TOO MANY DRESS GOODS. Ready-Made CLOTHING SHOES.

In each of these Departments we are going to put the Knife, and we are going to CUT until we have made the Price to Suit Our Customers. We have a GREAT MANY KNEE PANT SUITS in sizes from 5 to 14 Years. Nice all-wool goods Suits we have been getting $5 and $6 a Suit, they are now offered at $3 a Suit. Also, an elegant GENTLEMAN'S SUIT cheap to any customer at $10.00. They will be sold as long as they last at $6.50. We must reduce this Stock, and if we can't sell for a profit we must sell at a loss.

We have 1,000 Pair of SHOES which we are also going to sell at some price, and now the place for you to buy cheap Shoes is at our Shoe counter. An elegant LADIES' NEWPORT TIE for 75c., and a better one for 85 cts. An elegant Line of GENTLEMEN'S SHOES at very Reduced Prices.

Ladies, you will miss a big bargain if you buy your Dress before you visit OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT. We will make it Specially Interesting for you, and give you a big reduction on every yard of DRESS GOODS you buy. Our STOCK is LARGER than we EVER had it BEFORE and Our STYLES PRETTIER.

In our Wash Fabrics we have most everything in the new thing. Some goods are as pretty and have the same figures and Finish as the India Silk. Never before were printed goods so pretty. We are offering a Very Handsome Line of Figured China Silks for Dresses and Shirt Waists. They are well worth 75c. but they are offered by us at 59c.

MATTINGS !! MATTINGS !!! MATTINGS !!

We are selling the best Matting for 12½c. we ever saw sell at that price. Our better goods at 15, 18, 20c are Very Cheap.

Visit our Store and Save Money.

VERY TRULY,

W. P. CHAFFINCH.

JARRELL, GODWIN Co.

NEW STORE!!
NEW GOODS!!!
BARGAINS, BARGAINS.

St. Patrick's Day with its usual storm, which just for consistency it had to have, is in the past.

Easter with its usual bright sunshine, is just ahead

Only a step from St. Patrick to Easter.

The Easter Boom is Beginning at the New Store of

JARRELL, GODWIN CO.

NEW. CLEAN. FRESH.

Never before has there been such Dress Goods, Clothing, Carpets, Mattings, Hosiery, Gloves, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Underwear, etc., shown in Easton for the money as found at

JARRELL, GODWIN CO.'S NEW STORE.

The wonder is how so many bright thoughts have been so prettily brought out by the designers in Dress Goods, Clothing, etc., as can be found at

JARRELL, GODWIN CO.'S NEW STORE.

Our Dress Goods Department has surprised us. We have already sold as many Dress Goods as we expected to sell the entire month. Why is this so? Because they are so pretty and cheap at

JARRELL, GODWIN CO.'S New Store.

If you haven't examined our New Stock you don't know what you have missed and we can't tell you, but ask you to come to our counters and see what we have for you. It is a pleasure for us to show you our goods, no matter whether you want to buy or not. Call and see us and get prices.

Our Mattings. We simply ask you to come and look before buying. We have had big sales on our Mattings and Carpets.

Our Clothing Department. Just think—Suits from $1.50 up to $25. Odd Pants from 25c. up.

We have a nice Ladies' Waiting Room, with all the home comforts. Call at commodious store and make yourself at home. Everybodd welcome. A call will be appreciated. Our motto:

We Will Not Be Undersold.

We will positively meet any cuts on any goods, no matter what the Price is.

JARRELL, GODWIN Co.

Opposite Brick Hotel.

At J. J. Jump's Old Stand.

J. R. Jarrell, J. G. Godwin, W. G. Ball.

M. B. NICHOLS

does not depend on the beautiful new front to draw custom, but on the exquisitely fine goods and low prices.

HE MEANS BUSINESS.

FAIR EXCHANGE IS—RECIPROCITY.

