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With my tears;
And the old house, standing still on the old ground
There I found
In the parlor, in my fancy, I could trace
Father's face;
And my mother, with her old accustomed air,
Sitting there;
While beside them, brothers, sisters, true and good,
Silent stood.
Through the stillness swarms the sun of summer bird,
And there stirred
On the wall the leaf-flecked sunshine; and its glow
Faded slow;
But from all the loving lips I watched around—
Not a sound.
Then I went up stairs, slow entering 'mid their glooms,
All the rooms;
And I trod with softening step along the floor;
Opened doors;
But I never heard a voice or met a soul
In the whole.
Of the breath that stirred the draperies to and fro
Long ago;
Of the eyes that through the casement used to peep
Out of sleep;
Of the feet in these chambers used to run—
Now are none.
Of the sunshine pouring downward from the sky,
Blue and high;
Of the leafage and the ancient garden plot,
Brown and hot;
Of the streamlet and the shingle, and the tide—
These abide.
But beyond its azures vaulting overhead
Are my dead;
Though their graves were dug apart in many lands,
Joining hands,
They have gathered and are waiting till I come.
This is home.

The Phantom Rider.

It was on a cold, blustering, December night, that my Uncle Jolly Longshore and I were seated before a blazing wood fire, in the best room of his most comfortable farm-house, in the valley of the Wissahickon. The snow without was falling fast, and anon drifted in masses against the window panes, while the wind sighed and moaned through the trees, and the old oaks shorn of their foliage, bent their gnarled limbs, and creaked and groaned before the power of the wintry blast.

"It is on just such a night as this," my uncle began, "that the Phantom Horseman rides."

"The Phantom Horseman?" rejoined I, my curiosity becoming excited, for I knew that my uncle, who was gifted in ghostly lore, could give me some wild tale or legendary story.

"Yea," he replied, "and if you would like to hear the legend, I shall be pleased to give you an account of it."

"It would afford me much pleasure."

My Uncle Jolly put his pipe on the table, drew his chair closer to the fire, buttoned his coat over his fine form, coughed slightly once or twice, as though to collect his thoughts, and began:

"You may remember, that shortly after the Battle of Germantown, a portion of the American army retreated into the adjoining county of Montgomery, and encamped near the site of the farm of 'The Cedars.' On the march they had taken one prisoner, whom, overcome by fatigue and the loss of blood (for he had been wounded in the action), they found in an insensible condition along the roadside. He was treated with great attention during the march, and when the troops halted, he was conveyed to 'Dryburn,' whose noble and patriotic inmates were widely known, as well for their hospitality as for their devotion to the cause of American liberty.

"Treated with great kindness, and receiving the particular care of Miss Alice Wayland, the lovely daughter of his host, need I say that in a short time he recovered entirely from his wounds. But, perhaps, you would like for me to give you a more extended description of Miss Alice, as she is destined to be a prominent character in my story."

"I suppose she was an——" began I.

"An angel," he replied, with enthusiasm. "Ay, an angel; fair as a lily; her beautiful, light brown hair curled in soft ringlets around her cherub face, while beneath her pencilled brows lurked eyes of exquisite beauty—eyes of the deepest and loveliest hue—eyes that beamed upon you with a holy, pure radiance, which I never saw surpassed."

"My dear uncle," said I, "one would have supposed you loved her yourself."

"No, no," he replied, "but the description I have given is of one whom I once knew and loved—oh! so well. God bless her! Though no matter now—it is over, it is over."

A large tear gathered in the old man's eye, and trickled slowly down his furrowed cheek; he wiped aside this symptom of weakness, but it was some moments before he began again.

"Marston Trevore was a Hessian of noble birth, who had enlisted in the British army a short time before, from a mistaken idea of the cause he was about to war against. His first engagement, you have seen, was disastrous to him, and now, having recovered from its effects, he resolved to enter the ranks of the American army, in common with many others of his countrymen; and after this resolution, he entered the camp, explaining his situation and feelings, and was rewarded by receiving a commission of lieutenancy.

"At the request of Major Wayland, the proprietor of 'Dryburn,' he consented to take up his quarters with him, while the party encamped in the neighborhood. It was not long before the artless simplicity and lovely manners of his host's daughter were evidently making a great impression upon his heart. The charms of Alice Wayland could not fail to create feelings of admiration and love in a heart much less susceptible to female attractions than that of Marston Trevore. But he soon found that, in his case, love's course was not destined to run smooth, as a rival was ushered upon the scene, in the shape of one whose only reputation consisted in being a professed duelist, and possessing great wealth, suing for the hand of the fair Alice, who was entreated, almost commanded, by her parents to accept his proposals, and who represented to her that Trevore was a stranger, of whom she knew nothing, whereas her present lover stood high in the ranks of the American army, and who had never made any serious overtures for her hand—his was accepted, but with the assurance that her heart never could be his. The parents appointed an early day for the marriage, as, in those stormy times, it was impossible to know when a regiment might be ordered to some distant post.

"The tidings of the betrothal fell like a death-blow upon the hopes of Marston Trevore. He left Dryburn with scarcely a moment's notice, and repairing instantly to camp, entered the tent of Colonel Boydton, his commander and successful rival, and desired a commission for his regiment, as it was his wish to join the main army.

"'What is your hurry, Trevore?' said the Colonel, in a sneering tone, for he was aware that he was addressing a disappointed suitor; you probably know that I am to be married in a few days, and I expect, of course, to see my gallant lieutenant at the wedding."

"This was too much for human forbearance. Trevore seized a wine glass from the table, and hurled it full in the face of his commander, who, bending his head in time to avoid the blow, drew his sword, and rushed upon Trevore, who stood prepared to meet him. The clash of their weapons, as they came together, was heard without; and several soldiers, entered the tent, disarmed the combatants. When he recovered his breath, Boydton shouted:

"Trevore, you shall suffer for this! Go, I will communicate with you in a short time."

"Trevore retired to his own tent, and it was not long before he received a note, sighed by Colonel Boydton, requesting a secret meeting on that day week, 'my wedding day,' as he said. The weapons were to be pistols. I need not say any more than that the challenge was accepted.

"'The days rolled on. The appointed time, 5 o'clock in the morning, found the adversaries at the place of meeting. It was a calm lovely summer's morning, seemingly little fitted for deeds of blood. But little time was spent in measuring the distance; and, in a few moments, the rivals stood face to face.

"'Make your peace with God, Trevore,' said Boydton; for you will not live beyond another hour. Look above."

A crow was flying along, high over head; Boydton raised his pistol, and fired; the bird fell directly between them.

"'See you that?' said he; 'now, can you doubt the correctness of my aim?'

"The dying bird flapped its wing against the foot of Trevore, as he replied: 'Fool, I doubt it not—life or death is of little moment to me.'"

They raised their pistols, and fired at the same moment. When the smoke cleared away, Boydton was standing unhurt, while Trevore had fallen, shot through the head. As Boydton approached him, he roused himself; his eyes slowly opened; and, recognizing his enemy, he uttered the words: 'Beware! beware! *Death shall form no barrier to my revenge!*' The rattle sounded in his throat, and he fell back, dead! Boydton drew his sword, and, with fiendish barbarism, severed his head from its body, and, tossing it aside, hurriedly left the place.

"In Dryburn, pleasure ran high; for it was night when Alice, the favorite daughter of the proprietor, was to be wed. The designated time had come round; the visitors had assembled, the priest was there; but still the groom came not. The wind without had increased to a gale, and was now raging fearfully. Peal on peal of thunder reverberated along the distant hills, while lurid flashes of lightning revealed a scene of wild desolation. The hours wore slowly on, till the large clock in the hall tolled the hour of midnight, when a horse's hoofs were heard clattering along the road, until the sound ceased in front of the mansion. The door was opened. Assisted by the servants, the rider, (who could be no other than the groom) alighted from his horse and entered the house. He took notice of none, but walking straight up to the bride, threw off the covering which had enveloped and concealed his whole form, and caught her in his arms. She screamed wildly, and fell back fainting. The guests shrunk back aghast, for they saw that he was headless! A hollow, sepulchral voice was heard, as though from the horse without, and the fury of the storm seemed to be stayed while it spoke:

"I have come to claim my bride—separated on earth, we shall live together in the grave!"

"He paused not; but, bearing the senseless bride in his arms, dashed over the door-way, sprang on his horse, and rode furiously away. It only remains for me to say, that the next morning Colonel Boydton was found dead in his tent, with two purple marks upon his throat.

"My story is over now. Popular tradition has it, that to this present time, on wild stormy nights, at the hour of twelve, a headless horseman, carrying his head before him on his saddle bow, may be thundering through the camp woods while, with the clatter of his horse's hoofs, a woman's shriek is heard, mingling with the sighing of the gale."

An Eccentric Judge.

It was one of Chief Justice Oliver Ellsworth's striking peculiarities that he was most of the time entirely absorbed, no matter where he was, in thinking upon some great subject, and generally upon subjects pertaining to the welfare of the nation and the general government. The peculiarity of course often led to absent-mindedness. There was a young man engaged in teaching a school in Judge Ellsworth's vicinity, by the name of Avery, to whom the Judge wished to show some proper attention, and so he invited him to call upon him and his family. Mr. Avery accordingly came one evening, and was ushered into the parlor where the family were seated before the fire, the Judge himself sitting in front, and deeply absorbed in his own meditations and talking away in a low voice to himself. The other members of the family arose, and greeted Mr. Avery as he came came in, while the Judge never even noticed that any one had entered the room, but went on for a considerable time, thinking audible thoughts. After Mr. Avery had been engaged for some time in conversation with the other members of the family and was beginning to feel quite at ease, the judge happened to look up and espied him for the first time, and supposing he had just come in, he arose and greeted him very cordially and began to introduce him to the other members of the family. A man absorbed as he was with public cares would not be apt to make undue account of table indulgences. His eating seemed to be regarded as a means of enabling him to continue his working and thinking; and the latter, indeed, was not often interfered with by his meals. When the table was ready and he had been summoned, he generally came without delay, saying, as he moved toward the table for the purpose of expediting matters, "Who eats! who eats!" Very little talking was done at the table. The head of the family was so busy with his thoughts that the other members felt little disposition to break their current.

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Fooling the Peddler.

Father, mother and Sarah Jane started for the city, leaving me to keep house along with Jake the hired man. But they hadn't more then gotten out of the gate before Jake bribed me with candy and peanuts not to tell if he went down to the Corners to a horse race. "I'll be back long before night," says he: "Bill Jenkins can come over and stay with you, an' you'll have a jolly good time!" I said. "I wouldn't think of telling," and persuaded him he ought to go, for I quite enjoyed the prospect of having things to myself; so he got ready and went for Bill.

Oh, what a time we had that day! We got saucers and spoons, went down cellar and cleared out half of mother's peach perserves. We tried on Sarah Jane's best clothes and tore the ruffle half off her new lawn dress. We played horse in the parlor; tipped over the lamp, and the oil ran out on the carpet and made a great grease spot. This rather frightened me at first, but I soon formed a plan of escape by shutting the old cat in the room and declaring solemnly when they got back, "that I hadn't been near that room all day; and that Tom must have followed Sarah Jane in when she went to get her hat." (I never owned a hatchet.) But about three o'clock Bill and I began to get tired. We went and hung on the big gate and looked down the road to see if the folks were coming. No folks; but instead we could see way down by Deacon Spicklers', a peddler's cart.

"There comes a peddler," shouted Bill; "hain't there nothing we can sell and git the money and buy fish lines, and tops an' lots of other things with?"

"I dunno," said I, quite struck with the idea.

"Well, I know somethin'."—Bill lowered his voice considerably—"it's eggs!"

"We hain't got none, marm has sot all the hens."

"Can't we take them, what's under the hens?"

"Then we won't have no chickens."

"What you care for that?" says Bill, "May be they wouldn't live if they were hatched. I was a readin' somewhere they 'spected a demiky among chickens this year."

"But Bill," says I, "they won't be good, they've bin sot on too long."

"Oh pshaw! that don't make no difference; you can fool a peddler as easy as you can a boot jack. Come les get 'em?"

I procured a basket and we started for the barn. Bill pulled the hens off by the tail, while I robbed the nests. They didn't seem to enjoy it much, but we left one egg and they went back contented.

We got six dozen, robbed every hen. Some of them looked soiled a trifle, so Bill proposed "we wash them in the hog trough."

I made a tour to the house, secured the dishcloth and wiping towel. We proceeded to do things up in style. After we had got them all washed and wiped and packed in the basket, they looked real nice. We put the poorest ones to the bottom. I carried the dishcloth and towel back, laid one on the chair and hung the other on the peg just as I had found them, (they never mistrusted where those articles had been,) then we went down by the gate and waited until the peddler came along."

"Yer marm got anything to sell?" he inquired.

"She's gone away," said Bill, "but she telled us, if one of you came along, to sell you these," holding up the basket, "if you'd give us a good price for 'em. They're fresh laid yesterday."

"I'll give you ten cents a dozen," said he.

"Wal," said Bill, meditatively, "you can have 'em for that, basket an' all."

He paid out sixty cents and drove on.

"What made you let him have the basket, Bill?" I asked.

"Because I was afeared if he took 'em out they'd pop some on 'em looked as if they was jest a gwine to."

"Marm will want to know where it's gone to."

"Oh tell her," said Bill, "that you just sot it down, when a boy runned out from behind the smoke-house and grabbed it, and that you run after him, but couldn't catch him. She won't know the difference."

"Sarah Jane will be whopping mad about her lawn dress we tored, Bill."

"Tell her you seed Sam Ford step on it the day of the picnic, with your own eyes. I guess that'll fix her." (Sam Ford was Sarah Jane's beau.)

"But what about the preserves?"

"Say you hain't never been near the jar! didn't know where 'twas.

"Supposin' they should look under the hens?"

"Say you saw rats a sucking the eggs."

These stories were all swallowed, for only a few days afterwards I overheard "marm" telling Mrs. Sliver "her Jim was a very truthful boy."

P. S.—Bill and I went to the corners the next week and bought a kite, some fish-lines, and lots of candy.

Miley Hann's Bear Story.

"One day," remarked Miley, "a long time ago, about the time when Jackson ran for President the first time, perhaps, I was one day hunting up on the ridge between Meadow Run and Cucumber Run, which tumbles off the rocks just there. I had known for some time by the signs that there was a nest of cub bears somewhere in the neighborhood, so on that day I concluded that I would put in my time finding them, as a party up in Uniontown wanted a pair to send over in Baltimore to a friend who was fond of outlandish pets. You see it was along about the first of September, and pretty warm at that, and after walking up and down the ravines I began to feel pretty tired. I was not so heavy then as I am now, and did not weigh more than a couple hundred pounds. As I said, I was a little tired, and so up on top of the ridge I sat down by the side of a smooth chestnut stump about twelve or fourteen feet high. I hadn't sat there more than a minute until I heard something inside the stump, and soon made out that it was a couple of cub bears playing with one another. I looked on all sides of the stump to find an opening, but none was to be seen. Then I happened to notice the marks of claws up the side of the stump, and I understood it. The hole went in at the top. I sat my gun against a bush, unended the branch of a tree, and was soon on the top of the stump looking in at the two cubs, which were about the size of full-grown rat dogs. I was so excited that I jumbed down into the stump and grabbed the cubs. They first began to squeal, and then turned on me for fight. But they were small enough to handle, and in a minute or two I had their mouths tied so that they could not bite, and their feet fastened so that they could not scratch. I knew that the old bear would be along pretty soon and make it hot for me, if she found me in the nest, so I swung the youngters into my buckskin belt preparatory to getting out.

