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MONTICELLO RESOLUTION

BEATEN IN THE HOUSE

Mrs. Littleton's Pet Project Gets a Setback

SHE WILL CONTINUE THE FIGHT

Measure That Passed Unanimously in Senate Fails of Endorsement by House.—Many Prominent Persons in the Controversy.

The movement to rescue the home and tomb of Thomas Jefferson from private ownership and to make of them a shrine of Democracy and patriotism has met with a temporary set-back in the House of Representatives on Monday.

Mrs. Martin W. Littleton's pet project for the appointment of a committee to consider the advisability of the acquisition by the government of "Monticello," the home of Thomas Jefferson now owned by Representative Jefferson Levy of New York, was rejected in the House by a vote of 141 to 101. The Senate passed the resolution unanimously.

The Monticello resolution is the measure that has been given so much prominence by Mrs. Littleton and that has stirred up enmities in both official and social circles. Mrs. Littleton began the agitation for the government purchase of "Monticello" about a year ago, and since that time she has been active in season and out of season.

Many members championed Mrs. Littleton's cause and speeches were made by Representative Henry, of the Rules Committee; Senator-elect Ollie James, and Representative Stanley of Kentucky and Judge Clayton. Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania led the opposition to the resolution on the ground that there should be no confiscation of personal property without government need or necessity. Representative Moore of Philadelphia suggested that if the government took "Monticello" it should also acquire Independence Hall, the Betsy Ross home, Mount Vernon, the Hermitage, Appotomax, and other historic buildings and grounds.

The test vote came on a special rule, reported by Chairman Henry, providing for the consideration of the resolution.

The measure itself was really at stake, as an affirmative vote on the rule would have meant the end of the fight. As it is, according to Chairman Henry and Mrs. Littleton, the defeat of the rule only stays the day when Mr. Levy will have to turn over the title to Monticello to the government.

The fight for the Monticello resolution will be continued, despite Monday's defeat.

"I am not discouraged over the vote which was taken in the House Monday," said Mrs. Littleton. "It was on—"
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DISTINCTIVE STAMPS WILL BE USED FOR PARCELS POST

Will be Larger Than the Ordinary Ones and Bear Various Designs.—Will Require More Help.

"The parcels post stamps," says the Postal regulation, "measure one by one and a half inches between perforation lines. The color is red for all denominations. In a curved panel across the tops supported by a paneled perpendicular column at each end, appear the words 'U. S. Parcel Post,' in Roman capital letters. Triangular ornaments occupy both upper corners. The denomination, in large numerals, is in each lower corner, with the title of the subject and the word 'cent' (or 'dollar') between."

The illustrations on the several denominations are:

One cent, postoffice clerk; two cents, city carrier; three cents, railway postal clerk; four cents, rural carrier; five cents, mail train; ten cents, steamship and mail tender, fifteen cents, automobile service; twenty cents, aeroplane carrying mail; twenty-five cents, manufacturing; fifty cents, dairying; seventy-five cents, harvesting; one dollar, fruit growing.

The department announces that a full supply of all denominations of the stamps will be sent to offices throughout the country in time for the beginning of the service on January 1.

In order to cope with the increase in the amount of mail matter, especially in large cities, new employees will be assigned as may be found necessary. These will be selected from the eligible lists of the civil service.

Successful experiments in hop growing have been made in Italy. Hertofo hops have been imported. The consumption of beer in Italy is said to be almost 26,000,000 gallons a year.

ENVOY IS CRITICISED

Mitchell Palmer Flays Him Before The House

ILL-BECOMING ACT OF MR. REID

Thomas Jefferson, Greatest American Was Misrepresented Before an Alien Audience, says Palmer.

In a speech of severe criticism of an address by Whitelaw Reid, American Ambassador to the Court of St. James, Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania, last Thursday suggested that the speech "is worthy not only of comment, but perhaps of censure."

The address referred to was a lecture on Thomas Jefferson, entitled "One Welshman; a Glance at a Great Career." It contained not only a great many uncomplimentary references to the founder of the Democratic party, but, in the opinion of Mr. Palmer, went out of its way to belittle the subject of the study.

Mr. Palmer said in part:

"It is a jarring note, especially at a time when the philosophy and the political convictions of Thomas Jefferson seem to come in for enlarged support among the American people, to have the American Ambassador at the court of the greatest monarch on earth take pains and go out of his way to call attention to what he himself calls the 'odious details' in the conduct of this great man 'as indicative,' in his own language, of the real character of Thomas Jefferson.

"He not only flings his jibes at what Jefferson did and said, but sneers at the accomplishments of that great political party which Jefferson founded, and by misrepresentation and misstatement of the facts, leads his hearers to believe that they are not worthy followers of that great man."

Mr. Palmer quoted Ambassador Reid as follows:

"Mr. Jefferson was not a man of genius. We have seen that he was not an orator, not a soldier, not a good executive; least of all a well balanced statesman. But he was a philosophical thinker or dreamer, and yet with a wonderfully practical gift for reading the tendencies of the populace, and for putting their wishes into persuasive and stately language. He was at once a philosopher and a partisan. But his philosophy was sometimes ill-balanced and ill-considered; the partisanship was always adroit and carefully considered, generally successful and sometimes useful."

Palmer continued:

"If the American Ambassador could have employed any words which would have more accurately been intended to call this great man a demagogue, I know not the words which he could have chosen. He goes on them in many pages, citing sentences from his writings and isolated instances of conduct and action on his part to prove these absurd extravagances, which, he says, denote Jefferson's real character. And he accompanies all this with a sneer at the government of the great city of New York, which, he declares, has been for many generations in control of the party which is proud to claim Thomas Jefferson as its founder, and which, in the instances cited by Ambassador Reid, he declares with justification the party wandered far from the course laid down by the founder.

"I could not let the occasion pass without entering my protest against the impropriety and misconduct of an American Ambassador at a foreign court, who would thus misrepresent before a foreign audience, one of the greatest men that ever lived upon American soil."

TO MANY SILVER TIPS AND GRIZZLY BEARS IN PARK

No Person Allowed to Hunt or Carry Firearms Within Limits.—Tourists Lives Endangered.

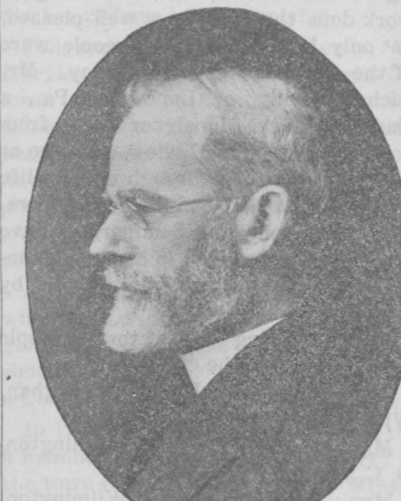
Owing to the fact that the Yellow Stone National Park is the government reservation no person is allowed to hunt or to carry fire arms within its confines. It is recently been discovered that wild animals within the park have become so numerous that the lives of tourists are endangered. This is especially true of silver-tip and grizzly bears. The park authorities now intend to kill off not less than fifty of these animals this fall. Many bears have been captured within the last few weeks and shipped to parks in Eastern cities, but the cost of capturing the animals is great, and as many of them are so bold as to be a nuisance in the park around camping outfits it is believed best to kill them.

Every Red Cross Christmas Seal a bullet in the fight against tuberculosis.

New York has within its city boundaries 85,000 vacant acres of land.

RT. REV. MONSIGNOR TIERNEY

Large Gathering at Mount St. Mary's Witnesses Formal Elevation To The Prelacy.



With all the elaborate ceremony characteristic of the Catholic ritual, Rt. Rev. Dr. John J. Tierney, of Mount St. Mary's College, was Tuesday morning invested with the purple and officially enrolled among the Roman prelates. The investiture was performed by Rt. Rev. Bishop John J. Monaghan, of Wilmington, Del., assisted by Very Rev. E. R. Dyer, of Baltimore, and Rev. Joseph F. Hanselman, S. J., of Woodstock, Md. The Papal bull announcing the appointment was read in Latin and

English by Rev. P. J. Gallagher, of the college faculty.

After the investiture Mgr. Tierney celebrated solemn high mass in the presence of the bishop. The other officers of the mass were: Deacon, Rev. Dr. William B. Cunningham, of Turtle Creek, Pa.; subdeacon, Rev. L. August Reuter, of McSherrystown, Pa.; master of ceremonies, Rev. John C. McGovern, of the college faculty, and assistant master of ceremonies, Rev. B. L. Plato, of Mount St. Mary's Seminary. The sermon was delivered by Rev. J. L. Morrissey, of St. Johnsville, N. Y., who paid an affectionate tribute to Mgr. Tierney as his old instructor. He took as his text: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His justice, and all things else shall be added unto you."

Besides the college faculty and students a large number of former pupils and friends of Mgr. Tierney were present. The special music for the occasion, rendered by the college choir, was under the direction of Prof. Frederick Halm, while Prof. Frederick Braun had charge of the orchestra.

Mgr. Tierney has been connected with Mt. St. Mary's for about thirty years, hence most of the more than sixty alumni of the school present at the exercises were old pupils of his.

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BLEASE IS BOMBASTIC

Says and Repeats "To Hell With The Constitution!"

WOMEN DRIVEN FROM PLACE

Uproar in Richmond Conference As Other State Executives Pass Resolution, Upholding Law.

Many women attending the Governors' Conference Tuesday left the hall hurriedly when Gov. Cole J. Blease, of South Carolina, for the second time defending his doctrine in favor of lynching negroes guilty of certain crimes, shouted the words:

"To hell with the Constitution!"

That sentiment was uttered in response to a question by Gov. Joseph N. Cafey of Wyoming, who asked if Gov. Blease had not taken an oath to uphold the Constitution and laws of his State, and if those laws did not protect negroes as well as white men.

"I will answer that question," Gov. Blease replied; "and I hope the newspaper men will get it right, for in my campaign in South Carolina they found that I am a fighter—and a cold-blooded fighter. When the Constitution steps between me and the defense of the white women of my State I will resign my commission and tear it up and throw it to the breezes. I have heretofore said 'to hell with the Constitution!'"

When women, many of them wives and daughters of Governors, left the hall on hearing that, Governor Blease subsided. The very next day he again and for the third time, broke loose.

It was on the question of the conference putting itself on record in favor of law and order and against mob violence.

The conference was caught in a storm of personal remarks and defiant utterances just before the noon adjournment when Gov. Emmet O'Neal of Alabama offered anti-lynching resolutions. He said he represented a State with a large negro vote. Gov. O'Neal prefaced his resolution with the explanation that a certain member of the conference had made remarks that had gone forth to the world and which were defiant of law and order and repugnant to law-abiding citizens. The conference, he said without delay, should repudiate those words as contrary to its views.

He asserted his belief that the entire conference had been belittled by the South Carolinian's remarks, and that it was the sworn duty of every Executive to uphold the law and the enforcement of law.

Gov. Blease replied that he had been quoted as saying "To hell with the Constitution," and that what he said he repeated to-day to "all the good Governors here; to all the Governors of all the States; to all the people of the United States."

When a motion was made by Governor Baldwin of Connecticut, seconded by Governor Hadley of Missouri, that the substitute resolution from Governor Mann be laid on the table, there came cries of "No!" from the auditorium. Governor Blease arose, and, purple with anger, yelled between gritted teeth:

"Pass the resolutions! Pass them! What do I care? When the Governors who vote in favor of the resolutions shall have gone into political oblivion I will be wearing the Senatorial toga, representing the people of South Carolina in the highest council of this great Nation."

COLONEL STILL THE WHOLE SHOW IN HIS NEW PARTY

Lays Down the Law to All Good Bull Mooseers.—He Says There Will Be No Fusion.

There is but one Progressive party. There will be no fusion of the advanced Republicans and the out-and-out Rooseveltians. And that was the dictum of Col. Roosevelt himself, and it necessarily followed that was the proclamation of the Bull Moose conference that began in Chicago on Tuesday.

Republicans who still call themselves by that name must deny their party name and submit to the Bull Moose brand, or else be considered as enemies of the common good and fight as reactionaries. That, also, is a Roosevelt declaration.

None shall have the right to be considered "Progressives" unless they submit to the name Progressive. Progressives by another name are spurious, so also said Col. Roosevelt, and what he said the Bull Moose conference proclaimed when the time came to pass resolutions.

A new machine little larger than a standard typewriter seals, stamps and counts letters at a rate of 7,000 an hour, irrespective of their size, shape or thickness.

Kentucky has eight whites to one black in a total population of 2,027,951.

