned out into the blizzard-like weather which has prevailed in Virginia since last Friday. The town was threatened for a time.

A boy 12 years old, son of Mr. Lewis Gagner, of Germantown, Montgomery county, found a dynamite cartridge, and just knowing the character of the explosive struck it and was thrown down, receiving only slight injuries. How he escaped death was marvelous.

HARRIMAN ADMITS USING HIS PULL

Doubted Ryan's Motives When He Secured Control of Equitable.

MAY HAVE THREATENED HIM

New York, Dec. 16.—Before the legislative insurance investigating committee another chapter was added to the chronicles of what Thomas F. Ryan called "strenuous" interviews between himself and E. H. Harriman. Mr. Ryan gave his version of the conversations to the committee a few days ago, when he said that Mr. Harriman, at the time of the acquisition of the James H. Hyde stock in the Equitable Life Assurance Society, demanded an equal share, and threatened to use his political influence against him if he did not surrender it. Mr. Harriman replied to the committee his version, and made some interesting statements of his relations with former Governor B. B. Odell, Jr., the chairman of the New York State Republican committee, and also as to a request to watch legislation affecting the Equitable Society which he had made upon Governor Francis W. Higgins and the late S. Fred Nixon, the speaker of the New York state assembly.

In substance Mr. Harriman testified that when Mr. Ryan bought the Hyde stock, carrying control of the Equitable Society, he asked Mr. Harriman to co-operate with him in saving the property; that Mr. Harriman agreed to do it if satisfied that Mr. Ryan was acting from pure and unselfish motives; that Mr. Ryan did not satisfy him as to the purity of his motives, and that Mr. Harriman notified him that he would use his influence against him. The test which Mr. Harriman said he applied to determine Mr. Ryan's purity of motive was an offer to take one-half of the Hyde stock and to name two trustees of the society. Mr. Ryan refused to agree to that. Mr. Harriman testified that Mr. Ryan should have assumed that he (Harriman) would use his political influence against him. He was not certain whether he said anything about legislative action as a warning to Mr. Ryan, but declared that he had nothing to do with starting the present insurance investigation.

Charles E. Hughes, counsel for the committee, informed Mr. Harriman that it has been charged that he got his political influence through his relation with former Governor B. B. Odell, Jr. Mr. Harriman said: "Well, I should think Mr. Odell had political influence because of his relation with me." Laughter followed the remark. Later Mr. Harriman said that the remark was meant in a jocular sense.

Mr. Harriman declared to the committee that he did not confer with Mr. Odell about the advisability of legislative action, and that he has not yet taken any action to thwart Mr. Ryan's plans. Last spring, Mr. Harriman said when the management of the Equitable Life Assurance Society was divided into two factions, the one headed by President James W. Alexander and the other by James H. Hyde, an attempt was made by the Alexander faction to induce the legislature to muzzle the society. Mr. Harriman said he asked members of the legislature to watch out for any legislation favorable to the Alexander faction and to report to him if it appeared. He then stated that it was Governor Higgins and Speaker Nixon he had asked to watch out for the Alexander legislation. He added that no such legislation was introduced and that he took no steps through Governor Higgins and Speaker Nixon to prevent it.

BREAK JAIL AT SUNBURY, PA.

Two Men Escape, But Others Are Caught In Time.

Sunbury, Pa., Dec. 19.—Joseph Shultz and Harry Burns, leaders in a plot to accomplish a wholesale jail break, scaled the wall of the Northernumberland county prison and got away. A citizen saw them leap to the ground and gave the alarm. Joseph O'Brien and Harry Williams were captured while scaling the inner side of the wall. Then other cells had been opened with a skeleton key, but the prisoners in these had not attempted to follow the leaders. The escape was accomplished by Williams, who was a "trustee," and who had been given the task of locking the prisoners up. The door of Shultz's cell had been left open. The latter had made a skeleton key out of a knife blade and unlocked the cells of the other prisoners.

Death of Dr. W. S. Forbes.

Philadelphia, Dec. 18.—Dr. W. S. Forbes, professor of anatomy and clinical surgery at Jefferson Medical College, and a leading representative of the medical men of Philadelphia, died at his home here of angina pectoris. He had been ill but a short time. Dr. Forbes was born in Falmouth, Va., 74 years ago. He served with the British army in the Crimean war and was a medical director in the Union army during the Civil War. Dr. Forbes was the author of the original anatomy act of Pennsylvania, which has placed the procuring of subjects for dissection in the various medical schools in Pennsylvania on a legal basis. The act has been copied by many states.

Accidentally Killed by Stopeen.

Gate City, Va., Dec. 19.—At Stony Point, Hawkins county, Tenn., Mrs. W. M. Carr, wife of a horse dealer, was shot and killed by her stepson, aged 12 years. It is understood the shooting was accidental.

The season of Indigestion is upon us.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for Indigestion and Dyspepsia will do everything for the stomach that an over-loaded or over-worked stomach can not do for itself. Kodol digests what you eat—gives the stomach a rest—relieves sour stomach, belching, heart-burn, indigestion, etc. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, druggist.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Annual Meeting of County Organization—Geo. Z. Best Made President.

The annual meeting of the Frederick County Anti-Saloon League was held in the Lutheran Sunday school room, on East Second street, Frederick, Md., on Thursday evening, Dec. 14. The meeting was called to order by the president, R. Rush Lewis, and opened with prayer by Rev. J. W. Kierkegaard.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: George Z. Best, president; Jesse H. Michael, secretary; J. W. Kierkegaard, treasurer. The following committees were appointed: Agitating committee, T. Elmer Brown, Dr. J. D. Nicodemus and Henry Hahn; legislative committee, Elmer L. Colburn, Hon. Milton G. Urner and Rev. Isaac M. Motter; law enforcement, Maj. E. Y. Goldsborough, Charles C. Waters and Rev. E. J. Palmer; finance, R. Rush Lewis, Wm. O. Hakes and Cyrus Flock.

District vice-presidents were named as follows: Frederick, Dr. J. M. Radcliff; Buckeystown, James H. Smith; Point of Rocks, A. J. Colburn; Middle town, Rev. S. A. Hedges; Petersburg, C. E. Radley; Hagerstown, Eugene L. Harrison; Jefferson, Riley Bickelton; Lewistown, Jacob Rice; Tuscarora, A. W. Burkhead; Ballenger, C. Edwin Derr; Johnsburg, W. Edgar Burrall; Braddock, W. H. Summers; Jackson, W. S. Wachtel; Walkersville, C. A. Nicodemus; Mt. Pleasant, Jacob P. Henson; Urbana, Chas. Dudgeon; New Market, Jesse M. Barrall; Emmitsburg, Rev. Chas. Reinevald; Mechanicsville, J. P. T. Matthias.

Rev. C. A. Grise, the State Superintendent, spoke in a favorable way of what the State League is doing and said he was much impressed with the interest and the work of the League of Frederick. The strongest efforts, he said, can be best produced by concentrating the work, therefore, it is very important that there be chapters organized throughout the county. Its purpose is to use practical means to further the cause of temperance and it affords every friend of temperance of all political parties, creeds and denominations an opportunity to aid in the work. He also spoke of the many weak places in the laws of the State and said that steps would be taken to strengthen them.