"Got out?" Did I get out? Land of love, it makes me shiver to think of it. I could not even get out of that stump then! could fly. The hollow was bell shaped, larger at the bottom than at the top—so large in fact, that I could not put my back against one side and my feet and hands against the other and crawl up as rabbits and other animals climb up inside of hollow trees. In no way could I get up a foot. There were no sticks inside to help me up and I made up my mind I had to die certain. About the time I came to this conclusion, I heard the old bear climbing up the out side of the stump. With only my hunting knife as a means of defense, and in such close quarters, you may possibly imagine the state of my feelings. The old bear was not more that half a minute, at the outside, climbing up the stump, but it seemed like a month at least. I thought of all my sins a dozen times at least. At last she reached the top, but she didn't seem to suspect my presence at all, as she deliberately turned around and began slowly descending tail foremost. I felt as though my last hour had come, and began seriously to think about lying down and letting the bear kill me, so as to get out of my misery as quickly as possible. Suddenly an idea struck me, and despair gave way to hope. I drew my hunting knife and stood on tip-toe. When the bear was about seven feet from the bottom of the hollow I fastened on her tail with my left hand with a vice-like grasp, and with my right drove my hunting-knife to the hilt into her haunch, at the same time yelling like a whole tribe of Indians." "What did she do?" chorused the whole crowd, who had been holding their breath. "What did she do? Well you should have seen the performance. She didn't stop to reflect a moment, but shot out at the top of the stump like a bullet out of a gun. A keg of powder wouldn't have hurried her a half a breadth to the minute. I held on until we struck the ground, some thirty feet from the stump. Then the old bear went like lightning into the brush, and was out of sight in half a second. I was a little bruised by the fall, but that was all. I took the cubs to Uniontown the next day, and on account of the adventure I got five dollars apiece for them, and in those times five dollars was as good as fifty dollars now."

A French Lower-Class Wedding.

Did you ever witness a wedding at a mairie in Paris? If not, go some Saturday, for that is the day which, though never chosen by fashionable people, seems to be set apart specially for the class who labor, exist by the fruits of their labor, and have no time to lose. They have Sunday to faire la noce, and on Monday they put themselves once more at work. About 11 A. M., generally, the finances, their relatives, and their witnesses all meet together. Some of the company have brought with them their children dressed in new clothes for the grand occasion, frizzed, pomaded, and "got up regardless" in honor of the festive event. The garcons de noce are blooming in appearance, the intended husband and wife are critically inspected by all the company. They try, therefore, to put on an air of modest indifference, and, naturally enough, do not make much of a success of it. M le maire, or his adjoint, has arrived. He puts on the tri-colored scarf across his breast diagonally, which glorious scarf, in the eyes of the people, confers on him alone the power of pronouncing the magic words whose effects no human power can ever break. He takes in his hands a little book bound in red morocco, gives a glance at the mirror in order to assure himself that his cravat is correctly tied, and walks forward to the pretoire, where a low platform supporting a mahogany stand represents the tribunal of indissoluble union. A servant playing the rple of huissier announces M le maire. He enters. All rise up. He seats himself. Everybody does the same. Whatever be the season, however cold it may be, the doors always stand wide open, for the act of marriage is essentially public. A greffier (or recorder) is seated before a pulpit-like desk with a register before him, which big book resembles a huge ledger in a counting-room. A name is called. Then advance to the little platform the fiances, the relatives, the witnesses; they arrange themselves in front of the maire in some red velvet arm-chairs, which remind one of the orchestra stalls in our theaters. The greffier reads the commencement of the marriage act. Then the maire, calling the candidates for matrimony by name asks of them each individually if they consent to take the other as spouse. Their response must be made clearly and loudly in such a manner as to be distinctly heard by all present. If there are present the progenitors of the couple, the maire asks them if they give their consent to the marriage of their children. Then if granted, he opens the little red book, reads article 212, 213, 214 of the Code Civil, relative to the rights and duties of the spouses, terminating with article 526, which says: "The wife may make a will without the authorization of her husband." The ones who most often accept this permission are, so it is said Hebrews. The maire then declares the couple "united in marriage." The greffier resuming his reading, finishes it; the temoins, the relatives, and the married couple are invited to sign the record of the cermony written down upon the great register of the Etat Civil. The garcon de bureau brawls out: "Don't forget the poor, s'l vous plait," and each one in passing out drops a small coin in the poor-box on the table.

A Captive Note.

Not long ago, a well known collector of curiosities in Paris, who had devoted considerable sums of money to the gathering together of bank notes of all countries and all values, became the possessor of a "Bank of England five pound note," to which an unusually strange story was attached. The note was paid into a Liverpool merchant's office in the way of business sixty-one years ago, and its recipient, the cashier of the firm, while holding it up to test its genuineness, noticed some red marks upon it, which proved on closer examination to be semi-effaced words, scrawled in blood, between the printed lines and upon the blank margin of the bill. Extraordinary pains were taken to decipher these partly obliterated characters, and eventually the following sentence was made out: "If this note should fall into the hands of John Dean, of Long Hill, near Carlisle, he will hereby learn that his brother is languishing a prisoner in Algiers." Mr. Dean was promptly communicated with by the holder of the note, and he appealed to the government of the day for assistance in his endeavors to obtain his brother's release from captivity. The prisoner, who, as it subsequently appeared, had traced the above lines upon the note with a splinter of wood and his old blood, had been a slave in the city of Algiers for eleven years. The strange missive first attracted the notice of a Liverpool counting-house, and acquaintances had long given him up for dead. Eventually his brother, with the aid of the British authorities at Mediterranean, succeeded in obtaining his release from the Dey and returned to England, where he died shortly after his release, his constitution being completely ruined by the cruel treatment he had undergone during his long captivity.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1880.

The public debt of the United States was decreased during the month of May to the amount of $15,928,033 97.

The Democrat politicians will now begin to make up their slates, preparatory to the Cincinnati Convention.

The Democratic organs don't bubble with enthusiasm over David Davis's platform. In fact they affect a spontaneous ignorance of it.

The fruit crop, in most of the counties in the northern part of the State is looking very well. The pear crop will be rather light but the apple crop bids fair to be heavy.

The Millville Mutual Fire and Marine Insurance Company has become insolvent, and application has been made for the appointment of a receiver to close up the business.

A resolution was adopted on Thursday, by the House of Representives, appropriating $30,000 for the erection of a monument to distinguish and commemorate the birth place of Washington.

The Philadelphia *Press*, under the new management of Chas. E. Smyth as chief editor and Audubon Davis as managing editor, is rapidly gaining in circulation, and ranks among the ablest of the great journals.

Decoration Day was observed in Elizabeth without military display. However one of the grandest Sunday School processions ever seen in that city was formed, with twenty five hundred children in line with flags and music.

Monday of this week was generally observed throughout this State as Decoration Day. The ceremonies reflected great credit upon the Grand Army of the Republic, which in most places had charge of the exercises.

At the election in Vineland last week it was determined, by a vote of 181 to 122, to establish a borough incorporation. The election of a Mayor and Council will take place on the first Tuesday in October.

The coast-wise trade, carried on principly by schooners, is particularly active at the present time. More than nine hundred vessels of all kinds arrived at the port of Philadelphia, during the month of May.

Thirty-four thousand women of the State of Michigan have signed a petition to the House of Representatives, a petition praying Congress to prohibit the manufacture and sale of ardent spirits, in this country.

Portions of Texas have been visited by a severe rain storm, doing great damage to crops, inundating several towns and washing away many houses. The full extent of the damage to property or the loss of life is not as yet known. Many persons however have been drowned.

Twenty-six villages, numbering forty thousand persons, are suffering the pangs of hunger in Western Persia. Two hundred and forty-five person have died from starvation, and that region can afford no relief for two months.

Ex-Sheriff Joseph P. Browning, 80 years of age, was in the Camden courts on Wednesday. He was sheriff in 1835, when Camden and Atlantic counties were both part of Gloucester county the county seat being at Woodbury.

Senator Gardner, it is said, will be a candidate for re-nomination this Fall. Atlantic county never had an abler representative in Trenton than Senator Gardner, and unless he gets to Congress he ought to be rewarded by a large majority.—*Constitution.*

Mrs. President Hayes has completed the reform begun at the White House by Mrs. Grant, and has suppressed the use of wine and spirits entirely at the private dinners. In recognition of this, the Women's Temperance Union propose to erect a drinking fountain in Washington city in her honor.

At the hour of our going to press nothing definite is known as to the nominee of the Chicago Convention. A very exciting contest is going on, but we have faith to believe that the Republican party will at last put forward the best man, and then, firmly united, go on to an overwhelming victory in November next.

The Presbyterian General Assembly for the United States, which has been in session at Madison, Wisconsin, adjourned sine die on Monday of this week. Resolutions were passed favoring the extinction of the Mormons, and copies were ordered to be sent to President Hayes, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, and to Governor Murray of Utah.

Henry C. Vennor of Montreal published, early in May, predictions concerning the weather, saying that the last of May and first of June would be fall like with frosts in the Northern sections, that June as a whole would be intensely hot, and that July would be a terrible month for storms with terms of intense heat. The predictions for the last of May and first of June have proved to be about correct, but it is to be hoped Mr. Vennor will prove to be a false prophet as far as the rest is concerned.

Shoe-box Summer hotels have commenced early this year. One flashed out at Pleasant, New-Jersey, yesterday, made a fine blaze for a few minutes, the landlord was comparing the premium of the insurance and the newly-married guests were lamenting their luggage. It will probably be many years before hotels will be built in this country as in England, of brick or stone; the pine and poplar must be used for construction, cannot something be done for safety with fire-proof paint, for use, be made of tanks and

Kearney, that political demagogue and curse of San Francisco through some means or other, has been discharged from prison by the Supreme Court of California, and has again taken his place in the sand-lots, where he excites the ignorant on to deeds of violence and disorder. The impeachment proceedings against Kalloch have also been set aside, and now this scamp will, with more boldness than ever, violate the principles of justice and right, working against the peace of the state and the well being of his fellow men.

There is no abatement in the extraordinary tide of emigration from Europe. During the month of May, 75,083 people landed at Castle Garden, and the total arrivals since the 1st of January amount to 135,336, which is 10,000 more than twice the entire population of the State of Delaware and about as many as the combined populations of the States of Oregon and Nevada. Fortunately, a large majority of these fugitives from the poverty and military oppression of the Old World are sturdy, industrious, well-meaning people, who will readily assimilate with the native element and perform their full share of the work of developing the country.

The Greenback party of the State of Maine held their convention on Monday at Bangor, and nominated for Governor, Harris M. Plaisted of Bangor. The delegates, chosen to attend the National Greenback convention, were instructed to work for the nomination of Solon Chase for President. On the same day and at the same place the Democratic State Convention assembled, but knowing full well, that is a pure Democrat party they had long since ceased to exist in the Pine Tree State, this convention simply indorsed the Greenback nominee for Governor and left the choice of Presidental electors in the hands of a committee instructed to co-operate with the Greenbackers. This means that last year's campaign is to be repeated, and the country will witness the glorious spectacle of another Greenbackmeback party.

MISCELLANY.

When a Quincy little girl hear the thunder for the first time, she innocently asked her mother what made God growl so.

No matter if a milkman is a Baptist, he should not insist on immersing his milk cans when they are two-thirds full of milk.

A Baltimore man was severely bitten by a mule the other day, which is a sure sign that the mule had rheumatism in his hind legs.

When a fond parent sees a boy walk through a gateway instead of climbing the fence, he is worried for fear the lad isn't quite himself.

A young man was lately advised to marry a lady whom he was keeping company with. "Alas!," said he, "then I should not know where to go to spend a pleasant evening."

The custom of the Fijians, that when a man dies his widow must be strangled by her brother, resulted in the arrangement by which she is told to expel her breath as long as possible and give a signal, when the cord is tightened, and almost immediately all is over.

"The game of sixteen," explains an exchange, "is played at the front gate with one foot on the bottom and both arms across the top, while she stands on the other side and winds a bit of blue ribbon around her forefinger and leaps up a little pile of gravel with her foot."

We read in a New England journal that the mountain laurel is very lively, and at the same time we read in an Illinois paper that very many cherry trees are being planted in the West. But the trouble is that with so many politicians in the country if the hatchets get at work on the cherry trees nobody will ever know who cut them down.

Lippincott's Magazine for June presents an unusually rich and varied table of contents. It contains among others the following papers: The virgin woods of the Sierra Nevada; Spiritual Illumination; Adam and Eve; Through the Yellow Stone Park to Fort Custer; A Poem by Longfellow; After Fourteen years; German boys and Men, all of which are of a high order. J. B. Lippincott & Co $4.00 a year, sing'e numbers 35 cents.

MARINE RECORDS.

Phila: 31th ult arrived.
Mair & Cranmer, Coombs from Kennebec.
Kate E Rich, Bowen, from Gardiner.
R A S Corson, Corson, from New Haven.
Eleanor Vandusen, Godfrey, from Lynn.
Rebecca Sheppard, Lake, from Fall River.
A S Gaskill, Gaskill, from New York.
Cleared.
Eleanor Vandusen, Godfrey, for Lynn.
J W Vannaman, Sharp for Bath.
Rebecca Sheppard, Lake, for Charleston.
Cleared 1st inst.
A E Ketchum, Ketchum, for Charlestown.
Arrived 2nd inst.
A D Seull, Frambes, from Gardiner.
J S & S C Adams, Adams, from Gardiner.
Lottie Somers, from Kennebec.
Cleared.
R & S Corson, Corson, for New Bedford.
Annie S Gaskill, Gaskill, for Richmond.
David Clarkson, Ireland, for Lynn.

Gardiner, 28th ult. arrived.
Grace Vandusen, Reeves from Phila.

New York, 1st inst cleared
Henry C Sheppard, Clayton, for Richmond.

Richmond, 31st ult. arrived.
Cora Vancliver, Steelman from Phila.

Charleston 26th ult Sailed.
Maggie J Lawrence, Scull, for Wilmington

Boston 1st inst arrived.
Henry F Lee, Henderson, from Phila.
2nd inst.
Jas. S Shinnler, Coombs, from Phila.
J B Bartlett, Kelley, from Port Johnson.

Bath, 29th ult. sailed.
Grace Vandusen, Reeves, for Phila.

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Our organization and our facilities for distributing large quantities of goods are believed to be unequaled, but every effort will be made to strengthen it and increase its efficiency during this closing sale, so that all who visit us may be waited on promptly and to their entire satisfaction.

Disregarding all sensational or exaggerated statements we throw upon the market this immense stock of Dry Goods, determined to sell the amount named at whatever sacrifice may be necessary to accomplish the object.

All who need Dry Goods or who can be induced by the certainty of saving, to anticipate their wants, should visit us in person. From present indications the goods will be sold so rapidly to insure in all cases perfect satisfaction in the filling of orders through the Mail Order Department during the continuance of this great closing sale.

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Time Table, May 3, 1880.

Trains leave May's Landing (Camden and Atlantic R. R., connecting at Winslow Junction) as follows:

For all stations to New York, and for Vineland, Bridgeton, Bay Side and intermediate stations, 7.12, a. m.