HAVE \$300,000 TO BEGIN WITH

FOR THE PARCELS POST

Postmaster General Providing Equipment

FIFTEEN DAYS FOR TRIAL COST

Congressman Lewis Declares That Rates Charged Under New Law Are Excessive and Should Be Reduced.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has apportioned among 1,600 post offices having city delivery \$300,000 of the appropriation to be used for equipment for the parcels post system to be inaugurated January 1.

The amounts allotted to the ten largest cities of the country follow:

Chicago, \$15,000; New York, Boston and Philadelphia, each \$10,000; Brooklyn, \$8,000; St. Louis, \$5,000; Pittsburgh, \$4,000; Baltimore, Cleveland and San Francisco, each \$2,500. In addition to this emergency allowance the Postmaster General has authorized postmasters to employ as many temporary and auxiliary clerks and carriers as may be necessary to handle the increase of the volume of business.

After the parcels post system has been in operation fifteen days from January 1 the postmasters are directed to submit reports showing the volume of the parcels business, the additional cost and an outline of the plans for handling the new business. Through these reports Mr. Hitchcock expects to obtain a close estimate of the cost of the parcels post, so that he may inform Congress what appropriations will be necessary for the operation of the new system.

For the establishment of the parcels post system the Postmaster General already has authorized the expenditure of \$180,000 for supplies and equipment. More than 30,000 scales have been bought, at a cost of \$72,000; the guide and regulations will cost \$43,000; 25,000 special sacks, \$23,000; 10,000,000 tags, \$16,000; 130,000 special zone maps, \$13,000; 110,000 tape lines, \$1,000, and 195,000 rubber stamps and small miscellaneous necessities, \$11,000.

Congressman David J. Lewis of the Sixth district of Maryland, intends to make a fight for lower parcels post rates. The rates named in the Parcels Post law were fixed by the Senate conferees over the protest of Mr. Lewis, who, though not a member of the conference, discussed them with the conferees.

Mr. Lewis' purpose is to reduce the rates for the local, first and second zones. The minimum rates for these zones will average about 5 cents per 150 miles. Mr. Lewis cites postoffice statistics to show that the cost per pound in handling mailable matter is 1 cent per 200 miles.

OFFICIALS DESIRE TO RE-OPEN LIBERTY TOWN BANK

President Kenny Declares Everything Was in Legal Shape.—Principal Borrower was Big Stockholder.

Efforts will be made in the near future to reopen the Savings Bank of Libertytown, at Libertytown, Frederick county, which State Bank Commissioner Downes closed some days ago. Former President Stanley A. Kenny, of the institution stated that the bank's board of directors are planning to ask permission of the State Banking Department to reopen the bank as soon as possible.

Mr. Kenny defended the action of Charles T. Leviness, of Baltimore, one of the bank's directors, in borrowing sums from the institution and claimed that all of the dealings were in strict conformity with the state banking law. He added that the stockholders need have no fear of sustaining any losses if permission is given for the bank's reopening.

Oldest Known Riddle.

The oldest riddle known is that one asked by Samson, in Judges xiv. 14-18: "Out of the eater came forth meat, and out of the strong came sweetness." It was naturally impossible for the guests at his wedding feast to solve the riddle, for it referred to that very uncommon incident of the bees making honey in the carcass of a lion. The old translators used the word meat in the sense of food, its real meaning in the Seventeenth century. This riddle dated from possibly 1,000 years before the Christian era, and is evidence of the very ancient custom of telling riddles or asking difficult questions.

Most of the cocoa imported into the United States is produced in the West Indies and Central and South America.

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CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

A VALIANT IRISH SEA CAPTAIN.

By A. W. MACY. On May 11, 1775, Capt. Jeremiah O'Brien, owner of a little lumber sloop, chased and captured the British war schooner Margaretta, carrying four light guns and fourteen swivel pieces. O'Brien's crew was thirty five landmen, mostly Irish, armed with muskets, pistols, blunderbuses, axes and pitchforks. The schooner had more men than the sloop, and was a commissioned war vessel. She had been somewhat disabled in a squall, and a lucky shot from the lumber sloop killed the man at the wheel and cleared the quarter-deck. Another shot killed the British captain, O'Brien gave the order to board, and the schooner was captured after a hand-to-hand fight. About twenty men in all were killed and wounded.

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DIET AND HEALTH HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN Food Specialist

ANOTHER "COLD STORAGE" WARNING.

Between 60 and 70 persons were recently poisoned at Chicago from eating chicken. It was found on investigation that the chicken had been kept long in cold storage. It has recently been discovered that putrefaction is not altogether stopped by freezing, though the character of it is changed and that animal food that has been in cold storage spoils more readily than that which has not. This suggests the advisability of not using animal food that has been so preserved, especially as it is not necessary to use animal food at all to live well.

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Cleaning Glass Vases.

Flower vases which have become cloudy and discolored should be cleaned with a mixture of vinegar and salt, poured in and well shaken about. A long piece of stiff wire, upon the end of which is a little pad of soft rag, should be poked into all the corners and crevices, and the vase then rinsed in warm water and dried with a good polishing cloth. Fly marks upon the gilt frames of pictures should be rubbed with half a lemon and then polished with a chamois leather.

Rap at English Language.

Mr. Ruskin was once asked if it would not be well for the Welsh language to die out and be replaced by the English. "God forbid!" he replied. "The Welsh language is the language of music. There is no genius about the English language. The Scotch have got all the poetry and the Irish all the wit, and how the devil we got Shakespeare I do not know."

Geographical Gies.

Milwaukee, to the funnysmith, is but one vat of beer; Chicago is the windy burg, with lots of atmosphere; Sioux Falls, as the divorcee's joy, long since attained renown, and Brooklyn, to the humorist, is baby carriage town.

Letters To The Editor.

(The Editor would have it understood that he is not responsible for the views expressed in communications addressed to him and published in THE CHRONICLE.)

No attention will be paid to anonymous communications.

To the Editor of the Weekly Chronicle:

I just want to send you a couple of letters written by natives of the Philippine Islands which gives a good example of the result of ten years of American teachings. If this isn't butchering the English language I never went to school.

Very respectfully, RAY HENRY, Sergeant, Company E, 13th Infantry.

Tacloban, Leyte, Nov. 5, 1911.

Sir:— We have this day from you by carrier a valuable letter assigned and information in legal form for new position not applied.

Should you your valuable services be permitted to suspend and in place such work as will assigned to you be the same might be arranged if satisfactory. If this is to you the same specifications please a contract arrange and perhaps by salary with satisfactory service arranged combined.

Should this house to Mr. Taylor direct or in the absence long distance distressed by boats please to the trip direct to take and connections there understand what KK make result the wages monthly sure as yours.

Now lastly then Caybiran come as in the office you can surely be the one who know the way the contract sign and future for the transfer wish Manila way you underban.

Yours truly, (Signed) WALTER SALOMON, P. S. Go to Mr. B. von Schmelling for legal form and show letter this.

Tacloban, Leyte, Nov. 7, 1911.

Mr. Henry E. Neibert, My Dear Mr. Neibert;

I asked my father if there was no objection with Survey Party proposing to me, a vacancy place as a Computer, I solve him telling about the matter; and told him also that you and Mr. Taylor, require my services at this time, giving the following conditions:

The survey party, will give the salary at the rate of some sums a day. My father didn't agree these conditions. He wishes the monthly salary.

Now, I myself shall accept the conditions which Mr. Taylor offer if the business will be continuous and permanent place, and time allow until I wish to resign in that Party.

Even the rate of P2.50 a day and conditionally by contract in legal form, on the contrary please to abate an appointment to me. Even below that sum but not less than P2.00 the minimum rate a day.

You know that beside the salary, the government must pay the travelling expenses and free subsistence.

Well, if the party will believe those conditions, please let me know if has accepted or not, by letter address to the undersign.

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RT. REV. MONSIGNOR TIERNEY

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After the ceremonies Monsignor Tierney held a reception in the college parlor, where all the visitors met him and extended hearty congratulations. An elaborate dinner was served in the main dining room, at which the faculty, guests and students were present. During coffee Dr. Bradley, president of the college, in a few well-chosen words said that such an occasion should not pass without hearing from Monsignor Tierney. On arising the students gave the much beloved Doctor a rousing cheer. The Monsignor was at his best and kept the crowd in a happy mood with his reminiscences while connected with the institution. Bishop Monaghan, in whose diocese the Monsignor has labored, spoke of the good work done there and how well pleased, not only himself, but his people were of the elevation of Dr. Tierney. Mr. Richard Reilly, of Lancaster, Pa., a classmate of the Monsignor talked from a layman's point of view and also as one who had gone through college life with the man that had received honors.

In the evening the Seminarians gave a play and a musicale in honor of Monsignor Tierney, which was enjoyed by all the guests. The following out-of-town people were present at the ceremonies: Rt. Rev. Bishop John J. Monaghan, Wilmington, Del. Mgr. Thomas S. Lee, Washington, D. C. Mgr. John A. Lyons, Wilmington, Del. Mgr. M. M. Hassett, V. G., Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. Mgr. James F. Macklin, Washington, District of Columbia. Very Rev. E. R. Dyer, St. Mary's, Baltimore. Rev. Joseph F. Hanselman, Woodstock, Maryland. Rev. George Lebel, Woodstock, Md. Rev. L. F. Reynolds, Chaplain United States Navy. Rev. L. August Reudter, McSherrystown, Pennsylvania. Rev. John N. Codori, Johnstown, Pa. Rev. William J. McConnell, Belmar, New Jersey. Rev. Gemans Kohl, Edgemont, Md. Rev. John Wade, Baltimore. Rev. George Rice, Mont Alto, Pa. Rev. M. J. Dougherty, Milford, Del. Rev. William Scott, Henry Clay, Del. Rev. J. M. Burke, Forest City, Pa. Rev. T. B. Martin, Harpers Ferry, West Virginia. Rev. James McGrath, York, Pa. Rev. William J. V. Callaghan, Waynesboro, Pa. Rev. William Cunningham, Turtle Creek, Pa. Rev. Gilbert Gannon, Montgomery, Alabama. Rev. J. L. Morrissey, St. Johnsville, New York. Rev. B. J. Lennon, Taneytown, Md. Rev. T. M. Jordan, Plymouth, Pa. Rev. J. T. Butler, Scranton, Pa. Rev. J. B. Cribbins, C. M., Emmitsburg, Md. Rev. J. O. Hayden, C. M., Emmitsburg, Md. J. Frank Eline, Baltimore. J. Frank Baldwin, Baltimore. Mr. John F. Cogan, Brooklyn. M. J. Sexton, Wilmington, Del. V. G. Hillyard, Washington, D. C. Paul Winchester, Emmitsburg.

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MONTICELLO RESOLUTION

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ly the beginning of the fight in the House of Representatives for the adoption of the resolution which has already passed the United States Senate. Representative Levy, owner of Monticello, issued the following statement: "I am deeply grateful to the American people for their thoughtful consideration during this trying ordeal. Notwithstanding my great satisfaction at the action of Congress Monday relative to Monticello. I must decline to consider it in the light of a personal victory, for I have refused to be drawn into any controversy concerning it."

"I regret exceedingly the publicity to which I have been subjected growing out of these efforts to take away from me this property, upon which I have lavished both money and affection in an effort to preserve it as a suitable memorial to Thomas Jefferson. That my care of it has been satisfactory to the family of Jefferson affords me much gratification, and their letters written to me during the recent month have been sources of the greatest comfort in the midst of bitter attacks and much misunderstanding."

Many prominent persons had been drawn into the controversy which discussion of Mrs. Littleton's project aroused. Among them were "Marse" Henry Watterson, J. Pierpont Morgan and Thomas J. Ryan.

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Report of the Condition OF THE Emmitsburg Savings Bank at Emmitsburg, in the State of Maryland at the Close of Business November 26th, 1912.

RESOURCES. Loans and Discounts... \$149,567.28 Overdrafts secured and unsecured... 17.45 Stocks, Bonds, Securities, Etc... 73,293.30 Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures... 1,400.00 Mortgages and Judgments of record... 31,965.41 Cash on Hand and in Banks... 12,656.97 Total... \$268,900.41 LIABILITIES. Capital Stock paid in... \$25,000.00 Surplus Fund... 4,000.00 Undivided Profits, less expenses, Interest and Taxes paid... 4,604.64 Due to Banks... 54.22 Dividends unpaid... 9.00 Deposits (demand)... 38,822.23 Deposits (time)... 195,926.44 Contingent Interest... 423.88 Total... \$268,900.41

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF FREDERICK, SS. I, H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier of the above-named Institution do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. M. WARRENFELTZ, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of December, 1912. E. LEWIS HIGBEE, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST: DANIEL E. STONE, JR. P. F. BURKET. STERLING GALT, Directors.

