The Easton Gazette.

SATURDAY. - - DECEMBER 2, 1893.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

—See the premiums offered in this and succeeding papers. tf

—Henry A. Nichols & Bro., are headquarters for general stove work. They are giving especial attention to all lines of their business and guarantee utmost satisfaction. tf

Merchants will save freight by purchasing stock of D. Siegel & Co., Jobbers.

—School boys and girls will find pleasant and profitable enjoyment in canvassing for the GAZETTE. They can make some money for presents before Christmas, or get a big premium offered in the columns of the paper No one need fail. tf

—Experienced workmen will overhaul your stove or range and make it as good as new at small cost. NICHOLS & BRO.

Good black stockings 5's to 9½'s five cents per pair at D. Siegel & Co's.

—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. 29sp3tf.

—Stoves at Nichols & Brother, Dover St.

—Why do you not send in a few names for the GAZETTE next year? Liberal premiums given to clubs of two or more new subscribers. tf

We are over stocked in Blankets and it will pay you to call and investigate. D. Siegel and Co.

—LOOK, LOOK, old news papers for sale at this office, 10c. a hundred.

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.

Housekeeper Wanted.—A good reliable white woman to be housekeeper in family of invalid lady. Liberal salary, good and permanent home. Apply at this office. tf

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 bussmen. Cook will wait on you in a gentlemanly manner.

Public School Notice to Parents and Guardians.—The School Board has been assured by the proper health officers that there is no danger, with the precautions observed at present by the teachers, of disease being disseminated through the school. Whenever the School Board is properly advised that there is any danger, the schools will be closed. By order of the Board

ALEXANDER CHAPLAIN, Secretary

It Should Be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson 371 Clay St., Sharpsburg, Pa. says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa, claims Dr. King's New Discovery did him more good than anything he ever used for lung trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at J. C. Henry's Drug Store. Large bottles 50c. and $1 00.

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

For Rent.—Desirable office rooms, either single or communicating, on first floor, central location, will be rented immediately, also Large barn, stables and carriage house, in Easton will be rented cheap to a good tenant Apply to. WILSON M. TYLOR.

Piles! Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—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.

Of Interest to Travelers.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad announces that they have placed on sale round trip tickets at reduced rates to the Winter Resorts in Florida and the South, and also to such points of interest as Luray, Natural bridge and Gettysburg. This Company has also arranged to place on sale excursion tickets to San Francisco and other points in California on account of the Mid Winter Fair, at unusually low rates. Excursion tickets are now on sale to Philadelphia and New York via the famous Royal Blue Line.

With its vestibuled train service via Washington to Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago, the B. and O. is in the best of condition to handle western and southern travel. That the line is a popular one, is attested by the immence World's Fair business handled this summer.

Those contemplating a trip west or south this winter, should write to B. F. Bond. Div. Pass. Agent, B. & O. R. R., Balto. and Calvert Sts., Baltimore, Md. CHAS. O. SCULL, Gen'l. Pass, Agt. 3t

Wanted to rent, by a young white man a small house on farm where he can have work constantly; or he would hire by the year to any landlord as leading hand. First class reference given. WM. N. KENTON, 11-18 3t Denton, Md.

Literary Notes.—The Christmas Number of *Harper's Magazine* published last week, contains ten short stories, including Thomas Nelson Page's humorous sketch introducing the "Editor's Drawer," and an unusual number of beautiful illustrations. Timely and attractive features are "The House of Commons," by Thomas Power O'Connor, with illustrations by Albert E. Sterner; "The Old Dominion," a contemporary view of Virginia, by Thomas Nelson Page, with pictures by C. S. Reinhart; and "An Outpost of Civilization," a sketch of Mexican ranch life, contributed by Frederick Remington, whose descriptions admirably fit his vigorous and characteristic drawings.

Harper & Brothers are to publish in the course of a few days The Masters and Masterpieces of engraving, by Willis O. Chapin, one of the most beautiful volumes of the holiday season in its illustrations, largely photogravure reproductions of notable prints and etchings. The books offer a brief historical and summary of two arts in which collectors are more and more interested.