See here, Ladies, we are constantly receiving and disposing of new and most desirable all-wool dress fabrics. The scarlet shades, in plain and fancy weaves, at bargain prices.—Reseda, heliotrope, old rose and all the leading shades, all wool henrietta and whipcord, serges. Silk warp sublimes—no more appropriate word for these goods in the dictionary. In heliotrope, reseda, pearl, ash-of-rose, cream and black. Cream all-wool albatross.

Navy and black all-wool storm serges.—Great bargains in silks. Changeable surahs, in the most desirable shadings. Changeable taffetas, superb colorings. Changeable fancy surahs and taffeta silks, for trimmings and shirt waists. All colors in satins, such as reseda, heliotrope, em minence, emerald, old rose, sage, cardinal, navy, golden brown.

All shades cotelle silks and large stock of kaikai wash silks, white grounds with pink, lavender and light blue stripes. Handsome striped and polka dot habutai wash silks.

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The Easton Gazette.

SATURDAY, - - - - APRIL 22, 1893.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

An Attractive Wedding.—The magnificence of the interior of Calvary M. P. Church was greatly increased by handsome potted plants and large floral arches, last Wednesday, which were arranged by kind friends in honor of the marriage of Miss Margaret R. Dawson and Richard H. T. Councell. The ceremony was announced to take place at 3 o'clock, and promptly at that hour the bridal party entered the church, preceeded by the ushers, and as the sweet strains of Mendelsshon's wedding march rolled through the church, walked slowly up the center aisle to the altar. There they were met by the Rev. J. H. Sheridan who performed the ceremony. Kneeling under a beautiful arch they were made one, and received, through his servant, the blessing of "God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Ghost." Amid showers of rice and many hearty congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Councell drove to the P. W. & B. depot where they took the train for points North.

Miss Ella Morgan, of Baltimore, was at the organ, previous to the ceremony, she favored those assembled with a number of beautiful selections which she rendered with skill and grace. The ushers were Messrs. Wm. Councell, Jos. T. White, Albert H. Hughes and Geo. Shehan.

Mrs. Councell is a prominent member of the M. P. Church and has by her many kind deeds and pleasant ways made herself loved and esteemed by all who know her. Besides holding many church offices she has long and acceptably filled the Secretaryship of the W. C. T. U. Mr. Councell is also a member of the same church and one of the official board. As one of our leading and model citizens he has long occupied an exalted position in the community. As chairman of the Prohibition party in Talbot he also well known. This wedding was indeed a happy one, uniting as it does two of God's children, who will abundantly bless them through this life, and at its close reward them for their many good works with a seat at his right hand in Heaven. ss

Head Quarters For Bicycles.—Bicycles are coming largely in use and we can furnish them for Ladies, Gentlemen, Girls and Boys, at lowest prices, with both Cushion and Pneumatic tires. Fine machinery and healthy exercise.

Shannahan & Wrightson Hdw. Co.

Easton High School again comes forward this spring to add its quota to the musical and literary pleasures of the season. Friday next, April 28th at 8 p. m. in Music Hall, the spicy and brilliant little opera, A Trip To Europe, will be given and in addition seven little fairies will crown their queen of May in mimic show and translate the voices of budding spring in merry songs.

Prof. Helen M. Cole of the State Normal School, with several talented musicians from Baltimore, will also be here to add to the varied and beautiful program. Miss Cole's reputation is national, and even classic Boston welcomes her to its histrionic boards.

The proceeds will go to swell the fund for the purchase of valuable apparatus and books of reference for the school. We confidently hope to see our citizens show their appreciation of the young folks enterprise. We may add, *par parenthese*, that our distinguished musician, Prof. Adolph Brandts Buys, has kindly consented to conduct the musical part of the program.

Tickets on sale at Hughes's drug store. Reserved seats, 35 cents; general admission 25 cents.