Under Supervision of the State Banking Department.

Paint—Drouth The longer the drouth the more rain is required to water the earth. The longer a building goes without painting the dryer it gets and more paint is required to keep water out. A ten gallon Job this year is a eleven gallon Job next year—you will save money by using the best paint. DEVOE'S J. Thos. Gelwicks, Agt. april 24-1y

THE OLD RELIABLE Mutual Insurance Company OF FREDERICK COUNTY ORGANIZED 1843 OFFICE—46 NORTH MARKET ST. FREDERICK, MD. A. C. MCCARDELL President O. C. WAREHIME Secretary SURPLUS \$25,000 NO PREMIUM NOTES REQUIRED INSURES ALL CLASSES OF PROPERTY AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE AT RATES 25 PER CENT. LESS THAN STOCK COMPANIES CHARGE A Home Insurance Company for Home Insurers memb 11. 10-1y

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At Dukehart's Carriage Shops GARLOAD OF THE Famous Studebaker Buggies and Farm Wagons Drop in and inspect this line before you buy, it will pay you Repairing and Repainting Work Made to Order Very Respectfully, J. J. Dukehart. Feb 10-11 1y

Daddy's Bedtime Story The Little Boy Who Didn't Fear Wasps Tommy Wasn't Afraid of Wasps or Bees.



ARE you afraid of wasps? Yes; Jack and Evelyn were. A lot of wasps made their homes in a corner of the barn on one of the beams, and you may be sure the children kept away from them. "Once when I was a small boy I knew a little fellow named Tommy Tompkins," said daddy. "Tommy was a wonderful boy, and he did his best to make the rest of us think he was one. "We had an old chicken house where a lot of wasps had built their homes. "Every spring the wasps had a great time building more cells and new houses. "In each cell, we were told, the mother wasp would lay an egg which would hatch out after awhile into a baby wasp, and we were told also that before the little white cover was fastened to the opening in the cell so that the baby wasp would be kept nice and warm until it was able to take care of itself the pantry would be stored with food for the babies to eat. "And what do you think the wasps feed their babies? Well, they give them nice fat spiders. Spiders are just as much afraid of wasps as flies are afraid of spiders. "When the wasps catch a spider they sting him so he cannot fight. Then they drag him to their nest and stuff him into one of the egg cells. By and by, when the cell is full of spiders, the mother wasp will lay an egg in it. Then a warm curtain is spun over the mouth of the cell. When the baby wasp comes out of the egg it will eat these spiders. "You know how a wasp can sting. Boys and girls are generally afraid of them, and they have good reason to be so. "Little Tommy Tompkins, however, became quite a hero in the neighborhood because he said he was not afraid of wasps and bees. "They don't bite me, wasps don't. Bees don't, neither," he would say. "If you made it very pleasant for Tommy Tompkins he would come over into your yard and when a bee came along hold out his little hand and let the insect settle there. The bees and wasps didn't sting Tommy, but now that I am grown up and know more about insects I don't think it so strange. The reason was he kept perfectly still, so that he did not frighten or anger them. "While there are some cross insects that sting folks without any seeming reason, usually if you stand perfectly still the bee or wasp won't hurt you. Of course if he has been stirred up by somebody or something before you come along he is going to take it out on you, so it is just as well to keep away from stinging bugs and not try to be a Tommy Tompkins."

CHRISTMAS

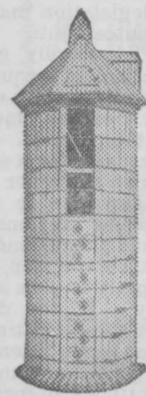
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

PUT IN AN "AD"
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IF YOUR business doesn't "go," and the sales are mighty low,
And things begin to look a trifle bad;
While the things that looked "immense" now resemble "thirty cents"
Just try the "stunt" of putting in an "ad."
You will find that it will pay, you can see it every day—
And you'll admit it was the proper caper.
So get a pad and chalk, work out a line of talk.
And put an advertisement in the paper.

PUT it to 'em good and hard, whether selling gems or lard,
And try and hit 'em plumb between the eyes;
Make your "copy" good and strong, and you'll see 'fore very long
That it really pays for you to advertise.
Play your main points up in style—then hustle for a while,
And you'll find this talk is more than idle vapor.
The orders will flow in and you'll always wear a grin.
If you put your advertisement in the paper.

SUCCESSFUL men to-day will endorse all that I say,
"That much is truth and all the rest is lies"—
You will not sell goods and you'd best take to the woods
Unless you hurry up and advertise.
It simply can't be done and the race will soon be run—
Whether you be banker, cook or draper—
Till you find out what it means to dig down in your jeans
And put an advertisement in the paper.

PARAGRAPH NEWS.

(Continued from page 1.)

A Peking dispatch says it is understood that the Chinese minister of finance has practically settled with the six-power group the outlines of an agreement for a loan not exceeding \$125,000,000.

The profanation of the tomb of the Dowager Duchess of Genoa, the grandmother of King Victor Emmanuel, was the work of thieves, who showed an intimate knowledge of the mausoleum. According to the authorities, the thieves opened three coffins, using acids to melt the metal. They removed the earrings from the body of the Dowager Duchess and in doing so mutilated one of the ears.

The arrangements for the "victory" reception and breakfast which the Woman's Democratic Club will give to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and her daughters in the Waldorf-Astoria New York on December 21 have been completed.

Congressman David J. Lewis, of Maryland, intends to make a fight for lower parcels post rates. The rates named in the Parcels Post law, which becomes operative next January, were fixed by the Senate conferees over the protest of Mr. Lewis, who, though not a member of the conference, discussed them with the conferees.

A jury in the Circuit Court of Baldwin, Mich., declared O. M. Arebach guilty of first-degree murder for the shooting of his partner, Harry Fisher, a Chicago business man and promoter.

In 1907 Liate Butin, then 20 years old a member of the revolutionary party in the town of Slutsk, Province of Minsk, Russia, was exiled to Siberia for life. A few months ago, with the aid of confederates, he escaped from Siberia in a milk barrel.

A bronze medal has been voted to J. Pierpont Morgan in recognition of his benefactions by the association of the police of Paris. This action was taken at a meeting at Paris, presided over by the Minister of the Interior.

Monday.
A check for \$2,000 was mailed from the Union Pacific headquarters at Omaha, Neb., to Conductor M. E. Smith, who two months ago caused the capture of William Loundsberry after he had robbed the mail car of a Union Pacific train between Kansas City and Lawrence, Kansas.

Doctors expect a cure in the case of Alfred Winberg, whose windpipe was sewed together by surgeons of St. Francis' Hospital at Hartford, Conn.

Conviction for speeding his automobile may cost Garrison Payne, a New York lawyer, \$50,000. The complaint against Payne was heard by Justice Buycck, at Irondequoit, who imposed a fine of \$25. To be prepared to take an appeal the defendant had with him in court a phonograph and a moving picture machine. Payne claims that a clause in his father's will provides that if he has no court convictions against him at the age of 30 he will inherit \$50,000.

In a few days Postmaster-General Hitchcock of Washington, will issue regulations providing for admitting butter and eggs to the list of farm produce that may be carried in the parcels post after January 1, 1913. Shipment of these articles through the mails will be restricted to the limits of any two adjoining zones.

The friends of the great ship load of Americans coming home on board the Mauretania for the holidays are confessedly worried over the persistent rumors that the big Cunarder has met with a mishap at sea. Late Monday night and during the early hours Tuesday morning several taxicabs drew up in front of the Cunard Steamship Company.

"Being Governor of a State and preparing to be President of a nation both at the same time is enough to keep any man busy," remarked President-elect Wilson when he announced that he positively would make no more speaking engagements before March 4.

A special mass for the pacification of Mexico was said in St. Peter's Cathedral, Rome at 6 o'clock, this hour corresponding with midnight in Mexico, the hour when peace prayers began there in the Catholic churches.

The Mormon missionaries have of late been very active in Ipswich and vicinity. This has aroused considerable feeling against them and ended in disorder Sunday night when one of their meetings was broken up by a mob. The missionaries were forced to seek police protection from bodily injury.

An inheritance tax law for Indiana was unreservedly advocated in the report of the State Board of Tax Commissioners which was made public.

A plaster cast made of the impression of the teeth of Alvin Hornberger, of Mohnton, Pa., in a "free lunch" sandwich caused his arrest in Reading, Pa., on the charge of counterfeiting. Secret Service men say Hornberger on November 16 passed 20 fake \$10 bills in Philadelphia.

A rumor is current in London that the Irish crown jewels which were mysteriously stolen from Dublin Castle in June or July, 1907, have been as mysteriously replaced intact in their original position. It has been impossible so far to obtain corroboration of this report.

Tuesday.
Detective Fullerton, of the Erie Railroad, and a workman were shot in a riot between strikers and strike-breakers at the Shadyside. Police were sent from Hackensack to quell the disorder.

Twelve hundred men and boys have gone on strike at collieries Nos. 6, 7 and 11 of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, at Pittston, Pa. The strike was called because several miners refused to become members of the union. The trouble has been brewing for some time.

Nine men are believed to have been killed when a snowslide on Copper Mountain carried away seven buildings belonging to the copper mine of the Great Northern Development Company of New York. Eleven men were buried under the avalanche, and only two have been removed alive. Three bodies have been recovered, and no hope is entertained for six other miners.

Officials of the First National Bank at Taft, Cal., were notified that a shipment of \$20,000 in gold consigned to them was stolen from a Southern Pacific train near Maricopa by two masked bandits, who robbed the express car.

There was a near-panic at the North Station Boston on the elevated at the rush hour when some one dropped a smoldering cigarette on the new station and the wind fanned it into flames.

Disguised as men, two women held up a train near Jaketerinoslay, Russia, raided the baggage car and shot dead two trainmen. They were arrested.

In her suit for divorce Mrs. Helen Sincer of New York alleges that her husband offered her \$50,000 if she would go to Reno and get a divorce from him.

Wednesday.
The coming of age of John Lauder, son of Harry Lauder, of London, the comedian, was celebrated with a dinner at Noon on which the town officials and clergy were guests.

The White House definitely announced that President Taft will go to Panama. He will leave Washington at midnight December 19 and sail from Key West on the battleship Kansas. The President will return to Washington December 31. His trip will make him miss the Christmas festivities.

The suffragettes have evolved another scheme for the detriment of the public welfare; namely, the sending of false fire alarms. Within an hour and a half Tuesday evening the fire brigades were turned out in 10 districts in different parts of London only to find that the alarms were false.

Four ancient horses, the useful days of which were over, were sold at public auction in Gotha and brought a total of \$1.20.

Missing a cage as it passed the landing, Rudolph Oehler, a miner, fell 750 feet in a shaft of the Illinois Coal Company's mine at Pana.

Indications that Grand Duke Alexis, the eight-year-old heir to the Russian throne, is failing fast are contained in a St. Petersburg telegram to the Matin which states that Grand Duke Pavlovitch, a cousin of Czar Nicholas, would probably be appointed heir-designate within a short time.

The steamship rammed and sunk by the British Dreadnought Centurion off Portland Bill is now believed to have been the Osprey, with 12 men on board from Waterford to Holyhead. All on board are believed to have perished.

In declining to allow a new organization to use his name Governor-elect Sultzer of New York said no man's reputation was safe while he lived. He advised the use of the name of a man dead 100 years.

Thursday.
Jan Kubelik's famous Guarnerians violin, valued at \$12,500, was seized by Berlin court authorities to satisfy a judgment in favor of Hugo Gorlitz, the London impresario, who introduced the Bohemian artist in the United States.

With two policemen on fixed post duty in the immediate neighborhood and a watchman for a private detective agency patrolling outside, burglars gained an entrance to the jewelry shop of Varga & Co., at 324 Fifth Avenue, New York and escaped with gems valued at \$25,000.

With every hour bringing additional alarming information concerning the new revolution in Santo Domingo, the Navy Department of Washington began active mobilization of marines to be sent to the island.

A slight earthquake shock was felt at Bangor, Maine. Similar disturbance was experienced at Calais, Maine and St. John, N. B.

Solomon Lorowy of New York who has but one leg and walks on crutches, severely beat 10 policemen who tried to arrest him. A reserve of eight bluecoats was sent to the aid of the squad and arrested him.

Associates and other friends of Dr. Theodore Gill, the noted zoologist of the Smithsonian Institution and former librarian of Congress, at Washington, have arranged to give a banquet in his honor to-night at the Cosmos Club. The affair will be in celebration of Dr. Gill's seventy-fifth birthday.

It was believed in London Thursday in shipping circles that the unidentified vessel sunk by the new dreadnought Centurion was the Italian Shederna.

STATE MISCELLANY

Bits of News About People and Events Throughout The State.

