The Easton Gazette.

SATURDAY, - - - NOVEMBER 4, 1893.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

—Stove men are busy.

The "American Beauty," a floral panel picture, to be given all our readers for a Thanksgiving present, is a beautiful work of art. 3t

—Another short tailed comet has put in an appearance in the heavens. In these Democratic times even comets find it necessary to economise.

—Miss Lucy Parsons a bright and attractive young lady of Dover Del, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Salmons on Aurora St.

—Visitors to the Fair have returned. It is needless to say they were all more than satisfied.

—Try D. Siegel & Co.'s $1.00 Shoe.

—There are a number of oystermen who owe subscription to this paper. When money is not plentiful, the bivalve will suffice.

—The good roads and pleasant weather make driving enjoyable. The green fields and autumn leaves make the country exceedingly beautiful.

Floor Oilcloths, all widths, latest patterns at D. Siegel & Co's.

—There are reported to be 185 male teachers in the public schools of Boston and 1,372 women. The average salary of the men per month is $246.06, and the average salary per month for the women is $70.69.

Look at D. Siegel & Co.'s all wool blankets. Examine their Comforts.

—The new floral panel-picture ready for delivery to our readers for a Thanksgiving present from us is described at length in another column. 3t.

—Mr. Henderson, who has purchased the "Rest," the former residence of Admiral Buchanan, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Mr. Lynn, arrived in Easton on Saturday with a carload of goods, and have taken posession of the place.—*Star.*

Ladies', Gentlemen's, Misses and Children's Flannels at D. Siegel & Co's.

Cash with him this morning is scanty,
For poker last night he would play,
And its all on account of his ante
That he goes to his Uncle's to-day.

—"I am destitute of dollars," said the moneyless man.

Dollars," said the man, who had no place of abode; "I am without quarters."

—The workingmen have learned that their bread is not buttered on the Democratic side.

Big bargains in Ladies Cloaks at Siegel & Co.'s

—Have you heard of the splendid Thanksgiving present to our readers—a beautiful floral panel-picture in oils, which we describe in another column? 3t

—Bishop Curtis, of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington, Sunday confirmed twelve persons at St. Peter's Church, near Queenstown. At night he preached in Centreville.

—Mr. C. E. Shanahan who removed to Baltimore, reports himself pleasantly located with prospects for considerable business. Mr. Shanahan is considered one of the best business attorneys that practice at this bar.

—On pianos and organs she lbs.,
Making strange and mysterious sbs.,
And the watchman calls out
To see what she's about
As he goes on his cold nightly rbs.

—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

—We desire to call the attention of our readers to the new advertisement of George F. Sloan & Bro., 414 Light St. Wharf, Baltimore, Md. They are one of the oldest firms in the City; have always paid special attention to Country business; know what is required, and propose to give good goods at very low prices. We suggest that you get their prices before buying. 29ap93tf.

—At this writing Mr. M. Biery, senior member of the firm of Biery & Son, is lying critically ill with inflamation near base of brain.

—You will certainly never miss getting one of the Superb oil pictures which we intend giving to each of our readers as a Thanksgiving present. See description in another column. 3t.

Stove Colloquy.—Good morning Friend Best, how are you? Oh, I am all right Friend Derby; Benny, the stove doctor has fixed me up. Is that so. Well, I'll go and see him; I am very shackling in my inner parts.

—Two colored individuals were enjoying a war of words in front of the GAZETTE office the other day when one very threateningly told the other he would bung bof of his eyes into one. The other with sarcastic mien said, "ef you do, I jes guarantee de angels in Heaben will know somethin' 'bout you in a bery few minutes." The eyes were not bunged.