Among the Christmas books from *Harper & Brother* which make their appearance next week will be the promised illustrated edition of Charles Reade's ever-delightful romance of the Middle Ages, The Cloister and the Hearth. It is lavishly and gracefully illustrated by William Martin Johnson, the same artist whose pencil bestowed fresh attractiveness on General Lew. Wallace's Ben-Hur. The pictures illustrate almost every phase of life at the period of the famous story.

Mrs. Maley Bainbridge Crist, of the Confederate War Journal, Lexington, Ky., paid Easton a rapid visit last week and made the acquaintance of several prominent citizens and interested them in her work. She is an enthusiastic and entertaining person and likely to win favor where ever she goes. This she did with the editor of Frank Leslie's Magazine who accepted her article written in reply to that work of Toisti's that Post Master Wanamaker suppressed from the U. S. Mails. It will appear in the March number of that Magazine and will be entitled The Woman's Story of the Kreutzer Sonata. Mrs. Crist is a correspondent to the Cincinnati Post and other prominent papers.

J. S. GARRISON, M. D.,
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Public Business.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Mark New vs. Thomas O. Cook and Wm. F. Payne; action to recover the value of a horse owned by New alleged to have been killed by defendants' runaway omnibus team; jury; Turner and Seth for plaintiff, Stewart for defendant; jury failed to agree.

State vs. Edmond Jackson for assault with intent to kill Asbury Stanford, verdict, guilty of assault; sentenced to six months in the House of Correction; Stewart for State, Gibson & Carrington for defense.

State vs. Kate Smith; indictment for assault upon Edmond Wilson with a razor with intent to kill; verdict not guilty; Stewart for State, Gibson & Carrington for traverser.

Alexis A. Pascault vs. John Outram, admr. of Benjamin Outram, dec'd., to recover amount due; trial before jury; Martin and Seth for plaintiff, Gibson & Carrington for defendant; verdict for plaintiff for $82.

The grand jury came into court and made the following report:

REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court for Talbot county:

The Grand Jury for Talbot county, November term, 1893, having finished their deliberations, respectfully report that they have carefully investigated all violations of the law coming under their knowledge, and in the course of said investigations have had before us 48 cases and examined 103 witnesses, and made 14 presentments.

Finding so many trivial cases brought before us through the efforts of our constables that we deem it advisable that they act with more discretion in the discharge of their duty in preserving peace and good order, thereby saving expense to the county.

In visiting the jail we found it well kept and in good sanitary condition with the exception of insufficient ventilation of the water closets, and would recommend that a ventilation be placed in the top of same.

We think the jail should be inspected by an expert, as in our opinion it is insecure. We also think some method should be adopted to prevent prisoners from communicating with outside persons, thereby preventing a nuisance much complained of—also that sexes should not be allowed together while exercising. We found imprisoned 14 persons, 5 awaiting trial, 2 waiting to be transferred to the House of Correction, 3 serving sentence for disorderly conduct, 2 lunatics, 1 simple minded boy and one awaiting sentence. The public roads are reported to be in good condition with the exception of a piece on the Centreville road, leading from Easton to first intersection of the Chapel road, about ¾ of a mile, we would earnestly recommend that the County Commissioners have said piece of road graded and shelled at their earliest possible convenience.

After a careful investigation of various charges against officers connected with the late election, of alleged violation of the law relating to said election, we have been convinced that no acts have been committed to warrant us to make any presentments—but that the various charges and counter charges are exagerated and arise more from the heat and passion of a political contest than from any other cause. We would suggest that the registration books of the county, whilst out of the custody of the Clerk of the Court, be more securely guarded.

The clerk, officers of the court and obliging State's Attorney have done everything in their power to facilitate our work, and have our thanks.

Our labors being at a close, with thanks to your Honors for courtesy received and information given, we ask to be discharged.

GEO. C. MOORE, Foreman.

We neglected to state in the above, we have granted to the following gentlemen licenses to sell spirituous and fermented liquors in quantities not less than one pint: Spencer W. Calloway, John W. Anthony, William A. Walls, James Ahern, Joseph H. Ross, John M. Beaven, Wm. T. Callahan, Henry M. Ziegler, William H. Warner, Samuel T. Rhodes, Geo. W. Parrot and J. A. Morgan.