Coughing Leads to Consumption. Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

G. A. R.—Hicks Post No. 24 will celebrate their Eleventh Anniversary on Tuesday evening next, April 25th, by a public meeting and Campfire at the Courthouse in Easton. Captain Frank Nolen, Commander of the Department of Maryland, and his Staff will be present. The exercises will consist of speaking, and music, both vocal and instrumental, and every effort will be made to preserve order and make the occasion one of interest to all who may attend. All ex soldiers, whether members of the Grand Army or not, the Sons of Veterans and the local military are cordially invited to be present. Exercises will commence at 8 o'clock promptly. Free to all.

By command THOS. H. COBURN, Com.

—See the new display advertisement of W. P. Chaffinch whose reputation for being a live merchant has long been established.

Personals.—Mr. Harry White was in Baltimore this week.

Rev. T. F. Waldron was visiting his parents in Pottsville, Pa. this week.

Mr. Wm. Hartnett was in Philadelphia and Wilmington this week.

Mr. T. A. Council was in Easton this week.

Mr. Norman Smithers is in Easton for the summer.

Mr. Chas. C. Nickerson, wife and child and Master Dukes Wooters have returned from an extended trip through Colorado and South California.

Col. Dimpfel has rented and will shortly remove with his family to the Gillingban property on S. Washington Street.

Hon. Chas. H. Gibson and wife are expected to spend to day and to-morrow at Ratcliff.

Dr. Jno. S. Fulton, of Salisbury, candidate for Secretary of the State Board of Health, was in Easton this week.

Mrs. Wm. R. Martin is rapidly improving from a most severe illness.

Mrs. M. H. P. Cox sold three young calves to J. H. Colburn, commission merchant in Phila. this week which sold for three cents a pound and returned her $5 35 for the three.—The calves were beauties, fat and the youngest four weeks old. Does any one know the Pennsylvania law regulating the age for selling veal? There must be some grave reason for receiving such a meagre price.

—Pinafore is progressing and will soon be placed before an Easton audience with a fine orchestra from Baltimore to accompany them.

Our New Ice Factory.—The work upon the ice factory at the north end of Washing street, adjoining the Water Works, is fast nearing completion. The building is of brick and will be sufficiently large to more than accommodate the large plant. The work is under the personal supervision of Mr. Jos. H. White. The machine will arrive in a week or so and by this time next month it is expected the factory will be in operation. The ice will be made from pure spring water and will be a source of much satisfaction to our citizens.

Ebenezer M. E. Church.—Services of an especially interesting character will be held at this church tomorrow. Class meeting at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "Soul Wealth." Sunday School at 2 p. m., League prayer meeting at 7 p. m. and preaching at 8 o'clock, subject "Cain and Abel."—Prayer meeting last evening was largely attended and highly interesting.

Lane's Family Medicine Moves the Bowels each day. Most people need to use it.

George F. Sloan & Bro., Lumber, whose card appers in this paper are very well known through out this county. They are making a special effort for County business, and we are confident that our patrons will do well to see them before buying.

The boards quoted for are sound, largely 16 feet long, and fair widths. The flooring is worked, and the shingles will make a good serviceable roof. 22ap93:f

Election of Delegates.—Last Thursday evening, at the M. E. Church, a meeting of the Epworth League was held. The object of the meeting was to elect a delegation to represent the Easton chapter at the convention to be held at Centreville from May 31st to June 2nd. The following delegates were elected, Miss Mary Jump, Capt. Glanville, Saml. E. Shannahan, Jr. The convention will be a most interesting one and will be attend by representatives from every chapter on the peninsula. The GAZETTE will have a full report of the proceedings.

COUNTY GLEANINGS.

Gossip From Various Points Collected by Faithful Reporters.

TUNIS MILLS.

NELL.

I took one curl of her soft, brown hair
From the dear, little head,
Dressed in the frock which she used to wear,
We had laid her away in the gloom
And silence of that stilly room.
How strange that she was dead!

'Twas her own little room, dark and still,
Where we laid her away;
There, night and morn, she would ask God's will
"To make her a good girl and then
To bless mama and papa—Amen,"
When she knelt down to pray.