Elaborate arrangements are making for seventh annual poultry exhibit of the Western Maryland Poultry Association to be held in the Knights of Pythias armory at Lonaconing, January 21 to 25.

Owners of coal lands in the Meyersdale field in the vicinity of Berlin have received word that the options on their lands will be lifted at the price of \$50 per acre. The deal involved about \$300,000. Each owner will sell from 75 to 350 acres.

Rev. Zed H. Copp, former pastor of First Brethren Church, of Hagerstown later of Washington, has joined the Presbyterian church, being assigned to a pastorate in Philadelphia. When he preached in Hagerstown he gave a series of sermons in which he asserted that hell was in the sun and heaven in the star Alcyone, of the Pleiades group.

The Forest Hill Farmer's Club at its meeting at the home of Joseph T. Hoopes at Havre de Grace discussed the high cost of living. A higher Standard of living, the Pure Food Law and the immense profits of middlemen were recognized as the causes. Several remedies were suggested, the chief of which are to establish a farmers' market, modeled somewhat after that of Philadelphia, and the introduction of auto trucks to carry the produce directly from the farms to the consumer.

Prof. Howard McClenahan, dean of Princeton University, lectured to the boys of Tome School Saturday night on "Liquid Air." After performing almost miracles with the fluid he declared it of little value in the commercial world. Dean McClenahan is a native of Port Deposit and delivered the commencement address to Tome School last June. In the evening Dr. Thomas S. Baker, Director of Tome, gave the dean a reception at his home.

The new Grace United Brethren Church of Hagerstown, was dedicated Sunday with appropriate ceremonies. The new church cost about \$18,000. It occupies the site of the old brick edifice erected 14 years ago. The structure is of brick, with a seating capacity, including main auditorium, galleries and ante-rooms of 762.

The contract between Cumberland city and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad calling for the construction of a pedestrian subway at the Baltimore St. crossing has been signed. By the terms of the agreement, the railroad is to finance the subway to the extent of \$10,000 and the City Council is to furnish all the money over that amount up to \$17,500. But should the subway cost more than \$17,500 the railroad company is to meet the extra expense in addition to \$10,000.

The Cotillon Club of St. John's College at Annapolis has sent invitation cards to the winter series of dances to be held in the gymnasium at the college. The dates are as follows: December 13, January 10 and 31, March 28, April 11 and 25 and May 16 and 30.

Philip Henry C. Birely, a retired merchant, was knocked down by an automobile, driven by Henry K. C. Fox, at Frederick Monday. His arm was broken and he received bad cuts and bruises about his face and body. Mr. Birely, who is deaf, did not hear the signal sounded by the driver.

The Antietam Mill Company at Hagerstown, with principal office at Funkstown, has been incorporated with a capitalization of \$10,000. The incorporators are Lynn S. Keller, J. Edgar Keller, of Hagerstown, and Albert Shilling of Funkstown.

The Maryland Forestry Commission, of Hagerstown, is trying to purchase the old Fort Frederick farm in Washington county from Homer Cavanaugh. On the farm stands the ruins of Fort Frederick, built in Colonial days as a refuge for the early settlers in this section against Indian marauders.

The December term of Circuit Court for Cecil County convened at Elkton, Monday, with Chief Judge Albert Constable and Associate Judge William H. Adkins on the bench. Thomas H. Warburton, of Pleasant Hill, was chosen forman of the grand jury. The term will likely be short.

Prof. C. Edwin Carl, principal of the Washington County Male High School at Hagerstown, resigned. He has been teaching school for 26 years, beginning his career at the Hancock School in 1883. He is a graduate of St. John's College, Annapolis. In 1887 he became assistant principal of the Male High School and was appointed principal in 1896.

The Merchants and Manufacturer's Association of Cumberland has decided upon the publication of a monthly magazine as a means of boosting the city.

Last Chance Public School, near Pylesville, has been closed on account of an epidemic of diphtheria. Mrs. E. F. McGuigan, of Whiteford, is ill with the disease, having contracted it from children of Last Chance School.

H. A. Paine, of Denton, road engineer for Caroline county, has tendered his resignation to take effect March 1, 1913.

Montgomery county Republicans spent but \$410.25 in the recent campaign according to the statement of C. Scott Duvall, treasurer. The Chevy Chase Republican Club collected \$132.50 and

spent \$95.25, according to a statement of its treasurer, Evans Browne. There were 21 contributors.

Miss Bessie Hartnett, of Childs, has been appointed teacher at the Rising Sun school at Elkton.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the barn on the farm of David D. Ruby, near Snyderburg, in Hampstead district, soon after 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. A considerable quantity of hay and straw was burned and a cow and heifer perished in the flames. Other live stock was rescued. The loss approximated \$800. The Hampstead Fire Company ran a couple of miles to the scene, but arrived only in time to protect surrounding property, as it found the entire building a mass of flames.

The price of bituminous coal in Cumberland has been advanced by the coal companies 30 cents a ton.

James T. Wright, of Baltimore, has leased the Brick Hotel, Denton, and will take charge shortly, succeeding John H. Boggs. The owners of the property expects to remodel the hotel in the spring.

John Abbott, member of the House of Delegates of 1910 and chairman of the Allegany county delegation, is seriously ill at his home in Lonaconing.

The city is constructing an asphaltum plant and asphaltum will be used in street-making in Cumberland, instead of fire brick, which has been used heretofore.

**FIRE SWEEPS ST. FRANCIS
COLORED ORPHAN ASYLUM**

The Children Who Had Been Drilled To Meet Such An Emergency Marched Out.—Policemen Rescues Sick Nun.

Fire swept the top floor of St. Francis' Colored Orphan Asylum, Academy and Convent, in Baltimore on Tuesday. The institution is in charge of the Oblate Sisters of Providence. One hundred and sixty children were led by the Sisters to safety by way of a side door. In the excitement that followed the discovery of the flames Sister Philomena, who is ill, was left in her bed on the fourth floor near the burning dormitory. A patrolman made his way through smoke and flame, wrapped the sister in a blanket and carried her down to the first floor to safety.

In charged of several prefects the orphans and students marched to Warden Leonard's home, at Eager and Forrest streets. There they knelt and lifted their voices in solemn prayer as they watched the firemen fighting just across the street to save the institution. The fire was discovered at about 11.45 o'clock. Sister Magdalena, who is in charge, rang the fire bell, and the children, who had been drilled to meet such emergency, marched out by way of a side exit on Forrest street.

The Sisters, firemen and policemen united in saving a large oil painting of Cardinal Gibbons. Some of the Sisters went back into the building to save vestments and clerical robes left in the sacristy.

The fire was under control at about 12.30 o'clock and the firemen then confined their efforts to saving the valuables from damage by water.

A gift within reach of everyone—the Red Cross Seal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

FREDERICK COUNTY.

Circuit Court—Chief Judge, Hammond Urner, Associate Judges, John C. Motter and Edward C. Peter. Court meets at Frederick City, first Monday in February and September, for Grand Jury Terms, December, petit jury term; May, non-jury term.

Clerks of the Circuit Court—Harry W. Bowers, Deputy Clerks, Adolphus Fearhake, Charles B. Groff, I. N. Loy, M. N. Nusz, Eli G. Haugh, Harry E. Chapline and Charles L. Ogles.

Register of Wills—Samuel D. Thomas, Deputies, J. Fenton Thomas, C. H. Kren.

Orphans' Court—John C. Castle, Chief Judge; John W. Mumford, Albert W. Ecker. Orphans' Court meets every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

County Treasurer—F. W. Cramer.

County Commissioners—Lincoln G. Dinterman, President; John W. Holter, Charles W. Zimmerman, J. Stewart Annan, and Charles W. Johnson, Markwood D. Harp, Clerk. George R. Dennis, Jr., Attorney.

Board of Charities and Correction—David Cramer, president; Jacob B. Flook, secretary; Jacob B. Tyson, treasurer; Samuel U. Gregg, superintendent; Millard F. Perry, Clerk.

School Commissioners—John S. Newman, president; P. F. Lee, William P. Morsell, Dr. C. L. Wachter, A. W. Nicodemus, Jr., and Cyrus W. Flook; Emory L. Coblenz, attorney.

Secretary, Treasurer and Examiner—John T. White; Assistant, S. N. Young.

Dr. C. F. Goodell, County Health Officer.

State's Attorney—Samuel A. Lewis. Sheriff—Charles T. Fagan. Deputies, Charles C. Holt, Office Deputy; Robert Cramer, Riding Deputy; William Deeter, Turnkey.

Supervisors of Elections—Samuel V. Doll, President; Joseph F. Eisenhauer, W. B. James; Clerk, Claggett Ramsburg. Surveyor—Emory C. Crum.

EMMITSBURG.

Burgess—E. H. Rowe.

Commissioners—Dr. J. McC. Foreman President; Oscar Frailey, Q. G. Shoemaker.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1912.

THE CHRONICLE will be independent in politics, progressive in spirit and a champion of what it conceives to be right.

[Editorial from The Chronicle, June 8, 1906.]

Calendar for December 1912 showing days of the week and dates.

Communications intended for publication in this paper, letters of a business nature in relation to the Chronicle, and all orders for Job Printing to be done at this office should be addressed to THE WEEKLY CHRONICLE.

FREDERICK COUNTY.

Frederick is next to the largest of the counties of Maryland. In population and wealth it ranks next to Baltimore county.

WHY NOT A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER ON THE W. M.

So accustomed have the people become to reports of wrecks on the W. M. (Worst Managed or Wreck Making) Railway that, were it not that it involved the loss of life...

Of course, a wreck was about due somewhere along the line. It had to be pulled off to keep up the record for wreck-regularity held by this unique comic supplement to the real railroads...

They change things around very often on this road. The management (?) firmly believes in variety. It changes itself every few months; it changes the time table as frequently; it changes its mode of operating as often as it changes its mood...

trons of this practical-joke-railway are about to adopt 'change and decay in all around I see' as their hymn—to be sung daily while being jerked from one station to another.

Trying to account for the misinterpretation of some of the 'orders' it has been suggested that although three are distributed when issued, these may be in different languages, giving a wide scope for free translation. We do not put any faith in this theory although we are willing to believe that there are some 'high brows' and many language jugglers both in the directorate of the W. M. (Worst Managed or Wreck Making) Railway...

Just why these wrecks occur so often seems to be 'one of those things no fellow can find out.' But they happen, and they happen 'powerful frequent and it's about time that the law took a firm hand in the matter.'

AMBASSADOR REID'S INSULT TO A GREAT AMERICAN.

The outburst of indignation which, at the assembling of Congress, fell from the lips of Congressman David J. Lewis, concerning the attack on Jefferson by Ambassador Reid, at the Court of St. James, in a recent speech, was, we cannot but say well timed and telling. It was proper that at the reassembling of the Representatives of the People, that leader among those Representatives, that splendid type of the Welsh-American...

The privileges and immunities of Ambassadors are extensive, but they have their limit. The respect due to the cherished Fathers of our Government, should be reflected in the words of our Representatives abroad. It is bad enough that the grog shop brawler and the cross roads politician should insult our great men, but when injurious words are levelled against the Author of the Declaration of Independence...

An Ambassador may oppose even a great and well-beloved statesman without departing from the respect due to his character. Such a course might have been followed by Ambassador Reid and while his tact might have been questioned, his academic discussion would have passed unnoticed. We understand and share the indignation of Congressman Lewis, and it occurs to us to say that instead of

urging the ousting of Ambassador Reid, Congress should adopt a resolution, being within the bounds of vindication of our great statesman, the father of the toleration of the convictions of other men, by repelling the affront given by the Ambassador and thus giving him a salutary lesson, which, in a measure, will serve to wipe out the stigma of the outrage itself.

THAT PERSON PLEASE.

Mister Blease, An you please, You are punk-- Quite fit junk For oblivion's ash pile. You can't behave— You think you're brave To utter fire, Bravado, ire And ape the hero for a little while. Your State's good name Is put to shame By such as you; And you'll rue The day you spluttered. The very term, (Like slimy worm), You handed out Will turn and rout Your plans, and what you uttered Will resound By leap and bound Through your life, And the strife Will be to your discredit. And the day Is on the way,— Coming fast— When at last You'll regret you said it. You're common, tough, Uncouth and rough; Fit for a barn Where vulgar yarn Is spun and oft repeated; Not for a place Where honor, grace And decency abound And where around The board of State true gentlemen are seated.

'Jeff' Levy Has \$30,000 Overcoat.