—The proposal of 1500 A. D.: "Adorable Miss Dorothea: Thy languishing love addressed himself to thee with fear and trembling. Beauteous maid, wilt thou be mine? Tell me I pray thee, eftsoons, that I may rise to seek surcease of pain in death. Thy heartsick lover, Harold." Proposal for 1893: "Dear Dorothy: I'm not going to hide it any longer. I'm in love with you and I've got enough money to live on. Will you marry me? Lovingly. Harold." The proposal of 2010: "Miss Dorothy Daydawn, City: Yours received. After consulting with my attorney we have decided that a matrimonial alliance between you and myself would be an investment of mutual advantage. Please let me know your opinion by return mail, as in case of your refusal I may decide to look elsewhere Truly yours, (Dictated) Harold Hummers, per M."—Chicago *Record.*

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. J. C. Henry, Druggist.

Cold and Hungry.—In the early part of last week a man about forty years of age, thinly clad, and seemingly demented was seen to pass through town, and for several days was seen by different persons on the road leading to Cambridge Ferry. He made his appearance occasionally at some farm house where he was fed, but most of the time he was seen in the woods where, the presumption is, he ate acorns in the day time and slept on the leaves of the forest at night. Thursday afternoon he was brought to town where he was given a suit of clothes and a pair of shoes and socks and taken to the Almshouse where he was made more comfortable.—*Talbot Times.*

Public Meeting.—The Avon Cycle Club will hold a public meeting in its reception rooms on Thursday evening of next week at 8 o'clock. The silver medal will be presented to Mr. F. A. White with an appropriate address by a prominent citizen. Other speeches will be made, also music and other features will be added. The young ladies of Easton, will on that evening present the club with a silk flag, the colors of the club which will be received by the club, and an address by some member. All welcome. No charge at all.

Religious Notice.—Services at Calvary M. P. Church, Sunday 11 A. M. Communion 6-30 P. M. Christian Endeavor. 7-30 P. M. Preaching. Subject, The Dangers of Youth. The first of a series of sermons to young men. Young men especially invited.

Communion Service at 11-30 A. M. Preaching 7-30 P. *M.* Subject, Some thoughts on the World's Fair. Epworth League meeting at 6-30 P. M.

The Seventh Daughter of the Seventh Daughter is said to be lucky, but her luck does not compare with the "lucky Number Seven" of Humpnreys' Specifics, an infallible cure for Coughs and Colds. Try it.

Church Supper.—The Ladies of the M. E. Church, Cordova, will have an Election dinner and supper in the Hall of Miss B. Rose. Patronize it.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

Cures Indigestion, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Nervousness, and General Debility. Physicians recommend it. All dealers sell it. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

Public Business.—Orphans' Court met on Tuesday.

N. B. Leonard, adm'r. of R. Walter Leonard, presented inventory. Authorized to sell and give notice to creditors.

Joshua L. Beauchamp, adm'r, of Ara Beauchamp filed release from James L. and Jeremiah Beauchamp and Sarah L. Shields and husband, for distributive shares.

The exemplified copy of the will of Thos. W. Eliason, of Kent county, heretofore filed, was ordered to be recorded.

Annie Buffett was appointed adm'x of the personal estate of George Buffett and filed approved bond in the penalty of $2.500. Jas. A. Roe and Alexander Herron were appointed appraisers.

James Summers and J. Percy McKnett, ext's. Jacob Ryan presented account of sales. Passed.

County Commissioners.

Board of County Commissioners met on Tuesday.

Receipts were:

John S. Crockett, O. S. fines,	$ 12 50
J. H. Radcliffe, col. 1893,	1 50
T. A. Lloyd, col. 1893, per R. J. Dawson,	650 00
W. T. H. Lee, col. 1893,	200 00
R. E. Welsh, col. 1889, in full,	28 79
Total.	$1041 10

Chas. D. Schuyler, constable, presented approved bond.

The Board accepted the Stevens—Elliott new road, D. H. Roberts, builder.

The Board will meet Dr. Jas. A. Stewart, secretary of the State Board of Health on Tuesday, November 21st, at their office in Easton. The physicians of the county and the Justices of the Peace are invited to be present.

The Board adjourned to meet Thursday, Nov. 9.

