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.

The Easton Gazette.

SATURDAY, - - - - AUGUST 12, 1893.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

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

—Bargains in dress goods at B. P. Cox's.

—The entry books of Talbot County Fair will be open soon and it behooves every one contemplating making exhibits to have them ready as soon as possible, as the rush toward the last is always great.

—Beer, Lemon or Sarsaparilla on draught, cool and delicious, at W. G. Stoop's. t19ag

—Printing and orders for engraving received at this office.

—It is said that money is a little more plentiful now. The tide has not seemed to turn in the direction of the printer as yet.

—All dress goods at cost at B. P. Cox's.

—Coca Cola is a delicious soda drink sold by Mr. W. C. Hughes, and is especially good for Headache or Prostration. Try it. tf

—Try the GAZETTE and Cosmopolitan for only $2 00 per year—NOW IN ADVANCE.

—Go to Geo. M. Wilson's Roller Flouring Mills for the Best Flour. 108-15Sept

—The weather prophet who fails has the hardest work of any man living to get a certificate of character when he wants to change his business.

—There is a man in Shepherdstown W. Va., who could be a veritable Brutus, if the occasion ever arose. He is the mayor of the town, and the other day fined himself for allowing his cow to run at large, in violation of the town's ordinance.

—Clothing at your own price at B. P. Cox's.

Try Geo. M. Wilson's Patent Roller Flour quality will please you. 108-15sep

[illegible] Epworth League of the M. E. went to Bay Ridge on an Excursion [illegible]esday. They had a very enjoyable [illegible]nd more than covered expenses. The [illegible]was perfect.

—It was a rather unpleasant coincidence that the same morning that President Cleveland's message came, the failure was announced of a manufacturing concern, in which he was a heavy stockholder.—*Balto. American.*

—The 3.00 boys suits at B. P. Cox's are a bargain.

—The finest thing on earth in the way of horse feed is cracked wheat; it is of double the value of corn for producing fat and strength. For sale at Geo. M. Wilson's Roller Mills. Only 60 cts. per bushel. 15sep

—The Catholic excursion to Ocean City on Wednesday was the largest out of Easton this season, and it not only gave to the participants a most enjoyable day, but netted a nice little sum for the benefit of the pastor. No flaw prevented the perfect harmony of the excursion.

—The sale of John W. Seemer that was advertized in the GAZETTE and took place on last Wednesday was largely attended and it is said that prices ran high, considering the times. Mr. Seemer had an unusually attractive lot of farming implements to dispose of.

—Carpets and mattings at cost at B. P. Cox's.

Church Notice.—Calvary M. P. Church. J. M. Sheridan Pastor. Preaching Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Sunday School 2 P. M. All teachers and scholars are urged to be present to arrange for a picnic.

—Ebenezer M. E. Church—Preaching tomorrow morning and evening by the pastor. Morning subject—"Christ's Concern for His Disciples" Evening subject—"Earth's Heroes." Epworth League meeting at 7 P. M. All are welcome.

Religious Notice.—There will be preaching service at Cordova M. E. Church Sunday, Aug. 13th, at 10 30 A. M. and at King's Creek 3 P. M., the Pastor officiating. On Sunday Aug. 20th, at 8 P. M. the Presiding Elder, Rev. A. Smith will preach at Cordova and hold quarterly conference the following day at 10 A. M.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. C. Henry & Bro.

Personals.—Misses Blanche and Maggie Montague are visiting relatives and friends in Delaware. They expect to be gone two weeks.

Miss Maggie Waldron was visiting friends in Philadelphia and Pottsville last week.

Misses Lida and Iva Newlee have returned to their home at Henderson after a delightful visit at Easton and St. Michaels.

Mrs. Annie Ross has returned to her son's in Delaware, after spending two weeks at her uncle's, Mr. M. R. Ford.

Miss C. Mildred Tinley of Philadelphia is visiting at Troft farm.

Messrs. M. B. Nichols, E. H. Roe and Wilfred Bateman are receiving daily orders for their Gibson wheat bought of Wm. J. Dukes. It grew 55 bushels to the acre and these gentlemen bought his entire crop, to distribute as seed wheat to purchasers. They are filling orders at $2 50 per bushel.

Master John Dukes Wooters, son of Mr. Charles R. Wooters of Easton, appointed a page in the Senate, entered upon his duties Tuesday, while his father looked on approvingly from the Senate gallery.

Mrs Wm. Hubbard and Mrs. Lemuel Hubbard, of Easton, Md., are visiting Wm. Pritchett here.—*Index.*

Miss Phoebe Jenkins of Trappe was the guest of friends in Chestertown on Tuesday.