For all stations to Long Branch, and for Vineland, Bridgeton, Bay Side and intermediate stations, 9.45, a. m.

RETURNING,—FOR MAY'S LANDING.

Leave New York, C. R. R. of N. J., ft. Liberty St., 1.15 p. m.

Leave Long Branch, 8.20 a. m., 2.57 p. m.

Leave Vineland, 7.30 a. m. 3.40 p. m.

Leave Bridgeton, 6.58 a. m. 2.45 p. m.

Leave Bay Side, 6.25 a. m. 1.45 p. m.

For further information see Time Tables at stations.

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Mar. 13.

CAMDEN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

On and after Saturday, May 15th, 1880, trains will leave Phila. for Atlantic City as follows:

Mail daily including Sundays,	8:00 a. m.
Express Sundays only,	7:30 a. m.
Express,	4:00 p. m.
Accommodation,	4:35 p. m.
Express Saturdays only,	3:00 p. m.

LEAVE ATLANTIC CITY.

Express Monday only,	7:10 a. m.
Express daily except Sunday,	8:00 a. m.
Accommodation,	7:00 a. m.
Mail,	3:40 p. m.
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Sunday Express,	5:00 p. m.

LEAVE PHILA. FOR MAY'S LANDING.

Mail,	8:00 a. m.
Accommodation,	4:15 p. m.

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Accommodation,	7:45 a. m., 3:52 p. m.

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ADJOURNED Sale.

The Sale of the property seized as the property of John Steinlien, Jr., and John Steinlien, taken in execution at suit of Sundry Plaintiffs, stands adjourned until Saturday, May 22d, A. D., 1880, at the same hour and place.
M. V. B. MOORE, Sheriff.

ADJOURNED SALE.

The Sale of the property seized as the property of Nicholas Frambes taken in execution at the suit of The Somers Point Mutual Loan and Building Association stands adjourned until Monday June 7th, A. D. 1880 at the same hour and place. M. V. B. MOORE Sheriff.

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Master's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued out of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, I will expose to sale at public outcry,

On Saturday, the Twelfth day of June, 1880, Between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, to wit, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of Woodbury, in the County of Gloucester, all the following described tracts of land and mortgaged premises, that is to say:

All that certain tract or piece of land situate in the township of Franklin, County of Gloucester, in part and part in the township of Bethel Vista, County of Atlantic, in the State of New Jersey, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a small pine corner to late Rebecca Downs land in the line of late Thomas Chew's land, thence by the same (1) south eighty-seven degrees, thirty minutes east forty-six chains and ten links, crossing the lake Branch to a black oak corner, thence (2) south four degrees west ninety seven chains to a stake in a wood road by a white oak stump; thence (3) south seventy degrees and fifty minutes west, eighteen chains and twenty links to a stake standing close by the northwesterly side of the Dutch Mill Road, thence by Mary Sharp's land (4) north twenty-eight degrees west, fifty-three chains and fifty links crossing the Lake Branch again to a small pine lettered L standing on a point of land, (East land,) thence up the northerly side of said Branch (5) south seventy-three degrees and fifteen minutes west, ten chains and eleven links to a small pine, thence (6) south fifty degrees and forty-five minutes west nine chains and forty links to a small pine, thence (7) south seventy-five degrees and fifteen minutes west, eleven chains, seventy links to a small pine, lettered L standing about forty links from the edge of the branch, (8) north twenty-two degrees fifty minutes east seventy-seven chains to the place of beginning, containing four hundred and eighty-three acres, more or less, being the same premises that were assigned and set off to Ann Down, in the division of the Real Estate of Samuel Down, deceased; and said Ann Down dying intestate and without issue the same to her brothers and sisters, and the said Samuel D. Sharp purchased one-fourth of said land from Thomas C. Down, one-fourth of Thomas Wilson and wife, one-fourth from the children and heirs of Mary Sharp and one-fourth of George Down and Rebecca, his wife.

Also all that other tract or piece of land situate in the township of Franklin aforesaid and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake for a corner to lot No. 2 in the division of the real estate of Samuel Down, deceased, thence (1) by Richman's land north twenty-two degrees, thirty minutes west, fifty-seven chains, ninety-five links to an old pine stump, thence (2) by Wolford's land, south thirty-one degrees west thirty-two chains, fifty links to a Turkey oak, thence (3) by Richman's land, south fifty-eight degrees forty-five minutes east, sixty-three chains eighty-five links, to corner of No. 2 aforesaid, thence by the same north twenty-two degrees east, thirty-six chains, sixty links to the beginning, containing two hundred and eleven acres and a quarter, more or less.

Seized as the property of Samuel D. Sharp, et ux. et als., defendants, and taken in execution at the suit of Harriet B. Clark, complainant, and to be sold by

JAS. MOORE, Master in Chancery.
L. Matlock, Sol'r.
Dated March 31, 1880. May 5-31-pri$12 60.

Sheriff's Sale.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed, issued out of the Court of Chancery will be sold at public vendue, on

Tuesday, the eighth day of June, 1880, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Hotel of Elmer Murphy in Absecon, all that Tavern House premises and tract of land whereon the same is erected usually called "The Tavern House Property," situate in the township of Galloway, in the county of Atlantic and State of New Jersey in and near the town of Absecon, containing about one and twenty five hundredths acres be the same more or less and also the tract of land adjoining the heirs of William Chamberlain and near the said town of Absecon, all said premises being the same granted and conveyed to the said Thomas P. Carpenter by Charles W. Houghton, M. D., and the said Rebecca S. Smith by indenture bearing date the 25th day of September, A. D., 1867, the prior title to said premises being recited in said Indenture of conveyance recorded in Atlantic County Clerk's Office in Book No. 30 of Deeds, folio 533, &c., and being the same premises which Thomas P. Carpenter and wife granted and conveyed unto the said Rebecca S. Smith by indenture bearing even date herewith and intended to be forthwith recorded, this mortgage being given to secure the consideration money of said sale and conveyance.

Seized as the property of Rebecca S. Smith, etal, def'ts., taken in execution at the suit of Rebecca Carpenter executrix of Thomas P. Carpenter decd., compl't and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE, Sheriff.
Dated April 5, 1880.
James H. Carpenter, Sol. May8-31 pri$4 38.

Sheriff's Sale.

By Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed, issued out of the Court of Chancery will be sold at public vendue, on

Saturday the 5th day of June, 1880, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Hotel of Louis Kuehnle in Atlantic City all that tract of land or parcel of land and premises situate lying and being in the City of Atlantic City in the county of Atlantic and State of New Jersey and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point in the west edge of Georgia avenue one hundred and fifty feet eastwardly from the east edge of Arctic Avenue and runs thence (1) southwestwardly parallel with said Arctic avenue one hundred and seventy five feet to a peg; thence (2) southeastwardly parallel with Georgia avenue one hundred feet to a peg, thence (3) northeastwardly parallel with Arctic avenue one hundred and seventy five feet to the west edge of Georgia avenue, thence (4) northwestwardly in the west edge of said Georgia avenue one hundred feet to the place of beginning being lots No. 16 and 17 in sec. 11 as shown on the map or plan of lands of Lucas Lake, Alois Schuneffer and others which by indenture was conveyed by Alois Schuneffer and wife to the said M. A. Buch bearing date the twentieth day of November A. D., and recorded in the Clerks office at May's Landing in Liber 41 of deeds folio 13 &c. as by reference there to will more fully appear.

Seized as the property of Mary Agnes Daniel etal, def'ts. at the suit of Samuel Wetherill, Compl't and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE, Sheriff.
Dated April 1st, 1880
P. L. Voorhees, Sol. May8-31pri$4 68.

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Administrator's Notice to Creditors.

Samuel V. Adams, administrator of Ruley Adams, late of the county of Atlantic, deceased, by direction of the Orphan's Court of the county of Atlantic, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Ruley Adams, deceased, to exhibit to him under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate within six months from the twenty-third day of April, Anno Domini, Eighteen hundred and eighty, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same.
SAMUEL V. ADAMS.
May's Landing April 23d 1880. Adm'r.
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Executor's Notice to Creditors.

Enoch Cordery and James Byon, Executors of Absalom Cordery, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the county of Atlantic, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Absalom Cordery, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of said decedent under oath or affirmation within nine months or they will be forever barred of any action therefore against the said executors.
ENOCH CORDERY,
JAMES BYON,
Dated April 30th, A.D., 1880. Executors.
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Atlantic Court.

George H. Davis, vs. John W. Miller. } In Attachment Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a writ of attachment at the suit of George H. Davis, against the rights and credits, lands and tenements of John W. Miller, a non resident debtor for the sum of 549 Dollars, issued out of the Circuit Court of Atlantic county on the 3d day of December, 1879. Returnable and returned into court, duly executed by the Sheriff of the county of Atlantic, on the 12th day of December, 1879.
L. A. DOUGHTY, Clerk.
Chas. T. Reed, Att'y. for pl'ff.
Dated Jany. 20, 1880. feb28 $mpri$4 68.

ADJOURNED SALE.

The Sale of the property seized as the property of George W. Pomeroy et al., taken in execution at the suit of [illegible] stands adjourned until [illegible] day of May [illegible]

The Record.

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1880.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

On and after the hour of noon, JAN 11th, 1880, trains at the May's Landing and Egg Harbor City Railroad will arrive and depart as follows.

Arrive at May's Landing.—10:02 a. m., 6.08 p. m.
Leave May's Landing, 7:15 a. m., 3:32 p. m.

The Mails arrive and depart with each train.

Trains make close connections at Egg Harbor City with Camden and Atlantic trains for Philadelphia.—Close connect for Atlantic City.

Our Churches.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Rev JAMES R CAMPBELL, A. B., Pastor.
Services on Sunday at 10 30 A. M., and 7 30 P. M.
Sabbath School at 2 P. M
Thursday evening at 7 30.

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Rev. R. B. Stephenson, Pastor.
Services on Sunday at 10.30 A. M., and 8:00 P. M.
Sunday School at 2 P. M.
Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Our Lodges.

A. F. & A. M.

UNITY LODGE, No 96, meets in the Hall over N. P. Mattix's Store, on the evening of every first and third Tuesday of each month.

I. O. of O. F.

ATLANTIC LODGE, No. 50, meets in the Hall over N.P. Mattix's Store, on Friday evenings

Building and Loan Association.

May's Landing Building and Loan Association meets on the last Monday evening in each month.

—Straw-colored kids are in favor for full dress occasions.

—The small boy says "only five more days of school."

—Straw hats and linen dusters have had a substantial boom.

—The erection of the new depot is being rapidly pushed forward.

—The clear tones of the new school bell are heard all over town.

—The telegraph office will be a great convenience to our citizens.

—All of the machinery of the cotton mills is now in motion.

—Fourteen hours and fifty-nine minutes between sunrise and sunset to-day.

—We hope to see a large attendance at the festival on Tuesday evening next.

—James Baker, Jr., has been cleaning up his property late known as the Frazier estate.

—Quite a number of the young ladies of this place are said to be adepts in handling the oar.

—Tuckahoe is to have a new bell on her school house. It will be procured by the district.

—Long sermons—empty pews. Short sermons—full pews, so says the *Cape May County Gazette*.

—The protracted drouth did great injury to the growing crops through out this section of the State.

—A new floor to the porch around the American House has been laid. Jim Schenck did the work.

—Regular trains will commence to run on the West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad one week from to-day.

—Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. James Clark have been visiting friends in Burlington and Gloucester counties.

—The work of leveling and ballasting the track of the new railroad, has been actively going on during this week.

—Telegraph poles have been put up, and it is expected that the wire will be stretched to Atlantic City by Thursday next.

—Only one week more of school, and then the school children can enter upon the pleasure of the long summer vacation.

—Mrs. Frie with the assistance of her sons is to farm "Taylor's meadows," this season. The family is already located and at work.

—The first excursion, to Atlantic City over the W. J. & A. R. R. will be given on Tuesday June 22nd, by McClurg's Military Band.

—The graduating exercises of our public school will take place on Friday of next week. County Superintendent Morse will award the diplomas.

—Messrs. Brown and Woelper, proprietors of the United States Hotel, at Atlantic City, will re-open that famous Hostelry on Saturday, June 19th.

—It is reported that parties are, and have been for some time, taking natural growth oysters in violation of the law, from the bays of the Great Egg Harbor River.

—Express trains will be run each way both morning and afternoon via the West Jersey, between Atlantic City and Cape May on Sundays during the season.

—Capt. Enoch Smith and daughter of Atlantic City have been stopping a few days in the Landing, the guests of Mrs. S. S. Hudson and Dr. Ingersoll.

—The grave of Sergeant John G. Abbott, buried in Union Cemetery, was beautifully decorated with choice flowers on Monday afternoon by friends of the deceased.

—Miss Cora Smallwood, while on the way home from church on Sunday evening last, received a severe fall near the Sugar Hill bridge, spraining her arm and bruising her face.

—One of the "darkes" who camp up town, had his shoulder dislocated while engaged in a playful encounter, on Thursday evening. Dr. Ingersoll was called and soon made him as good as new.

—You can get, at Vaughn's saloon, the best of ice cream, and cake, He also keeps a fine assortment of confectionery, and in the line of cooling drinks, lemonade, soda water and all the syrups.

—The express train on the "Old Reliable" on Monday afternoon made the run from Camden to Atlantic City in 74½ minutes with the new Engine Chas. D. Freeman. Chas. Glendenning handled the throttle.

—Capt. E. E. Hudson, the mail carrier between the Landing and Estellville, will always be found at the depot on the arrival of trains, and is prepared to convey passengers to Tuckahoe, or anywhere else within a radius of twenty miles. Terms reasonable.

—The ladies of the Methodist Half Dime Sociable will give a Strawberry Festival on Tuesday evening next. Strawberries, ice cream, confectionery, fruit and nuts will be supplied, and a good time may be expected. The proceeds are for the benefit of the parsonage.

—Forty-one candidates were in attendance at the county examination for teachers' certificates, held at Egg Harbor City on Friday and Saturday of last week. The majority of these were teachers whose licenses expire at the present school year. Only [illegible] Please send information to.

—Ever since Mr. A. Stephany has been a Justice of the Peace, in this city he has united seventy couple in the bands of wedlock, and as a curious coincidence thirty-five of these couple were English speaking and thirty-five German speaking.—*Democrat.*

—The weather during the present week has been in striking contrast to that of last week, when the thermometer rose, nearly every day, to 90 degrees or even higher in the shade. On Wednesday fires were very comfortable and it has been cool for the most part since Saturday last.

—Thirty-five men from the Pennsylvania Railroad came down on Thursday and seventy five on Friday, all of whom were set at work on the line of the W. J. & A. R. R. between this place and Atlantic City. Sleeping and dining-cars are provided and the men will live along the line.

—The usual annual influx of berry pickers, of Italian and German nationalities, began the first part of the week and has poured the usual number of peculiar looking people into town. On Tuesday afternoon we did not know but that the town was to be taken by storm, so large was the crowd of Italians that came down on the Narrow Gauge.—*Republican.*

—The rails on the two divisions of the West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad were united near the meadows, below Pleasantville on Monday afternoon. We now have direct communication with Atlantic City by the new route. The track is being put in first class order throughout its whole extent, and in a few days more, we shall see the new rolling stock passing through the town at regular hours.