Five Dollars.—Free to all readers of this paper. On November 25, we shall print a coupon entitling all who receive the issue of that date to a superb work of art, just published, entitled "*An American Beauty,*" a splendidly perfect reproduction in oils of a new floral painting, 20 inches high, suitable for narrow upright spaces, by the artist of the famous "Yard of Roses" and "Yard of Pansies." We have made arrangements that will enable us to present this exquisite picture to all our readers, free, and all should avail themselves of our generous offer. 3t

Director Barwick, of the California Weather Service, has received word from Washington that he has been promoted to the position of "Forecast Officer," which carries with it an increase of salary, beginning with September 1st. The duties will be to make accurate forecasts of future stages or changes in the Sacramento river. It will be remembered that Mr. Barwick hails from this county, having many relatives hereabouts. He was on a visit last year and renewed many old acquaintances who will be gratified to learn of his promotion and acceptable service to the Government.

Fire in Marydel.—Fire broke out at an early hour Monday morning in the dwelling-house of Mr. Thomas R. Green, at Marydel, and before it could be stopped burnt the house and much of the furniture, and also the George property adjoining, which was occupied by Mr. John W. Moore as a hotel. Mr. Green's loss is about $1,200 and that of Mr. George about $1,600. It is not known whether the destroyed property is insured or not. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective chimney.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. Kings New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and colds.—If you have never used this great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of Throat Chest and Lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at J. C. Henry's Drug store. Large bottles 50 c. and $1.00

The Midwinter Fair.—San Francisco is diligently pushing the preparations for its mid-winter fair. The subscriptions for the fair have now reached $224,000, and the San Franciscans are confident of a grand success. Plans have been submitted for a grand engine to furnish power for the exhibits. It is to weigh forty tons. Applications for space are constantly being received. Among the latest is one for a circular track around the grounds which is to run twelve cars, each giving accommodations forsixteen passengers. A concession has been granted for a building for Servia, Roumania, and Montenegro, which is to cost $10.000, and cover 7,000 square feet of ground.—*Sun.*

Caroline County Treasurership.—The official ballots for Caroline county, which have been printed, show only one candidate for county treasurer, namely Mr. George A. Denkyse, the present incumbent who is on the Democratic ticket. The republicans did not nominate a candidate for this office. The prohibitionists nominated William E. Brown, but neglected to place his name on their certificate. Dr. Theodore Saulsbury, president of the board of election supervisors for the county, says this is the reason Mr. Brown's name is not on the ballot. It is in the power of any voter, however, to insert the name or any name he pleases on the ticket before voting.

Philadelphia's Pride.—It will be a source of pride to Philadelphians, inasmuch as it greatly redounds to the credit of the city as a trade centre, to learn that Messrs. Strawbridge & Clothier have been awarded two premiums of the highest order of merit, for their exhibit of ladies' suits and costumes and of ladies' wraps at the World's Fair. This honor, which was thoroughly deserved, is by no means an empty one, since, in the condensed catalogue issued by the Exposition authorities and entitled "Interesting Exhibits," the name of this eminent firm was conspicuously mentioned out of four so honored in the whole exhibition. As the other three were Parisian artists, the compliment is well worthy of comment. Messrs. Strawbridge & Ciothier were the only exhibitors from Philadelphia in this line of products, and we congratulate them, therefore, upon the conspicuous and gratifying success which they have attained in a world-wide competition.—*Phila. Ledger.*

Religious Notice.—Revival services will begin at Longwoods on Sunday evening next Nov. 5th at 7.30 o'clock. The pastor, Edw. C. Allard will be assisted by the Rev. J. D. Smith, an Evangelist from Washington, D. C. All come.

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

The Idea Born in Maryland.—Marylanders will recall with pleasure, at the close of this wonderful enterprise, the fact that it was first publicly suggested by a Baltimore newspapar, THE SUN, which as far back as January 2, 1882, proposed the holding of an international exposition in 1892, "the four-hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus," an event which the SUN declared to be "worthy of commemoration," and one in which "it would most probably be the generous impulse of the whole world to join." The suggestion and the prophecy have both been realized this year at Chicago, and, although the great "commemoration" was not held in Baltimore nor in Washington, as THE SUN had hoped it might be, Baltimore has at least the satisfaction of knowing that the suggestion thus made developed finally into the magnificent and marvelous White City that has been this summer and fall the Mecca of many millions of travelers.—*Sun.*

Travelers Take Notice.—When you come to Easton, or leave the town simply enquire for Cook's buss, always in attendance at the trains and boats. You will be guaranteed polite and careful attention. Avoid the clamorings and pullings of the busmen. Cook will wait on you in a gentlemanly manner.