G. Z. Best, in taking the chair as president, stated that it was not for the first time, he having served in that capacity the first two years of the county league's existence. He said that the substantial growth of the league and its work was such as to encourage not only the officers but the league in general to increased activity in the cause of temperance. The following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, 1. That we hail with delight the continued growth of the Anti-Saloon League movement and rejoice especially in the success which has attended its activities of the past year.

"2. That we reaffirm our unalterable opposition to the sale of intoxicating liquors in this State, and find our goal in the entire elimination of the liquor traffic. Meanwhile we hold our selves bound to support every legitimate effort to forward the work of temperance and to suppress the iniquitous business wherever possible.

"3. That since the Anti-Saloon League holds the vantage ground of non-partisanship and non-sectarianism, we call upon the friends of temperance, in every party, of every church, or of no church, to co-operate with us in the great work which it has been called into existence to do, that this consummation for which all foes of the saloon so devoutly wish may be more speedily achieved.

"4. That we recommend all the churches and temperance organizations of the county to co-operate with the State superintendent in thoroughly organizing the State with a local league in each community auxiliary to the county league which is a branch of the State league.

"5. That we invite friends of the temperance cause who believe in the enforcement of the present temperance laws and securing better ones, to send a contribution to our treasury.

"6. That we gladly welcome to the presidency of the State league, the Rev. J. E. Hesse, who has recently been elected to that office.

"7. That our thanks be tendered the trustees of the Lutheran church for the privilege of meeting here, and to all the churches of the county which have opened or shall open, their doors for this work.

"8. That we express our high appreciation of the work of the retiring officers for the zeal with which they have performed their duties."

Shake off the grip of your old enemy, Nasal Catarrh, by using Ely's Cream Balm. Then will all the swelling and soreness be driven out of the tender, inflamed membranes. The fits of sneezing will cease and the discharge, as offensive to others as to yourself, will be cured when the causes that produce it are removed. Cleanliness, comfort and health renewed by the use of Cream Balm. Sold by all druggists for 50 cents or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street New York.

Highway Robbery.

George Dean, aged about 60 years, former keeper of the Allegany County Almshouse and at present custodian of the Arvon Club, was held up and robbed Monday morning while returning home from the club. He was passing a new building on North Centre street, Cumberland, when sandwiched by two men, who secured his watch and a considerable sum of money, including funds of the Arions. He was unconscious for some time on the sidewalk. He gave the alarm when he revived, but the crime was committed so quickly he did not get any description of his assailants.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Young Man's Suicide.

Harry Williams, 24 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams, of near Dallastown, York county Pa., committed suicide last Sunday night by hanging himself to a rafter in his father's barn. The father and mother pleaded with the young man to go with them to church, but he refused to do so and remained at home to commit the tragedy.

Young Williams was a cigar-maker by trade and he brooded over the fact that he was unable to make as many cigars as his fellow-workmen. He thought the number 200 was too little for a man of his experience to make. This distracted him and caused him to become melancholy. Sometime ago he fell from a street car and injured his head, which it is thought affected his mind. An operation had been performed and since that time the young man was not able to work as regularly as before receiving the fall.

JUST ONE WORD that word is

Tutt's.

It refers to Dr. Tutt's Liver Pills and MEANS HEALTH.

Are you constipated? Troubled with indigestion? Sick headache? Bile? Vertigo? Biliousness? Insomnia? ANY of these symptoms and many others indicate inaction of the LIVER.

You Need

Tutt's Pills

Take No Substitute.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

EMMITSBURG MARKETS

The following market quotations, which are corrected every Friday morning, are subject to daily changes.

Corrected by Zimmerman & Shriver.

Wheat, (dry)..... 75
Rye..... 15
Oats..... 10
Corn..... 10
Hay..... \$7.00 to \$8.00

Country Produce Etc.

Corrected by J. E. Hoke.

Butter..... 18
Eggs..... 15
Chickens, per lb..... 10
Spring Chickens per lb..... 14
Turkeys..... 14
Ducks, per lb..... 10
Potatoes per bushel..... 10
Dried Cherries, (seeded)..... 10
Raspberries..... 12
Blackberries..... 8
Apples, (dried)..... 8
Apples, (fresh)..... 7 1/2
Lard, per lb..... 7 1/2
Beef, (fat)..... 9

LIVE STOCK.

Corrected by Patterson Brothers.

Stock Steers, \$7.00..... \$2.50
Butcher Cattle..... \$4.00
Fresh Cows..... \$10.00 to \$15.00
Fat Cows and Bulls, per lb..... \$2.50
Hogs, Fat per lb..... 6 1/2
Sheep, Fat per lb..... 5 1/2
Lamb, per lb..... 6 1/2
Calves, per lb..... 5 1/2 to 6

FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR

Cures Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Eczema, Scald Head, Ringworm, Itch, and all Skin Diseases.

Western Maryland Railroad

MAIN LINE

Schedule in Effect Oct. 15th, 1905.

	Read Downward	STATIONS.	Read Upward
10:10 A.M.	Le Cherry Run Ar	1:10 P.M.	
10:15 A.M.	Le Big Pool Ar	1:15 P.M.	
10:20 A.M.	Le Clear Spring Ar	1:20 P.M.	
10:25 A.M.	Le Chambersburg Ar	1:25 P.M.	
10:30 A.M.	Le Williamsport Ar	1:30 P.M.	
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Emmitsburg Chronicle.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

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

Entered as Second-Class Matter at the Emmitsburg Postoffice.

FRIDAY, DEC. 22, 1905.

FREDERICK COUNTY 'PHONE 39

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Emmitsburg needs a new Charter.

The first snow of the season fell here on Friday last, making sleighing.

If you are looking for Christmas presents you can get them at M. F. SHUFF'S.

Mr. J. Frank Topper, of near town, has improved his dwelling house by raising part of it to two stories in height.

The Board of County Commissioners have granted the new road in this District, petitioned for by the Messrs. Pass and others.

I have a very large and fine assortment of Christmas goods, suitable for gifts of every nature. Call and be convinced. M. F. SHUFF.

Citizens of Emmitsburg your presence is desired at the public meeting to be held at the Firemen's Hall next Tuesday evening.

Monday morning was the coldest of the present season. At some points in town the thermometer registered as low as 7 degrees above zero.

The Taneytown Electric Light Company has been incorporated, capital stock \$8,000; shares at par, \$10. They expect to secure a franchise to light the town.

Charles Brown, colored, aged 50 years was killed in the woods on the farm belonging to the McKenney heirs, near Centerville, by a tree falling on him, crushing him to death.

The new Board of Commissioners of Cecil County has prepared a statement showing the financial condition of the county. There are outstanding notes amounting to \$35,686.