Representative Jefferson M. Levy, of New York, who owns Monticello, the Virginia home of Jefferson, and a lot of other things of historic and intrinsic value, has a \$30,000 overcoat. The coat is sable and Mr. Levy has promised to appear in it when the thermometer drops to a proper degree. The members of the New York delegation are waiting anxiously for the drop. Mr. Levy admitted that he had the coat, that it is worth \$30,000, and that is about the finest piece of sable in existence. When asked whether he bought the garment or whether it was a present from a friend, Mr. Levy replied, coyly: "Ah that is the question. If you only knew from whom I got the coat you would be surprised." Whether the coat was a gift from J. P. Morgan, one of Mr. Levy's constituents; the Sultan of Turkey or the Duke of Sutherland, two gentlemen in whose acquaintance Mr. Levy revels, is a much mooted question.

Confederate Headstones.

The War Department, after more than six years of arduous labor, has at last completed the duty of marking the graves of the soldiers and sailors of the Confederacy who died in Northern prisons and were buried in the vicinity of such prisons, says the Washington Herald. Congress had provided \$200,000 for this work, and had stipulated that it should be completed within two years from March 6, 1906, the date of the passage of the act. In February, 1908, however, Congress was obliged to extend the time allowance, owing to the unexpected difficulties experienced in prosecuting the work, due especially to the impossibility in many cases of identifying the bodies so as to provide an individual headstone, appropriately inscribed, for each soldier and sailor of the Confederate army and navy, as had been contemplated by the law.

But now the work is done, and it has resulted in at least 10,000 individual headstones of Southerners buried in the North and fully identified.

Food consumed by New York city costs, at the railroad and steamer terminals, \$350,000,000 a year; but when it gets to the consumers' kitchen it costs \$5,000,000 a year.

Germany has 61 wall paper manufacturers.

Editorials From Maryland Exchanges.

Country School Teacher as Public Health Educator.

The country school teacher should be a public health educator, according to Dr. Charles E. North, of New York City, author of an article on "Sanitation in Rural Communities," just issued by the United States Bureau of Education. As the natural intellectual leader of his community, the rural teacher, he maintains, can do for public health in the country what the medical inspector and school nurse are doing in the city—point the way to clean living.

Mere teaching of physiology is not what is needed. Physiology may satisfy the curiosity of children as to their internal organs, but it does not protect them in any way against tuberculosis from contaminated milk or typhoid from impure water. The rising generation, whether in the country or in the city, has a right to be instructed in the first principles of sanitary science.

Far from being too difficult to teach in the elementary school, the subject of public health can be made both understandable and interesting. Such a simple operation as washing the hands, for instance, becomes attractive when studied with reference to bacteria. "Personal cleanliness, purity of food and of drinks, the nature of disease, and the methods of transference, are all things which can be expressed in the simplest terms and made clear to the understanding of children," asserts Dr. North. "Milk, its value as a food, the fact that it is highly appreciated by bacteria, and that it is therefore necessary to protect it against them—these are not too difficult for the child to understand."

Dr. North emphasizes the need of special training in this subject for school teachers. He believes that normal schools and teachers' colleges should have regular courses in public health, so that the country school teacher may be armed with the essential facts of sanitary science.

Remarkable results may be expected to follow adequate public health work by rural school teachers. It is estimated that if effective sanitation were enforced the present average of 45 years for human life would be prolonged to 60. "In rural communities annually 400,000 persons die and about 2,000,000 others are seriously ill from infectious diseases. If only one-half of these deaths and cases of sickness can be eliminated, it means that an immense field of useful work lies at the hand of the country school teacher who will become a public health educator, and will instruct the children and the mothers and fathers how to prevent the transference of poisonous bacteria from those who carry them to those who do not."—Cumberland Allegian.

College Men in Business.

That the big colleges are becoming more and more business men's institutions appears to be the discovery of the Bureau of Education, which has just issued a bulletin describing the distribution of the professions among graduates.

Originally the college mission was to prepare men for the ministry. Harvard, founded chiefly for that end, now gives to that profession less than 2 per cent. of her graduates, and Yale less than 3 per cent.

With the decline has come a corresponding increase of those entering law and business. In the older days boys looking ahead to business careers never thought of a higher education. It was considered a waste of time. But the march of events has changed all that.

After the Revolution the ministry yielded to the law in the number of graduates at Cambridge, and after 1880 business claimed the lead. At Yale law kept the ascendancy until 1895, then business stepped to the fore.

At the University of Pennsylvania, where once one-tenth of the graduates went in for the ministry, now only about one-fiftieth do so. Out of 15,000 graduates of the University of Michigan only 188 have become ministers.

Summarizing the Bureau's findings at 37 colleges, teaching looms up as the dominant profession with 25 per cent., business comes next with 20 per cent., law can claim only 15 per cent., medicine between 6 and 7 and the ministry about 5 per cent.—Montgomery County Sentinel.

Success is in the blood. There are men whom fate can never keep down. They go jauntily forward and take by divine right the best of everything that earth affords. They do not lie in wait, nor scheme, nor fawn, nor seek to adapt their sails to catch the breeze of popular favor. Still, they are ever alert and alive to any good that may come their way, and when it comes along they simply appropriate it, and tarrying not, move steadily on. Success is in your blood, prick yourself until a little of it flows.—Democrat and Journal.

"Hello, Bill!" called the neighbor to a young father. "Have you named the baby yet?" "Well, almost," answered Bill. "The two grandmothers have agreed to arbitrate."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Have you sealed your letter with a Christmas Seal?

CURRENT COMMENT FROM LEADING JOURNALS.

Bleasers.

Charles Lynch, whose law of summary punishment of offenders prevailed in Virginia during the Revolution, was a patriot. Nobody ever dreamed of attributing patriotism to Gov. Blease of South Carolina, who, in one of his 'cracker' speeches before the House of Governors on Tuesday, proclaimed again his doctrines of the Executive function in promoting lawlessness. "All that is needed is that they get the right man," he averred, "and they who get him will neither need nor receive a trial."

If this doctrine were to live and die with Gov. Blease it might be less worthy of comment. Unfortunately there are many Bleasers in the South. If their reasoning we accepted there would be no need for courts of law. Those who failed to 'get the right man' would, of course, be dealt with by their fellow Bleasers, and if they, in turn, committed a like egregious error they would be riddled with bullets by their righteous peers, and so on. The only objection to this process would be that now and again it would fail to protect the innocent.

There are Bleasers in the North as well as in the South. It is tedious to 'get the right man' by the winnowing process of the law. The law's delay is often exasperating even to those who abide by it. Its technicalities spring from times when there were scores of capital offenses, from the penalty of which the Judges sought escape for hapless prisoners. But criminal procedure has of late become swifter. The lynching of even negro assailants of women in the South may not longer be condoned, and it never could be. The philosophy of 'getting the right man' does not stop with negroes, as the record of murderous Southern feuds evinces. This is not an age for Blease and his like.—New York Times.

Common Roads a Necessity to Civilization.

The common roads of a country are not only necessary to its development, but their condition is a measure of its civilization. The highest type of mental and moral culture and development can not be attained without the means of easy and rapid communication between all parts and sections of the country. The railway and telegraph lines are the great modern civilizers of the world; but they are limited in their spheres of usefulness, because they do not reach the farm, the home, the country schoolhouse and church. The common road is the connecting link between these, and without it the progress of a widespread civilization must of necessity be greatly retarded. They are the foundation stones upon which the superstructure of society is erected, and upon which its symmetry, beauty and stability must rest.

It has been stated by eminent writers that railway and telegraph lines with the wonderful commercial enterprises they make possible are in the end detrimental to a country that has no proportionately adequate system of common highways, because of their tendency to congest the population by drawing the intelligent and ambitious portion of the country youths to the cities and centers of commercial enterprise, until the avenues of that class of labor are overcrowded, the wages of labor decreased by undue and unnatural competition, and the surplus set adrift without the means of a livelihood, to become beggars or criminals, instead of delving in the soil from which the primary wealth of the world is secured, and in which avocation there has never yet been a surplus of labor.

Then, too, it is the youthful, intelligent, rugged and ambitious who are thus being coaxed from the farm whose society is needed to stimulate the sluggish, who are always content to see the world's great calvacade go by while they remain in slothful isolation. If these conditions continue, there is danger of a barrier being built up between the different classes of our people that will destroy that sympathy, intelligence and co-operation that is so necessary in our mutually dependent condition.

Neighborhoods, counties and states, separated from one another by the barriers of practically impassible roads, in their loneliness degenerate into a condition of moral stagnation from which it is difficult to arouse them to a common and mutual interest and understanding.—W. H. Moore, in 'The Fra.'

Practical Prohibition.

Legislation as a cure for intemperance has proven a failure wherever it has been tried. A more practical kind of prohibition is being tried by the Pennsylvania railroad, a corporation that treats its employes well, steadily advances the deserving and pensions the superannuated.

The heads of departments have been instructed to find out which of the employes drink intoxicants "during working hours or after working hours."

The Pennsylvania does not regard the man who drinks intoxicants as being a desirable employe in a position involving responsibility. None of the "temperate drinkers" has been discharged, but a number of them have been reduced from positions of responsibility to subordinate positions in

which a man's potentiality for destructiveness when stimulated by alcohol is less than it is in higher positions. Conductors detected tipping have been reduced to "trainmen." A number of men have volunteered, in order to save their positions, to accompany heads of departments to offices of Justices of the Peace and take an oath of abstinence.

A Pennsylvania official is quoted as saying "you cannot run trains safely and drink intoxicants." He adds that the company is not discharging any men, but disciplining them.

While this may look like interference with private affairs it is really a measure for public safety and it is wholly warrantable. It is of more importance to prevent wrecks than to avoid treading upon toes. Of course the undertaking is only incidentally a prohibition measure. It is primarily a movement to increase efficiency and lessen risk. Nevertheless it will have a better effect than legislation making it unlawful to sell intoxicants. The Pennsylvania railroad is merely going further in the direction of requiring abstinence as a qualification than other employers. The spirit of the times in business is against intemperance. It is not as important, of course, for a salesman or solicitor to be an abstainer as it is for a locomotive engineer or train dispatcher. Nevertheless efficiency is decreased by drink, and the dependable man is worth more than the man who is not reliable. Competition puts a premium upon efficiency. If the desire for efficiency has not made abstinence the rule it has at least made intemperance the exception. The amount of alcohol consumed continues to increase with the increase of population, but in all kinds of business, and in all professions, the man who does not drink to excess gets ahead of the man who does.

Railroad travel would be safer if it were the rule of all roads to employ none but abstainers. If it should become the rule of one of them passengers would feel more comfortable when getting into their berths on that line than on others. The influence of the example provided would be reflected far and wide. Of course any employe who did not wish to ride on the water wagon would be free to resign. The independence of his course might recommend him to some employers, provided he was known to be temperate although not an abstainer. But there are not a great many employers who would care to give responsible positions to men unwilling to let business interfere with drinking, and, therefore, unwilling to remain with an employer requiring abstinence as a condition.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tucker For Cabinet.

Not since John B. Floyd took office under President Buchanan, in 1857, as Secretary of War, has Virginia had a place in a Democrat Cabinet.

From the foundation of this country till the rending of all ties by the anti-slavery agitation Virginia not only furnished Presidents, but supplied as well those close members of the official family on whom the Presidents relied for counsel and guidance and support.

It was George Washington, a Virginian, who appointed first, Thomas Jefferson, and then Edmund Randolph fellow Virginians, as Secretaries of State. And, when the Whigs came in, it was Adams who turned again to Virginia and chose John Marshall as Secretary of State.

Jefferson chose Madison, and when Madison was made President, he chose James Monroe, and, from the office of Secretary of State himself advanced to the highest office in the gift of this country.

When John Tyler, a Virginian, was elected, he appointed Abel P. Upshur, of Virginia, as Secretary of State. That was in 1843, and no Virginian has sat in the office of Secretary of State since.

Nor has a Virginian ever held the office of Secretary of the Treasury. But John Marshall was Secretary of War under Adams and Monroe; was Secretary of War under Madison, and George Graham Virginia, served under Monroe; Thomas Barbour, of Virginia served under John Quincy Adams; and the last of all, John B. Floyd held the office of Secretary of War under President Buchanan.

Only one Virginian has ever been Secretary of the Interior, and he was Alexander H. H. Stuart, who was appointed to office by Millard Filmore in 1850. In naval matters Virginia has been more fortunate. Abel P. Upshur was Secretary of the Navy under Tyler; Thomas W. Gilmer and John Y. Mason also served under Tyler. John Y. Mason was Secretary of the Navy under Polk, and William B. Preston was appointed and served for the whole term of Zachary Taylor.

The office of Secretary of Agriculture has never been filled by a Virginian. But Grant appointed James W. Marshall, a Virginian, Postmaster-General in 1874.