Our Nell, our beauty, I can see her now
With her sweet, inspired face,
Like God had laid his hand on her brow
And blest her, before she left Heaven,
With all good gifts that can be given
To one of an earth-born race.

And all that is left is one brown curl
Sacredly put away,
All that is left of my one, pure pearl
With her sweet face, so earnest and wise,
And the soul shining thro' her great brown eyes
Where the light's out for aye.

I know they say our saints are near
And that we need not part,
Though their loved voices we cannot hear;
But I *want* that warm, living thing,
I want *her*—my darling, my darling,
To hold close to my heart.

What matters if she be far or near,
Since I cannot behold
Those lovely eyes or ever hear
Her merry laugh, or feel upon my breast
That little curly head, in loving rest,
Where oft it lay of old?

This then is the end, my little Nell?
I know I should be brave.
But 'twere better than to say farewell
And live through all the long years without
My little one, to weep my heart out
Upon her little grave.

AUNTIE MAY.

CORDOVA.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith and Messrs. Spry Bradley and Ellis K. Stack spend Sunday in Preston.

Miss Allie Higgins of St. Michaels, Miss Hattie Higgins of Easton, were the guests of Miss Lucie Warren at Willow Grove during the first of the week.

The teachers and pupils of our school, celebrated Arbor Day with an entertaining program, consisting of appropriate songs and recitations; after which a number of trees and shrubs were planted.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Tarbutton gave a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Shawn, bride and groom elect on Wednesday evening last. The genial hostess was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Miss Ella and Mrs Thos Quimby. At eight oclock a splendid supper consisting of all the delicacies of the season, was served.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whittman, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sparks, Miss Grace Wittman of St. Michaels; Mersrs H. and W. Shawn, Queenstown; Miss Nellie Warner, Messrs W. F. Jump, H. A. Clark and James M. Wooters, Cardova; Miss Belle Harrison, Mr. W. Embert Willoughby; Mr. Gilbert Woodhouse, Longwoods; Misses H. Neal, N. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Quimby and Mr. B. Hopkins Skipton and Mr. Chas. Bishop, Carmichaels.

Miss Amanda Saulsbury; State Lecturer on physical culture for the W. C. T. U. gave an interesting, instructive and entertaining, lecture in the M. E. Church on Wednesday evening.

The dwelling house on the farm of Col. John L. Fisher, near Cardova, tenanted by Mr. Geo. Roe and family was burned on Tuesday night. The fire broke out about 3 o'clock A. M. and the family had hardly time to save themselves with a few articles of furniture. The origin seems to have been the work of incendiarism.

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The many friends of Judge Jas. L. Hand were glad to see him during his few days visit to Cordova at his son's residence Mr. C. P. Hand. He left for Baltimore Sunday p. m. via Easton Point.

Mrs. Geo. H. Tarbutton gave to her friend Miss E. Bene Wittman a very handsome wedding reception, on her way to her new home in Queen Annes, after having been married in the M. E. Church, St. Michaels on the 19th inst. by Rev. J. P. Morris to Mr. Chas. E. Shawn, a prominent young farmer near Car-Michael P. O. Among others invited and present were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Quimby, Mrs. F. Witttman, mother of the bride, and Grace Wittman of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wittman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sparks of St. Michaels, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wooters, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Wooters, J. A. F. Neal and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Jump, Benny Hopkins and sister, Misses Belle Harrison, Neely Warner, Ruby Crawford, Wm. Embert Mr. Culverhouse and Mr. Clark. The now Mrs. Shawn taught school in Talbot several years, then went to Queen Annes where she has been several years, and with such satisfaction wherever she is known she concluded to settle and be a farmer's wife. The bride was the happy recipient of many useful as well as ornamental presents of silver and china ware. Miss Bene's many friends here wish her a long and happy life.

Mr. S. B. Rose returned from Balto. a few days ago, where she had been purchasing her spring goods. Miss Ruby Crawford, the popular, neat and tasty hat trimmer from Balto. is with her again for the spring and summer season.