ITEMS FROM AROUND THE COUNTY.

Gossip From Various Points Collected by Faithful Reporters.

ST. MICHAELS.

Last Saturday's issue of the *Comet* was interesting on account of the many letters therein. These letters were from the democrat candidates. Is it not a shame that Mr. Collins has to write letters (explaining things that should be explained better than he does) every time he comes before a patient public asking for their votes. Mr. Lloyd kindly takes the burden from Mr. Collins, puts it on his own shoulders and walks away with it. All their letters are the same, they promise the oysterman everything until they are elected; then the question comes, shall we give them back the fifteen days they so much need, or shall we keep it off so that the farmers fodder can be saved by these men at starvation wages. Fodder will get the majority of votes. Two years ago the then candidates wrote to farmers in this district asking for their support at the same time promising them that fifteen days should be taken off the oysterman for the farmer's benefit. These are facts—will the oysterman vote for these men—I doubt it.

City Council has ordered from some source six hand force pumps to be used in case of fire, providing the fire is not very hot.

Rev. S. J. Morris preached last Sunday morn and eve. The Doctor is improving slowly and we hope that he will soon be restored to his usual health.

Editor Willey spent part of this week in Philadelphia as a guest of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Selby.

Oyster market this week shows decided improvement.

In conversation with a gentleman who attended the democratic mass meeting held in Easton and then finished up the day at the feast set out by Col. Oswald Tilghman, he said it (the feast) was a success, particularly the liquid portion of it.

Whiskey, whiskey everywhere
And all the men did drink,
The cry for water everywhere
And not a drop to drink.

Constable E. O. Hambleton brought Wm Davidson of Bayside before Justice Sparks last Wednesday afternoon, charged with appropriating as his own a hand oyster scrape belonging to Frank Miller. Squire Sparks held Billie in three hundred dollars bail to appear at this November Court. That's a bad scrape for William to be in.

Jno. W. Dean, agent for Wm. Corse & Sons', Clairmont & Furley Hall nurseries, is busy delivering orders.

Democrat mass meeting in town last Wednesday eve. Messrs. Collins, Bateman, Seth and Free Silver Stewart talked to the people. Mr. Collins puts the blame of the fifteen day business on Col. Lloyd's shoulders. Bateman and Seth talked just as they have been talking for years, with just as little sincerity as they ever did, and Maj. Stewart, the man that everybody likes, he talked, well everyone in this county knows how the Major talks, free silver, etc. The music was the feature of the evening, that was good. "After the ball was over" the speakers adjourned and met again in the steam flying gallery cor. Chestnut and Water streets. Looking at these gentlemen as they rode around the ring your's a thought that they imagined they were right on the road for office and getting there, but they all stopped just where they got on and I think that's about what it will amount to next Tuesday.

Vote the Republican ticket and be happy.

OXFORD.

At Wm. Gibson's in Oxford on Wednesday eve., at 7 o'clock. Samuel N. Jackson and Elizabeth Gibson were united in matrimony by Rev. J. W. Fogle.

Revival services still continue at the M. E. Church, the interest seems to be good. Three conversions to date. Several of the neighboring pastors have rendered valuable assistance. O. W. Devins of Royal Oak has preached three excellent sermons. J. L. Prouse of Bozman and W. E Avery of Easton each preach sermons of considerable force.

The Prohibitionists held a Mass Meeting on Wednesday evening. The attendance was unusually large. The two church choirs of the Methodist churches joined forces and rendered some very excellent music. Rev. Oliver Hemstreet of Balto., and J. M. Lindale of Cordova held the audience until a late hour. A large increase is expected in the vote next Tuesday "For God and Home and Country."