Rev. J. H. Geoghegan, pastor of Armory M. E. Church, Dover, has been granted a vacation of three weeks, which he will spend among relatives in Talbot and Dorchester counties, Md.

Mrs. E. T. Leonard and daughters, Nora and Helen, returned to Baltimore last Thursday night.

Mrs. M. L. Emerson of Oxford has been ill at her sister's Mrs. E. A. Councell, this week. Her Nephew, Dr. T. A. Councell has attended her.

Mr. A. W. McGlannan has returned to Baltimore after visiting friends in Easton.

Miss Margie Allen of Pittsburg, Pa., is on a visit to friends near Easton.

Mrs. Sol. Pippin and daughter, Mrs. Gadd have been at the Seaside Hotel, Ocean City.

Mrs. Annie Taylor and family have returned to their residence in Easton after living several weeks at evergreen on the Choptank.

Maj. Wm. E. Stewart has had his house repainted. It is trimmed in bronze green over a straw colored body, and the effect is very fine.

Try Flylene.—The best thing on the market to save cattle. Flies do not bother them. They rest quietly and give a greater supply of milk. Guaranteed to prove highly satisfactory.

40jul15 1sep Wm. G. Dawson, Easton, Md.

A Few More Left. A genuine, full chilled 2 horse plow, complete for only $.500. No plow does better work. We stand behind this, and it is a great bargain. It is here for your own inspection. Come and see.

Shannahan & Wrightson Hdw. Co.

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Cabbage Plants for Sale.—6 Choice Varieties. Burpee's Large Late. Getting time to set for safe winter crops.

Levi S. Edgell,

29jul3t near High School, Easton, Md.

—A large stock of new and second hand Carriages and Daytons at W. J. Biery & Son's agents, will be sold at cost for cash. aug9t

A Card of Thanks.

Trappe, Md., Aug. 1, 1893.

E. W. Heisse, Special Agent,
Ætna Life Ins. Co.

Dear Sir:—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your Company's draft for $3,000 in payment in full of the policy held in the Company by my late husband, Matthias Merrick. I sincerely thank you and the Co. for the prompt and courteous treatment I have received. Everything possible has been done to save one from trouble and annoyance.

I have been insured in the Ætna Life for many years and have always found the Company honorable and courteous in its dealings. I heartily recommend this staunch old company to the public.

Sincerely Yours,
(Signed) Mrs. Harriet Merrick.

—If you have wheat to grind, or leave on deposit for flour, take it to Geo. M. Wilson's Roller Flouring Mills, where it will be handled by a practical miller of 13 years experience, one who knows how to suit you.

COUNTY GLEANINGS.

Gossip From Various Points Collected by Faithful Reporters.

St. Michaels.

Work dull—worse than dull—at Kirby & Son's shipyard.

Miss Addie Dean spent part of this week in the Monumental City.

Charles Tarr is having built a dwelling house—Miller's Addition.

Tyler's canning house gives employment to a great many men and women.

S. Alex. Benson, of Easton postoffice, is enjoying himself in St. Michaels.

Watermelons are plentiful and cheap, but we have to depend on old Caroline county for all that we get.

Greenbury Jackson will soon move into the new store that is being built corner Talbot street and Railroad avenue.

The canning house at Navy Point is nearing completion. This will be a great and good thing for the farmers of this district.

Frank H. Fairbank, of Philadelphia, is spending his vacation with his sister, Mrs. Jno. H. Keithley, on Canton avenue.

Jno. S. Hambleton has had the room corner Railroad avenue and Talbot street changed into a storeroom. Thos. Carey will occupy it as a meat and green grocery.

Clifton Hope, Esq., has bought the old church on the Green, and is having it put in repair. He says that the frame work of the roof is in perfect condition, sheathing of white pine, rafters of white oak.

Rev. Dr. S. J. Morris leaves next Monday—his congregation having voted him a vacation I do not know for how long—but he deserves all that is granted him. We shall miss him, and hope that he will have a good time all the way through.

I noticed one day this week one of our prominent merchants closing his store early in the morning—he says that is the way to catch customers, shut the door and go away for a short while, then they will come and come in a crowd and all join in and abuse him because he is not on the spot all the time.

Excursions to Bay Ridge and Ocean City that are given by churches of other places than St. Michaels are well patronized by the people of this place. One would think that of all the churches, sunday schools and societies of this place there would be one of the lot to give an excursion to some point, if they did not go any further than Squedunk—but they don't—they haven't got the pluck to charter a box car.