—On Monday evening, two or three young fellows thought they would have a little fun by shooting at an Italian, who happened to be near by. This the Italian did not relish, and the fellows not desiring, the affair came near ending with a tragedy, as the Italian was armed with a large revolver and a murderous looking razor. Fortunately outside interference put an end to the strife. Moral, let Italians severely alone.

—In the 104th anniversary of American Independence is to be celebrated in any way in May's Landing, is it not about time some arrangements were being made to that effect? Many towns in this section of the state have already commenced to make preparations for a good time at home, believing it better to celebrate under their own vine and fig tree, as it were, than to give their money to enrich some railroad or outside town.

—The festival given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday and Thursday evening was largely attended and a very successful affair. Ice cream, cake and lemonade was served to the multitude, and all appeared to enjoy the occasion, the only hinderence to the same being a lack of room. We are not informed as to the receipts, but think they must amount to a handsome sum. The money will be used in improving the interior of the church.

—The funeral services of Miss Josephine Alexander, who died quite suddenly on Thursday afternoon of last week took place on Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. A very appropriate and impressive sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Campbell, from these words, "Redeem the time. The church was well filled with relatives and sympathizing friends. A large number of the young friends of the deceased followed the remains to the grave, where each deposited a bouquet of flowers as a tribute of love and respect.

—Mike Tracy, a laborer employed on the railroad, scooped in too much fire water on Wednesday and while getting a "shave" at the honorial establishment of W. D. Hoover, formed a strong liking to the razor which had done such a clean cutting. So Mike politely requested a match and while the barber had stepped out to get one, Mike's fingers "glued" fast to the "clean cutter" for which attach of the "cramp" Hotel De Risley received another boarder. Tracy was brought before a justice court on Thursday afternoon, and after a hearing was found guilty and fined $5 and costs, amounting to $18.

—Allen B. Endicott, Esq., of May's Landing, who graduated in the law department of the University of Pennsylvania last June, and who since that time has been in the office of Peter L. Vorhees, Esq., Camden, passed a highly creditable examination before the Justices of the Supreme Court, Trenton, on Wednesday, and is now a full fleaded Attorney at Law. We understand the young gentleman will spend the Summer in Mr. Vorhees office, being "coached" in the practice of the profession, after which he will hang out his shingle somewhere in North Jersey. Success to him.

—Sunday last was observed in the Methodist church of this place as an anniversary day, in honor of the memory of Robert Raikes of Sunday school fame. At the hour of the usual morning service, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Stephenson preached on "The influence of the Sunday School, a subject well suited to the occasion. At 2:30 P. M. the Sunday School convened as usual, but the exercises were interspersed with responsive readings and singing. At 3 o'clock P. M. the centennial service were held, a large audience, including nearly all the children of the Sunday school being present. The exercises were varied and interesting, consisting of responsive readings by the Superintendent, school and congregation, a short address by the Pastor and singing by the choir and school.

Hammonton.

A large number of persons, among whom are many Italians are now engaged in strawberry picking.—All the schools in this town are now closed for the summer vacation.—Mr. Pollard the principal of the Central School for the past two years will not engage in teaching hereafter.

Somers Point.

The people of this place are anxiously waiting for the Narrow Guage railroad, or one of the others, to extend their track down the shore to the bay and thus draw the travel to Ocean City through this section. This should become a favorite resort for boating, fishing and gunning.

Absecon.

Everything is moving along about the same as usual in this quiet town—The commencement and graduating exercises of our public school came off on last week. Four young ladies received diplomas from the County Superintendent. Miss Hayes resigns from the position, she has so long and so ably filled, as principal.

Edward Martin, aged 29 years, height 5 feet 8 inches, brown moustache, full face, had on when he left home black stiff hat, dark clothes, blue flannel shirt and gaiter shoes. Left home on Tuesday, May 4th. When last seen at Newfield, Saturday, May 1st. Please send information to.

Port Republic.

The Port Republic Sunday school anniversary, on account of the unfavorable weather on Sunday evening last, is postponed until Sunday evening June 6th. The programme will consist of dialogues, recitations, essays and vocal music, with congregational singing. All who wish to enjoy a pleasant evening and at the same time one of profit spiritually as well as intellectually are cordially invited to be present and join in the exercises.

The sermon on Sunday morning, by Rev. C. Fleming on the subject of Sunday Schools was decidedly the most able that has been delivered before our people for some time, in both its historical and practical relations. It was listened to with deep interest by all and can not fail to accomplish good.

In the afternoon there was a kind of Sunday School Institute, conducted by Mr. C. Garrison, with Mrs. Addie Collins as Secretary. A large and attentive audience was present. Stirring and practical remarks were made by several teachers; the substance of which is to be placed on record for future reference.

Miss Annie C. Collins placed before the audience a black board analysis of the month's lessons. Practical points of each were brought out and applied with forcible instruction.

Egg Harbor City.

The Egg Harbor City public schools closed on Friday of last week. According to their custom the day was made a regular jubilee. The several school rooms were beautifully trimmed with flowers and evergreen and the citizens were out in large numbers to participate in the closing exercises of the school year. On Saturday afternoon, the children, under the supervision of their teachers and many of the leading citizens, held a pic-nic in one of the so called "summer gardens." A band of music was in attendance and the smiling faces of the children was sufficient evidence that all were having a good time.

Great quantities of beautiful flowers are now in bloom in all the gardens of the city.—The late teachers' examination held in this city brought a large number of pretty school marms hither from all parts of the county.

Our Public School—Roll of Honor.

For the week ending May 28th:

PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Kate Barnet,	Mary Hudson,
Mary Mattis,	Emma Veal,
Laura Gaskill,	Charles Gaskill,
	Maggie Veal.

INTERMEDIATE.

Jerusha Eberhardt,	Harry Souder,
Eva Veal,	Harry Bartlett,
Mary C. Vaughan,	Willie Veal.

Pupils must obtain an average of 90 in all studies pursued; 95 in attendance and punctuality, and 100 in deportment in order to have their names on this list.

C. E. MORSE, Principal.

Communication.

MAY'S LANDING, May 31st, 1880.

The friends and co-laborers of Miss Josephine Alexander extend their thanks to Miss Emma Bing for the work of arranging the beautiful and fragrant wreath and to the friends who provided the flowers, also to Miss Annie S. Gaskill for the presentation of the hands-ome cross which she procured and arranged. The freshness and beauty which adorned the casket of one friend was both pleasing and gratifying. The kindness and consideration of the young ladies are appreciated and will ever be remembered with gratitude.

Friends of our loved JOSEPHINE.

Medical Society.

On Monday, June 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M., the regular allopathic physicians of Atlantic county will meet at City Hall, Atlantic City, for the purpose of organizing a county medical society. The object of this society will be the promotion of medical and sanitary science, and the mutual improvement of those connected with it. All physicians of the county, holding diplomas from medical colleges of recognized standing, are invited to be present and assist in the organization.

Pleasantville.

This thriving place has received a new impetus since the advent of the W. J. & A. R. R. All of the houses are occupied and still a demand for more. This is destined to become a populous community before many years shall have passed away. The business of the Pleasantville station on the Philadelphia and Atlantic City Railroad amounted to some $15.00 last week, and will probably reach $2000 this week. It is expected that Mr. J. B. Rogers will be station agent on the new railroad.

Resolutions passed by the Presbyterian Sabbath School at May's Landing.

At our regular Sabbath School services held on Sabbath afternoon in the Presbyterian church on, May 31st, 1880, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.—

Whereas—It has pleased Almighty God, since last we met, to remove by death from our little band a much beloved and esteemed Sabbath School scholar, Miss Josephine Alexander, therefore be it

Resolved—That while we recognise the hand of a kind and loving God in her death, as a Sabbath School we deeply mourn the lost of one of our most devoted and worthy scholars of the first Bible class.

Resolved—That we ever cherish the memory of our departed friend, remembering with pleasure her fidelity and love for our Sabbath School of which she was a scholar and active worker.

Resolved—That we invoke the divine blessing upon her bereaved mother, and her sister and brother, and extend to them our heartfelt sympathies in this time of bereavement.

Resolved—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to her mother, and to the May's Landing RECORD, and also be entered upon our Sabbath School minutes.

D. E. ISZARD, } Committee
MRS. MARY WALKER, } on
A. B. ENDICOTT, } Resolutions.

But two men have ever resigned seats in the United States Senate prior to the voluntary retirement of General Gordon. The first was Henry Clay, who resigned in 1842, his term then having about a year to run. His purpose was to seek repose, but he found private life irksome, and was re-elected to the Senate in 1848. Senator Caldwell, of Kansas, resigned in 1873, but under such circumstances that made it seem to be a not entirely voluntary act on his part. No Senator has ever, like Mr. Gordon, retired almost at the beginning of a term.

The annual camp meeting to be held on grounds of the West Jersey Grove Association, near Malaga, will commence August 17 and continue ten days.

It is good to see [illegible]

FOREIGN COUNTS VERSUS HOME MECHANICS.

BY THE BARD OF TOWER HALL.

In a far-off Eastern city
A pretty maid did live,
Who was determined, never
Her heart and hand to give
To a living human creature,
Unless almost divine;
She had a poor opinion of
The gender masculine.
First a young mechanic asked her
If she would be his bride.
"Not I'll wed no poor mechanic,"
She haughtily replied;
"I was born for something better
I'd have you understand;
You are bold in your presumption
To ask of me my hand!"
Then a beardless dandy wooed her;
He had an oily tongue,
But as soon as mustache had started,
Because he was so young,
She gave him such a scathing
As led him to infer
That he must raise some whiskers ere
He raised his eyes to her.
Overwhelmed with disappointment,
And almost in despair,
That his chance to win the maiden
Hung on a single hair.
He went off and took a julep,
In that do drowned his woe.
He did not blow his brains out for
He had no brains to blow.
When there came another suitor
To win the maiden fair;
He was not a bear-faced wooer,
But mazzled like a bear.
He had a fine imperial,
Mustache, and whiskers curled,
And a lordly air about him,
As if he owned the world.
'Twas said he was foreign born,
Incognito while here,
And had at home a shady park,
With room for one more dear.
He thought the maiden of our song
Would find herself in luck,
For, wedding him, the happy dear
Would get a fine young buck
They met, and when the fair one gazed
Upon his whiskers fine,
She felt that she had found at last
The paragon divine.
They courted through the summer months,
And married in the fall;
She gave her heart and hand, and he
Gave beard, mustache and all.
One night they passed in pleasant dreams,
A happy wedded pair,
But oh, alas! ere morn's light
Brought sorrow and despair.
The count arose and washed his face,
But fear o'erwhelmed his soul;
The alum had started, and he bar
His whiskers in the bowl.
The wife looked up, she saw his face
Smooth as a new-mown lawn,
Save here and there a single hair.
His whiskers all were gone.
She swooned and fell upon the floor,
Her reason overthrown;
The count secured her jewelry,
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Sheriff's Sale.

By Virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued, out of the Atlantic Circuit Court will be sold at Public vendue, on Tuesday the twenty-second day of June, 1880, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Hotel of Elmer Murphy in Absecon, all the following described tract of improved land situated in Galloway township and being on the north side and bounding on the road known as the Neck Road and is bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of Peter Johnson's lot in said township, thence (1) along said road runs (twenty three and a half degrees southwest) in said Johnson's line twelve chains to a white oak corner to said lot, (2) south twenty-two and three quarters degrees east to the middle of said Neck Road, (3) in the middle of said road to the west line of William Ramsey's lot, (4) north twelve and a quarter degrees, west by his line to a corner, also; corner to Benjamin Gilbert's lot; (5) south seventy-three and a quarter degrees, west by his line to the beginning, also corner to said Gilbert's lot aforesaid and contains twenty-four acres, be the same more or less and is the same that was by deed bearing on the south side of the road first mentioned, that the said James M. Ross purchased of Mrs. Ann E. Parker, by deed dated November 29th, A. D. 1878, recorded at May's Landing in book P. folio 769 &c., reference to which this will more fully appear.

Also all that certain lot or field of ground situated in the town of East Hammonton, Mullica township, county and state aforesaid, beginning at a point on the southeast side of Third street and at the extending back between parallel lines at right angles thereto one hundred feet to the centre of a twenty feet wide alley and designated as lot number four in section eighteen of division "A" of said town as shown on a map filed in the County Clerk's office at May's Landing, in said county, being the same premises which George F. Coughlin conveyed by deed, to said James Monroe by deed dated the 28th day of March, A. D., 1878, and intended to be recorded.

All the following described lots or tracts of land situate in the township of Galloway county of Atlantic (Late Gloucester) and State of New Jersey Beginning at the southwest corner of a lot of Marsh which Parker Clark bought of Barney Miles and is now the property of Walter Clark and runs from thence (1) north six degrees and thirty minutes east twelve chains and twenty five links by the aforesaid lot of land of John Endicott thence (2) south seventy nine degrees and fifty minutes west twenty five links to a corner of Endicott's land to the line of lands of late William Adams thence by Adams south seventy nine degrees and fifteen minutes west three chains and fifty links to the north east corner of the lot Elijah Steelman bought of Jeremiah Bates now John Risley's thence by the same south six degrees and thirty minutes west fifteen chains and forty links to the channel of Nacote creek thence down the same the several courses thereof to the place of Beginning containing seven acres two roods strict measure being the same premises Joseph Garwood bought of Sarah Hilliard and others by deed dated November 13 A. D. 1871 and recorded in the Clerks Office of Gloucester County in Book E of deeds page 114 &c.

Lot No. 2 Situate in the township county and state aforesaid Beginning at a stake standing where a pine corner formerly stood in the South west angle of the cross Roads one leading from Absecon to Horse Mill it being the north west corner of a tract of land surveyed to Joseph Sharpless August 13 A. D. 1761 for 256 perches and recorded in the Surveyors generals office in Burlington in liber K folio 222 and stands in the line of lands belonging to the heirs of Levi Collins and Sharpless line (1) south one degree and thirty minutes east thirty nine chains crossing the north branch of Bear run to a corner of Nehemiah Blackman's land thence (2) eighty eight degrees and thirty minutes west eight chains and fifty links in his line to a corner of a survey made to William Bennett for 256 acre thence (3) north one degree and thirty minutes west seventeen chains and seventy five links in their line to a corner there of North sixty-one degrees and thirty minutes west five chains and fifty links to the Absecon road aforesaid thence (5) northeasterly binding said road to the place of beginning containing thirty-four acres and sixty four hundredths with usual allowances for highways Being the same premises which Ephraim Young conveyed to said Joseph Garwood by deed dated the seventh day of December A. D. 1836 and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Gloucester County in Book P. of deeds page 181 &c.

Seized as the property of Samuel V. Adams defendant taken in execution at the suit of Sundry Plaintiffs and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE,
Dated April 20th 1880. Sheriff.
Alex. H. Sharp Atty. may22prf$18.00

Application for Rule to Show Cause, &c.

William Lake administrator of George W. Somers deceased. Having exhibited to this Court, under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said George W. Somers is insufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Orphan's court also to sell and convey lots of land and premises which said deceased in his life time contracted to convey by his bond bearing date the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1878, and intended to be recorded.

Ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said deceased appear before the Court, at the Court House, in May's Landing on the fourteenth day of September next, to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said deceased should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts or the residue thereof as the case may require.