Skirmish with an Escaped Prisoner.—A lively skirmish took place in the streets of Chestertown about midnight of Saturday last between Town Officer Amos B. Keller and some colored men. The latter were placed under arrest by Keller and his deputy bailiff, S. J. Joiner, for disorderly conduct. Gleanva, one of the prisoners, was disposed to give trouble. The officer was conducting him to jail, holding him by the collar of an overcoat, which was thrown over the shoulders and buttoned. On nearing the jail Gleanva shed his overcoat and made a dash for liberty. He was called to a halt by the officer who fired his pistol in the air. The fugative returned the fire and continued his retreat at a full run. The officer again called him to a halt, when another shot was the response to the command. The ball whizzed within a few inches of the officer's head. The fugative ran behind some buildings, but was forced to double and come past the point at which the officers stood, and upon a further refusal to surrender the town officer took deliberate aim and sent a ball from a thirty-eight caliber revolver into the colored man's thigh. The wounded fugative ran nearly a hundred yards further before he was overtaken by the officer He is now in jail under surgical treatment, but the ball has not yet been extracted.—*Sun.*

This Dream had its Opposite.

I had a dream the other night when everything was still,
I thought I saw our old stove go rolling down the hill;
When I awoke and went down stairs, allayed were all my fears,
The same old stove was good as new, the one we've had for years.
This is the key to the mystery.
Benny, who makes a specialty of repairing stoves, had been there. 9sept3m

Piles! Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTONS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

$50 A YEAR FOR LIFE.

Substantial Rewards For Those Whose Answers are Correct.

A man once entered a prison where was confined a condemned criminal. On making a request to be conducted into the presence of the doomed man, the visitor was informed that none but relatives were permitted to see the prisoner. The visitor said: "Brothers and sisters have I none, but the man's (the prisoner's) father is my father's son."

He was at once taken to the prisoner. Now what relation was the prisoner to the visitor? The Agriculturist Publishing Company will give $50 a year for life to the person sending the first correct answer; $5 00 to the second third, $2 50; fourth, $1 00; fifth, $ 50, and over 10,000 rewards, consisting of pianos, organs, ladies and gents gold and silver watches, silver services, diamond rings, etc.

To the person sending the last correct answer will be given a high-toned piano, to the next to the last a beautiful organ, and the next 5,000 will receive valuable prizes of silverware, &c.

RULES.—(1) All answers must be sent by mail and bear postmark no later than Dec. 31 1893. (2) There will be no charge whatever to enter this competition, but all who compete are expected to send one dollar for six months, subscription to either THE LADIES, HOME MAGAZINE OF THE CANADIAN AGRICULTURIST—Two of the choicest illustrated periodicals of the day. (3) All prize winners will be expected to assist us in extending our circulation. (4) The first correct answer received (senders postmark taken in all cases as date of receipt, so as to give every one an equal chance no matter where he or she may reside), will secure the first prize; the second, the next prize, and so on.

THE AGRICULTURIST is an old established concern and possesses ample means to enable it to carry out all its promises. (Send for printed list of former prize winners.)

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 Company, Peterborough. Register all money letters. Address, AGRICULTURIST PUB. CO. (L'td), Peterborough, Canada.

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THE PUZZLER

No. 272.—Arithorem.

If Roman numerals are substituted for the following figures and the letters transposed, the initials when properly arranged will give the name of a well known English bird:

500 & A E P S—a gardener's tool.
100 & N T E H—a fresh water fish.
1,550 & O N A—a nut.
100 & D R U—a fresh water fish.
1,050 & B A—an animal.
1,001 & T S S U H—a geographical term.
52 & G H N N T G E A—an English bird.
1,000 & E U R I G N A—a flower.

No. 273.—A Crooked Path.

I—R—O—N—S
| | | | |
N—C—L—I—B
| | | |
M—O—N—S—I
| | | | |
P—H—E—I—L
| | | | |
R—E—T—T—Y

Beginning at the letter "I" in the upper left hand corner, it is required to trace a path to the lower right hand corner by following the dashes in such a way that all the letters traversed will, when taken in the order in which they are passed, form a single complete English word.