Our little war for the postoffice still continues, but not so bitter as it was a short time ago. The people are wondering, and asking the question—"What power or influence can get this coveted position." One gentleman, an applicant for the office, presented his petition with one hundred and thirty-six names, all simon-pure democrats, to say nothing of his endorsement by republicans and prohibitionists, yet with all that he fails—so far as the present of getting the appointment—looks rather bad for the other end of the route where this petition was sent—in fact, "something rotten in Denmark."

To sum up what St. Michaels has new and is to have in the near future:

Garbage cart that removes all garbage every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

New canning house that will soon be in operation.

Postoffice hours which enables you to get your mail or stamps at certain hours of the day. The farmer enjoys this—comes to town in a hurry, jumps out of his wagon—hurries in to get his mail—no mail. He spends the time that he has to wait in saying cuss words.

A shirt factory that will soon give employment to many females of the town.

Of the things that are still to come will tell you more of in my next.

"Veni, Vidi, Vici."—One of the most spirited contested elections occured in Easton on Monday last, for Town Commissioner. The contestants were Wm. H. Withgott, Democrat and B. F. Parlett, Republican. The latter beating the former 106 majority. At about ¼ of 5 o'clock when Nickerson's batalion marched to the front, the democratic column began to waver, following immediatly came on in double quick, Gen. White's brick yard brigade who put to rout the democratic army, "horse, foot and dragoons." Voter.

Death of Alexander Ridgeway.—Mr. Alexander Ridgeway died at the residence of Mrs. Bettie Massey, in Greensborough, Sunday afternoon, after an illness of about a week, aged seventy-six years. He was born near King's Creek this county, in 1817 and he resided there until 1838, when he removed to Greensborough, where he engaged in the mercantile business. In his younger days, he was an active politican, and was twice a member of the Maryland Legislature from Caroline county. Since his retirement from public life he lived quietly there. He had been afflicted for several years from a sunstroke. His immediate survivors are two brothers, James A. Ridgeway, of Virginia, and the Rev. Bascom Ridgeway, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who is president of the theological seminary at Evansville.

Prompt Payment.—The Ætna Life Ins. Co., has handed its check for $3000 to Mrs. Harriett Merrick of Trappe, in payment of the policy which her late husband Matthias Merrick carried in that Company. This prompt settlement is in accord with the company's past record. For nearly half a century it has done business in Talbot and has never refused to pay any just claim.

The Ætna is a tower of strength and adheres strictly to straightforward business methods. Those who desire safe insurance at reasonable cost, should examine the plans of this reliable old company.

Mr. Henry Shreve represents the Company at Easton, and well cheerfully furnish information.

Death of John B. Todd.—John B. Todd died at his residence in Miles River Neck, of paralysis, on Tuesday, Aug. 8th, 1893 in the 67th year of his age. Mr. Todd was born in 1827, in Caroline county, and came to Talbot in 1863. Before engaging in the mercantile business he was a successful and prominent contractor and builder. His life has been one of a high and honorable business career. He leaves ten children, Edward D. Todd, policeman, Baltimore; Frank H. Todd, Tunis Mills; Mrs. Thomas E. Price, Roland Todd, commission merchant, Baltimore; Jno. Y. Todd, editor *Democrat*, Easton; Mrs Oliver H. Henry, Chas. M. Todd, merchant, Tunis Mills; St. Elmo Todd, mate on B. & E. S. R. R. transfer steamer; Wildie E. Todd, merchant, Walter T. Todd, printer.

The funeral was Thursday, 10th inst from Ebenezer M. E. Church, Easton, at 3 o'clock p. m. Interment in Spring Hill Cemetery.

Public Business.—Orphans' Court met on Tuesday.

Susan A. Dobson's will was admitted to probate.

Henrietta Porrott was appointed guardian to Franklin M. Parrott and H. Pinkney Parrott, orphan children of James M. Parrott, and filed an approved bond.

Joseph D. Wingard and Wm. J. Marvel, appraisers of the annual value of the real estate of the minor children of Peter H. Stevenson, made their award. Passed.

Alla A. Trice, adm'x of Francis H. Trice, presented dividend, distributing to general creditors at the rate of 53¼ cents on the dollar. Passed.

Charles E. Shannahan, trustee, in Johnson vs. Adams and others, presented certificate of publication of Order Nisi. Sale ratified.

County Commissioners.

Board of County Commissioners met on Tuesday.