S. R. DEVINNEY
Dated April 14th A. D. 1880. Surrogate.
April24-6t-prf$3.75.

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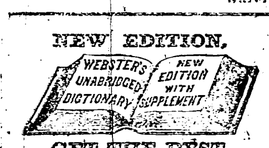

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Monday, the seventh day of June, 1880,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the Hotel of Japhet Townsend, in Leedsville, all the following described tract or lot of land and improvements situate in the township of Egg Harbor, county of Atlantic and state of New Jersey and bounded as follows: Beginning at stone on the southwest side of the road leading from Pleasantown to Zion M. E. church land of Andrew Leake's northwest corner and runs thence (1) southeasterly by said road thirty-six rods, west six rods and north six rods to a big stone corner, thence (2) north fifty-six degrees and thirty minutes west two chains and forty-three links to a corner of a peach tree, (3) north forty-three degrees and fifteen minutes east six chains and seventy-four links to the aforesaid road; thence (4) southerly and easterly along said road fifty-six degrees and thirty minutes east two chains and forty-three links to the beginning, containing one and a half acres more or less.

Seized as the property of Nicholas Frame, defendant, taken in execution at the suit of The Somer's Point Mutual Loan and Building Association, complainant, and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE,
Dated March 8, 1880. Sheriff.
Chas. T. Abbott, Solr. may22prf$5.00

Application for Rule to Show Cause, &c.

Samuel Smith and Daniel Smith administrators of Lewis E. Smith deceased having exhibited to this Court, under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased whereby it appears that the personal estate of said Lewis E. Smith is insufficient to pay his debts and requested the aid of the Court in the premises. It is Ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said deceased appear before the Court, at the Court House, in May's Landing on the fourteenth day of September next, to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements and real estate of the said deceased should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts or the residue thereof as the case may require.

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Administrators Notice to Creditors.

Joseph Thompson, Jr., administrator of Benjamin C. Lee, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the county of Atlantic hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Benjamin C. Lee, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of said decedent under oath or affirmation within nine months or they will be forever barred of any action therefore against the said administrator. JOSEPH THOMPSON, Jr.,
Dated Mch. 16, A. D. 1880. Administrator,
mar27-9t-prf$3.00.

Adjourned Sale.

Sale of the property of Frederick Feilger at the suit of Louis W. Snyder and Theodore B. Gibbs, Plaintiffs, stands adjourned to Saturday, June 26th, 1880, at the same hour and place.

S. V. ADAMS,
Dated May 19th 1880 Late Sheriff.

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Sale of the property of Elbert N. Ellis and Hosea Z. Ellis, defts., at the suit of [illegible] Haveford, complt. [illegible]

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WESLEY ROBINSON,
Dated April 28, 1880. Assignee.
Harry L. Shipman, Atty. may29-4t.

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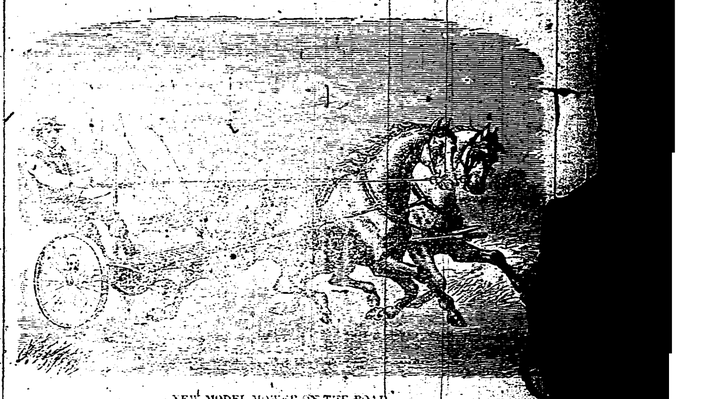

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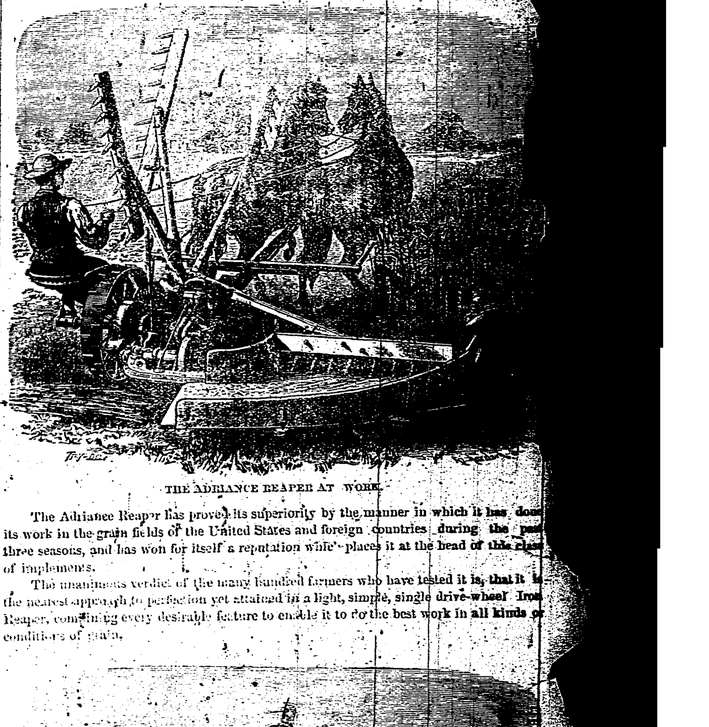

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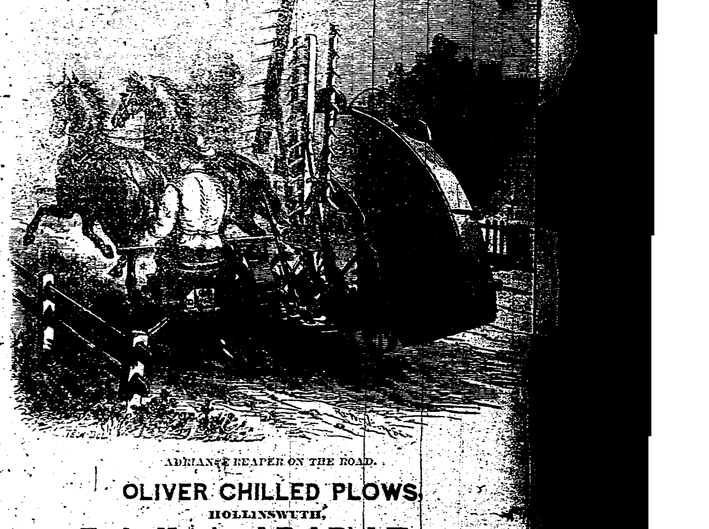

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Building and Loan Association.

May's Landing Building and Loan Association meets the last Monday evening in each month.

—Straw-colored kids are in favor for full dress occasions.

—The small boy says "only five more days of school."

—Straw hats and linen dusters have had a substantial boom.

—The erection of the new depot is being rapidly pushed forward.

—The clear tones of the new school bell are heard all over town.

—The telegraph office will be a great convenience to our citizens.

—All of the machinery of the cotton mills is now in motion.

—Fourteen hours and fifty-nine minutes between sunrise and sunset to-day.

—We hope to see a large attendance at the festival on Tuesday evening next.

—James Baker, Jr., has been cleaning up his property, late known as the Frazier estate.

—Quite a number of the young ladies of this place are said to be adepts in handling the oar.

—Tuckahoe is to have a new bell on her school house. It will be procured by the district.

—Long sermons—empty pews. Short sermons—full pews, so says the *Cape May County Gazette.*

—The protracted drouth did great injury to the growing crops throughout this section of the State.

—A new floor to the porch around the American House has been laid. Jim Schenck did the work.

—Regular trains will commence to run on the West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad one week from to-day.

—Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. James Clark have been visiting friends in Burlington and Gloucester counties.

—The work of leveling and ballasting the track of the new railroad, has been actively going on during this week.

—Telegraph poles have been put up, and it is expected that the wire will be stretched to Atlantic City by Thursday next.

—Only one week more of school, and then the school children can enter upon the pleasure of the long summer vacation.

—Mrs. Frie with the assistance of her sons is to farm "Taylor's meadows," this season. The family is already located and at work.

—The first excursion to Atlantic City over the W. J. & A. R. R. will be given on Tuesday, June 22nd, by McClure's Military Band.

—The graduating exercises of our public school will take place on Friday of next week. County Superintendent Morse will award the diplomas.

—Messrs. Brown and Woelper, proprietors of the United States Hotel, at Atlantic City, will re-open that famous Hostelry on Saturday, June 19th.

—It is reported that parties are, and have been for some time, taking natural growth oysters in violation of the law, from the bays of the Great Egg Harbor River.

—Express trains will be run each way both morning and afternoon via the West Jersey, between Atlantic City and Cape May on Sundays during the season.

—Capt. Enoch Smith and daughter of Atlantic City have been stopping a few days in the Landing, the guests of Mrs. S. S. Hudson and Dr. Ingersoll.

—The grave of Sergeant John G. Abbott, buried in Union Cemetery, was beautifully decorated with choice flowers on Monday afternoon by friends of the deceased.

—Miss Cora Smallwood, while on the way home from church on Sunday evening last, received a severe fall near the Sugar Hill bridge, spraining her arm and bruising her face.

—One of the "darkes" who camp up town, had his shoulder dislocated while engaged in a playful encounter, on Thursday evening. Dr. Ingersoll was called and soon made him as good as new.

—You can get, at Vaughn's saloon, the best of ice cream, and cake. He also keeps a fine assortment of confectionery, and in the line of cooling drinks, lemonade, soda water and all the syrups.

—The express train on the "Old Reliable" on Monday afternoon made the run from Camden to Atlantic City in 74 minutes with the new Engine Chas. D. Freeman. Chas. Glendenning handled the throttle.

—Capt. E. E. Hudson, the mail carrier between the Landing and Estellville, will always be found at the depot on the arrival of trains, and is prepared to convey passengers to Tuckahoe, or anywhere else within a radius of twenty miles. Terms reasonable.

—The ladies of the Methodist Half Dime Sociable will give a Strawberry Festival on Tuesday evening next. Strawberries, ice cream, confectionery, fruit and nuts will be supplied, and a good time may be expected. The proceeds are for the benefit of the parsonage.

—Forty-one candidates were in attendance at the county examination for teachers' certificates, held at Egg Harbor City on Friday and Saturday of last week. The majority of these were teachers whose license [illegible] school year [illegible]

—Ever since Mr. A. Stephany has been a Justice of the Peace in this city he has united seventy couple in the bands of wedlock, and as a curious coincidence thirty-five of these couple were English speaking and thirty-five German speaking.—*Democrat.*

—The weather during the present week has been in striking contrast to that of last week, when the thermometer rose, nearly every day, to 90 degrees or even higher in the shade. On Wednesday fires were very comfortable and it has been cool for the most part since Saturday last.

—Thirty-five men from the Pennsylvania Railroad came down on Thursday and seventy five on Friday, all of whom were set at work on the line of the W. J. & A. R. R. between this place and Atlantic City. Sleeping and dining cars are provided and the men will live along the line.

—The usual annual influx of berry pickers, of Italian and German nationalities, began the first part of the week and has poured the usual number of peculiar looking people into town. On Tuesday afternoon we did not know but that the town was to be taken by storm, so large was the crowd of Italians that came down on the Narrow Gauge.—*Republican.*

—The rails on the two divisions of the West Jersey and Atlantic Railroad were united near the meadows, below Pleasantville on Monday afternoon. We now have direct communication with Atlantic City by the new route. The track is being put in first class order throughout its whole extent, and in a few days more, we shall see the new rolling stock passing through the town at regular hours.

—On Monday evening, two or three young fellows thought they would have a little fun by shouting to an Italian, who happened to be near by. This the Italian did not relish, and the fellows not desisting, the affair came near ending with a tragedy, as the Italian was armed with a large revolver and a murderous looking razor. Fortunately outside interference put an end to the strife. Moral let Italians severely alone.

—If the 100th anniversary of American Independence is to be celebrated in any way in May's Landing, is it not about time some arrangements were being made to that effect? Many towns in this section of the state have already commenced to make preparations for a good time at home, believing it better to celebrate under their own vine and fig tree, as it were, than to give their money to enrich some railroad or outside town.

—The festival given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday and Thursday evening was largely attended and a very successful affair. Ice cream, cake and lemonade was served to the multitude, and all appeared to enjoy the occasion, the only hinderence to the same being a lack of room. We are not informed as to the receipts, but think they must amount to a handsome sum. The money will be used in improving the interior of the church.

—The funeral services of Miss Josephine Alexander, who died quite suddenly on Thursday afternoon of last week took place on Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. A very appropriate and impressive sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Campbell, from these words: "Redeem the time. The church was well filled with relatives and sympathizing friends. A large number of the young friends of the deceased followed the remains to the grave, where each deposited a bouquet of flowers as a tribute of love and respect.

—Mike Tracy, a laborer employed on the railroad, scorned to mix much fire water on Wednesday and while getting a "shave" at the tonsorial establishment of W. D. Hoover, formed a strong liking to the razor which had done such clean cutting. So Mike politely requested a match, and while the barber had stepped out to get one, Mike's fingers "glued" fast to the "clean cutter" for which attach of the "cramp" Hotel De Risley received another boarder. Tracy was brought before a justice court on Thursday afternoon, and after a hearing was found guilty and fined $5 and costs, amounting to $18.

—Allen B. Endicott, Esq. of May's Landing, who graduated in the law department of the University of Pennsylvania last June, and who since that time has been in the office of Peter L. Vorhees, Esq., Camden, passed a highly creditable examination before the Justices of the Supreme Court, Trenton, on Wednesday, and is now a full fleaded Attorney at Law. We understand the young gentleman will spend the Summer in Mr. Vorhees office, being "coached" in the practice of the profession, after which he will hang out his shingle somewhere in North Jersey. Success to him.

—Sunday last was observed in the Methodist church of this place as an anniversary day, in honor of the memory of Robert Raikes of Sunday school fame. At the hour of the usual morning service, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Stephenson preached on "The influence of the Sunday School, a subject well suited to the occasion. At 2:30 P. M. the Sunday School convened as usual, but the exercises were interspersed with responsive readings and singing. At 8 o'clock P. M. the centennial service were held, a large audience, including nearly all the children of the Sunday school being present. The exercises were varied and interesting, consisting of responsive readings by the Superintendent, school and congregation, a short address by the Pastor and singing by the choir and school.

Hammonton.

A large number of persons, among whom are many Italians are now engaged in strawberry picking.—All the schools in this town are now closed for the summer vacation.—Mr. Pollard the principal of the Central School for the past two years will not engage in teaching hereafter.

Somers' Point.

The people of this place are anxiously waiting for the Narrow Guage railroad, or one of the others, to extend their track down the shore to the bay and thus draw the travel to Ocean City through this section. This should become a favorite resort for boating, fishing and gunning.

Absecon.

Everything is moving along about the same as usual in this quiet town—The commencement and graduating exercises of our public school came off on last week. Four young ladies received diplomas from the County Superintendent. Miss Hayes resigns from the position, she has so long and so ably filled, as principal.

Edward Martin, aged 20 years, height 5 feet 8 inches, brown moustache, full face, had on when he left home black stiff hat, dark clothes, blue flannel shirt and gaiter shoes. Left home on Tuesday, May [illegible] When last seen at Newfield, Saturday, [illegible] and information to [illegible]

Port Republic.

The Port Republic Sunday school anniversary, on account of the unfavorable weather on Sunday evening last, is postponed until Sunday evening June 6th. The programme will consist of dialogues, recitations, essays and vocal music, with congregational singing. All who wish to enjoy a pleasant evening and at the same time one of great spiritually as well as intellectually are cordially invited to be present and join in the exercises.