Whilst dressing a chicken a few days ago, Mrs. Oscar D. Frailey, of this place was surprised to find that it contained four large eggs, three of which were encased in hard shells. One of the eggs, which she accidentally broke, looked like a baked egg.

Judge's Pensions.

At the forthcoming session of the General Assembly a bill will be introduced to repeal the law passed at the last session granting pensions to judges who have served the required number of years on the bench. It is not believed that the law will be wholly repealed, but it is thought that a bill to so amend the law that a retired judge can draw only one compensation will meet the approval of both houses. Such an amendment would strike directly at Judge Alvey, of Hagerstown, who receives a life compensation of \$7,500 per annum as the retired chief judge of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia. For a year and a half he has drawn an annual pension of \$2,400 from this State. —*Fred. News.*

Given A Bath By Force.

Police of the Northwestern district, Baltimore, who have to deal with many filthy negroes declared that one who was arrested Sunday charged with being a vagrant was the dirtiest bit of humanity they had ever seen.

He was so grimy that they would not put him in a cell for fear that he would communicate some contagious disease.

"Take him to the hospital and have him scrubbed," said Captain Shultz.

At the suggestion of water the negro broke away from Patrolman Meeks, who was holding him before the desk. Crawling over the floor he got into a corner where Patrolman Bartolls was standing. Before the officer could turn the negro had fixed his teeth in the officer's trousers leg and torn out a big hole.

At the Maryland General Hospital the negro was stripped to the skin and all his clothing burned in the furnace. He was forced into a shower bath and given a good washing. Later clothing was provided for him, and he was sent to Bayview.

Judge James Dando Dead.

James Dando, a judge of the Orphan's Court of Allegany County, died Monday morning at his home in Frostburg, aged 68 years. He had been so ill that since April last he was unable to attend to his duties as judge. He was elected as a Republican and had two years yet to serve. He at one time served in the Maryland Legislature. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and of the Baptist Church. He is survived by a widow and the following children: William Dando, Glassport, Pa.; Miss Annie Dando, a trained nurse in New York; Owen, James, John, Elizabeth, Sarah and Elsie Dando, Mrs. Mary Rank, widow of Henry C. Rank, and Mrs. Frederick Dillon, at Frostburg.

The death of Judge Dando leaves a vacancy for Governor Warfield to fill. The Republicans say that if the Governor is possessed of the nonpartisan judiciary idea he will name a Republican to succeed Judge Dando, who was a Republican. They declare that, while the Democrats cry for a nonpartisan judiciary, when an appointment is made by the Governor it is always a Democrat. The cases of the successors of the late Judges Sloan and St. Ke, Republicans, are cited, Democrats being named as their successors, making a bench composed entirely of Democrats, although their circuit is strongly Republican.

FOR NEW CHARTER

Public Meeting Held At Firemen's Hall. Committee Appointed.

A public meeting of the citizens of this place was held at the Firemen's Hall on Monday evening last for the purpose of discussing the question of a new charter and extending the corporate limits of the town. The meeting was fairly well attended and much interest was manifested in the subject under consideration.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. E. L. Frizell, Burgess, with Mr. A. A. Horner, secretary. A committee of five, consisting of Messrs. E. L. Annan, J. Thomas Gelwick, Eugene L. Rowe, A. M. Patterson and Vincent Sebald, was appointed for the purpose of consulting the people now living just outside of the corporate limits of the town as to whether or not they desire to be taken into the corporate limits, etc. This committee is to make a report of its investigations at a public meeting to be held at the Firemen's Hall on Tuesday evening, December 26.

Emmitsburg should have an entire new charter, drawn upon conservative lines, as the present charter, passed by the Legislature, March 10, 1854, contains many provisions now out of date, and the constituted authorities of the town need authority not granted by the present charter.

FAIRFIELD ITEMS.

Fairfield, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Wm. Izor, who had a slight stroke, has recovered, and is able to do her work.

Since wood has gone up in price every thing is on the rise.

Mr. J. J. Reinhold, who has bought Wortz's property in this place is improving it by repairing the stable. He has a floor on the upper story, and is putting up an office, or harness room in his Livery Stable.

Miss Dora Hoofnagle, who has typhoid fever, is getting better, we are glad to hear.

Rev. M. A. Collins will preach in the Christian Church, in Fairfield, Dec. 24th at 10:30 a. m. His subject will be the "Carnation of Christ." At 7:30 p. m. Christmas Services will be rendered by the Bible School.

Reinhold Stores are fixed up nicely for Xmas.

Delightful weather.

RUNAWAY COUPLE

Wanted To Be Married Quickly And Were Accommodated.

Miss Mamie Bateman and Mr. Ernest Hook, from Page county, Virginia, were married Sunday night at the City Hotel in Hagerstown as the clock was striking the hour of midnight. The couple admitted they had run away from home and wanted to be married quickly. W. Earl McCord, one of the hotel proprietors, routed Rev. P. L. Frazer out of bed and secured his services. In the meantime a messenger went after the license clerk, and he, too, was hustled out of bed to accommodate the couple. The newly wedded pair spent the night at the hotel and returned home Monday morning. A number of the guests at the hotel witnessed the ceremony. —*Sun.*

Rough skin and cracked hands are not only cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, but an occasional application will keep the skin soft and smooth. Best for Eczema, Cuts, Burns, Boils, etc. The genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve affords immediate relief in all forms of Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, druggist.

Toys, Houses, Building Blocks, and Fire ornaments at away below cost, as I intend to close out my entire stock of this kind of goods. M. F. SHUFF.

FATAL SLEIGHING TRIP

Death of a Young Man After a Ride At Night.

Lester Haines, aged 17 years died early Monday morning at Dargan, Washington county, after a sleigh ride to visit a young lady. He came home about 10 o'clock and put the horse away, but not entering the house his father went to the barn and his son fell into his arms unconscious and soon afterward died. It is thought he was overcome by the cold sleigh ride and was overcome soon after he put the horse away. He was probably leaning against the door when it was opened by his father. A physician said death was caused by heart disease.

Fine Turkeys.

Mr. E. L. Frizell, of this place, shipped to the Baltimore City Market, yesterday, over 250 turkeys which were considered as a lot of birds as could be found anywhere in the country. Among the lot were over 20 exceptional fine turkeys, all of which were raised by farmers in this section of the county.

PERSONALS.

Prof. Joseph Rowe, of Mercersburg College, is spending his Christmas vacation with his mother in this place.

Mr. John D. Elder, who was visiting his parents in this place, left here Wednesday for Baltimore, and later will return to Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. Rogers Annan, of the University of Maryland, Baltimore, is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Annan of this place.

Ribs Broken In Fall.

George Schlosses, an aged farmer of near Aspers in Menallen township, Pa., met with what might easily have proven a serious accident on Wednesday of last week. He had gone to the overhead in the barn and while there lost his balance, falling below on a scaffold and thence to the barn floor. He was removed to the house and medical aid summoned. On examination several ribs were broken and a number of severe bruises sustained.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Programs Of The Christmas Exercises At The Various Churches In This Place.