Receipts were:

W. T. H. Lee, collector, 1893,		$450 00
J. H. Radcliffe,	" "	935 00
Total.		$1,385 00

The disbursements were $1,652 95.

Louis C. Smith, J. P. McKnett and Sam'l E. Harper, examiners, made their report.

Egg Drink.—One quart of cold water, a cupful of sugar, and a teaspoonful of tartaric acid. Beat the egg to a froth, beat in the sugar, add the other ingredients, stir well and drink at once.

Crumbs Collected.

FROM PENINSULAR PAPERS.

The barn of Dr. Jos. Reynolds was burned in Cecil county; loss $3,000.

The Kent county (Md.) peach trade has opened with light shipments.

A son of Capt. Hezekiah Brown, of Smith's Island, was knocked overboard by the jibing of a sail and drowned.

The commissioners of Dorchester county subscribed $75,000 to the capital stock of the Cambridge and Chesapeake Railroad.

Mr. Jas. Hall, a prominent citizen of Caroline county, died at his residence near Bridgetown, after a lingering illness. He was about eighty years of age.

Mr. Thomas L. Day, fruit packer, has about completed a very large addition to his packing-house at Ridgely. He expects to put up about one million cans of tomatoes and peaches this year. There are several other houses in Caroline about as large as that of Mr. Day. The county's output of canned goods this year will likely reach seven million cans.

Fire almost completely wiped out the business section of Snow Hill. From sixty-five to seventy buildings were burned, including about twenty stores, as many residences, four hotels, the courthouse, jail and postoffice, two printing offices, and a number of stables and outbuildings. Origin of the fire unknown. The loss is about $250,000, partly covered by insurance. Help was sent from Salisbury and from Wilmington, Del.

An exciting surf-boat race at Ocean City was won by Capt. John Williams over six competitors, covering four miles in 18 minutes.

Kent county has possibly never before had a greater number of tramps, or peach plucks, than this year, and the destitution of this transitory population has become a tremendous tax upon the county. On Sunday last Mr. Wilbur Eliason gave breakfast, dinner and supper to sixty of these tramps. One citizen of Chestertown has had demands for as high as fifteen meals during one day; From fifty to seventy-five spent last Sunday in the yard and orchard of the Whaland property, adjoining the Whaland mill, on the suburbs of town. Officer Kelley states that the order so far has been exceptionally good.—*Transcript.*

They have converted the old campground at Rehoboth into a kind of pleasure park for guests at the hotels.

Corn and wheat sold at the same price in Dover last week.

The Steamer Greensborough is a hustler. She is carrying big cargoes and making a trip to Baltimore and back every two or three days.—*Union.*

The large creamery operated by George Money at Milford was burned early Sunday morning.

The firm of A. G. Saulsbury & Bro., of Ridgely, has dissolved partnership.

Prof. J. E. Carroll, of Conference Academy, Dover, left for a visit to the World's Fair on Monday last.

A tramp named Patrick Dailey was struck and killed by the midnight train at Woodside last Saturday night.

Walter Cubbage, of Bloomfield, Ohio, is spending a few weeks with his father, B. C. Cubbage, near Hazlettville.

It is rumored that a natural gas well has been discovered at Delmar and the flow is very good. The well is on the property of Mr. Hastings and is thought to be the same vein that was struck at Parsonburg last year. It is on what is known as the "Ridge" or back of the forest. Great interest is being manifested there, and should this well prove a success, more will be driven.

Appointments of the School Board.—The School Commissioners of Talbot county in session last week made the appointments of trustees for 44 schools in the county. These include all the white schools. The list below includes only those schools where changes of trustees were made. In most cases the old trustees were reappointed. Those names prefixed with a star were also members of the former board of trustees for the school.

Peach Blossom.—Henry E. Diefenderfer, *William Swift, and William A. Pratt.

Miles River Ferry.—George W. Kirk, *Geo. Buflett, and William H. Brown.

Miles River Neck.—*Spurgeon M. Beckner, Andrew A. Stewart, and Frank E. Towers.

Leeds' Creek.—*Charles Loundes, *Walter S. Kirby, and Louis W. Trail.

St. Michaels.—*H. Clay Dodson, *Denny Williams, and John S. Hambleton.

Royal Oak.—*Charles E. Fairbank, Theodore J. Hall, and Solomon S. Thompson.

Ferry Neck.—*John E. Ball, James E. M. Denny, and Joseph H. Newnam.

Bozman.—*John B. Fairbank, *James H. Sutton, and S. Bruff Edgar.

Neavitt.—*John H. T. Harrison, *John Wayman, and J. Edwin Mortimer.

