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"Fudge," Says Anty Drudge.

Crisscross—"I tell you this toast smells of steaming suds. It isn't fit to eat."

Mrs. Crisscross—"Well, I had to make it at the kitchen fire where the clothes are steaming. If you knew what a job this washing is you wouldn't expect a good breakfast on wash-day morning."

Anty Drudge—"Fudge! my dear. Just you do your washing with Fels-Naptha in lukewarm water. Then you won't have steam or nauseous odors and you can begin the washing well after breakfast and still have it done before noon."

Old-fashioned ways may be best in some things but not in washing clothes.

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That is why she prefers the Fels-Naptha way.

There's nothing old-fashioned about Fels-Naptha.

It's distinctly modern and scientific.

It dissolves all kinds of dirt in cool or lukewarm water without boiling or hard-rubbing.

It cuts down the time for washing to one-half or less.

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It leaves the woman fresh and happy after the washing is done instead of tired and bad humored.

All this wouldn't persuade any one to use Fels-Naptha if the clothes didn't come out of the wash bright and clean.

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INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED

A Number of Complicated Questions Dealt With For Benefit Of The Kent Voter—Many Changes Over The Law Of Last Year.

The judges and clerks appointed for the last November election will hold over and will conduct the coming primary, which will be held on Monday, May 6, 1912.

There shall be a meeting of the registration officers on May 1st, 1912, from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of revising the registration lists by adding new voters, making transfers, etc., so that fair and full opportunity may be afforded to all voters, duly qualified, to take part in the primary election, as hereinbefore referred to.

Each and every voter as he appears at the first primary election at which he votes subsequent to the passage of this act (which is the primary to be held May 6, 1912) before he is permitted to vote at said primary shall state to which party he desires to have himself recorded as affiliated, and the Board of Registers shall thereupon enter the same accordingly in the column provided for the party affiliations.

If a voter fails to declare his party affiliation he cannot vote in primary and the word "Declined" shall be entered opposite his name in the appropriate column. In said primary and all primary elections hereafter held any person so registered as affiliated with a given political party shall have the right to vote the official ballot of that party and no other.

The ballots are canvassed and counted as they were last year, and the same provisions apply to the envelope. A ballot may be prepared before entering the polling place, but upon a voter presenting himself to vote, it having been determined that he is qualified to vote, a blank official ballot shall be given him, together with the envelope. The voter then retires to one of the booths, taking with him the blank ballot, and shall there mark with a black pencil his ballot for voting, or use the ballot which he has already prepared. He then places the ballot in the envelope and seals same and hands it to one of the judges of the election, who, after detaching the coupon, deposits same in the ballot box. If the envelope is unsealed, it is the duty of the judge to send the voter back to the booth to seal same, and should the voter mutilate his envelope he is entitled to another one just as he would be to another ballot in the general election.

Count of Ballots.

If any envelope shall be found not of the character required for this primary, or if any mark or device be found on any envelope except the initials of the judge as required, or if any mark or device be found on any ballot, or peculiar folding, by which, in the opinion of the majority of the judges, the same may be identified so as to indicate who has cast the same, the ballot so marked or the ballot contained in the envelope so marked, or folded, or improperly substituted, shall not be counted. When more than one ballot is found in one envelope, or a ballot is found in an envelope furnished for a different political party than that for which the ballot was provided, the same shall not be counted for any person unless a cross mark made by a black pencil appears after his name. Only ballots marked with a black pencil shall be counted. If any envelope is deposited in the box inadvertently without being properly sealed, and without being detected by the judge receiving the same, or shall become unsealed in the ballot box, it shall not be thrown out for that reason. If more names are marked for any office than there are persons to be voted for, such ballots shall not be counted for such candidates or delegates, or other persons to be voted for, as the case may be, but the whole ballot shall not for that reason be rejected for candidates for other offices or positions.

On the day of the primary election the polls shall be opened at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m.

The returns shall be made before 12 o'clock noon of the second day after the primary in the same manner and form as is provided for in general elections.

IN MEMORIAM.

HURLOCK.—Entered into rest on the 10th inst., Irving C., only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hurlock, of Millington.

Death, the appalling angel, has spread its wings over that happy home circle and removed therefrom a lovely form, leaving only broken hearts and bitter lamentations.

An obedient and dutiful son, a kind and loving brother—a staunch and true friend—he was loved with devotion in his home and honored and esteemed in the community in which he had spent his young life.

When the "Pell Monster" casts before him his gruesome and appalling shadows, warning us, by their very coming of the sad and inevitable sorrow which their presence foretells, even then our hearts are crushed by bereavement; but woen, without a moment's warning, it descends upon us with all its fury, like a thunder bolt from a clear sky, the keen and bitter anguish of it is inexpressible and, but for Divine assistance, would be unbearable.