The sermon on Sunday morning, by Rev. C. Flemings on the subject of Sunday Schools was decidedly the most able that has been delivered before our people for some time, in both its historical and practical relations. It was listened to with deep interest by all and cannot fail to accomplish good.

In the afternoon there was a kind of Sunday School Institute, conducted by Mr. C. Garrison, with Mrs. Addie Collins as Secretary. A large and attentive audience was present. Stirring and practical remarks were made by several teachers; the substance of which is to be placed on record for future reference.

Miss Annie C. Collins placed before the audience a black board analysis of the month's lessons. Practical points of each were brought out and applied with forcible instruction.

Egg Harbor City.

The Egg Harbor City public schools closed on Friday of last week. According to their custom the day was made a regular jubilee. The several school rooms were beautifully trimmed with flowers and evergreen and the citizens were out in large numbers to participate in the closing exercises of the school year. On Saturday afternoon, the children, under the supervision of their teachers and many of the leading citizens, held a pic-nic in one of the so called "summer gardens." A band of music was in attendance and the smiling faces of the children was sufficient evidence, that all were having a good time.

Great quantities of beautiful flowers are now in bloom in all the gardens of the city.—The late teachers' examination held in this city brought a large number of pretty school marms hither from all parts of the county.

Our Public School—Roll of Honor.

For the week ending May 28th:

PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Kate Barrett, Mary Hudsen,
Mary Mattix, Emma Veal,
Laura Gaskill, Charles Gaskill,
Maggie Veal.

INTERMEDIATE.

Jerusha Eberhardt, Harry Snider,
Eva Veal, Harry Bartlett,
Mary C. Vaughan, Willie Veal.

Pupils must obtain an average of 90 in all studies pursued; 95 in attendance and punctuality, and 100 in deportment in order to have their names on this list.

C. E. MORSE, Principal.

Communication.

MAY'S LANDING, May 31st, 1880.

The friends and co-laborers of Miss Josephine Alexander extend their thanks to Miss Emma Bing for the work of arranging the beautiful and fragrant wreath and to the friends who provided the flowers, also to Miss Annie S. Gaskill for the presentation of the handsome cross which she procured and arranged. The fitness and beauty which adorned the casket of our friend was both pleasing and gratifying. The kindness and consideration of the young ladies are appreciated and will ever be remembered with gratitude.

Friends of our loved JOSEPHINE.

Medical Society.

On Monday, June 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M., the regular allopathic physicians of Atlantic county will meet at City Hall, Atlantic City, for the purpose of organizing a county medical society. The object of this society will be the promotion of medical and sanitary science, and the mutual improvement of those connected with it. All physicians of the county, holding diplomas from medical colleges of recognized standing, are invited to be present and assist in the organization.

Pleasantville.

This thriving place has received a new impetus since the advent of the W. J. & A. R. R. All of the houses are occupied and still a demand for more. This is destined to become a populous community before many years shall have passed away. The business of the Pleasantville station on the Philadelphia and Atlantic City Railroad amounted to some $13.00 last week, and will probably reach $2000 this week. It is expected that Mr. J. B. Rogers will be stationed on the new railroad.

Resolutions passed by the Presbyterian Sabbath School at May's Landing.

At our regular Sabbath School services held on Sabbath afternoon in the Presbyterian church on May 31st, 1880, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas—It has pleased Almighty God, since last we met, to remove by death from our little band a much beloved and esteemed Sabbath School scholar, Miss Josephine Alexander, therefore be it

Resolved—That while we recognise the hand of a kind and loving God in her death, as a Sabbath School we deeply mourn the lost of one of our most devoted and worthy scholars of the first Bible class.

Resolved—That we cherish the memory of our departed friend, remembering with pleasure her fidelity and love for our Sabbath School of which she was a scholar and active worker.

Resolved—That we invoke the divine blessing upon her bereaved mother, and her sister and brother, and extend to them our heartfelt sympathies in this time of bereavement.

Resolved—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to her mother, and to the May's Landing RECORD, and also be entered upon our Sabbath School minutes.

D. E. ISZARD, } Committee
MRS. MARY WALKER, } on
A. B. ENDICOTT, } Resolutions.

But two men have ever resigned seats in the United States Senate prior to the voluntary retirement of General Gordon. The first was Henry Clay, who resigned in 1842, his term then having about a year to run. His purpose was to seek repose, but he found private life irksome, and was re-elected to the Senate in 1848. Senator Caldwell, of Kansas, resigned in 1873, but under such circumstances that made it seem to be a not entirely voluntary act on his part. No Senator has ever, like Mr. Gordon, retired almost at the beginning of a term.

The annual camp meeting to be held on grounds of the West Jersey Grove Association, near Malaga, will commence August 17 and continue ten days.

FOREIGN COUNTS VERSUS HOME MECHANICS.

BY THE BARD OF TOWER HALL.

In a far-off Eastern city
A pretty maid did live,
Who was determined, never
Her heart and hand to give
To a living human creature,
Unless almost divine;
She had a poor opinion of
The gender masculine.
First a young mechanic asked her
If she would be his bride
"No! I'll wed no poor mechanic,"
She haughtily replied:
"I was born for something better
I'll have you understand;
You are bold in your presumption
To ask of me my hand!"
Then a beardless dandy wooed her;
He had an oily tongue;
But as no mustache had started,
Because he was too young,
She gave him such a gentle hint
As led him to infer,
That he must raise some whiskers ere
He raised his eyes to her.
Overwhelmed with disappointment,
And almost in despair,
That his chance to win the maiden
Hung on a single hair.
He went off and took a julep,
In that he drowned his woe,
He did not blow his brains out, for
He had no brains to blow.
When there came another suitor
To win the maiden fair;
He was not a bear-faced wooer,
But muzzled like a bear,
He had a fine imperial,
Mustache, and whiskers curled,
And a lordly air about him;
As if he owned the world.
'Twas said he was a foreign count;
Incognito while here.
And had at home a shady park,
With room for one more deer.
He thought the maiden of our song
Would find herself in luck,
For, wedding him, the happy dear
Would get a fine young buck
They met, and when the fair one gazed
Upon his whiskers fine,
She felt that she had found at last
The paragon divine.
They courted through the summer months,
And married in the fall;
She gave her heart and hand, and he
Gave beard, mustache and all.
One night they passed in pleasant dreams,
A happy wedded pair.
But ah, alas! the next morning light
Brought sorrow and despair.
The count arose and washed his face,
But fear o'erwhelmed his soul;
The glue had started, and he left
His whiskers in the bowl.
The wife looked up; she saw his face
Smooth as a new-mown lawn,
Save here and there a single hair,
His whiskers all were gone.
She swooned and fell upon the floor,
Her reason overthrown;
The count secured her jewelry,
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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, to me directed, issued out of the Atlantic Circuit Court will be sold at Public vendue, on Tuesday the twenty-second day of June, 1880, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Hotel of Elmer Murphy in Absecon, all the following described tract of improved land situated in Galloway Township and bounded as the north side and binding on the road known as the Neck Road and is bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of Ezra Johnson's lot in tract formerly Jno. D. Cox's and runs (1) sixty three and a half degrees south west in said Johnson's line twelve chains to a white oak corner in said line (2) south twenty-two and three quarters degrees east to the middle of said Neck Road and in the middle of said road to the West line of William Ramsey's lot; thence (3) west five and a quarter degrees, west by his line to its corner, also corner to Benjamin Gibson's lot; (4) south seventy-three and a quarter degrees, west by his line to the beginning, also corner to said Gibson's lot aforesaid and contains twenty-four acres, be the same more or less and is the same land excepting that by ping on the south side of the road first mentioned, that the said James M'Rose purchased of Mrs. Ann E. Parker, by deed dated 30 November 28th. A. D. 1868, recorded at May's Landing in book P. folio 569 &c., reference to which this will more fully appear.

Also all that certain lot or field of ground situated in the town of East Hammonton, Mullica township, county and state aforesaid, beginning at a point on the southeast side of Third street sixty feet and extending back between parallel lines at right angles thereto one hundred feet to the centre of a twenty foot wide alley and designated as lot number four in section eighteen of division "A" as laid down as shown on a map filed in the County Clerk's office at May's Landing, in said county, being the same premises which George C. Coughlin conveyed in fee to said James Monroe by deed dated the 28th day of March. A. D., 1876, and intended to be recorded.

All the following described lots or tracts of land situate in the township of Galloway county of Atlantic (late Gloucester) and State of New Jersey Beginning at the southwest corner of a lot of Marsh which Parker Clark bought of Barney Miresgand is now the property of Walter Clark and runs from thence (1) north sixteen and thirty minutes east twelve chains and twenty five links by the aforesaid lot of land of John Endicott thence (2) south seventy nine degrees and fifteen minutes west twenty five links to a corner of Endicott's land in the line of lands of late William Adams thence by Adams south seventy nine degrees and fifteen minutes west three chains and fifty links to the northeast corner of the lot Elijah Steelman bought of Jeremiah Bates now John Risley's thence by the same south sixty nine degrees and thirty minutes west three chains and forty links to the channel of Nagon Creek thence down the same the several courses thereof to the place of beginning containing seven acres two roods strict measure being the same premises Joseph Garwood bought of Sarah Hilliman and others by deed dated November 15 A. D. 1853 and recorded in the Clerks Office of Gloucester County in Book E of deeds page 114 &c.

Lot No. 2 situate in the township county and state aforesaid Beginning at a stake standing where a pine corner formerly stood in the South west angle of the cross Roads one leading from Absecon to Morse Mill being the north west corner of a tract of land surveyed to Joseph Sharpless August 15 A. D. 1751 for 236. 20 acres and recorded in the Surveyors generals office at Burlington in liber K folio 222 and stands in the line of lands belonging to the heirs of Levi Collins and Sharpless thence (1) south one degree and thirty minutes east thirty nine chains crossing the north branch of Bear run to a corner of Nehemiah Blackman's land thence (2) eighty eight degrees and thirty minutes west eight chains and fifty links in his line to a corner of a survey made to William Beneath for 236 acre thence (3) north one degree and thirty minutes west seventeen chains and seventy five links in their line to a corner, there of North sixty-one degrees and thirty minutes west five chains and fifty links to the Absecon road aforesaid thence (5) northeasterly binding said road to the place of beginning containing thirty-four acres and sixty four hundredths with usual allowances for highways Being the same premises which Ephraim Young conveyed to said Joseph Garwood by deed dated the seventh day of December A. D. 1835 and recorded in the Clerks Office of Gloucester County in Book P. of deeds page 181 &c.

Seized as the property of Samuel V. Adams deft. taken in execution at the suit of Sundry Plaintiffs and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE,
Dated April 20th 1880. Sheriff.
Alex. H. Sharp Atty. may22prfs18,00

Application for Rule to Show Cause, &c.

William Lake administrator of George W. Somers deceased. Having exhibited to this Court, under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said George W. Somers is insufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Court in the premises; It is Ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said decedent appear before the Court, at the Court House, in May's Landing on the fourteenth, day of September next, to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said decedent should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts or the residue thereof as the case may require.

S. R. DEVINNEY,
Dated April 14th A. D. 1880. Surrogate.
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By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to the directed, issued out of the Court of Chancery will be sold at public vendue, on

Monday, the seventh day of June, 1880,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the Hotel of Japhet Townsend, in Leedsville, all the following described tract or lot of land and improvements situate in the township of Egg Harbor, county of Atlantic and state of New Jersey and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on the southwest side of the road leading from Batsto to Zion M. E. church and at Andrew Lewis's northwest corner and runs (1) his line (2) south forty-four and a half degrees west sixteen and seventy links to his stone corner, thence (3) north fifty degrees and thirty minutes, west two chains and forty-three links to a stake for a corner thence (4) north forty-three degrees and fifteen minutes east six chains and seventeen links to the aforesaid road, thence (5) along the same south fifty-six degrees and thirty minutes east two chains and forty-three links to the beginning, containing one and a half acre more or less.

Seized as the property of Nicholas Thomas, et ux., defts., taken in execution at the suit of The Somers Point Mutual Loan and Building Association, complt., and to be sold by

M. V. B. MOORE, Sheriff.

Dated March 5, 1880.
Thos. P. Abbott, Solr. may22-6t-prfs$6 00.

FOR SALE.

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Application for Rule to Show Cause, &c.

Somers Smith and David Scull administrators of James E. Smith deceased. Having exhibited to this Court, under oath, a just and true account of the personal estate and debts of said deceased, whereby it appears that the personal estate of said James E. Smith is insufficient to pay his debts, and requested the aid of the Court in the premises; It is Ordered that all persons interested in the lands, tenements and real estate of said decedent appear before the Court, at the Court House, in May's Landing on the fourteenth day of September next, to show cause why so much of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate of the said decedent should not be sold as will be sufficient to pay his debts or the residue thereof as the case may require.

S. R. DEVINNEY,
Dated April 14th, A. D. 1880. Surrogate.
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Administrator's Notice to Creditors.

Joseph Thompson, Jr., administrator of Benjamin C. Lee, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the county of Atlantic hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said Benjamin C. Lee, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of said decedent under oath or affirmation within nine months or they will be forever barred of any action therefore against the said administrator. JOSEPH THOMPSON, Jr.,
Dated Mch. 16, A. D., 1880. Administrator.
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Adjourned Sale.

Sale of the propry of Frederick Fellier at the suit of Louis W. Snyder and Theodore B. Gibbs, Plaintiffs stands adjourned to Saturday, June 26th, 1880, at the same hour and place.

Dated May 29th 1880 Late Sheriff.

Adjourned Sale.

Sale of the property of [illegible] Ellis and [illegible] Ellis, defts. [illegible]

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Notice is hereby given to the creditors of George W. Sherman, of Atlantic City, New Jersey, that pursuant to an order of the Orphans Court, of Atlantic county, all claims against the estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his assignee, under oath or affirmation, before the twenty-eighth day of June next, being within six months from the date of the assignment, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the estate and said Creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against the said George W. Sherman will be filed with the Surrogate of the County of Atlantic on or before the 28th day of June, next when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

WESLEY ROBINSON,
Assignee.
Harry A. Stage, Atty. may5-6t.

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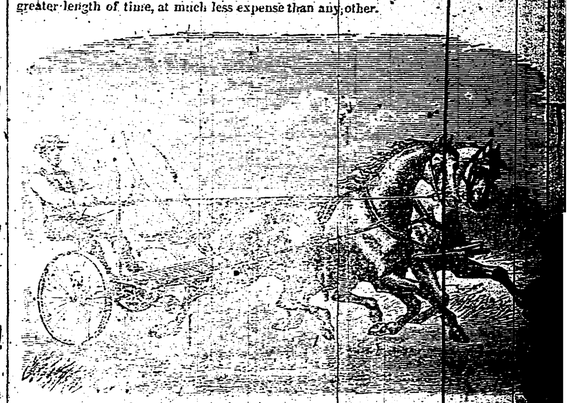
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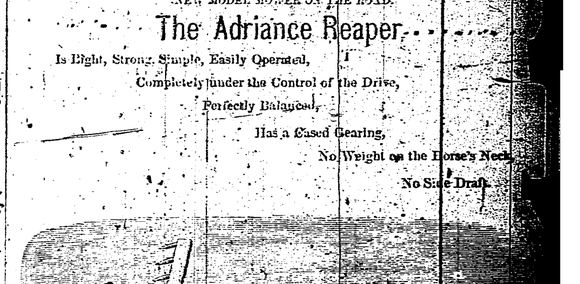
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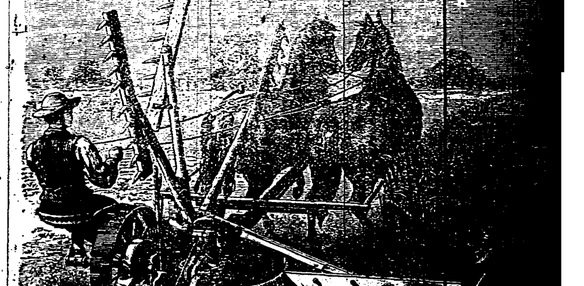
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Mr. Smith answered in the affirmative, and the fat man continued:

"I seen your shingle and thought I'd call in. I've got a big thing on hand."