Oxford Neck.—*Thomas A. Leonard, *J. Henry Creiger, and Samuel R. Harrison.

Island Creek Neck.—*John K. Caulk, *J. J. H. Caulk Kemp, and James M. Leonard.

Cambridge Ferry Neck.—*John W. Rice, *John H. E. Dawson, and Edward J. Kirby.

Landing Neck.—*B. Arthur Blann, *John A. Warner, and Charles T. Griffin.

Three Bridges.—*John T. Trax, *Samuel T. Love, and Thomas Hopkins Jr.

Square Farm.—*John M. Wilson, Lewis C. Smith, and *Daniel H. Cox.

Cordova.—*Charles H. Rose, *William J. Dukes, and Clifford M. Stelle.

Upper Tilghmans Island.—William F. May, John T. Harrison, and Wm. J. Jackson.

Lower Tilghman's Island.—Perry W. Porter, James L. Faulkner, and Thomas E. Taylor.

THREE DOLLARS a WEEK for LIFE

Here is a Snap for Brainy People—The Latest Thing Out.

In order to introduce The Canadian Agriculturist into New homes, the publishers have decided to present an unusual reward list for their Great Eighth Half Yearly Literary Attraction for the summer of 1893, which closes Oct. 1. They have entered into a written agreement to pay through the Judges all the rewards offered below.

How to Secure a Reward—Those who become subscribers can compete free of charge. All that is necessary is to take a few sheets of paper and make all the words you can out of the letters in the three words, "World's Columbian Exposition," and send them to us, inclosing $1 for six months subscription to either The Canadian Agriculturist or The Ladies Home Magazine, two of the choicest illustrated periodicals of the day.

The sender of the largest list will receive $3 per week for life: 2nd, $1,000 in gold: 3rd, $500; 4th, $250; 5 th, $100; 6 th, Ticket to World's Fair and ten days expenses; pianos, organs, ladies and gents' gold and silver watches, silver tea services, diamond rings, and over 10,000 other rewards, making altogether the most valuable prize list ever offered by any publisher. Send for printed list of former prize winners.

Rules.—1: Foreign or obsolete words not counted. 2. Letters cannot be used oftener than they appear in the words "World's Columbian Exposition"—that is, the word "riddle" for instance, could not be used because there is but one "d" in the three words, etc. 3. Names of persons and places barred. 4 No charge for packing or shipping, but all prize winners are expected to help us to extend our circulation. 5. All lists containing over 100 correct words will receive a special reward.

Judges.—The following well known gentlemen have consented to act as judges and will see that the prizes are fairly awarded—Commodore Calcutt, (Proprietor Calcutt's Line of Steamers), Peterborough, and Mr. W. Robertson, President Times Printing Co. Peterborough.

Agents Wanted—We pay $1 to $5 per day salary (no commision) to men, women, boys and girls. Write for particulars. Register all money-letters. Address, Agriculturist Pub. Co., (L'td). Peterborough, Canada. tf

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as an intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys—It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c. per bottle. Sold by J. C. Henry & Bro.

PHOTOGRAPHS IN MULTIPLE.

Tiny Portraits Turned Out by Thousands to Satisfy a Fad.

Hidden under the staircase of a frame building on Pennsylvania avenue is an oddity in the shape of a photographer's shop. Nobody ever goes there to have his picture taken, and yet the business is a profitable one. For one thing, the proprietor has a long lease of the premises at a rental of only $2 a month. His establishment amounts to nothing more than a large closet, which is utilized as a darkroom for work. There is nothing to be seen of screens, skylights, shabby furniture, which looks as good as new when taken by the camera, or the instruments for holding the head steady, which are so suggestive of torture to children. The words, "Look pleasant, please," are never uttered in this secluded studio.

In fact, the photographer himself is very rarely to be found on the premises. People send in pictures of themselves to be reproduced by an extraordinary process of multiplication. They must be cabinet sized photographs. He has an instrument which looks very much like a stereoscope of the sort that one looks through at photographs, only about three times as big. In place of the part for the eyes there is a small camera, and a few inches in front of the latter is a kind of frame in which the cabinet portrait to be reproduced is put. The camera, though such a little one, has 38 lenses. One might compare it to the eye of a bee, which is multiple in like fashion.