Dr. Chas. H. Rose visited Balto. and Washington this week; it is presumed the Dr. would not object to a chip off of Uncle Sam's chunk.

Our democratic friends here don't seem to be making any raid on our efficient and courteous P. M., Mr. Hand.

There seems to be a quiet time in political channels; now and then one can hear, if he has clear cut hearing, a buzz, sometimes like a bee in an old dead cedar, of senatorship, but your correspondent has not learned their tactics yet.

Wheat is looking well and our farmers often speak very favorably and well of the Nickerson Fertilizer Co.'s phosphate.

The dwelling and smoke house on one of Mr. John L. Fisher's farms, tenanted by Mr. Wm. T. Perry and occupied Geo. L. Rose was entirely consumed by fire on Tuesday night last; the fire is supposed to have originated from the work of an incendiary as it occurred late in the night; the buildings were covered by insurance in the agency of Mr M. M. Higgins in the Merchants of Newark, N. J. Mr. Roe was at work away from home and a total loss of all his furniture and their clothing falls very heavily upon him, and his wife and infant child barely escaped with their lives.

BOZMAN.

Plenty of oyster market in Broad Creek.

Farmers are very busy now, some plowing, others hauling out manure.

Arbor day was observed at Bozman School yesterday; the program was entertaining and instructive to the children.

Last Wednesday must have been fertilizer agents day out, two or three were in Bozman following close on the heels of each other.

The people of this community went to the parsonage one evening last week and gave the new parson and family a good pounding; when they left the larder was well supplied for several days to come.

Our old friend Billy Lee was in Bozman this week, we suppose he was looking up his fertilizer trade and perhaps a little mixture of that brand called politics.

The oystermen are counting the days they have to work and hope there will not be any more changes until next winter.

Cupid is again at work around this section and I think from present reports it will not be long before the new pastor will have a pleasant job.

CLOTHING,
HATS, CAPS,
AND
FURNISHING
Have been Added to my Stock of
BOOTS AND SHOES.
YOU
ARE INVITED
TO CALL.
JOHN T. RATHELL,
MARKET SPACE.

Mr. Thomas R. Hunt, who recently had his arm cut off by his saw mill, is out at work again.

Farmers are fearful that clover seed has been injured by the past cool, dry weather.

Wheat is improving fast but not looking well on an average.

Since people have gone to work the congregations at the stores have grown less, therefore we have less news as there is not so much gossip.

The ladies of the mite society have finished furnishing the parsonage. They have also papered the lower rooms, hanging the paper themselves, and it is done well and would be a credit to an expert in the business. The ladies mean to keep a nice home for the pastor and family and are paying for it by their own efforts.

Fish have been plentiful for a few days past.

Under The Bridal Wreath.—The occasion of the marriage of Miss Lottie May Buffett to Dr. Irwin Smith of Washington, on the 13th inst at "Sunset," the beautiful home on Miles River of the bride's parents, was one of unusual interest to the friends of the charming couple. For days it had been heralded with pleasant anticipation by those within their circle of friends, and the realization was no disappointment. Unassuming and graceful, did the bride elect, escorted by her father enter the library, where, under a suspended floral wreath she met her prospective husband, and as the piano echoed the last chords of Mendelsshon's Wedding March the minister, Rev. J. T. Sunderland of Ann Arbor, Mich., stepped forth and solemnly made the contracting parties man and wife. The service was after the Unitarian form—beautiful and impressive.

The bride was attired in white bengaline, en train, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Real orange blossoms held in place her veil and gracefully caught the lace that adorned her dress. Her jewelry was simply soltaires, presents from the groom. The groom was in full dress. The bride's mother wore brocade satin and diamond ornaments. The brothers of the bride acted as ushers.

After the usual congratulations, those present partook of a choice menu served by caterer Meintzer, and daintily arranged on small tables seating four which were delicately strewn with arbutus, fern and violets caught with ribbon. The merry guests enjoyed a delightful social hour at the tables. The presents adorned a large space in the upper hall, while the balustrade and walls were artistically decorated with vines and flowers of so many kinds and in such profusion, that on entering the house one could have easily imagined he had entered fairy land.