In nothing did Virginia hold higher place than in the legal department. Edmund Randolph and Charles Lee were Attorney-Generals under George Washington. William Wirt was Attorney General under James Monroe and John Quincy Adams. John Y. Mason was Attorney-General under Polk in 1845. And there the catalogue ends.

To-day a Virginian comes back once more to the position of President of the people of the United States, and to Virginia he should and will look for a member of his official family.

No name has been more generally mentioned and more cordially received for a Cabinet position than that of the Hon. Harry St. George Tucker. His wide experience in political life, his familiarity with the usages of administration, his training as a lawyer, his studies in constitutional and international law, his high standing, and his many friendships in Washington and throughout the whole country, have all marked him as an eminently wise choice for a Cabinet position.

President-elect Wilson could hardly follow a better example than that of Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Tyler and Taylor—all Virginians—in choosing men from his own State to help him in the great and important task of making his administration a success. And the Times-Dispatch commends to President-elect Wilson the name of Harry St. George Tucker for a Cabinet office from Virginia.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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STORIES OF BRET HARTE.

His Dislike of Social Duties and Mere Literary Friendships.

Mr. Moncre Conway in his autobiography gives an amusing reminiscence of Bret Harte's proneness to escape from what are known as "social duties." Mrs. Conway "received" on Monday afternoons, and Bret Harte had told her that he would be present on a particular Monday, but he failed to appear, much to the regret of some persons who had been invited for the occasion. "When, chancing to meet him," writes Mrs. Conway, "I alluded to the disappointment. He asked forgiveness and said, 'I will come next Monday, even though I promise.'"

He had a constant dread that his friendship or acquaintance would be sought on account of his writings rather than for himself. A lady who sat next him at dinner without learning his name afterward remarked, "I have always longed to meet him, and I would have been so different had I only known who my neighbor was." This, unfortunately, being repeated to Bret Harte, he exclaimed: "Now, why can't a woman realize that this sort of thing is insulting? * * * If Mrs. B. talked with me and found me uninteresting as a man, how could she expect to find me interesting because I was an author?"—Henry Childs Merwin's "Life of Bret Harte."

CURIOS INSURANCE.

Some of the Querer Risks Taken by the Brokers at Lloyd's.

They will take any risk at Lloyd's in London. It should be understood that this great corporation has nothing to do with it, but that the brokers issue policies as individuals. Here are a few specimens of risks actually insured:

The uncle of a rich heiress took out a policy for 10,000 guineas against her eloping with a certain man before a specified date. He paid 1,000 guineas premium, and the girl did not elope, so the broker was in 1,000 guineas.

A young man sued by a girl for damages for breach of promise to marry paid 800 guineas for a policy covering any amount of money the jury might award to the plaintiff. It gave her £700, so the broker made more than £100 profit.

A cablegram arrived at the office of a shipowner stating that one of his steamers was on the rocks in a dangerous place. The owner took out a policy for £5,500, to be paid to him if the ship were lost. He paid for this a premium of £5,000. The ship was saved, so he lost the money.—New York World.

The English King.

The king of England has no legislative veto. He must sign his own death warrant if the two houses unanimously send it to him. It is a fiction of the past to ascribe to him legislative power. He has long ceased to have any. The prime minister is the chief executive of the British constitution. The king has the right to be consulted, the right to encourage, the right to warn, provided he can find anybody that wants to consult him or anybody that cares to be encouraged by him or anybody that will stop to be warned. In other words, the king is a "figurehead," or, as it has been more respectfully expressed, he is the "ornamental" rather than the "useful" part of the British constitution.—New York American.

Earthquakes.

The worst shaken countries of the world are Italy, Japan, Greece, South America, Java, Sicily and Asia Minor. The lands most free from earthquakes are Africa, Australia, Russia, Siberia, Scandinavia and Canada. As a rule, where earthquakes are most frequent they are also the most severe. But to this general statement there are exceptions. Indian shocks, though less numerous, being often very disastrous. Loss of life, however, in many cases, depends on density of population rather than on the intensity of the earth movement.—New York American.

Her Secret Sorrow.

"Mrs. Whiffley impresses me as one who had something in her past life to make her unhappy. I never can look at her without feeling that she is the bearer of a secret sorrow of some kind."

"Well, she is. She told me once that she could never be quite happy again because she used to be the wife of a man who later married another woman with whom he appeared to be living in a state of bliss."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Inheritance Tax.

"Pa, what is an inheritance tax?"

"An inheritance tax, my boy, is the crowd of promoters, real estate agents and mining stock sharks that take up a man's time just as soon as they learn that he has fallen heir to a little money."—Detroit Free Press.

It Would Come.

"I'd like to go away for the rest of the week, sir," said the tired book-keeper.

"There is no need for you to do that," replied the employer. "Stay here, and the rest of the week will come to you."

Her Money Either Way.

Mrs. Knicker—Why do you write home for more money? Mrs. Bocker—If George is having a good time he owes it to me, and if he isn't having a good time he has saved it.—New York Sun

Thought once awakened does not again slumber.—Carlyle

A Homely Courtship

By SUSAN YOUNG PORTER

It was more than half a century ago that stories of the towpath were current. That was when the canal boat was the chief means of transportation in America. At one time they were used as passenger boats. Then, under competition with the railroads, they sank into freighting only, and now they have almost entirely passed away.

In those freighting days a man named Shock drove a mule on the towpath which pulled a boat. Shock was as homely as his name. He had never had a sweetheart, and there was little hope of his ever having one, for whenever a woman looked at him she was appalled.

There was, some three or four hundred yards from the canal, at about the center of Shock's route, a tumble-down house in a small lot, in one corner of which was a pigsty. One day, when Shock was trudging along behind his mule, he saw at an open window in the dilapidated trap a female figure. She was too far off for him to see what she looked like, but she waved something white, which Enoch took to be a tablecloth. Whether she was trying to flirt with him or was shaking the crumbs out of the cloth he could not be sure. Taking a handkerchief from his pocket he returned the wave.

Now, Enoch was cognizant of the fact that he was not beautiful. His hair was a fiery red, his nose was a pug the color of his hair, his teeth were mostly gone. Had it not been for this he might have made bold on his return trip to give his mule a rest and gone to the house awooling. As it was, and since this was the only chance he had ever met, he was wary. He thought it better to make some headway in lovemaking before risking showing the lady his homely person at close proximity. So, instead of stopping when he passed again, having provided himself with a boy's blow gun, he fired a wad of paper at her, which being unrolled revealed the following note:

I seen you at yure winder yistaday and I wood like very much to mak yure acquaintance.

The lady was watching for the boat on its return trip, and when Enoch fired his note at her she saw it fall near her house and, going out, picked it up and read it. But by this time Enoch had gone on his way.

When Enoch passed the house again he saw large letters chalked against the house, which, though it had been originally white, not having been painted in twenty years, was now a dull brown. The letters were plainly visible from the canal, and Enoch read:

I can't see what you look like from yere, but you may be a decent lookin' fellow and if you air you kin come and see me.

This reply was rather a setback to one who knew full well that he was homely as a hedgehog. The communication was brief, and it contained exactly what Enoch would have preferred that it should not contain. The lady evidently was looking for a handsome man. The message convinced him that he was right in not permitting her to see him close by before he had stirred up some sentiment which might lead her to overlook in a measure his homeliness.

Enoch's next love letter was written in lamplack on several boards nailed together and set up on the deck of his canalboat facing the house of his innamorata. It read:

If you air a purty woman I wood be happy to stop over. Hain't got no use fer ugly wimmen.

When Enoch passed the house the next time the blinds were all closed and no living thing was to be seen except a few chickens scratching the dirt in the yard. Enoch was disappointed. It was plain to him that this was intended for a snub. On his next trip he wrote on his boards, "What's up?" To which was chalked the reply "Nothin'."

Enoch reasoned that his lady love had been miffed at his previous communication, thinking that he had accused her of being homely, but, paying thought the matter over, she had seen his note in another light. He began to think that "faint heart never won fair lady" and he might as well face the music one time as another. So he wiped the lamplack off his boards and wrote again:

Ie stop over nex' trip.

When he passed again he was arrayed in a store suit that had cost him \$4. His hair had been greased with a slice of fat, and his boots had been blacked. Stopping his mule—and the boat when it had lost its momentum—he proceeded to the house of his lady love. She had been watching him from a window and opened the door for him.

"Laws a marsey!" was her exclamation.

"By gum!" was Enoch's.

The woman had lost most of the hair on her head, which seemed to have gone to her face. Her nose had developed abnormally under the effect of some skin disease. She was slabsided and angular.

She slammed the door in Enoch's face, who turned and, with a melancholy step, went back to his boat and started on in his interminable journey back and forth. The woman heard nothing from him for several months, nor did he hear from her. Then they fell into a new correspondence which led them on and on till they forgot each other's homeliness and were married.

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PERSONALS.

It is the aim of THE CHRONICLE to publish as many personal and social items as possible...

Mr. Joseph Kreitz visited Baltimore on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Warner and family of Loy's Station, Md., spent Sunday with Mr. William Warner of this place.

Mr. M. L. Creager, of Thurmont, visited Mr. Thomas Hays, on Sunday.

Mr. William Rowe, is visiting his brother, Mr. Charles Rowe, who is attending the University of Maryland...

Prof. S. B. Plummer spent Sunday at his home near Hagerstown, Md.

Mr. William Curlinger, of Baltimore, spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Charles S. Seibert, of Baltimore, visited here one day last week.

Mr. Joseph E. Hoke was in Baltimore on Friday.

Misses Madeline Frailey, Clara M. Rowe, Eva Rowe, Mary Shuff, Anna Rowe and Carrie Rowe attended the Teacher's meeting, at Frederick City on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Hays was in Frederick one day last week.

Messrs. Joseph D. Caldwell, Robert Burdner, Olin Moser, John Wagerman, Thomas E. Frailey, Roy Wagerman, Charles Rider, Brooke Boyle, and John Eylar, were among the visitors from Emmitsburg who viewed the Western Maryland wreck at Pen-Mar Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Myers made a business trip to Gettysburg on Tuesday.

Mr. Edward Rowe visited in Frederick city on Monday.

Miss Clara M. Rowe and William Frailey visited in Sabillasville on Sunday.

Mr. Francis K. Matthews and Miss Milburn, of St. Anthony's, were in Pen Mar on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tresler, of Waynesboro, visited Emmitsburg on Sunday.

Dr. Sefton, of Thurmont, was here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baumgardner, of Frederick, was in Emmitsburg this week.

Mr. R. S. Knode, of Hagerstown, was here on Sunday.

Master Lefevre Kerrigan spent the week end in Baltimore.

Mr. J. L. Johnson, of Frederick, was here on Monday.

Mr. Andrew Stumpf, of Baltimore, spent the past week in Emmitsburg.

Mr. E. Ohler, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ida Gillelan.

Miss Anna Kelly returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. John T. Gillelan visited his mother, Mrs. Ida Gillelan on Sunday.

Miss Fannie Hoke is spending several weeks in Baltimore, visiting her sister Mrs. William Rosensteel and her brother, Mr. Harry Hoke.

Mr. Lawrence Gillelan and daughter, Elizabeth, of Westminster, visited his mother, Mrs. Ida Gillelan on Sunday.

Dr. Newcomer, of Funkstown, was here this week.

Miss Edith Nunemaker returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mr. Homer Hill, of Hanover, spent Wednesday in Emmitsburg.

Mr. Walter Grumbie, of Westminster, spent Wednesday in Emmitsburg.

Mrs. D. E. Stone was in Gettysburg on Monday.

Mrs. George Warthen, was here on Wednesday.

Miss Annie Annan returned from a visit to Baltimore.

Mrs. Meade Patterson and daughter, Lulu are visiting in Philadelphia.

Rev. James H. Neck, of Baltimore, spent Thursday in Emmitsburg.

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WESTERN MARYLAND HAS ANOTHER BIG WRECK

Five Men Dead And Several Injured.—Due To A Misunderstanding of Orders.—Coroner's Jury Blames Three Men.

The second head-on collision on the W. M. Ry. within ten days, at Pen-Mar, occurred at 11.50 o'clock last Friday night.

It was even more destructive of human life than the collision of November 27. Four men were killed, one fatally injured and several hurt more or less severely.

The dead are: J. L. Helbig, Hagerstown; engineer on extra freight going west; smothered in cab of locomotive 757.

William Eichelberger, Hagerstown; conductor on extra west-bound freight; riding in locomotive 757; crushed in cab.

Frank Leiter, Highfield; baggage master, riding in locomotive of passenger train; head crushed, foot and hand crushed.

James McFatin, Billmeyer, Lancaster county, riding in cement car; buried under cement.