"Ah! indeed," said Mr. Smith.

"Yes, a regular bonanza, and I'm going to let you in."

"At your service, sir," said Mr. Smith rubbing his hands.

"Now," said the fat man, laying his finger on the desk, "I want a little law."

"Please state the case," said Mr. Smith, taking down eight law books.

"I can sue for slander, can't I," inquired the fat man.

"Of course you can," replied Mr. Smith, "and recover damages."

"Yes. Well, I want to sue a woman for slander."

"A woman?" gasped Mr. Smith.

"Yes, sir," said the fat man, "it's my wife."

"Your wife?" echoed the squire.

"She told me this morning," continued the fat man getting red in the face, "that I was a de—el—that word, I can't pronounce it. But here it is in black and white. I made her write 'em out," he added triumphantly, as he handed Mr. Smith a slip of paper, "now tell me," he went on, "how much the law can grab each case?"

"The first word is deletante," said Mr. Smith, "from the Italian, and means an admirer of fine arts."

"It does, eh," mused the fat man, "a lover of fine arts. Fiddling cupids and things. No law for that?"

"No," said Mr. Smith, "and the next word is delitesence and—"

"Yes," interrupted the fat man, "she told me I had better go there, and I think it means a lunatic asylum."

"No, it means retirement."

"Retirement, so, retire to a back seat, eh! wants me to vacate the premises, I reckon. That's slander, any law for that?"

"None whatever" said Mr. Smith.

"And the next word is, ratiocination, and it means the comparison of propositions, and the deduction of inferences from the comparison."

"Means what?" gasped the fat man.

Mr. Smith repeated.

"That's worse than the word," said the fat man, meditatively. "The-the-comparison of the fences and the-the-de-de-. Well, never mind. Any law for that?"

"Not in this office. And the last word is, piscatorial."

"Now what's that? I think we've got her there," said the fat man excitedly, "she said I enjoyed them sports, and I think she meant I was in the habit of going out with the boys and getting drunk, but I can prove—"

"It means you are fond of fishing," interrupted Mr. Smith, gently, as he began replacing the books.

"Fishing,—fishing," yelled the fat man, "that's all that outrageous word means, is it? But it's all right, it's all right. She's a smart woman, a very smart woman. But I've got my eyes open, and I'll catch her yet somehow, and if I don't raise a rumpus, my name ain't Fuller."

And the door rattled as he passed out.

I Live in Deadwood.

A Brooklyn boy, who had spent some six months in the Black Hills, struck home recently and sauntered up Fulton street. He was dressed in an antelope skin shirt, a pair of black tail deer skin pantaloons, beaded moccasins and a white felt hat with a brim like a wagon wheel. He wandered into a saloon, thumped his fist on the counter and howled for tan juice with a glittering eye.

"Will yer jine me, strangers?" he said to three or four gentlemen sitting at a table, adding as they hesitated, "I reckon yer'd better. With me a invite means liquor, or blood. Ye'd better come up."

They approached the bar, and all took it, except one, who took cider, explaining that he had never touched spirits in his life.

"Wall, I'll be dorged!" roared the skin decked traveler. "If yer was with me what I hang out yer'd be inter a hole. 'Cause thar's war yer got to drink, whether yer drink 'er not." "Slick!" And he poured in the poison.

"Where are you from, if I might ask?" inquired the cider man.

"From? right from the gulch. The clean up put me a few thousand a head and I'm wanderin' to see the sights. You bet?"

"From the mines?"

"Straight from jist whar yer reckoned I was, stranger. I been inter the Hills. Panned big and now I'm in for a re'glar old He. You bet!"

"How are things in the hills now? Is business depressed or are things flourishing?"

"I don't know nothin' about them big words, but if yer want fer ter know how things is, they're thar' right thar. I seen twenty millions o' money taken out o' my mine in' fourteen hours. That's trade! That's hittin' gilt every wash, and don't yer forgit it; you bet?"

"How does Custer City seem to progress?"

"I ain't no bizness with no Custer City—I'm a miner, I am."

"I saw in a recent paper that a number of troops have been moved to Fort Mead. Do they think there is any danger from Indians?"

"Injuns? Injuns, pard! Why ther's more'n seven millions of 'em setten around on the rocks waitin' for a chance to lite in. Injuns! Why you don't know nothin' about Injuns here. I seen ten hundred thousand troops killed in an hour and a half! But I don't mind no Injuns! I tunneled under four tribes, camped half a mile from my claim, and every doggoned one of them went up in the blast. You bet! There can't no Injuns git away with a Hiller, and don't yer forgit it!"

"Deadwood must be rather a dangerous locality. I had no idea it was so exposed."

"Deadwood! Dangerous! Say, stranger, if yer ever learn 'to gamble, jist put yer money on the statement that Deadwood is dangerously placed. Yer'll win, pard. Yer'll scoop the pot each tussle, or count my judgment deuce box."

"Going to be in Brooklyn any length of time?"

"Jist come to take a squint at it. Say, show me around. Show me a faro bank. I've got too much dust fer comfort, and I'd like to drop or pick up. Show me around, stranger, and I'll make yer proud of yer-elf."

"I don't think you would find me a very good guide, for I've only been here a comparatively short time, but perhaps one of my friends, who reside here, would—"

"Don't belong here? Whar ye from, stranger? What's yer repee?"

"I live in Deadwood," responded the stranger. "I'm only"—

If the young traveler will come around and pay for those drinks all will be forgiven.

Food Supply of Paris.

There are twenty-six millers in the environs of Paris, St. Denis, and Sceaux who employ 234 men. There are, in the departments of the Seine, 1,964 bakers, who employ 7,264 hands, 2,251 being females. Besides these there are 1,062 pastry cooks, who employ 3,156 men and 555 women. In the mills the men get, on an average, 7s. per day, the bakers about 5s. 6d. for men in the town, and 3s. for women; in the suburbs the men 3s. 6d. and the women 2s. 2d. The pastry cooks in Paris get 6s. [illegible] and 5s. for women; in the suburbs [illegible] for men, and 2s. for women.

[illegible] richest woman in America is [illegible] Mrs. E. H. Green of Bellows [illegible]. Her estate is valued at [illegible]

The Potato.

The famine prevalent in Ireland is largely owing now, as in the past, to the failure of the potato crop, on which that unhappy land had so uniformly depended for food. It is singular that our common potato should be called Irish, because the bulk of the lower order of the Irish are accustomed at home to use it as the chief article of diet. While it is hard to decide where it has spread since its cultivation by man, it is a native of mountainous districts of tropical and subtropical America, probably from Chili to Mexico. It has been asserted that the first vegetable of the kind known to civilization was discovered in Patagonia, but the assertion has never been corroborated. Humboldt doubted if it had ever been found truly wild; but later travelers of high scientific reputation are satisfied on this point. The wild plant, except that the tubers are smaller, differs very little from the cultivated plant. The potato has been raised on this continent, and it tubers eaten from times long preceding the discovery of the western world. It seems to have been first taken to Europe in the beginning of the sixteenth century, by the Spaniards, from the vicinity of Quito. It extended from Spain to the Netherlands, France and Italy, but only as a curiosity, being confined to a few gardens. It long bore the same name as the batata, or sweet potato, which is the tuber meant by most Old World writers down to the middle of the seventeenth century. It appears to have been carried to Ireland from Virginia (1556) by Hawkins, a slave-trader, and to England 20 years later by Sir Francis Drake, without attracting much attention, until it was a third time exported from this country by the expedition sent out by Sir Walter Raleigh. Still, a long time passed before the potato began to be widely cultivated. It might be used to advantage, it was thought, for feeding cattle and swine and very poor people, and was finally raised with a view to prevent famines, especially in Ireland, where it was cultivated more extensively than in any other part of Europe. Not before the end of the eighteenth century was it generally introduced into France and Germany. Darwin noted the potato in the humid forest of the Chonos Archipelago and among the Central Chilian Mountains, where the rain does not fall sometimes for six consecutive months. It is closely related to the mandrake and deadly nightshades, and from its stems and leaves a potent narcotic may be extracted. The eating of potatoes was for a while forbidden in Burgundy, as they were thought to be poisonous, and the common people of England long cherished a prejudice against them. They are now used almost universally, and they and corn are considered two of the greatest gifts which this continent has furnished to the Old World. The potato really is and should be designated as the American potato.

A Waspish Pastor.

Dr. Thorn was a pastor by himself. He was thin as a lath, lank as a June shad, and solemn as a tombstone. He had no gestures, and seldom lifted his eyes from his book. If screwed to the floor he could not have been more immovable.—He labored daily like a ditcher, and got his living mainly from his farm. When he took his charge his senior deacon struck the key note when he said: "The Lord keep you humble, and we will keep you poor." The minister kept his farm, and his farm kept him. He went from the hay field to a funeral, and was back again before the hearse started. He called his clerical garments "regimentals," and kept them hung in the garret. His "breeches" were wash-leather, dyed black, lasting through a generation. Into these enduring and never yielding habiliments the old dominie was shook at the very beginning, and they never stretched; so much room and no more. One Sunday morning Mr. Thorn went into the garret to array himself. The bell tolled from the old tower, and the parson had no time to spare. Mercy! what a sight! A colony of wasps in the old man's breeches! The farmer preacher had a contest now and then with this insect. He knew how venomous a colony of wasps was. The bell was slowly nearing the end, and something must be done. A long stick and an adroit manipulation ejected the intruders—except two vagrants who were on a foraging expedition in the seams. The pastor entered the church on the last stroke of the bell, and the sermon was reached without disaster. Then trouble began, as the wasps intimated that they were crowded. The staid and stiff dominie became agile. He clasped his hands on his side, leaped from the floor, skipped from side to side, and gave other signs of his annoyance and agony. He saw the agitation, for the people thought he had gone stark mad, without doubt. Imploringly he raised his hands, and cried out: "My deer brethern have pity on me. I don't know what's the matter. I know the word of the Lord is in my mouth, but I'm afraid the devil's in my breeches."

He's Got to Show Coin.

A few months ago a conductor on one of the Brooklyn street cars suddenly experienced religion and joined a small flock in the neighborhood of his residence. None more devout than he was to be found the country round, and every spare moment from his business was put into something energetic toward strengthening up the little church into which he had projected himself. Noticing his interest, his pastor, to encourage him shoved him along all he could, and in a short time the new convert was a shining light among his fellow worshipers, and the Christian grace with which he passed the contribution plate evoked nickles from what before had been barren pockets.

One Sunday morning a hoodlum was noisy and the conductor quietly ordered him out. He went but the following Sunday evening he appeared with a mob of dissolute companions, bent on a difficulty. The conductor kept an eye on the leader until the disturbance became unbearable.

"Put on brakes a moment, parson," said he, "till I look after his fare."

Approaching the thug he went for him and wiped up several yards of aisle with him and then stood him on his legs.

"Five cents for the Kingdom of God!" he demanded.

The hoodlum said he did not have to pay.

"Five cents for this ride on the Gospel chariot," and he smashed the thug in the countenance.

"But brother," remonstrated the pastor, "you cannot compel him to contribute."

"Never you mind that, parson. You preach and I'll collect. This man can't stand head on this [illegible]

AGRICULTURE.

Resuscitating Chilled Lambs.—The season of easily lambs is at hand, and it is a season of the year when they are liable, in some instances, to be chilled. When lambs are chilled it is difficult to revive them even by gentle rubbing, warming by the stove, wrapping in old flannel, and other old-time methods. We have been for some time thinking over the matter, and now suggest another plan of treatment. The old flannel and bushel basket, or substitute, will still be required after the lamb is taken out of the bath. When the lamb is chilled, prepare a pail two-thirds full of warm water, say 96 deg. F., or as warm as the foot (not the hand) will comfortably bear. Put the lamb into this bath, all except its head, for five to ten minutes, according to the effect it has on him. If he revives in five or six minutes, take him out; if he revives slowly, keep him in about ten minutes. He will show any revival by kicking and struggling. Of course the head must be held by some one while the rest of the body in under water in the pail. When the lamb is taken out, hole it up gently, in a warm place, by the fore legs and head, allowing the water to drain off; then wipe over gently to dry; wrap in old flannel or other woolen, and put in the basket, in a warm place. We think this plan of resuscitating chilled lambs will work pretty well (best in the hands of the farmer's wife), because the warm water will quickly and equally warm every part of the skin, thus equalizing the circulation in all parts quickly and effectually. The lamb should not be exposed to cool or cold air till thoroughly dry. If the lamb is able to suck, the ewe may be brought to the lamb, or the lamb to the ewe, in such a way as to prevent chilling again. By means of a warm bath, the heat of the water extends to every part alike, and quickly, while such is not the case in warming by the fire; and we do not see why the warm bath is not as good or better than any other means for the purpose indicated.

Model Farming.—The "Brownstone" farm, in Princess Anne county, Maryland, is owned by Newall Reid. It has just had a fine farm residence erected on it, in the place of the old house which was burned last year. This house fronts both the Manokin river and the lawn leading up to it on the other side from the country road, and is a model of a comfortable country residence. The farm contains 886 acres. Of this Mr. Reid has 25 acres in strawberries, in bearing, which are looking remarkably well for this dry season. There are 15 acres of strawberries newly planted this spring. There are 25 acres in peach trees. He planted this spring 140 acres in corn. There are 100 acres in wheat, on which he has seeded 137½ bushels. This crop looks green, very healthy and is as level as a floor. On this same land he has sown 14 bushels of clover seed. There are 24 acres in oats, which is also seeded in clover. There are 75 acres in grass—clover and timothy—which he will cut in June. The cleared land is 600 acres. The balance, 286 acres is in woodland. It takes 18 horses and 5 yokes of oxen to do the work of this farm. The prettiest sight of all was a flock of 75 Southdown ewes and two bucks, whilst mingling and frisking among them were 86 fine fat lambs. He has used on these crops 10 tons Pocomoke Super-phosphate, 10 tons Ross' Super phosphate and 1 ton Soluble Sea Island Guano.

Watering in a Dry Time.—In the summer droughts which now and then occur it is common to see persons everywhere at work watering the garden to keep things alive till the regular rains come. It is the experience of all, that the more it gets the more it wants, and thus on the whole it does little good. Yet water can be so given as to be free from this objection. It is the hardening of the surface which causes the evil, and a hard, compact surface always dries out faster than a loose one. The proper way is to take the earth away for a few inches around the plant to be watered, so as to make a sort of basin, and into this pour the water, letting it gradually soak away. After it has all disappeared and the surface gets a little dry, then draw the earth back again which has been misplaced to make the basin. This will make a loose surface over the watered part, which will preserve it from drying out rapidly. Tomatoes, egg-plants, cabbages and other things of this character, watered in this way will need no renewal of water for several weeks. It is a slow way of getting such work done, but it is the only sure way of doing it.