Dr. Irwin Smith is a man of learning and refinement. He is engaged in the Agricultural Department of the Government, and is specializing in fungi, having made some valuable discoveries.

Among the invited guests from this section was Mr. Adolph Brandts Buys, a musician of rare excellence, who had long promised the bride he would perform on the occasion of her marriage, and who rendered the march before the ceremony and Bridal Choir from Lohengrin by Wagner after, to the delight of all the other guests.

There were a number from a distance, including the officiating minister, Rev. Dr. Sunderland, a cherished friend of the groom. Mr. Colton, astronomer, from the Lick observatory, California, a special friend and classmate of the groom; Mr. Fairchilds of Washington, associate of Dr. Smith in bacteriological research; Prof. O. F. Cook, of Brooklyn, also a friend of the groom, formerly professor of botany in Syracuse University and more recently one of a party of naturalists who explored the interior of Liberia, and now engaged in compiling the results of a large collection; Mr. and Mrs. Allaband of Delaware, relatives of the family, and Mr. E. P. Hunt of Cleveland with his charming wife and two daughters.

The guests were rarely entertained by the rendition of beautiful selections from Prof. Brandts Buys and some recitations from Miss Hunt, after which they reluctantly left the pleasant surroundings attending the first wedding at "Sunset Farm."

The bride and groom took the boat that same evening to Baltimore, and will make their home in Washington.

Public Business.—Orphans' Court met on Tuesday.

E. T. Roe, adm'r of Dan Cram, presented account of debts sperate and 2nd and final acct. of administration. Passed.

Edw. A. Powell, guardian to Geo. E. Wilson, presented his second acct. Passed.

George Onins and Rosa M. Cahal, administrators of Bayard H. Cahal, presented acct. of interest and 1st and final acct. of administration. Court allowed commissions and the accts, were laid over till 25th inst.

Mary V. Cannon guardian to Bernard Cannon, presented her 5th acct. with her ward. Passed.

Mrs. David Jones appeared in response to summons to show cause why letters of administration should not issue on said deceased personal estate. The case was continued to May 2nd.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

County Commissioners met on Tuesday.

Receipts were:

N. E. Nicols, J. P. fines.		$ 47 75
W. T. H. Lee, collector, 1892,		496 52
Thos. A. Lloyd, "	1891,	328 00
Total,		$872 27

Thomas H. Coburn was given permission to use the court room Tuesday night for the Grand Army anniversary.

R. James Dawson, Joseph Bartlett, of S. and John Leonard, were appointed a commission to drain a pond situated on the land of Geo. W. Griffin, in Landing Neck.

Jerry Wallace was appointed keeper of Miles River Bridge at $250 a year.

The Board imposed the State tax of 17¾ cts, on $100.

The following tax collectors were appointed: Easton, W. T. H. Lee; St. Michaels, J. H. Radcliffe; Trappe, T. A. Lloyd; Chapel, John H. Holt; Bay Hundred, J. B. Wrightson.

A. E. Blake, colored, was given permission to occupy Talbot county's bed in the Maryland General Hospital.

Dwelling Burned.—Shortly after twelve o'clock last Thursday night the dwelling house of Mr. S. C. Rittenhouse, near Easton, from some mysterious cause caught on fire.—The inmates were aroused in time to escape, and some of the furniture was saved. The fire was discovered so late that all attempts to extinguish it proved futile, and as a high wind was blowing at the time the dwelling was soon entirely consumed. The house was a comparatively new one, large and commodious. It was covered by insurance, $2000, while the furniture was insured for $200.

IF YOUR BACK ACHES,
Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing, it is general debility. Try
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It will cure you, cleanse your liver, and give a good appetite.

THE PUZZLER

No. 70.—Double Acrostic.

A feathered captive and his prison.
1. For majestic ruins famed.
2. Offspring of the fertile brain.
3. Now a town in Pennsylvania find.
Employment meet for thoughtful mind.
4. Nearest to a prince in rank.
The words are of unequal length.