Considerable preparation is being made by the Sunday Schools of the different churches in this place for the proper observance of the great Christmas festival, and below is given the programs of the exercises to be held as stated:

St. Joseph's Church.

At St. Joseph's Catholic Church services will be held on Christmas morning at 5 o'clock, when a Solemn High Mass will be celebrated, followed by a sermon appropriate to the occasion. Masses will also be sung at 7 and 10 o'clock on the morning of the same day.

M. E. Church.

The usual Christmas services will be held at the M. E. Church at 2:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon when the distribution of gifts to the Sunday School scholars will be made.

Reformed Church.

The annual Christmas services by the Sunday School of the Reformed Church will be held on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The church is being decorated for the occasion and a pretty Christmas tree will adorn the church. The program to be rendered on this occasion is entitled, "The Blessed Morn," and is as follows: Processional, "Sing, O Sing, the Blessed Morn;" Invocation; Singing, "Christians, Awake, Salute the Happy Morn;" Responsive Reading; Singing, "Sweet Song of Joy, O Sing It Again;" Gospel Lesson; Singing, "Hail to the Saviour Who Came As a Child;" Epistle Lesson; Gloria Patri; Creed; Prayer; Singing by the Primary Department, "There's a Song in the Air;" Address by the pastor, Rev. A. M. Gluck; Singing, "The New-Born King;" Offering; Singing, "Sleep, Holy Babe;" Closing Prayer with Lord's Prayer; Distribution of gifts; Singing, "God With Us, Immanuel;" Benediction; Singing, "Holy Night."

Christmas Praise Services at midnight. Services on Christmas morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Lutheran Church.

"Joy Bells" is the title of the program to be rendered at the Lutheran Church on Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock by the Sunday School. The church will be decorated and two handsome Christmas trees will be placed in the church. The program of exercises follows: Opening Chorus—Processional, "Joybells;" Invocation; Responsive Scripture Reading; Chorus, "Sing the Sweet Story;" Recitation, "The Guiding Star;" Infant Exercises; chorus, "The Herald Star;" Primary Exercises, "Little Bells."

Primary class song, "Merry Little Bells;" concert exercises, "Our Little Bells;" chorus, "From Zion's Height;" Recitation, "The River of Peace;" Mother Song, "Snowflakes Falling;" Recitation, "The Valley of Peace and Good Will;" chorus, "Rejoice, O Earth;" Address by the pastor, Rev. Chas. Reinwald; chorus, "We Crown His Name;" Distribution of Gifts; Benediction.

Presbyterian Church.

At the Presbyterian church the Christmas services by the Sunday School will be held on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock, taking the place of the regular Sunday morning services.

Don't fail to attend the public meeting to be held for the purpose of considering a new charter for Emmitsburg, at the Firemen's Hall on next Tuesday evening.

Croup, Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc., have no terrors for children or adults who evacuate the bowels with Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. This remedy expels all cold from the system and strengthens the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes. The Original Laxative Cough Syrup and Liquid Cold Cure. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman, druggist.

A Barber's Inheritance

Harry Shettler, a barber, who worked in Hotel Hamilton, was overjoyed to learn that he had fallen heir to an estate valued at \$7,000 in cash and a lot of realty in Oil City, Pa., his former home. He has given up his job and will leave in a few days for Oil City. The property comes to Shettler by the death of his father.

Before subscribing for any single or combination of Magazines or Periodicals, consult me. I can save you from 25 to 50 per cent. EDGAR MOSER, dec 1-4ts.

DOCTORS COULD NOT HELP HER.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure. It makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. Unless they do this good health is impossible. W. Tyson Lansinger

OF INTEREST TO CLERGYMEN:

Pursuant to its usual custom, the Western Maryland Railroad Company will issue clerical orders for the year 1906 to regular ordained clergymen, who are solely engaged in the work and duties of a minister of the gospel, having no other Profession, Occupation or Business, located on or contiguous to the lines of this company. As the West Va. Central and Pittsburg Ry., has been merged under the name of the Western Maryland Railroad Co., orders for 1906 will be honored over this line and branches.

Application blanks can be secured from Ticket Agents, which upon being properly filled up, and certified to by some railroad agent, who is personally acquainted with the applicant, should be forwarded to the General Passenger Agent's office, Baltimore, Md., as soon as possible.

WINIFRED MARSHALL SEEKS RELEASE

Alleged Murderer of Deputy Sheriff Thos. Hardy Before Court on Habeas Corpus.—Hearing Had And Prisoner Remanded.—Will Now Go To February Grand Jury.

Frederick, Dec. 20.—Winifred Marshall, the young white man now in Jail, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Thos. Hardy, of Washington county, who was shot to death at Weyerton in October last, was brought before Judges Motter and Henderson on Tuesday last on a writ of Habeas Corpus by his Attorneys, Jno. Kolband and E. S. Eichelberger. The Court heard considerable testimony given by officers of the law and railroad employees. The facts disclosed at the hearing were about as follows: Marshall, a man named Delaney and an unknown negro, were first seen together at Frederick Junction on the evening of the murder. They were on a freight going to Brunswick where they arrived about midnight. In the freight yards all three got off and went towards New York Hill. Near the hill the negro left the others. Delaney and Marshall went over the hill and down Potomac Street into the city proper. Here they became separated and Delaney (who is held as a State's witness) boarded another freight, about 6 a. m. which was after the shooting. He went to Weyerton, but hearing of the shooting and hearing of the arrest of a suspect at the suggestion of the officers returned to Brunswick, where he identified Marshall, the accused, as his partner of the night before. Delaney was then detained by the authorities and has been in jail since as a witness. It was disclosed also that Marshall boarded the freight at Brunswick on which Hardy was and went to Weyerton. He stated to the officers he heard of the shooting, that a negro did it. This was when caught and arrested in a patch of weeds shortly after the shooting and near the scene of the tragedy. He denied any further knowledge of the crime, except stating that Hardy had apparently offered the negro assistance judging from a remark made by him and without any warning was shot. Officers Weber and Nelson who were at Weyerton that night on other business and near the scene of the tragedy heard the shots and started in direction of same. Believing that the shots were fired from the train they started on either side until Nelson came upon the almost lifeless body of Hardy. He was not quite dead, but unconscious. Trainmen also arrived and Nelson went to the telegraph station and reported the murder, for in the meantime Hardy died. Making a search for the murderer they located Marshall in a patch of ground near by and Weber called upon him to come up, when he placed him under arrest. Marshall then made the statement mentioned above as to a negro being the guilty one. No weapon was found on Marshall. Judge Jordan testified to conflicting statements made by the prisoner. Other testimony was given as to distances, running of trains and other minor facts. The testimony connecting Marshall with the crime is circumstantial and not very strong, but the Court remarked in remanding the prisoner that they were not now passing upon his guilt or innocence, but only had to determine if the evidence was sufficient to warrant holding him for such time as to give the Grand Jury an opportunity to investigate the matter. This they believed should be done and the prisoner was remanded without bail for action of the February Term of Court.