Washing and Oiling Harness.—At no time of the year do harness need more seeing to than now, especially after having been exposed to the rains and snows of the winter. Not only is it necessary that all repairing be done before the dryer season sets in, but that the harness should be thoroughly washed and every particle of dirt removed before being oiled. The proper way is to first take the harness apart, unbuckling every strap, and wash each piece separately in clean, warm soap suds, until every atom of old grease and gum is removed, and hang them up in some moderately warm place until partially but not thoroughly dry, when they should be well greased with neats-foot oil, rubbing it well in and after a good wiping off, hang up to dry. To have the leather perfectly clean before applying the oil is the important point. Better not oil at all than to apply on dirty leather. Nor need old harness that has been so long neglected as to have become perfectly dry and hard be oiled at all, as the evil is done already, and no oiling will remove it. The fibres of the leather have lost their usual tenacity and oiling will not restore; in fact, the softening of the leather only weakens it, just as a sheet of paper will tear more easily from being wet.

Charcoal pulverized and mixed with water is highly recommended for relieving cattle suffering from any derangement of the stomach, such as bloat, hoven, etc.

Stone Boats.

At no time in the year, are stone-boats so much in request as at this season, when there are so many heavy things to carry to and from the barn and field. The harrows, plows, bags or barrals of grain, and fertilizers, with other things that are often taken across plowed ground, are best conveyed on a stone-boat. Every farmer should have one or more of these low and handy vehicles, which costs but a trifle for lumber and bolts, and can be made in the shop on a rainy day. All things considered, the kind made from two-inch plank, sawed with an upturned end, is as good as any. When the boat is not in use, it should be placed on two timbers, or tipped on edge, so that the bottom may not rest on the earth, and thus be kept from the wet, and preserved from otherwise rapid decay.

Bethelot has examined the question whether the ordinary sound vibrations of bodies can produce chemical decompositions and combinations. It is believed by many persons that explosives may be detonated if exposed to the influence of certain musical notes, but this belief is by no means firmly established, although Berthelot tried the effect of very deep sounds and very acute ones upon ozone, arsenic hydride, sulphuric acid, in presence of ethylin oxygenated water, and persulphuric acid, without noticing any change of stability. He thinks, therefore, that matter is unaffected [illegible]

DOMESTIC.

Seeding for Immediate Pasture.—On land plowed last fall, or in cornstalks, we would advise sowing, as soon as the land is in order in spring, a bushel of oats per acre, with a peck of timothy, ten pounds of red clover, two of white, and a few pounds of blue grass. Keep off the cattle till the oats have covered the ground; then, if you do not stock too heavily, you will have pasture continuously. Seeding down on spring plowing is uncertain, if the season is dry. The increased interest in cattle-growing will demand a largely-increased acreage in grass, and many farmers, we find, are needing pasturage the coming summer who have made no move so far toward it. We have tried the above plan and succeeded very well. The oats disappear in July, but the timothy will then be abundant.

In washing colored cotton goods there are a great number of ways by which the color may be preserved. For buffs or grey linen a tablespoonful of black pepper to a pailful of water will "set" the color and not harden the water at all. Let the articles to be washed soak in this water a half hour or so and then wash as usual. It is excellent for black or colored cambrics or muslins, and with ordinary good washing these articles can be kept looking new a long time. The suds should be made with the water in which the black pepper was put and in which they were soaked. Buffs and grey are not easily spotted after having been washed in the pepper water. It not only prevents fading but keeps the color from "running."

As one pound of Dobins' Electric Soap, (made by Cragin & Co., Philadelphia,) will do the work of five pounds of any other, it is really the cheapest, though it costs a little more per pound. Try it.

Insects on House Plants.—Place the pots on a table or platform on which there is an inch or two of sand. Cover them with any inverted vessel, the sand making the edges fit closely. Or place over them a light frame or a support, and cover them with a cloth. Then burn tobacco under the cover, and let the smoke remain fifteen minutes. This is better than syringing, because the smoke penetrates every corner and crevice. When the open soil is infested with insects, caused by a free use of fertilizers, a good remedy is to cover it when dry with a fourth of an inch of soot and water liberally, which kills the insect and leaves the plants.

Before putting down carpets, if moths are feared, procure some pulverized salt and alum, or hot alum water. Put this down the cracks next the base-boards, and paste strips of cotton cloth over the other cracks, then if moths are plenty, they will be unable to come up and do mischief. If there are moths' eggs in the carpet, they can be destroyed by wringing a crash towel out of cold water, spreading it down on the carpet, and then going over it with a very hot iron. Go all over the carpet in this way, and the steam will destroy both eggs and insects. This takes time but is the most effectual method for the annihilation of the pests.

To Renovate Black Goods.—Take one-fifth of a pound of extract of logwood and one ounce of saleratus; put in a boiler with 10 gallons of water, cold or hot; stand over the fire, and when boiling-hot put in the goods, either wet or dry; let stand 20 minutes moving about occasionally; rinse in cold water until the goods drip clear, and iron immediately. This will be found a most excellent recepe for restoring black goods of any kind that have become rusty or brown—cloth, cashmere a waterproof cloak, worsted grenadine, or any material that will not cockle in wetting. Press on the wrong side.

Shrewdness and Ability.

Hop Bitters, so freely advertised in all the papers, secular and religious, are having a large sale, and are supplanting all other medicines. There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of these Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability in compounding a Bitters whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation.—*Examiner and Chronicle.*

To Die Blue.—A very beautiful blue may be procured in an hour by the following process: For each pound of material take two and a half ounces of alum and one and a half of cream of tartar. Boil them together for about an hour. Take sufficient warm water to cover the goods and color it to the shade you may desire with chemical blue. Put all into the copper pot and boil it a short time, taking care to keep it stirred all the time; remove the cloth, wash in clear cold water, and hang up to dry.

The soft and silky appearance given to the hair by the use of Carboline, the natural hair restorer and dressing, as now improved and perfected, is the subject of general remark by all who have witnessed its effects upon the human head. Sold by all dealers in drugs.

Some time since a gentleman informed me knew of several persons who had been cured of typhoid fever by the application of mashed raw onions to the feet. Two patients were so ill they were not expected to live over a few hours. Six large onions were pounded to pulp and applied to the feet of the first patient. He was relieved in a short time and got well. The second case was a few weeks later and the result was equally satisfactory.

Cocoanuts for Hanging Baskets.—The shell of the cocoanut is so hard and durable that it can serve an excellent purpose as a hanging basket for small plants. If cut across in the middle, a single shell will make two baskets; it is perhaps more artistic to remove one-third of the space of the shell and remove the rest. The shell of itself is "rustic" and harmonizes with plants.

—A Cough, Cold, Catarrh, or Sore Throat requires immediate attention, as neglect oftentimes results in some incurable Lung Disease. "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" will almost invariably give relief. Imitations are offered for sale, many of which are injurious. The genuine "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" are sold *only in boxes.*

Rheumatism in the Joints.—When the joints are stiffened with rheumatism or a settled cold, the following applications are capital and enable the sufferer to move with ease: Cut into small bits (or grate it) one ounce of castile soap. Add a heaping tablespoonful of red Cayenne pepper. Have these in a small pitcher and then pour on to them half a pint of boiling hot water. Stir until all is dissolved.

Flax on Sod.—For experience two seasons, one wet and the other dry, is that prairie sod, no matter how early turned, rots better, is more free of weeds and grass after a crop of flax then uncropped sod broken in May or June.

When Mind and Body are out of Sorts, with cold extremities, a rubber pass in the skin, constipation, full fullness, and an indisposition to [illegible]

HUMOROUS.

We have "the" smart boy in Centreville, California. To explain all, I must first tell you of his father. Like many gentlemen here he takes his cod liver oil and whisky each morning. Of course such an opportunity of impressing temperance principals upon the youthful mind could not be lost. So—each dose went down with a shiver, terrible frown and exclamation. "Boo! I could stand the cod liver oil, but this whisky?"—another shiver—"is dreadful."

Our boy listened and stored it all up in his youthful mind. The other day he was cleaning out the top shelf of a closet for his mother. "Ma, what's this?" and

Mother looks cautiously and smells.

"Oh! rancid cod liver oil." Soon another bottle is handed down, another and another; contents varying from a teaspoonful to half cup, all "spoilt cod liver oil." At last the youngster raised his eyebrows and gravely remarked:

"Ma, it's funny that pa let's all this good cod liver oil spoil, but never a drop of the whisky!"

Madam C—, dressmaker, has a great deal of trouble with sewing girls. The other day one of them came to her to say:

"Madam, I fear that I will not be able to work much longer. I think I am getting blind."

"Why, how is this? You seem to get along pretty well with your work."

"Yes, but I can no longer see any meat on my plate at dinner."

Madam C— understood, and the next day the young ladies were served with very large but very thin pieces of meat.

"What happiness!" exclaimed our miss. "My sight has come back. I can now see better than ever."

"How is that, mademoiselle?"

"Why, at this moment, I can see the plate through the meat!"

Maine News.

Hop Bitters, which are advertised in our columns, are a sure cure for the ague, billiousness and kidney complaints. Those who use them say they cannot be too highly recommended. Those afflicted should give them a fair trial, and will become thereby enthusiastic in the praise of their curative qualities.—*Portland Argus.*

A big and burly farmer got on board the train and strode heavily down the aisle, looking for a seat, of which there was a painful paucity. Twice he went through the car and then stopped before what appeared to be a seat in which somebody had left a big ulster. He said:

"Seems to be purty crowded like, and the man as left this great-coat here can't hold no seat long's my legs ache so with rheumatiz. Come out'n that."

He grabbed the ulster and lifted it up to toss it into the rack above, when a voice came from its folds with startling sharpness. The granger dropped the coat in alarm, and presently a form struggled out of its depths and offered to lick the astounded agriculturist who went for the smoking-car, and felt so small that the conductor missed him entirely in taking up the tickets.

Nervousness, and all derangements of the nervous system, are usually connected with a diseased condition of the blood. Debility is a frequent accompaniment. The first thing to be done is to improve the condition of the blood. This is accomplished by taking Vegetine. It is a nerve-medicine, and possesses a controlling power over the nervous system.

A little girl, aged three, went to church lately to see a christening. When, on her return, she was asked what she thought of the baby, she replied: "It was a good baby; it did not cry when the gentleman washed its head."

A young wife remonstrated with her husband, a dissipated spendthrift, for his conduct. "Love," said he, "I am like the prodigal son; I shall reform by and by." "I will be like the prodigal son, too," she replied, "for I will arise and go to my father."

Everything conducive to the better condition of the baby is sure to attract attention; and hence it is that Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is becoming more and more appreciated, as its wonderful influence in subduing the diseases of babyhood becomes recognized. Price 25 cents.

Ada (aged four), who was doing something, and was told to desist by her mother. Mother.—"Ada, am I to speak to you again?" Ada—"Yes ma, you may if you like."

A little girl went into a drug store the other day and said to the proprietor in a half whisper: "If a little girl hain't got no money, how much chewing-gum do you give her for nothing?"

A boy of four, taken to church for the first time, listened to the organ for a few moments and then said: "When will the organ man let the monkey out?"

It was a little fellow who had to live and learn who asked his mother if bees had splinters in their tails when his bare feet came down upon a yellow hornet.

The time has passed for the Elixirs, Cordials' etc. for the Baby, and Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is now the established and reliable remedy. Price 25 cents.

The girl puzzle is the latest. It consists in putting an average girl in front of the ribbon counter of a dry goods store and having her find the particular shade she is after.

The Burlington *Hawkeye* says there are two kinds of oranges in this country, one is the kind that is good to eat, and the other is the kind that is sold on railway trains.

"Oh, pa!" cried a little fellow upon seeing a trout for the first time, it's got the measles, hasn't it?"

"Like father, like son," as the young lady remarked when she decided to accept the young man for sake of the old man's money.

"Mamma, does the noise hurt your head?" "Yes, dear; don't do it any more." "Then why don't you go into the other room, mamma?"

Women as Lawyers.

Though *Old Mr. Fogy* has long questioned woman's fitness to practice law, and her opinions concerning legal matters, no one has ever questioned her opinion concerning Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive cure for those "dragging-down" sensations, and the many diseases and weaknesses peculiar to their sex. The Favorite Prescription is sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee.

Pittsburgh, *Pa., March 14th, 1879.* Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.: *Dear Sir.*—I was treated by four different physicians without avail for disease of the liver and uterus. Some time ago I commenced the use of your Favorite Prescription and Discovery, being at the time, confined part of the time to my bed. At first my improvement was slow, but I persevered, [illegible]

"I wish I was dead," is an expression not unfrequently used by the Dyspeptic and sufferer from Liver disease; the depressed spirits unfitting the mind for anything and almost driving him to despair. Be of good cheer, there is life and health left for you yet. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator. It regulates the liver, dispels despondency and restores health. Look well that you get the genuine, prepared by J. H. Zeilin & Co., enclosed in a white wrapper, with a red Z on the front.

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Electricity Versus Gas.—Five pounds of gas coal will yield 25 cubic feet of gas, which, if burned in five gas burners of the best construction, will give from 20 to 22 candles each, or 100 candles to 110 candles in the aggregate. Twelve Edison lamps produce 120 candles and the five gas burners produce 100 to 110 candles, with an equivalent expenditure of fuel. If each apparatus and system could be worked with equal facility and economy, this would of course show something in favor of the electric light; but when in fact everything in this regard is against the electric light, which demands vastly more machinery and that of a more delicate kind, requires more skillful management, shows more liability to disarrangement and waste, and presents an utter lack of the storage capacity which secures such a vast efficiency, convenience and economy in gas, then this relatively trifling economy disappears or ceases to have my controlling importance in the practical relations of the subject.

A new file, for soft metals and wood, recently brought to the attention of the Royal Scottish Society of Arts, consists of two hundred separate plates of steel, held together by means of screws upon an iron bar passing through them. The filings can readily be removed by simply loosening the screws and letting the plates come apart from one another. This is claimed to be a great advantage. In addition to it, the inventor asserts that his file will outwear thirty dozen of the ordinary cut files employed for like purpose, which if true would make it more economical to the extent of fifty dollars per annum, assuming it to be in constant use.

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A German chemist, M. Menki, contends that the death of fungi, when enclosed in sealed tubes, is due to poisonous gases which the plants give out themselves, and is not attributable to the absence of oxygen. He holds that the presence of oxygen is not essential to the existence of those fungoid growths which are characteristic of decomposition.

Mr. Raynaud has recently produced hydrophobia in rabbits by inoculating them with saliva from a man who was suffering from the disease. From these, after they were dead, it was transmitted to others by inoculation. The inference is that caution should be used in handling hydrophobic patients, even after they are dead.

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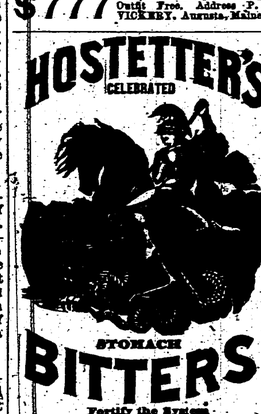

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