In going from one letter to another any one of the four dashes touching it may be followed, and five of the letters will remain unused.

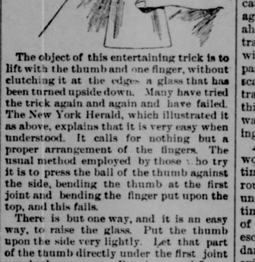
No. 274.—Numerical Enigma.

Whole is composed of 28 letters.
7, 11, 22, 2, a verb, is to scold, to chide,
8, 17, 21, 13, 6, 5, 17 to conceal, to hide;
24, 3, 2, 26 is to comply or to mind,
This in your total I think you will find.
12, 27, 26, 14, 18 is a woven cord or string;
4, 1, 20, 25, 16 is to vibrate, move or swing;
9, 16, 15, 19 is reversed, annulled;
These from a total have been culled.

No. 275.—Mutilated Wisdom.

Observe that if you seek dollars you can gain 10 by extracting the heart of an aphorism, but when you do this you leave only injury behind.

No. 276.—A Trick With a Glass.



The object of this entertaining trick is to lift with the thumb and one finger, without clutching it at the edges, a glass that has been turned upside down. Many have tried the trick again and again and have failed. The New York Herald, which illustrated it as above, explains that it is very easy when understood. It calls for nothing but a proper arrangement of the fingers. The usual method employed by those who try it is to press the ball of the thumb against the side, bending the thumb at the first joint and bending the finger put upon the top, and this fails.

There is but one way, and it is an easy way, to raise the glass. Put the thumb upon the side very lightly. Let that part of the thumb directly under the first joint supply the pressure. Put the second finger across the middle of the top, with the end of the finger nearly reaching the farther edge. Hold this finger perfectly rigid and thus form a straight line from the knuckle joint. Raise the other fingers to show that they are not in use, and by exerting a slight pressure with the thumb and little or none with the finger raise your hand, and the glass will go up in the air with it and stay there an hour if you do not relax your finger joints.

No. 277.—A Tangle.

A mgityh aipn ot ovie ti si,
Adn 'tsi a naip ahti inap ot simn,
Tub fo lal pnias bet tegraset ipns
Ti si ot vole tbu eoiv ni avin.

No. 278.—For Sharp Wits.

A, B and C do a piece of work in a certain time. A could do it alone in 20 days more, B in eight days more and C in twice the time. Required, the time they took to do it working together.

No. 279.—Easy Squares.

Part of the body. Tidy. To deserve. A celebrated volcano.
A pile of hay. An island. To applaud. Detained.

No. 280.—Anagrams.

Women Writers—A facsimile hen. So glad, U and mama. Hale brazen skillet, A. E. We need this gimcrack. W. may be liable. L. read my sermon much. Extheatrical. Keen at anarchy. Cheaper boy. With moral patronage.

One Way of Translating.

"Pas d'elle yeux Rhone que nous." These words do not make a French sentence; but, queerly enough, by simply pronouncing them we get the good American motto, "Paddle your own canoe."

Key to the Puzzler.

No. 263.—Crossword: Heliotrope.
No. 264.—Illustrated Central Acrostic: 1. clAms. 2. flUte. 3. baDge. 4. chUrn. 5. caBin. 6. flOat. 7. caNoe. Centrals: Audubon.
No. 265.—Missing Letter Puzzle:
"Bravo, bravo," the king cried out,
"All honor to those who try!
The spider up there defied despair.
He conquered, and why shouldn't I?"
No. 266.—A Star Puzzle: From 1 to 3, cantata: 1 to 3, crabbed; 2 to 3, aground; 4 to 5, canvass; 4 to 6, charred; 5 to 6, subduel.
No. 267.—An Inverted Pyramid:

C A R O T I D
A L E M A N
R E F E R
O M E N
T A R
I N
D

No. 268.—Numerical Enigma: Caprice.
No. 269.—Anagram: Bonaparte, Battle of the Pyramids, Marengo, Austerlitz.
No. 270.—Printer's Rebus: She was under a tree, bending over a pot with a fire under it.
No. 271.—Transpositions: Priest, sprite, stripe. Canter, nectar, trance.