Harry Clayton, Hagerstown; fireman on locomotive 757; foot crushed, head and legs scalded; died at 10 a. m., in the Washington county hospital, Hagerstown.

The collision occurred a few yards east of the bridge over the W. M. Ry. track at Pen-Mar.

A train of empty passenger cars going east collided with a heavy freight train going west, through error of some one in connection with the running of the passenger train.

The passenger train was the G. & H. train, which reached Highfield too late to make connection with the main line W. M. train, and then ran into Hagerstown with its passengers.

It started from Hagerstown for Highfield a little before eleven o'clock. It consisted of locomotive 156, a baggage car and two passenger coaches.

The heavy freight train consisted of the huge locomotive 757, back of it four cars of cement, back of these another big locomotive, 610, and in rear of it six cars of cement and fifteen or twenty battleship and other cars.

The trains came together with terrific force. The boiler of the passenger locomotive was jammed into the boiler of the larger freight locomotive for a distance of several feet.

Both engines were wrecked and eight cars littered the tracks, completely blocking traffic on the main line until noon.

Immediately after the crash telegrams called physicians from Waynesboro, Pa., and Hagerstown, Md., to the scene.

They were rushed there on special trains and gave attention to the wounded trainmen. The wounded with the exception of Coleman Cook, were taken with the dead to Waynesboro.

The accident is thought to have been due to a misunderstanding of train orders.

A coroner's jury held an inquest in Waynesboro to inquire into the responsibility for the death of Frank M. Leiter, one of the victims of the W. M. Ry. wreck at Pen-Mar, Friday night, last, completed its work about 10 o'clock Monday night.

The verdict of the jury was as follows: That Frank M. Leiter came to his death on the sixth day of December, 1912, at or near Pen-Mar station, Pa., by means of a head-on collision between extra W. M. freight, No. 757, and extra W. M. passenger No. 157, at or near Pen-Mar station, Pa., on main line of W. M. railroad, due to negligence on the part of Train Dispatcher W. C. Fleigh and Conductors J. W. Butts and J. H. Fauver, and, also, to lax discipline on the part of Western Maryland railroad management.

It is not likely that criminal action against the men named in the verdict will be instituted in Pennsylvania, because there is no suggestion in the finding of the jury of criminal negligence.

The only place you can get a full pint of straight still house whiskey is at Harry A. Hopp's.

Mr. Knode's Belongings Burned.

Mr. J. Harry Knode, formerly of Emmitsburg, was one of the heaviest losers in the recent fire which destroyed several buildings at the Maryland Agricultural College.

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Mr. J. Barry Mahool, President.

Hon. J. Barry Mahool, former Mayor of Baltimore, and widely known in the state, has been elected President of the Associated Boards of Trade of Maryland.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Readings from The CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, December 13, 1912.

Table with 4 columns: Day, 8 A. M., 12 M., 4 P. M. Rows for Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday.

Readings from THE CHRONICLE Standard Thermometer for week ending Friday, Dec. 15, 1911.

Table with 4 columns: Day, 8 A. M., 12 M., 4 P. M. Rows for Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday.

The residence of Mr. Edgar L. Annan is undergoing extensive improvements.

The porch of Mr. Oscar Frailey which has for sometime been under way is now completed.

During the holiday season the faculty of the University of Harney will engage in a pinocle tournament.

There are all kinds of corn—big and little corn, red, white and yellow corn...

On Tuesday afternoon a four horse team belonging to Mr. Jerry Overholtzer took fright at an automobile.

Don't forget Harry A. Hopp sells the beer that won the gold medal.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE WILL TAKE HAND IN THE NEXT PRIMARY

Will Not Wait for Legislature But Will Start Immediately and Not Enter Into Any Deal With Any Party

The Anti-Saloon League announces its intention of taking a hand not only in the election of the next Legislature...

The League announces that it will not enter into any deal with any party, but that if the organization of the Democratic party continues its stupid subservience to the liquor traffic...

The League announces that if the local option bill is beaten this time, regardless of the reason, the League will start at once for state-wide prohibition.

Many of the enthusiastic League supporters are urging the management not to wait two years, but to start for state prohibition this time.

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Mr. Norman M. Parrott, secretary of the Greater Baltimore Committee, was elected Director, vice Mr. G. A. Waterman, resigned.

TWO INTERESTING OLD BIBLES IN EMMITSBURG FAMILIES

One Was Found on the Battlefield at Gettysburg, the Other Saved the Life of Its Owner Who was a Soldier.

There is in the possession of the Ashbaugh family of this place an old bible, about eight inches long and six inches wide which was found by the late Mrs. W. H. Ashbaugh on the battlefield of Gettysburg July 15, 1863.

From this place to the very end of the book there is a large and very distinct blood stain showing that the red life fluid of the reader had soaked through many a page of the treasure tome.

Mrs. Ashbaugh used to tell her children that she found this book on little Round-top and that near the spot where it laid there was the top of a man's skull, still clotted with blood, indicating that a stray shell had taken the soldier's life as he held the open bible in his hand.

The late Jacob Weybright, who was a soldier in the war between the states, carried with him a vest-pocket bible throughout every battle in which he was engaged, and to this book, now in possession of the Weybright family that soldier owed his life.

With the exception of the blood spots throughout the one and the well defined hole made by the bullet in the other, both bibles are in a splendid state of preservation and each is very highly prized by those who possess them now.

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CHURCH NEWS

Regular services in the Emmitsburg Churches are as follows:

CATHOLIC. Mass, Sunday 7 and 10 a. m. Mass, Daily 6 a. m. Vespers, Sunday 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN. Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN. Sunday, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor, 1:45 p. m. Senior " " 6:45 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m. Saturday, Catechetical instruction 2 p. m.

REFORMED. Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday Service, 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST. Sunday School, 1:30 p. m. Service, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.

Satin Finish Candy—20c. Peach Blossoms (peanut center), Walnut Buttercups (walnut center), Chocolate Cups (chocolate center), Orange Gums (orange center), Molasses Bings (cream center).

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R. B. Wood, of Frederick, Appointed. Roger B. Wood, son of Col. J. E. R. Wood, has been appointed assistant United States District Attorney of the Southern district of New York.

First Woman on the Bench. Miss Mary M. Bartelme, for eighteen years public guardian of Cook County, was yesterday inaugurated as Chicago's first woman Judge.

Miss Bartelme was the choice of the Judges of the Circuit Court, which considered several other women lawyers for the position.

ORDER NISI ON AUDIT. No. 8925 EQUITY. In the Circuit Court for Frederick County, sitting in Term.

NOVEMBER TERM, 1912. In the matter of the Auditor's Report filed the 9th day of December, 1912.

J. Henry Rowe, Assignee of Mortgage from John Muth and wife to Eugene L. Rowe, on Petition.

Ordered. That on the 31st day of December, 1912, the Court will proceed to act upon the Report of the Auditor, filed as aforesaid, in the above cause, to finally ratify and confirm the same, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown before said day; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in Frederick County, for two successive weeks prior to said day.

Dated 9th day of December, 1912. HARRY W. BOWERS. Clerk of the Circuit Court for Frederick County.

True copy—Test: HARRY W. BOWERS, Clerk. Eugene L. Rowe, Sol'r. 12-13-3t

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To the Public. I hereby respectfully announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Frederick county, subject to the decision of the voters of the Democratic party, which will be registered in the Primaries to be held in 1913, under the Primary Election Law of Maryland.

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GUY K. MOTTER ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW Will be in Emmitsburg Tuesday of each week from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Office at Public Library Room. Frederick office telephone number 30. June 3-10-17

SHERIFF'S SALE OF Personal Property & Real Estate

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias of the State of Maryland, issued out of the Circuit Court for Frederick County, Maryland, being No. 31 Judicials, September Term, 1912, at the suit of The Emmitsburg Savings Bank of Frederick County, Maryland, a body corporate, and for officers fees, against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements, rights and credits of J. F. Winegardner and A. S. Winegardner, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into execution all the rights, title, claim, interest and estate, both at law and in Equity, of J. F. Winegardner and A. S. Winegardner, in and to the following personal property and real estate, to-wit:

1st. Personal Property—about 42 doz. blank books, 1 large writing desk, 1 phone and wires attached, 1 can half full of lard, 1 stand, lot of dishes and pots, 1 bed and bedding.

2nd. All that lot or parcel of land situated, lying and being about one mile West of the town of Emmitsburg, and in the 5th Election District of Frederick County, Maryland, and being the same lot or parcel of land which was conveyed to Jacob F. Winegardner and Amanda S. Winegardner by Joseph D. Caldwell assignee of Mortgage, etc. by a deed bearing date the 4th day of April, 1902, and recorded in Liber D. H. H. No. 15, folio No. 32, one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

3rd. All that tract or lot of ground situated, lying and being about one and one-half miles West of the town of Emmitsburg, and in the 5th Election District of Frederick County, Maryland, with the improvements thereon, and adjoining the lands of Robert Kreitz and others, and being the same tract or lot of ground that was conveyed unto the said Jacob F. Winegardner and Amanda S. Winegardner by Susan S. Shockey by a deed bearing date March 5th, 1906, and recorded in Liber S. T. H. No. 274, folio No. 213, one of the Land Records of Frederick County, Maryland.

And I hereby give notice that on Saturday, December 14th, 1912, at 2 o'clock, P. M. I will sell at The Emmit House in Emmitsburg, Frederick County, Maryland, the personal property and real estate so seized and taken in execution at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash.

CHARLES T. FAGAN, Sheriff.

EMMITSBURG GRAIN ELEVATOR BOYLE BROS. —DEALERS IN— Hay, Corn, Oats, Rye, Bran, Chop, Clover and Timothy Seed, Chicken Feed, Horse and Cattle Powder, Maryland Portland Cement, Terra Cotta Pipe. A Full Line of MACHINERY And Repairs for same. Coal in all Sizes. Call and get our Prices before you buy. BOYLE BROS. Apr. 2-09

You may be "bruised up" by your enemies until you swell as to the jaws, But who ever heard of anybody even being scratched by "Santa Claus." Say Christmas is almost here and MATTHEWS BROS. know it too. All kinds of Candy, from the "Appreciated Johnston's" down. Special Mixtures for Schools and Churches at very reasonable prices. dec 1-17r.

DR. C. L. KEFAUVER, OPTOMETRIST FREDERICK, MD. Will be in EMMITSBURG, MD., at "SLAGLE HOTEL" Second Thursday of Each Month. NEXT VISIT THURSDAY, JANUARY 9th, 1913.

GRACEHAM

Mrs. John Joy and daughter, Mrs. Clyde Young and Mrs. Benjamin Keilholtz attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Summers, at Middletown, Saturday.

Miss Jonie Welty, of Frederick, visited Mrs. Jennie Colliflower for several days.

Mr. Elmer Colliflower and son, Lloyd, of Hagerstown, spent a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Colliflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colliflower and family attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Miller, near Friends Creek, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Six and son, of near Detour, spent Sunday afternoon with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jago Colliflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Martin and daughter, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert, of Frederick.

The Ladies Aid Society held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Emma Firor on Saturday afternoon and decided to hold their oyster supper on New Year's eve at the parsonage. Their next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clarence Colliflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Saylor, spent Tuesday evening with their uncle, Mr. Frank Colliflower.

The Sunday School is practicing for Xmas. They will hold their Xmas entertainment on Xmas night. Exercise entitled, "The Promised Messiah."

Mr. A. M. Saylor is confined to the house.

10c a Pound, For Xmas. Cream Dates 10c, Coconut Bon Bons 10c, Peanut Brittle 10c, Ice Cream Taffy 10c, Burnt Peanut 10c, Caramels 10c. Twenty other kinds for 10c a pound. McCARDELL'S 120 N. Market St. Frederick, Md.

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WHEAT:—spot, @.98 1/2; CORN:—spot, @.53 1/2; OATS:—White, @.83 1/2; RYE:—Nearby, \$.65@72 c. by lots, 14 @.65; HAY:—Timothy, \$19.00 @ \$19.50; No. 1 Clover \$15.50 @ \$16.00; No. 2 Clover, \$10.00 @ \$12.00; STRAW:—Rye straw—fair to choice, @ \$13.50; No. 2, \$17.00 @ \$17.50; tangled rye blocks \$11.00; No. 1 wheat blocks, \$8.00 @ \$8.50; oats \$9.00 @ \$10.00.

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ACROSS THE LINE

Gettysburg—Miss Katharine Duncan has returned from a visit with friends in Knoxville, Tenn.

Miss Annie O'Neal is visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Milton Lough, of Charleston, Mo.; Mrs. Anna Diehl and Mrs. Frank Strauser, of Columbus, O., visited at the home of Mr. James Ross.