It is a snap camera and makes 38 miniature copies of the cabinet portrait at one shot on a single negative. From the negative the pictures are printed off in sheets of 38 distinct photographs each. It does not take long to produce them in large quantities at this rate, and so the operator finds a profit in selling them at the price of $1 for 50. He sells 100 for $2, 500 for $7, or 1,000 for $14. It is a very cheap way to procure a lot of counterfeit presentments of one's self. A good many people order 500 or 1,000. At the time of the inauguration such photographs of Mr. Cleveland were worn as badges by some of the visiting political clubs, with a ribbon fastening each one to the buttonhole of the wearer.

The back of these little photographs, which are a novelty, are spread with dextrine. It serves as a sort of mucilage, so that the pictures can be licked like postage stamps and stuck upon anything. Commercial travelers affix them to the corners of their "advance cards" sometimes, which they mail a week or two ahead to firms in towns which they expect to visit shortly. Thus the recipients get a notion of the appearance of the agent before he comes along if they were not previously acquainted with him or are agreeably reminded of his physiognomy. In the same manner theatrical people stick them on their letters, and various other professional persons adopt similar practices. In fact, it is quite a fad.—San Francisco Examiner.

One of Ralph Waldo Emerson's Stories.

Mr. Emerson himself had a story—I forget whether I heard it in a lecture or in conversation—about a New England come outer who went into a hatshop and selected for himself a costly hat. The hat was put up and the dealer supposed he was to be paid, but the man whom he had thought to be a purchaser said simply: "Oh, I pay nothing for anything. I am the man who does not believe in money." The poor dealer had a note to meet at the bank that day and hardly knew how to do it. He looked with dumb delight upon his customer and said: "I wish to God, sir, that nobody else believed in money! Take the hat, with my thanks to you for coming for it."

Mr. Emerson would say this was all spontaneous—it was natural on the part of the customer and on the part of the trader. But when, the next day, another man who had heard the story came into the shop and selected for himself his hat and said that he did not believe in money, the dealer refused the imitator whom he had accepted so readily the inventor. And Emerson drew the moral from the story which I want to draw now. A prophet who speaks the word that comes to him from the living God speaks, I may say, with the living God's power. But he who imitates the prophet has no spell. --Edward E. Hale's Address.

Engagements and Marriages.

The following figures have been compiled from the combined recollections of 32 maiden ladies and 45 military officers, all resident in the county town of one of the home counties. Out of the 1,540 engagements to marry which their joint reminiscences present, 46, or about 3 per cent, ended in lunacy, incarceration or decease of one of the parties; 385, or 25 per cent, were broken off at the instance of the girl, and 262, or about 17 per cent, by the man; 169, as near as possible 11 per cent, were interfered with by friends; 154, exactly 10 per cent, came to an end for reasons not made public; 185, or about 12 per cent, faded away without incident in the lapse of years; 108, say 7 per cent (not included in any previous category), led to actions for breach of promise. The remainder, a pettifogging 15 per cent, resulted in marriage.—London Letter.

A Young Woman's Reasoning.

"I am told, dear, that Jack Rattlepate spent most of his vacation in your back parlor. Aren't you giving him rather a dangerous amount of encouragement?"

"Why, no, dearest, he is merely a boy. To be sure, he is a year older than I, but I shall be out next winter, while Jack has two years more in college, and it will be six years after that before he can earn much of anything. So practically he is six years younger than I, and that makes him 12. It is absurd to talk of encouraging a boy so young as that."—Harper's Bazar.

Old Forms of Sport In England.

Dogfighting continues. I remember some years ago walking on the sands along a certain line of coast on a Sunday morning and passing half a dozen rings where they were conducting the dog fights with the liveliest animation and the strongest language. Baiting in all its branches I believe to be quite dead, yet 30 years ago badger baiting could be, and was, secretly enjoyed by badger and dog and onlooker in a certain back garden of a certain university town. A good, tough badger afforded very fine sport, I believe. Bear baiting in a mild form I have seen in the south of France, and bullfighting also in a mild form in the amphitheater of Arles. The only old form of sport which is really dead is the ancient Good Friday pastime of throwing at cocks. Nothing else is dead—only for a time in eclipse.—Walter Besant in London Queen.

Courting In Spain.

"Making the bear," and "feathering the turkey" still survive in provincial Spanish courtship. In old times and still in the country the lover walks up and down before the window of his sweetheart for hours daily for a year or more before matters are at all advanced. An English commercial traveler recently had a strange experience in a little town in Andalusia. Walking into a dark street at night, he was halted and told to go back. "The street is mine," cried a voice, and he went back. He had only disturbed a swain "making the bear" under his inamorata's window, but prudence was necessary under the circumstances.—Philadelphia Ledger.

An Extraordinary Story.