No. 71.—Riddle.

Weird and elfin though our race,
We inhabit every place
And through all the day attend
On your steps where'er they wend.
And though you regard us not
We still follow to your cot.
All day long our patience broods
In the forest's solitudes.
All day long we dance and play
Till the night shuts out the day.
Though beneath the silver moon
Oft we dance to fairies' tune.
Ne'er a word from us is heard,
For we guard the western bird.
When the fierce sun drives us thence,
We creep down beneath the fence,
And behind each stump we get
Long before the sun is set;
Or we frolic in the pool
Where the wandering breeze is cool.
We are not a welcome guest
When one is supremely blest,
But we creep all unperceived
When the heart is sorely grieved,
And beneath our subtle weight
Life is rendered desolate.
Happy hearts we never seek,
And we shun the gay and meek.
But the sinner in his lair
Haunt we with our grim despair,
And unwelcome though we be
Leave him naught but misery.

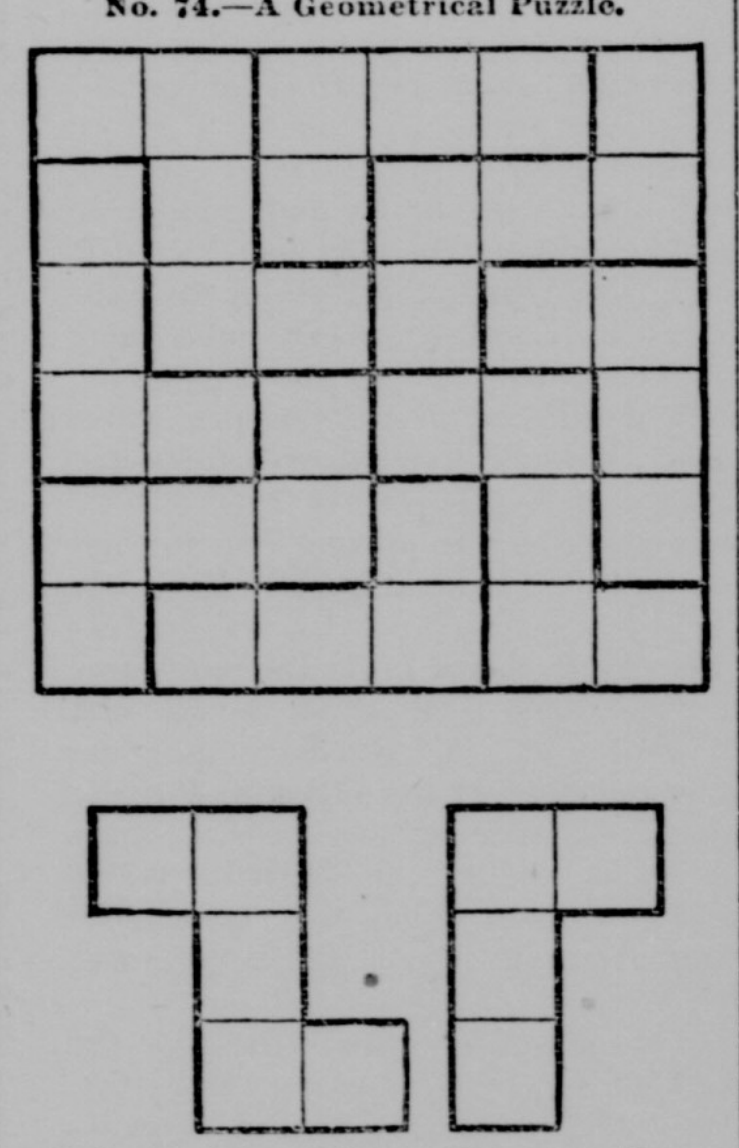
No. 72.—A Clever Man.

A western farmer writes that he has placed 21 eggs in four boxes in such a way that the second box contains twice as many as the first, the third twice as many as the second, and the fourth as many as all the other boxes together. How is this possible?