Note: It will be recalled that Deputy Sheriff Hardy was going from Brunswick to Hagerstown for the Fair in response to a telegram from the Sheriff of Washington county ordering him to report at once for duty there. He boarded a freight train and at Weyerton was shot down by an unknown assassin. Marshall was on the train, was arrested and later held upon the charge of killing Hardy. He has stoutly maintained his innocence of the crime.

Don't drug the stomach to cure a cough. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the mucus, draws the inflammation out of the throat, lungs, and bronchial tubes, heals, soothes and cures. A quick cure for Croup and Whooping Cough. Sold by T. E. Zimmerman druggist.

Barn And Cattle Burned.

Fire of supposed incendiary origin destroyed a large bank barn on the farm of John F. Hargett, near Germantown, together with its contents, including 25 cattle, 7 horses and a quantity of hay, straw and farming implements. The loss is estimated at \$5,000, on which there is a small insurance.

The First Requisite of Beauty.

The first requisite of beauty is a clear complexion. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup clears a sallow blotched complexion as it stimulates the bowels, and the eyes become bright and clear. You owe it to your friends to take it if your complexion is bad. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. W. Tyson Lansinger.

MARRIED.

WARNER—FISHER.—On November 30, 1905, at the Moravian Church, in Greencastle, Md., by Rev. John Keyser, Mr. Ernest Warner, of near this place, to Miss Ella Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Fisher, of near Loys Station, this county.

LITTLE—LITTLE.—On Dec. 21, 1905, at Hotel Stagle, in this place, by Rev. A. M. Gluck, of the Reformed Church, Mr. John Frank Little, to Miss Iva Belle Little, both of Hanover, Pa.

DIED.

HARKINS.—On Dec. 17, 1905, at Mt. St. Mary's College, of a grippie, Mr. Patrick A. Harkins, a Seminarian, aged 22 years, and 6 months. His remains were sent to Philadelphia, Pa., on Monday morning for burial.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Appeal and Criminal Cases Finished.—Trial Docket Postponed Till Jan. 3.—Hearings Will Cases Removed To Another Court.

Frederick, Dec. 19.—The appeal docket for the December Term was completed on Thursday last and the criminal docket taken up on that date. Owing to the number of cases marked for trial, the court decided not to try any trial cases till after the holidays. Court will reconvene on Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1906, for that purpose. The following appeal cases have been disposed of since our last report:

George M. Houston vs State of Maryland. Trial before court. Verdict for appellant (Houston). Appellant was accused and charged with running an automobile without a license. John S. Newman represented appellant. States Attorney, A. D. Willard, the appellee.

Charles H. Krise vs Geo. L. Late and Frank W. Zimmerman, partners, trading as Late & Zimmerman. Suit was over a cattle deal. Trial before a jury and verdict for appellees, Late & Zimmerman, for \$18.27 and cost. Harp & Etchison for appellant; Coblenz & Waters for appellees.

Jesse D. Boyer vs Ruth Griffith. Suit over rental of house and meadow was next. Trial before a jury. Verdict for appellee, Miss Griffith, for \$59. J. P. R. Heagerty for Boyer; A. S. Brown for Miss Griffith.

Ezra L. Cramer vs Dr. Chas. W. Goldsborough. Suit for professional services was compromised by the parties. Judgment being entered for Dr. Goldsborough for \$4.00. F. L. Stoner for Cramer, Wm. P. Maulsby for Goldsborough.

Richard Harris, Sr. vs Bone Hallman. Suit for wages due was next tried before the court. Verdict for Hallman. John Wood for appellant; A. D. Willard for appellee.

Cornelius F. Fisher vs Hy. C. Biedler. Suit to recover value of a quantity of rye straw removed from premises of Mr. Biedler. Case was tried before a jury. Verdict for \$46.57 for appellee, Mr. Biedler. Sebald and Waters for Fisher; Urner & Urner for Biedler.

This completed the appeal docket and on Thursday noon the court took up the criminal docket. Quite a large number of cases were marked for trial. The trial of cases was at once commenced and continued till Tuesday, when this report closed, the docket having been closed up at that time. In all cases A. D. Willard, States Attorney for Frederick county, appeared for the State. Counsel for defense are noticed in the list of cases which are as follows:

Criminal Docket.

No. 4. State vs Charles Mercer. Assault and battery. Plead guilty. Sentenced to Maryland House of Correction for six months. Worthington and Willard for State. McSherry for defense.

No. 19. State vs Wash Green. Keeping bawly house. Stet entered by State as defendant has left the county. Harp & Etchison for defendant.

No. 20. State vs Margaret Kintz. Adultery. Stet entered by State as defendant has left the county. Harp & Etchison for defendant.

Nos. 21, 22, 23. State vs Jos. Tanner. Charges, "selling liquor without license. Selling on Sunday." Stet entered by States Attorney Willard. Joseph W. Gaver for defendant.

No. 31. State vs Silas Bowie. "Crucify to animals." Tried before court. Guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs. Roscoe C. White for defendant.

No. 35. State vs Wm. and Ross Smith. "Cutting trees unlawfully." Tried before court. Adjudged not guilty. Sebald and Lewis for defendants.

No. 34. State vs Ross Smith. Carrying concealed weapons. Adjudged not guilty. Sebald and Lewis for defendant.

No. 35. State vs Wm. C. Smith. Carrying concealed weapons. Adjudged not guilty. Sebald and Lewis for defendant. These cases, Nos. 33, 34, 35, were from Haver's District, and over 25 witnesses were summoned to court.

Nos. 36, 37, 38. State vs Albert M. Grayson A. and Wm. E. Mercer. (Mercer will cases.) Perjury. Defendants asked for removal of case to another court. Motion granted. No place for trial has yet been named by Judge Motter. Wm. P. Maulsby and Thad. M. Biser appeared as counsel.

No. 39. State vs Charles E. Saylor. Embezzlement. Tried before jury. Jury disagreed. Later defendant entered plea of guilty before court and was paroled. F. L. Stoner, and Vincent Sebald for defendant.

No. 46. State vs Wm. Thompson. Bastardy. Trial before court. Guilty. Sentenced to furnish bond to indemnify the county or to serve 6 months in jail. Joseph W. Gaver for defendant.

No. 51. State vs Geo. Nolley. Bastardy. Trial before court. Judgment held sub curia. J. W. Gaver for defendant.

No. 52. State vs Philip Griffith. Assault. Trial before the court. J. E. R. Wood, Hammond Urner and D. P. Beckey for defendant.

No. 55. State vs F. T. Hildebrand, Grayson B. Schelling and C. E. McDevitt. "Unlawfully setting fire and burning." Partially settled at September term. Stet in one case. Etchison, Gaver and Maulsby for defendants.

No. 58. State vs James Ogle. Larceny. Trial before the court. Adjudged not guilty. F. M. Fauble and Jos. Gaver appeared for defendant.

No. 59. State vs Tyson Tregoning. Assault and battery. Plead guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs. F. L. Stoner for defendant.

No. 61. State vs Samuel Tregoning. Assault, intent to kill. Adjudged not guilty. F. L. Stoner for defendant.