A story from the west is to the following effect: A chicken rancher of the state of Washington was almost ruined by the numerous snakes which resorted in his neighborhood and swallowed the eggs and young chickens as they appeared. All his plans to save his stock proved unavailing until a happy thought struck him, and he bought a quantity of porcelain nest eggs and scattered them about in the hens' nests. The snakes swallowed the imitation eggs with avidity and fatal results.

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Spots on the Sun.—There are spots on the sun yet, and the astronomers and meteorologists are on the lookout for atmospheric disturbances. The spots seen through the telescope are said to be large and in groups, and it is said they cover a space thousands of miles in extent. They can be seen with the naked eye through smoked glasses. It is believed that the recent small storms like that of last Sunday are an accompanniment of the solar blots.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once.

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AN EARTHLY PARADISE.

If We Would but Look Around, We Would Find It at Our Doors.

That this earth of ours is becoming a flat and uninteresting sort of place is a fallacy born of indigestion and a weak imagination.

There is a considerable portion of humanity who measure their happiness by what they can kill. And still for these the rogue elephant tramps down the tea plants in Ceylon and the man eating tiger figures in the Indian jungles. The South American possibilities in the hunting way are barely explored.

Frank B. Sanborn reports that Albania is a splendid hunting ground for the wild boar, a quarry more dangerous than any in this country except the grizzly bear. The African continent still swarms with game, and except in the equatorial belt is not too unhealthful to visit. In many of our states we have reached the time when the enactment of game laws is necessary, but there is sport enough yet in Idaho, Montana, the vast lake region of northern Minnesota, the Maine woods, the tarpon's and alligator's haunts in Florida, and especially the wild regions of British Columbia. The bison has vanished, but there was never much "sport" in his senseless slaughter.

Quieter minds find pleasure in the study of men and customs—past and present. In our own land there is material for the archæologists to study for many years. Whether among the wonderful ruins of the cliff dwellers' villages or in the relics of the mound builders there is work to be done rivaling Schliemann's in the Troad, Layard's at Birs Nimroud, or Champollion's in Egypt. There are the living as well as the dead—the African dwarfs, the Fuegan giants, the Melanesian cannibals, the Dyaks of Borneo. There are the north African potentates who will obligingly kill the amateur photographer, and Kaffirs who will feed him fat on juicy confections of grasshoppers and snake pie.

There are those who seek neither beasts to kill nor men to study, but pleasant places to hide where winds blow soft. These there are and always will be, so sturdily does earth resist its despoilers. The most tourist infested spot in the world, Switzerland, is full of unvisited nooks, while railroads into the heart of central Asia and over the Caucasus and through Bosnia, and the Danubian states take one to fresh haunts and homes. In British Columbia are glaciers finer than the Swiss, and off the coast are balmy islands where, lolling on his veranda in the air of June, one can look landward see towering peaks topped with eternal snow.

For that matter, one doesn't have to leave New York to find places where only the green of spring is needed to make a paradise. Where are wilder and nobler crags than the Palisades, fairer ranges of low mountains than the Highlands and Shawangunks? The Golden Horn is not more beautiful than the Narrows, the Bosporus than our Hudson, on whose western bank almost opposite New York the rattlesnake still sounds his alarm, strange birds flit at dawn and mountain laurel and mulberry grow in profusion.

Come, sirs, a truce to melancholy! The world is fair. Needs but to see it so the artist eye, the poet soul, the gift of imagination. With these one may grip firm his commutation ticket and cry to all black blasphemy of pessimism an answer stout, "The earthly paradise is here!"—New York Recorder.

THE PUZZLER

No. 194.—Easy Diamonds.

1. A letter. 2. An animal. 3. A city. 4. A metal. 5. A letter.

1. A letter. 2. Contest between nations. 3. A proper name. 4. A color. 5. A letter.

No. 195.—A Patriotic Diagonal.