In the flashing of a moment came the summons from the "Great beyond," and there, with his youthful, manly head unpillowed with no loving mother near to smooth his aching brow—no kind and sympathetic father to whisper the last words of comfort and consolation—no devoted sister to imprint the loving farewell kiss upon his dying lips—there, alone, he yielded up his spirit to its Maker—*happy* we are sure—

"For still his features wore that light
That lies not with the breath,
And life ne'er looked more truly bright
Than in his smile of death."

Earth has returned to earth—our treasure has sank into the sepulchre, and as the tomb closed silently over the loved form, we

"turning drew
A long, long sigh and wept a last adieu!
But was it such? It was. Where thou has gone
Adieus and partings are a sound unknown
May we but meet thee on that peaceful shore,
The parting words shall pass our lips no more."

There was every prospect before him of a life of usefulness and prosperity, but the ways of Divine Providence are mysterious—in the midst of his hopeful efforts, his mission on earth is ended—his sun hath gone down while it is yet day—his short life is closed—but it has not been without profit to those whom he has left for, in the years which are to come, his noble traits of character which diffused sunshine and joy in the family circle can never be forgotten.

Like a blighted flower of the lovely spring, he has withered before the untimely frosts of death; the chiseled marble now marks his final resting place, bright stars—the "Forget-me-nots of angels"—keep nightly vigil o'er him, while to us remains the mission of strewing his grave with lilies—fit emblems of his purity and innocence.

When the grief stricken ones gather around the lonely fireside—until recently, an unbroken, happy circle—they miss therefrom the fair form of him whose loving heart made him dear to all, and in their anguish they sigh:

"But, oh, for a touch of a vanished hand
And the sound of a voice that is still."

Our heart goes out in loving sympathy to the fond parents and the devoted sister whose bereavement is so hard to bear. To them, and to us all who have loved Irving from his earliest childhood, the stroke is a heavy one; but, in the bitter anguish of the moment we hear the still small voice of Faith whispering in words of silvery sweetness: "Follow me. My anchor shall bear thee, my cross inspire thee, and this crown shall be thy eternal reward. Only follow

Women

From Forty-Five to Fifty Are Much Benefited by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The "change of life" is a most critical period in a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

When her system is in a deranged condition, she may be predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of some organ. At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to form and begin their destructive work.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

These symptoms are calls from nature for help. The nerves are crying out for assistance and the cry should be heeded in time.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is prepared to meet the needs of women's system at this trying period of her life. It invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried many women safely through this crisis.

Mrs. Estella Gillispie

ONE CASE OUT OF MANY TO PROVE OUR CLAIMS.

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"I saw your advertisement in a paper and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I was helped from the first. At the end of two months the swelling had gone down, I was relieved of pain, and could walk with ease. I continued with the medicine and now I do almost all my housework. I know your medicine has saved me from the grave and I am willing for you to publish anything I write to you, for the good of others."—Mrs. Estella Gillispie, R.F.D. No. 4, Box 34, St. Anne, Illinois.

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Heaviest (95-100 lbs.) and finest (116 warp) China Mattings in pin check, block and stripe designs. These are the best grades of China Matting and sell elsewhere at $12 to $16 roll. Our special price for this sale, yard, 22½c.

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180 warp, long straw Japanese Mattings in pretty carpet patterns, in red, blue, oak, multi-colors and white inlaid. Odd rolls (one of a kind) of best 25c to 30c grades. Yard, 18½c.

$1.50 and $1.75 Inlaid Linoleum 98c

Cook's and Nairn's heaviest (A & B) grades in tile and parquette designs. These are full rolls (all perfect), with clear designs, of best $1.50 and $1.75 grades. Square yard, 98c

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Made of seasoned lumber (walnut finish) with mortised corners; best black enamel wire; all stock sizes; special... 69c

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Walnut finish frames, metal slides; well made.

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Resolutions of Respect From Rock Hall Council No. 40, Jr. O. U. A. M.

WHEREAS, God who doeth all things well, has taken from our midst our dear friend and brother, JOHN W. ELBURN, who died on the 11th day of April, 1912, we bow submissively to His will; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by the death of Bro. John W. Elburn Rock Hall Council No. 149 has lost a faithful member and his family a loving father, husband and brother; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in their bereavement we tender the family and friends of the deceased the universal sympathy and friendly feeling of our Council, and that with them we mourn our mutual loss, praying God's blessing upon them in their sad hour of affliction. That as a mark of esteem our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, and that these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, published in the KENT NEWS and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

GOOD READING.

The noted book entitled "THE PARSON OF THE ISLANDS," has been put on sale at Toulson's Drug Store, Chestertown, at 75c each. It is a biography of the Rev. Joshua Thomas embracing sketches of his contemporaries and remarkable camp-meeting scenes on the islands of the Chesapeake and the Eastern Shore, by Adam Wallace. It is certainly an interesting book and cheap. m30-4t

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