SAMUEL PATCHETT & SON.

The Cheap Funeral Directors and Furniture Men of Dover Street.

We wish to inform the public in general that they can either do arterial embalming, cavity embalming or embalm by the new method, and do guarantee that they can keep a body as long as any one who only uses arterial embalming. I will guarantee and can prove that I am the oldest embalmer in Easton, and have never made a failure either. Embalming costs but little, and we wish to give the public the benefit of it. Come and get our prices.

SAMUEL PATCHETT & SON.

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

California Homes

A considerable portion of California is admirably adapted by nature for comfortable homes. There is perhaps no place in the world where a family of moderate means to begin with, and of industrious habits, can live so easily, enjoying not only the comforts but even the luxuries of life.

Instead of being, as many suppose, a place where only the wealthy can enjoy life, it is peculiarly adapted to homes of thrifty people who earn their daily bread, and while one without means would undoubtedly find it very difficult to get a start, a man with a small capital can very soon surround himself with luxuries that only the wealthy can enjoy elsewhere.

A small tract of land (10 acres, or at most 20) is enough, which can be purchased at a reasonable price, if not in a "boom" district. With intelligence and industry used in planting and cultivating it, an income is certain. It should be part orchard and part vineyard. While the trees and vines are being brought into bearing enough to materially contribute to the maintenance of the family can be grown between the trees, and if the neighborhood has been well selected, every member of the family able and willing to work can find pleasant and remunerative labor in orchards and vineyards near by, and minister to the support of the family while acquiring the knowledge and skill necessary to the handling of their own crop.

The third year a considerable return may be expected from the vineyard, and from a part of the orchard. As the work has all been done within the family, this will be nearly all net income. The next year and thereafter there will be work enough, and returns enough on the home place.

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Robberies of stations and farmhouses down the line had been frequent. So he settled himself down to a vigil. As he felt hungry he took a can of cove oysters down from the shelf and set it in the stove. A moment afterward there was a knock at the door, and he admitted a cold, drenched tramp, whom he allowed to lie down by the fire. Just then a train came around the bend, and the station agent stepped outside to display the go ahead signal. He felt distrustful of the tramp and feared that he would fool with the money drawer. As the train passed he hurried into the room and had scarcely opened the door and seen the tramp standing by the stove with something glistening in his hand, when there was a report, and the agent felt a stinging sensation over his eye.

Although blinded with blood from the wound, he drew his pistol and fired five times into the room. He then dashed around to the rear of the station and hid under the platform. After an hour's time he crawled out, resigned to the loss of his money and thankful that he had escaped with his life. The room was dark; the fire was out. The tramp had evidently escaped with his booty. Sorrowfully the agent lit a match, but instantly dropped it when a startling sight met his eyes. He lit another one, found a candle and gazed about at the scene of desolation.

The lamp had been shattered by a bullet. A cheese had been perforated with two bullets. The room was filled with smoke from the stovepipe, which a fourth bullet had perforated. Strangest of all, the room was filled with cinders, and oysters frescoed everything. Oysters, oysters, oysters, cove oysters. The agent gasped and realized it all. The can had remained in the stove too long, and being sealed up had exploded from the steam when the tramp poked the fire. Of course the tramp skipped when the shooting commenced. The cash drawer was intact. A piece of tin was found near the door, where it had recoiled off the agent's face. The agent spent the remainder of the night in mending the stove door.—Louisville Commercial.

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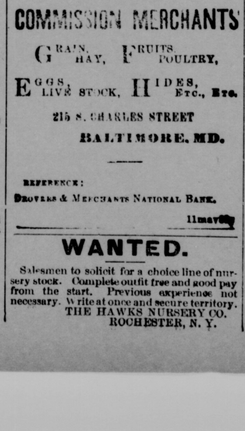
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