No. 62. State vs Karl E. Katy. Selling Liquor on Sunday. Stet entered by State. Defendant to pay costs. Roscoe C. White for defendant.

No. 64. State vs Frank Staub. Assault and battery.

No. 65. State vs Frank Staub. Carrying concealed weapons. Adjudged not guilty in both cases. J. W. Gaver for defendant.

No. 69. State vs Luther Coblenz. Larceny. Tried before court for stealing \$11 worth of cord wood. Adjudged guilty and paroled by the court. Jos. Gaver for defendant.

No. 74. State vs Karl E. Katy. Selling liquor on Sunday. Plead guilty and fined \$50 and costs. Roscoe C. White for defendant.

No. 83. State vs Allen Yingling. "Unlawfully cutting trees." Plead guilty and fined \$1 and costs. Harp & Etchison for defendant.

No. 25. State vs Nicey Castle. Keeping bawdy house. Stet entered as result of No. 25. F. L. Stoner for defendant.

No. 26. State vs Nicey Castle. Adultery. Trial before jury. Verdict not guilty. F. L. Stoner for defendant.

No. 29. State vs S. Welty. Selling liquor to minors. Stet entered by State. Harp & Etchison for defendant.

No. 43. State vs Grover Fritz. "Carnal knowledge of female minor." Stet. Defendant's whereabouts not known. No counsel.

No. 45. State vs Henry Dorsey. Bastardy. Demurrer to indictment sustained by court. Urner & Urner for defendant.

No. 85. State vs Edwin Freed. Keeping disorderly house. Demurrer to indictment sustained by court. J. E. R. Wood and Wm. P. Maulsby for defendant.

This closed docket and court adjourned till Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1906, at 10 a. m., and jury was discharged till that date.

COURT DECIDES INTERESTING LEGAL PROPOSITION.

Magistrates May Try and Determine Cases Anywhere In The County.—Point Raised As To Right of Justice Johnson To Try Criminal Cases In Frederick City.

Frederick, Dec. 21.—An interesting legal proposition was presented at this term of court by counsel for Henry Dorsey, indicted for bastardy. Dorsey had been arrested in Frederick, where he resides, and taken before Justice J. Grahame Johnson, who while appointed a magistrate for Mt. Pleasant District, maintains an office in Frederick. Dorsey was held for court and subsequently indicted. When the case was called for trial Messrs. Urner & Urner, his counsel, filed a motion to quash, alleging that Judge Johnson had no legal right to try criminal cases in Frederick city or anywhere else than in the District for which he was appointed. The court, after argument, took the matter under advisement and on Tuesday last handed down a lengthy opinion, in which they decided that any Justice of the Peace had the right to act as such anywhere in the county. Judge Motter in deciding pointed out why magistrates should have jurisdiction over the entire county, citing numerous opinions to support his opinion. Judge Henderson joined in the opinion. Chief Judge McSherry had some time previous passed upon the civil power of Justice Johnson in an appeal case, where the point was raised and decided that he had civil power anywhere in the county. Owing to Dorsey's bond being defective, the indictment was quashed, however, and defendant discharged.

Marriage Licenses.

Victor Herbert Colloffower, of Greencastle, and Grace Fry, Franklinville. Robert Geo. Fry, Lovettsville, Va., and Alice G. Hickman, Taylortown, Va. Warren Kugler, Emmitsburg, and Alice C. Shoemaker, Emmitsburg.

M. Thos. Warner, Johnsville, and Alice G. Boone, Johnsville. Chas. M. Stidley, Woodshoro, and Annie Virginia Speak, Creagerstown.

John G. Byard, Emmitsburg, and Ida Belle Koonz, Emmitsburg. Jacob Henry Hesson, Mt. Pleasant, and Blanche Gertrude Hamilton, McKaig.

Daniel Sylvester Guyton, Burkettsville, and Sophia E. Magaha, Petersburg. Jno. Frank Little and Iva Belle Little, both of Hanover, Pa.

Notes.

The Maryland State Turnpike Association held its third annual meeting last week in Hagerstown, Md. All the Frederick County Companies were represented. D. H. Hargett, of Frederick, presided.

John Fleischman has been elected Commander of Reynolds' Post, No. 2, G. A. R. of Frederick.

Mrs. Mary C. Burkett, has applied for an absolute divorce from her husband, Edw. H. Burkett. H. D. Etchison is her Attorney.

Mrs. Mary C. Rout, by F. L. Stoner, attorney, has applied for an absolute divorce from her husband, Emmet L. Rout. A. H. Etzler, president of the Glade Valley Milling Co., has retired as president, and as a member of the Company. The offices of the Company are at Walkersville this county and Westminster, Md.

Another conference of railway promoters was held last week in this city, but nothing concerning the result of the meeting has been made public.

LA GRIPPE AND PNEUMONIA.

Pneumonia often follows la grippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cures la grippe, coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar

SUSPENSION BRIDGES.

Used by Man Hundreds of Years Ago.

The twine is doubtless the earliest, and the simplest application of a rope for the removal of material. It was used before history learned the art of writing or mankind the art of reading.

The towline was combined with the suspension cable as a means of crossing streams in the mountains of Hindustan at a very remote period. The suspension cable, often several hundred feet in length, was made of twisted fibers or slender stalks of climbing vines. This was solidly secured to large trees or masses of rocks on the banks of the chasms to be crossed. On this cable a wooden block, grooved underneath, was placed, suspended from which was a small rude platform or at times a simple loop of rope for the passenger or baggage. The wooden block, with its attached load, was pulled across the chasm in either direction by a towline attached to the block. This rude contrivance is the genesis of the most refined aerial ropeways of the present day and of the suspension bridge also, which is, of a crude form, of very great antiquity.

When the Spaniards first visited Peru they found suspension bridges which could be traversed by men and burdened animals. Some of these bridges were of over 200 feet span and were formed of half a dozen cables of twisted osiers stretched from bank to bank and passed over wooden supports. These cables were bound together by smaller ropes and were covered with a layer of bamboo, which formed a support for the roadway.

THE SOMALI.

They Are Habitually Idle and Always Merry—Their Peculiar Headress.

By nature Somali are alternately docile and savage, nearly always merry and habitually idle. Even in busy Aden they work as little as possible and then do no manual work, for their inherent pride forbids that. Cat driving, boat mauling and grooming are the general crafts of the Aden Somali. In the interior of his own country his principal occupations are plundering and cattle lifting, at which latter pursuit he is said to be unparalleled in skill. In religion they are all Mohammedans.

The great peculiarity of the Somali is, however, his hair, for, contrary to the custom of most races professing Islam, he does not shave his head, but allows his locks to run wild. Nor is his hair the wool of a garment, for instead of growing in one dense cluster all over his head, as is the case of the Galla, for instance, it tangles into long cords, not unlike those of a poodle, which, parted over his forehead, hangs down on both cheeks, often projecting almost as far as his shoulders.