No. 73.—Syncopation.

The chick confined within its shell,
To it a darksome prison cell,
Understands its business well.
Ere it can heed its mother's call
It must with patience work to *all*
And penetrate surrounding wall.
So with its *last* it toils away,
Led by instinct, we may say,
Until it sees the light of day.

No. 74.—A Geometrical Puzzle.



Take a ruler and draw with a pencil on a sheet of white cardboard seven parallel lines at equal distances one from the other. Then with your ruler and pencil draw perpendicularly across these seven other lines, also parallel and equidistant. You will then have drawn a square divided into 36 equal spaces.

Cut out the whole square with a pair of scissors and draw with ink the plain straight lines indicated in our diagram. The dotted lines in the diagram represent the pencil lines.

You will find that you have drawn eight letters, of which four will be capital L's and four Z's. Cut out these eight letters, mix them up and ask some of your young or old friends to re-form the original squares.

Those who succeed in doing so will demonstrate that they have a good notion of form and measurements as well as the virtue of patience.

No. 75.—Deletions.

Delete to ensnare and leave part of the body
A man's name and leave to look narrowly
Reason and leave a covering
A flower leaf and leave a loud noise
Care and leave kitchen utensils

Wise and Otherwise.

The grocer who mixes a foreign substance with his tea should remember that honest tea is the best policy.

Mountains may not have mouths and noses, but we have seen a mountaineer

No well bred barber will cut an acquaintance.

A high toned singer is generally off his base.

Carrying water on both shoulders—A man out in the rain without an umbrella.

You can never estimate the size of the sore on a boy's finger by the amount of rag he ties around it.

Sailors prefer a lark on land to a night in gale on the sea.

"I'll have to do some deep thinking now," remarked the man who fell down the shaft of the deserted coal mine.

Key to the Puzzler.

No. 62.—Transpositions: 1. Versed, served. 2. Severed, deserve. 3. Needs, dense. 4. Serve, verse.

No. 63.—Pictorial Puzzle: Windmill, Doves, ink, negro, inn, lizard, money.

No. 64.—Crosswords:

S S S
C C C
S C A R R
R L L
F E D

No. 65.—Riddle: A clock.
No. 66.—Charade: Turntable.
No. 67.—Diamonds:

A
O W E
A W A K E
E K E
E

M
R A N
M A B E L
N E D
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No. 68.—Reversal: Deliver, reviled.

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The Tockwogh Burned.—NEWPORT, April 11.—The steamer Tockwogh of the Newport and Wickford Railroad and Steamboat Company lies at her dock in Wickford, a total loss from fire. Only parts of her engines and charred timbers show above the water. The officers and crew escaped with their lives only.

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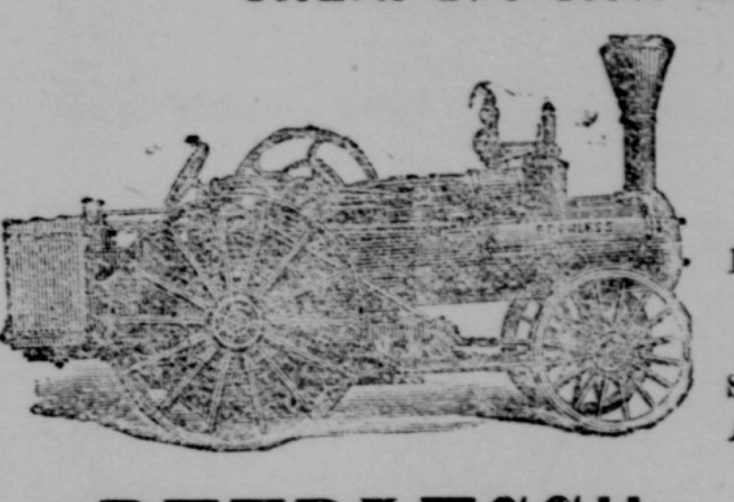

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