Mr. Dorsey Weikert has gone to Lancaster to attend the Pennsylvania Business College.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Alleman and son were recent visitors with relatives in Lancaster.

E. H. Sincell, Esq., of Oakland, Md., spent several days last week with his sons, who are students at college.

William Duncan, of Eureka Springs, is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Caroline Bream spent several days last week in Hanover.

Rev. and Mrs. R. R. Rudolph, of Lemoine, and Mrs. H. S. Carter, of Portland, Oregon, were visitors in this place for several days.

Corporal Martin Hanna, of the U. S. Mine Planter "Schofield," spent several days recently with Mr. Maurice Ridinger.

Miss Zita Ramer has returned to her home after a visit of several months in Ocean City.

Fairfield—Rev. W. S. Hartzell, late of Keedysville, Md., will be installed as pastor of the Reformed Church, this place, on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 17th, at one o'clock. All are invited to this service.

Mr. Geo. W. McGlaughlin killed a hog which weighed 418 pounds. Mr. Maurice Sheffer killed one which weighed 513 pounds.

Mrs. Clara Stafford and son, Howard, of Hiawatha, Kan., are visiting Mr. R. J. Sanders and family.

The Lutheran Mite Society held a successful food sale at the home of Mrs. M. Herring last Saturday afternoon and evening.

Misses Clara and Josephine Reindollar are visiting in Philadelphia. Mr. Eugene Reindollar has returned to Michigan. The funeral services of Amos Trimmer, of Hanover, were held in the Lutheran Church on Wednesday morning. Mr. Trimmer had been a sufferer with tuberculosis for some time. He is survived by a widow and three children. The band is holding a bazaar in the Opera House this week. The Tuesday Club, which last May presented "Brass Buttons," is now rehearsing "Kleptomaniacs," which will be held on Jan. 2nd or 3rd, for the benefit of the entertainment course and some charitable work they are interested in. The last number of the entertainment course was the best so far. Totten, the magician, was splendid. Dr. C. T. Sappington is in town.

MARKET REPORTS. The following market quotations, which are corrected every Thursday morning, are subject to daily changes. EMMITSBURG, Dec. 13. Corrected by Jos. E. Hoke. Butter 22 Eggs 28 Chickens, per D. 10 Spring Chickens per D. 17 Turkeys per D. 17 Ducks, per D. @ 10 Potatoes, per bushel 50 Dried Cherries, (seeded) 10 Raspberries 16 Blackberries 4 Apples, (dried) 8 1/2 Lard, per D. 8 1/2 Beef Hides 10 @ 11

LIVE STOCK. Corrected by Patterson Brothers. Steers, per 100, D. 6.00 @ 7.0 Butcher Hefers @ 5 1/2 Fresh Cows 20.00 @ 25.00 Fat Cows per D. 3 @ 5 Bulls, per lb. 4 @ 5 Hogs, Fat per D. 8 1/2 @ 9 Sheep, Fat per D. 2 @ 3 Spring Lambs 5 @ 6 Calves, per D. 7 1/2 @ 8 1/2 Stock Cattle 4 1/2 @ 6

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News From County Seat.

IN THE COURTS. MARRIAGE LICENSES. Richard F. Best, age 21, and Iva Jane Smith, aged 19, both of near Dickerson.

Glenn R. Crum, 25, of Mt. Pleasant, and Grace E. Wachter, 22, of Frederick.

Jessie Samuel King, 20, of Frederick, and Lena Naomi Lambert, 18, of Feagaville.

William J. Walker, 30, of Frederick, and Lillie Ellen Herd, 20, of Middletown, both colored.

John P. Ambush, 22 near Della, and May L. Onley, 19, of Dickerson, both colored.

ORPHANS' COURT. Report of sales of personal property in the estate of Wm. H. Berry, deceased, filed.

Report of sales of personal property in the estate of Daniel J. Manahan, deceased, filed.

First and final account of Charles H. Young, administrator of William R. Young deceased, filed.

Letters testamentary on the estate of William Hall, deceased granted to William Brown.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. Shank, deceased, granted to Carlton P. Shank.

Letters of administration on the estate of John J. Lenhart, deceased, granted to Sarah Lenhart.

Inventories of personal property, debts due and current money in the estate of Rebecca Ellen Blake filed.

Inventories of personal property stocks and bonds, debts due and current money in the estate of Harriet A. Rinehart, deceased, filed.

Court's order to sell personal property in the estate of Elenor Byers, deceased, filed.

The third and final account of Elmer E. Ralmer, guardian to Ethel E. Ralmer, filed.

First and final account of Ella V. Thrasher, administratrix, of William J. Thrasher, deceased, filed.

Court's order to sell the real estate of Anne E. Thomas, deceased.

PROPERTY DECEASED. Henry J. Hoke and wife to George P. Stouter and wife, 22 acres, 3 roods and 16 perches, \$1,691.

Dora M. Repp, et al., to Claude Bohn, real estate in county, \$10, etc.

Mry K. Roddy, et al., to Effie A. Riggs, real estate in county, \$5.

Susan R. Castle, (widow,) to Edgar Castle and wife, real estate in Middletown \$5.

Marshall A. Gaugh and wife to Ernest R. Powell, right of way, \$25.

Samuel L. Green, et al., to Evers W. Schroyer and wife, real estate in county, \$115.

Evers W. Schroyer and wife to Marshall H. Warrenfeltz, real estate in county, \$90.

Marshall H. Warrenfeltz and wife to Franklin E. Bruner and wife, real estate in county, \$575.

Grayson H. Staley and wife to Olive S. McGraw, real estate in county, \$10.

Manzella A. Duffin to William O. Duffin, real estate in county, \$10.

Frans Anna Lohr and husband to Marice J. Albaugh, real estate in county, \$6237.

Chas. F. Macklin and wife to Frank C. Beachley, real estate in county, \$245.

Chas. F. Macklin and wife to Harry K. Beachley, real estate in county, \$245.

MIDDLEBURG.

Mr. David Mackley is still on the sick list, with but slight improvement. Mrs. Charles Angell spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. James Angell, of Rocky Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Krise, of Appold's, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Devilbiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKinney visited their daughter in Waynesboro on Sunday.

Work on the State road has been abandoned for the winter.

Mrs. Daniel Bane, who was quite ill the past week, is out again.

The stork left a ten-pound boy at the home of Mr. George Delphey Monday morning.

The M. E. Sunday School will hold their Christmas exercises on Tuesday evening, December 24th.

Xmas Fruit. Oranges, Grapes, Dates, Figs and Nuts. McCARDELL'S 120 N. Market St. Frederick, Md.

LOYS AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Martin and children, of Highland Mills, Md., spent Tuesday with friends in this place.

Mrs. George W. Pittenger and son Harvey M. visited in Rocky Ridge on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoffman were serenaded by the Loy's band on Saturday evening.

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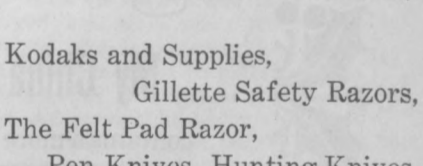
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An old politician whose tendencies were toward the teachings of prohibitionists tells how he accidentally spoiled the effect of a plea he was making against the liquor traffic before an outdoor audience in the northern part of Indiana. By the time he had made out the notes for his speech he had reached a point of view that boded ill for King Rum, and when he began speaking from them his imagination expanded and his language fairly scintillated with firebrands hurled at the traffic. In the midst of it, while paying his special respects to those who helped the traffic along by their lenience toward it, a series of malevolent breezes tried to carry off the loose leaves of his manuscript. To stop the annoyance he opened up his pocketknife and pinned the pages to the pine board before him. He pinned them with such a vigorous jolt that a big corkscrew with which the other end of the knife was equipped flopped open and stood up shamelessly before all those temperance people.

"I have always felt," the orator went on to say, "that the impression I made on that crowd was not commensurate with the beauty of my effort."—Indianapolis News.

First Drop Curtain Sign.

It is very seldom nowadays that we catch a glimpse of advertising signs on the drop curtains of any New York production, and yet time was when this method of advertising was a source of revenue to the manager, and curtains were literally covered with signs. It is related that one of the foremost producers along Broadway some twenty-five years ago, while putting on a big musical play, discovered that his funds were running low and he was unable to raise a loan. One of the scenes in the play represented Union square, at that time the first class retail center of New York city. He had an idea. He went to merchants whose places of business were on Union square and proposed to show their stores in his scene and with their signs plainly in sight, which would be a good ad. The suggestion was readily accepted, and the producer got all the money he required for bringing out his play and a great deal more.—New York Telegraph.

Making Dolls.

The assembling by German dollmakers of the different parts of the dolls is often very complicated. The best jointed dolls have stout elastic cords on the inside, to which the movable parts are attached. A special branch of the industry is devoted to the making of dresses and hats. The latest Parisian styles are copied in dressing the larger sized dolls, and the creations turned out compare very favorably in manufacture with the original.

Lively Wedding Gifts.

No one ever received a more curious consignment of wedding presents than the famous lion trainer Bidel. "We spent our honeymoon at Lyons," he once told a friend, "and we had some queer presents from the ordinary point of view, as all my friends were anxious to give 'something useful.' Among other gifts were three box constrictors and five alligators. I shall never forget how annoyed I was and how frightened my wife was when during the night two of the alligators broke out of their boxes in our bedroom and began exploring. I could not find the matches, and my wife and I remained on top of the bed canopy till morning. Luckily my wife did not think of the thing that was worrying me. I was dead afraid that the alligators would waken up the box constrictors."

Died For His Mate.

There is a tablet in the sailors' home at Melbourne to James Marr. He was a sailor before the mast on the Rip. On July 15, 1873, the Rip was caught in a squall. Marr sat astride of the gaff when a great wave broke over the boat and brought down the mainmast. There was only one chance to save the Rip. That was to cut away the litter. But Marr clung to the broken spar, and to cut away meant to send him overboard to his death. So, looking at him doubtfully, the men hesitated, their axes in their hands. Marr, helpless, pondered. He saw that his death would be the boat's salvation, and he shouted: "Cut away, mates! Goodbye!" Then he let himself fall into the cold wild sea.

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"Johnny," said Mrs. Bobbs severely, "I am going to punish you. Please open the windows."
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Different.

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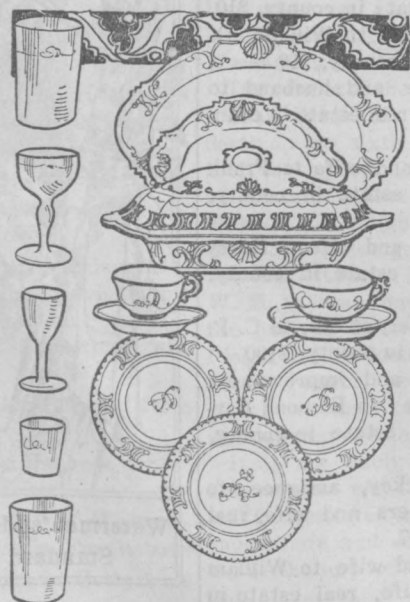
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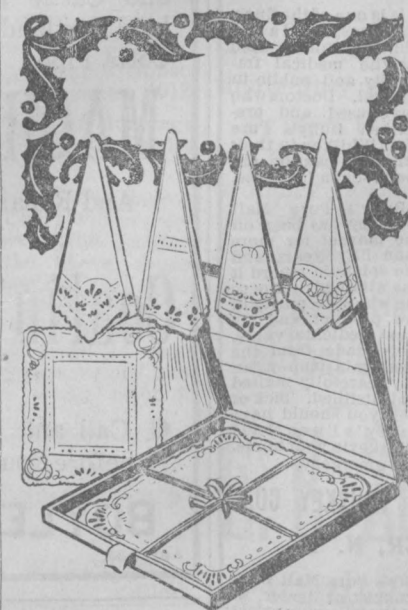
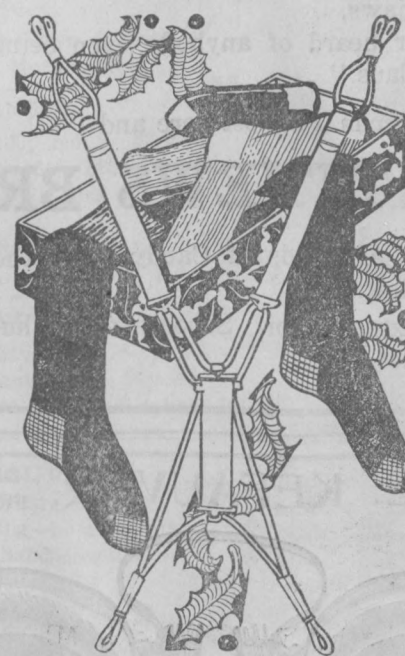
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