Not content with the show of hair that nature and neglect insure him, he plasters his head with a peculiar light clay, which has the effect of bleaching its blackness to a light reddish hue, and a Somali in a new robe, as their winding sheet of a garment is called, and a freshly clayed head is the very acme of dandyism.—Blackwood's Magazine.

An English Mantrap.

A mantrap has been found in Alford, Lincolnshire, England, which shows the barbarity of a century or so ago. It is probably the largest mantrap in existence. It is seventy-six inches in length and its jaws, with teeth protruding two inches, will open fully two feet two inches by eighteen inches. Old time landlords who chose to insist upon their rights in their entirety, as they often did, were at liberty to plant these barbarous engines about in the undergrowth of their inclosed land for the benefit of any trespasser or possible poacher who might chance to set foot near them. Their use was abolished by law in 1827.

Not a Lottery.

Deacon De Good-It won't do; it won't do. We must not have games of chance at our church fairs.

Mrs. De Good—But this is not a game of chance.

"You propose to sell tickets and give prizes?"

"Oh, no; you are mistaken. We shall sell the tickets, of course, but we can't give any prizes, you know, because we haven't any to give. There is no chance about it,"—New York Weekly.

Heavy Wedding Rings.

There are some heavy old wedding rings at Kirk Braddon, in the Isle of Man, which must be handy when the flustered bridegroom loses the ring. Leaning against the north wall are some very ancient rings of stone, through which, in days of long ago, before the jeweler's windows glistened with wedding rings at all prices, the bride and bridegroom joined hands, it is said, and were wedded.

For Her Own Protection.

"Yes, madam," said the salesman, "this is the most exquisite dinner set ever handled. The price is \$150." "I'll take it," said Mrs. Richley, "if you'll agree to mark it imitation price, \$35.00."

"Of course, but—er—that's rather an odd request."

"Yes, but I want to deceive my servant girl,"—Philadelphia Press.

Bunkoed.

"Gittins says there's nothing in these get-rich-quick schemes."

"What's happened to him?"

"I think he's married to a stingy heiress,"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Wednesday, December 13.

Henry Holmes, formerly musical instructor to Queen Alexandra, of England, died in San Francisco.

Louis Popkin, a Kansas City, Mo., jewelry salesman, was robbed of \$100 in cash in a New York lodging house while asleep.

Rev. Patrick Cronin, managing editor of the Catholic Union and Times, of Buffalo, was found dead in bed from heart disease.

The Western Federation of Miners is considering raising a fund of \$1,000,000 to undertake mining business on a co-operative basis.

O. S. Jones, a negro railway mail clerk, pleaded guilty at Harrisburg, Pa., of robbing the mails and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Thursday, December 14.

Louis McLane, a prominent financier and capitalist of Baltimore, died of a complication of diseases, aged 72 years.

The 4-months-old baby daughter of Arthur Davis, of Penbrook, near Harrisburg, Pa., was burned to death by an exploding lamp.

In a fire which destroyed the plant of the Mars Manufacturing company at Evanston, Ill., two firemen were killed and four seriously injured. Property loss, \$100,000.

W. J. Smith, confidential book-keeper of the Robert Stevenson Drug company, of Chicago, has been arrested on a forgery charge amounting to \$30,000, which he says all went to loan sharks.

Friday, December 15.

Leroy H. Anderson, treasurer of the United Railways of New Jersey, died at Princeton, aged 83 years.

Two children of John Lusco were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home at Greensburg, Pa.

John Stansfield, his wife and two children were seriously burned by a gas explosion in their home at Sharon, Pa.

Richard West, convicted of illegal voting and perjury at the New York election, was sentenced to three years in Sing Sing.

While jealous, William Clark, a prominent farmer near Grand Rapids, Mich., shot his wife to death as she lay in bed and then killed himself.

Saturday, December 16.

Mississippi has adopted a new law making house breaking a crime punishable by death or life imprisonment.

Senator W. A. Clark, of Montana, has purchased the Union mine, on the mother lode, in Eldorado county, Cal., for \$175,000.

Engineer J. J. Welsh and brakeman J. S. Harris were killed and fireman Grove seriously scalded in a rear-end collision between freight trains at New Castle, Pa.

Daniel C. Gilman, of Baltimore, Md., was re-elected president of the National Civil Service Reform League at the Milwaukee convention.

Monday, December 19.

Tons of molten clinker dumped on two railroad shanties at Steubenville, O., fatally burned two men and hurt two others.

The cornerstone of the \$200,000 soldiers' memorial building at Cincinnati was laid by Corporal Tanner, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army.

Indictments were returned at Cleveland, O., against Percy A. Secor and Michael Ryan, charged with voting 43 times at the recent Republican primary.

Professor S. Stanhope Orris, of Princeton University, one of the foremost scholars in the United States, died at Harrisburg, Pa., after a long illness.

Tuesday, December 19.

The supreme court of the United States took a recess until January 2.

President Roosevelt has re-appointed Thomas J. Alcott United States marshal for the district of New Jersey.

Ralph and Ray Relyea, brothers, were drowned while skating on the Coldwater river at Coldwater, Mich.

Mrs. William Ostrum and her two children, aged 1 and 2 years, were burned to death in their home at Charlevoix, Mich.

An unknown man, evidently a forger, was struck by a train at Lancaster, Pa., and his body cut in two just above the hips.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

The Latest Closing Prices in the Principal Markets.

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR firm; winter extras, \$3.33; Pennsylvania roller, \$3.50; city mills, \$3.50; RYE FLOUR steady; per barrel, \$3.80. WHEAT steady; No. 2 Pennsylvania red, \$1.85; No. 2 CORN firm; No. 2 yellow, local, 50¢; OATS steady; No. 2 white, clipped, 37¢; lower grades, 37¢. HAY firm; No. 1 timothy, \$15.50; PORK steady; cap, \$17.00; BEEF firm; beef hams, \$22.00. POULTRY: Live firm; hens, 12¢; old roosters, 8¢; 3¢. DRESSED firm; choice fowls, 13¢; old roosters, 9¢. BUTTER steady; creamery, 27¢. EGGS steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 30¢; 31¢. POTATOES steady; 70¢/75¢ per bushel.

BALTIMORE—WHEAT firm; No. 2 spot, 83¢; No. 2 spot, 78¢; No. 2 spot, 73¢. CORN steady; mixed spot, 47¢; steamer mixed, 46¢. OATS firm; white, No. 2, 38¢; No. 3, 37¢; 36¢. No. 4, 35¢/36¢; mixed, No. 2, 36¢/37¢. No. 3, 35¢/36¢; No. 4, 34¢/35¢. BUTTER firm; creamery separator extras, 25¢/26¢; held, 23¢; prime, 25¢/26¢. Maryland and Pennsylvania dairy prints, 20¢/22¢. EGGS steady; fancy Maryland, Pennsylvania and Virginia, 27¢; West Virginia, 26¢/27¢; southern, 24¢/25¢; Ohio, 27¢.

Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; choice, \$5.25/\$5.50; prime, \$5.00/\$5.25; HOGS active; prime heavy Yorkers, \$5.15; light Yorkers and pigs, \$5.05/\$5.10; roughs, \$4.40/\$4.50; \$4.10; slow; prime washers, \$3.75/\$3.85; common sheep, \$2.65/\$3.50; lambs, \$5.00/\$5.25; veal calves, \$5.00/\$5.50.

Discouraging.

At the close of an address during an electioneering campaign in Ireland questions were invited. A man was making for the platform when he received a whack over the head with a stick. He was stunned and had to be carried out amid an uproar. When order was restored the chairman rose and blandly asked:

"Is there to any gentleman who would like to ask a question?"

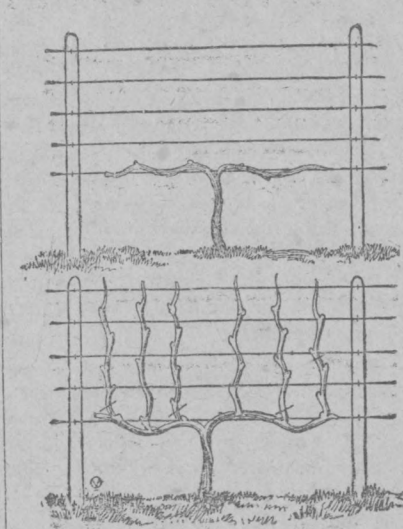
Needless to say, there was not.



THE HOME VINE.

Training and Pruning, Especially Under Northern Conditions. By W. H. RAGAN.

Starting with a young vine at the end of its second year in the vineyard, with its two branches or canes of that year's growth cut back to a uniform length of about two feet, the trellis is built with its lower wire at the same height as the stem of the vine, or about two feet from the ground. The



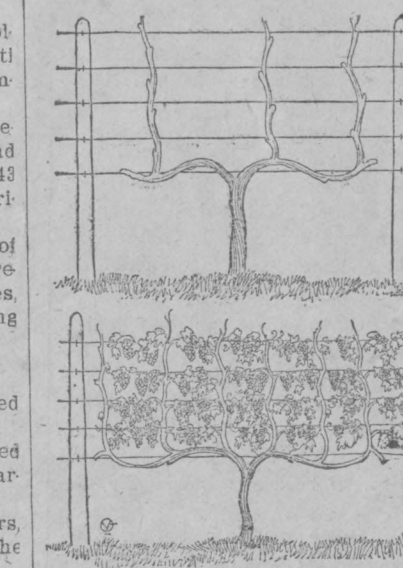
FIGS. 1 AND 2.

branches of the vine grown the second year are turned down and fastened horizontally to the first wire of the trellis in opposite directions (Fig. 1). The third year the shoots that spring from these horizontal arms at each node or joint are to be trained upward and made fast to the other wires of the trellis, which are about one foot above each other. Each of these upright shoots may be allowed to produce one or two bunches of grapes this year, and there should be about three shoots from each arm of the vine, or six in all.

In the autumn of the third year the vine is fully established with its horizontal arms, each with its three or four shoots or canes trained upward to the top wire of the trellis, each of which has borne one or two bunches of grapes. When autumn frosts suspend vegetation the vine is ready for its annual pruning before entering upon its winter rest and preparatory to bearing a full crop its fourth year. It will then appear as in Fig. 2.

Each alternate upright cane on the horizontal arms must be cut down to a short spur at a point near the arm and the others cut off even with the top wire of the trellis.

The following spring a single shoot is allowed to grow from each of the spurs on the horizontal arms, to be trained vertically to the wire above, and the eyes (from six to ten) on the canes that are left from the previous pruning will send out the fruit bearing shoots for the current year. These fruit bearing shoots are to be trained on the wires of the trellis and may be allowed to bear one or two bunches of fruit each.



FIGS. 3 AND 4.

ing shoots for the current year. These fruit bearing shoots are to be trained on the wires of the trellis and may be allowed to bear one or two bunches of fruit each.

The vine pruned as directed, with its fruit, in the fall of the fourth year from planting will appear as shown in Fig. 4.

When Painting Iron.

According to the London Painter and Decorator, the following method will prevent paint peeling from iron in flakes: First wash the surface with soap and water, rinse and let dry. When dry go over it with a stiff brush dipped in linseed oil. When this becomes "tacky" the paint can be applied. If the object is small and of such a nature that heating will not hurt it raise the temperature until a drop of oil brought in contact with it "smokes." Go over the surface carefully with the raw oil and let it cool. With large objects which cannot be heated the main point is to apply the oil as hot as possible, the nearer to boiling the better.

Farmers' National Congress.

Secretary Whitaker would make the news idea prominent in the farmers' national congress. He suggests that this organization should be a sort of clearing house for all bodies engaged in agriculture or allied work.

Cheap Warmth.

As the cold increases, if you find that the stables are not warm enough, building paper, liberally used and carefully put on, will help the matter. It is cheaper than anything else.—Farm Journal.

An Ashantee Belle.

On the Ashanti Gold Coast the custom of wearing clothes that of well spiced hair. The hair is first divided into a half dozen braids; then these braids are stiffened with wax and tar until they are as hard as kindling wood and stick out straight from the head in a semicircle like the spokes of a wheel. This coiffure the belle is ready to conquer all hearts.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought



The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Charles H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Venus Among the Incas.
The only planet which the Incas had discovered was Venus, which they called the hairy on account of the brightness of its rays. They said that, being the most brilliant of the stars, the sun would not permit it to be separated from him and obliged it to attend his rising as well as his going down, just as at the courts of kings only the most distinguished lords and the hand-somest ladies were admitted to the ceremonious royal risings and retrifings. It appears nearly certain that the Incas spoke of Venus under two different names, according as it preceded or followed the sun. To this day the native Peruvians name it in fanciful language the eight hour torch and the twilight lamp. As this star served to show the Indians when it was time to prepare the maize for cooking, they also gave it a name indicative of that act. A chapel in the Temple of the Sun was consecrated to this planet.

IMPORTANT MINE DECISION

Part of Certificate Act Declared Unconstitutional.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 12.—The decision in the Shalen case, handed down by the superior court, while it sustains the mine certificate act, declares unconstitutional that portion of it which requires that an applicant for a certificate must have had two years' experience in the anthracite mines of Pennsylvania. The attorneys here for the operators claim that this is all that they really contended for, and that the decision is a complete victory for them.

Practically it means that a coal miner from any state who can pass the examination is entitled to a certificate.

The Magic Mirror.

The "magic mirror" of Japan is a disk of bronze, usually from six inches to eight inches in diameter. It is silvered on the front, which is a little convex, and there is a raised pattern on the back which is rather concave. The polished pattern is generally a landscape, flowers, animals or Chinese characters. This is not visible in the front of the mirror, but when strong sunlight is reflected from the front of the mirror to a wall or screen the pattern of the back is visible on the screen in bright lines on a black ground. The true scientific explanation of this magical effect seems to be that the design on the back affects the convexity of the front, making it flat along the lines of the pattern, so that the light reflected from the front is not dispersed at these points of the design, and they appear brighter on the screen.

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