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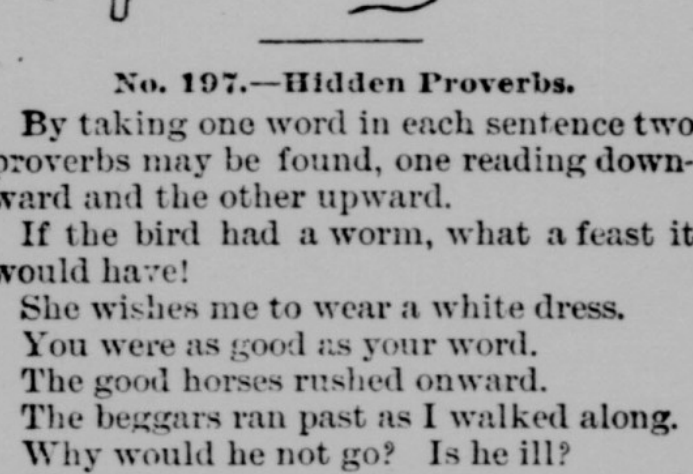
The upper horizontal of 10, the name of a state called for the diagonal. The second row, true love of country. The third row, a garden at West Point made at the time of the Revolution. The fourth row, a French officer who greatly assisted the patriots at the surrender of Cornwallis. The fifth row, at one time the headquarters of the commander in chief. The sixth row met in Philadelphia to frame the constitution of the United States and unanimously elected the diagonal as its presiding officer. The seventh, the city and the initials of the state where the American army disbanded. The eighth, a civil position filled by the diagonal in his native state. The ninth, the war which resulted in the independence of the colonies. The tenth, a city named for the diagonal.

The diagonal represents one who was a true statesman and a blessing to his native land.

No. 196.—A Biblical Injunction.



No. 197.—Hidden Proverbs.

By taking one word in each sentence two proverbs may be found, one reading downward and the other upward.

If the bird had a worm, what a feast it would have!
She wishes me to wear a white dress.
You were as good as your word.
The good horses rushed onward.
The beggars ran past as I walked along.
Why would he not go? Is he ill?
We will ride home if there are enough carriages.

No. 198.—Riddle.

In early days I often took
It to a miller neighbor's,
Where four of stones the building shook
As they pursued their labors.

But that by which the mill was built
Seemed wild and melancholy,
With waves as deep and dark as guilt,
Though frothy light as folly.

I saw it just a few days past,
But then 'twas on a bank,
While many watched the scene aghast,
And many a face looked blank.

So now, that all may understand,
Unless they're wondrous slow,
I write this in a running hand,
Currente calamo.

No. 199.—Metagram.

I am something useful to a soldier. Change my head, and I am something people eat. Again, and I am beloved by children. Again, and I am a dark color. Again, and I shine brilliantly. Again, and I am a play upon words. Again, and I reside in a convent.

No. 200.—Anagrams.

I.

New habits that the "SOUL TRIES ON"
Are variously disregarded,
For some are worn till life is done,
And some are soon discarded.

II.

A troubadour beneath a window pane
"NEEDS EAR" himself, else he will surely blunder,
Yet needs another ear to hear the strain
Young Carol went to sing, but to his wonder,
In empty air exhaled his soulful lay;
The house was void—it had been moving day.

No. 201.—Buried Names.

1. She had, I saw, altered considerably since last year.
2. A franc, Esther, is worth about tenpence.
3. Oh, Ethel, do rake our garden.
4. You will, I am sure, forget my message.
5. He said "Miriam" audibly in an angry tone.
6. What a pet Ernest is!
7. To give the alarm a bell was rung.
8. I hear that the spire needs alteration.
9. While he spoke the light went out.
10. Such a lively carol I never before heard.

Wise and Otherwise.

You may jocularly tell a man he's a lyre, but it isn't wise to harp on it too much.

The exercising of horses just before a race is the preamble.

What is done cannot be undone, especially if it's a hard boiled egg.

Life may be a stage, but it is more like a courthouse, from the fact that it is full of trials.

There is generally "an air of refinement" in the neighborhood of the petroleum factory.

The silent man is often worth listening to.

Clothes do not make the man, yet many a man owes a good deal to his tailor.

Key to the Puzzler.

No. 187.—Double Primal Acrostic: Freedom; Liberty. Crosswords: 1. Florid. 2. Riddle. 3. Ebbing. 4. Eelpot. 5. Dragon. 6. Otiose. 7. Mystic.

No. 188.—An Old Saying Pictured: "A cat has nine lives."

No. 189.—Numerical Enigma: "We join ourselves to no party that does not carry the flag and keep step to the music of the Union."

No. 190.—Central Acrostic: Bunker Hill. Crosswords: 1. roBin. 2. yoUng. 3. baNks. 4. liKen. 5. drEss. 6. caRol. 7. asHes. 8. quIet. 9. hoLly. 10. hiLly.

No. 191.—Crossword Enigma: Independence.

No. 192.—Beheadments: S-train. H-eel. O-liver. R-ant. T-in. S-how. T-ask. O-pen. P-rice. Shortstop.

No. 193.—Curtailments: Divers-e. Ear-l. India-n. Plain-t. Stag-e. Tun-e.

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