Mark New vs. Cook & Payne; jury; Turner and Seth for plaintiff, Stewart for defendant; verdict for plaintiff for $200.

William Kreiger, a native of Germany, was naturalized. The first papers were issued Nov. 10, 1891; witnesses, George F. Kinnamon and August Hemmerle.

State vs. Otho. J. Seward, indictment for burning the dwelling of Thomas Elliott, in Oxford; jury found guilty; jury; Stewart for State, Gibson & Carrington and Tilghman for prisoner; submitted without argument. Jury acquitted the prisoner without leaving the box.

State vs. Geo. W. Keys, for larceny of suit of clothes belonging to R. R. Butler; jury; Stewart for state, Kirby for defendant; verdict guilty.

Court adjourned until Tuesday, Dec. 5.

ORPHANS COURT.

Orphans' Court met on Friday, 24, Present, Jerome B. Bennett, chief judge; Ormond Hammond, Wm. C. Dudley, associates; E. H. Roe, register of wills; H. G. Pascault, deputy; Samuel E. Tucker, crier.

Saml. A. Parrott, heretofore appointed gdn. to Geo. W. and C. E. Parrott, filed his bond as such in the penalty of $500; approved and ordered to be recorded.

Isaiah H. Hanna, admr. Eliza Hanna, presented 1st and final acc't. administration; passed. Rosa M. Cahall, heretofore appointed gdn. Fred. B. S. Cahall, filed here bond as such in penalty of $2000; approved. Charles H. Hughes, admr. Jesse Hughes, presented 1st and final acc't. administration; passed. Upon application the court passed the following order:

"It is ordered by the Orphans' Court for Talbot county, this 24th day of November, A. D. 1893, that Rosa M. Cahall, guardian to Fred. B. S. Cahall, invest in first mortgage on the real estate in Chapel district, containing one hundred and eighty acres of land, the sum of eleven hundred and eighteen and 90-100 dollars, funds of her said ward; and it is further ordered that this investment be not changed without further order of the court.

Orphans' Court met on Tuesday, Nov. 28th, all present except E. H. Roe, absent on account of sickness.

George M. Wilson, admr. of William H. Wilson, presented his first and final account of administration. Passed.

Edward F. Sherwood, admr. of Wm. G. Sherwood, presented his first and final account of administration. Passed.

Rosa M. Cahall and George Orinis, admr's. of Bayard H. Cahall, presented releases from Rosa M. Cahall, and as guardian of Fred. B. S. Cahall.

John Stanton's will was filed for probate.

James C. and Clayland Mullikin, attorneys, filed bill of complaint for the sale of real estate in case of Edwin P. Sparks and Dr. James Seth vs. Edward F. Sherwood, Laura B. Jones and others, and thereupon the Court ordered subpoenas to be issued.

Court met yesterday, Dec. 1st. Wm. D. J. Morris, admr. of Charles N. Marshall, deceased, presented release from Walter S. Kirby, guardian of Charles L. and Daisy B. Marshall. It was received and ordered to be recorded.

Special Notice.—The B. & E. S. R. R. Co., will give a special "One Dollar" excursion to all School Teachers on the Eastern Shore to Baltimore, on Saturday, Dec 16th. Tickets good for the day or return the following Monday. These tickets to be procured from the Agents at different stations, upon presenting an order signed by the Gen. Pass. Agent of the Railroad. These orders can be obtained from the Supt. of the Schools of the different counties, or direct from Gen. Pass. Agent.

This is done for the special accommodation of the School Teachers. Saturday being their only holiday during the week, they being debarred from taking advantage of the previous low rate excursions we have given.

Church Notes.—Calvary M. P. Church, Sunday 11 a. m., Communion; 2 p. m., Sunday School; 7.30 p. m., aniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society. The services will also be in the interest of the Convention to be held in Baltimore next week. Music, addresses and Bible readings. Public invited.

On tomorrow morning (Sunday) at Court House, a Thanksgiving Communion service will be held. Every member and friend are earnestly requested to be present. At night the pastor will preach upon the "Ministry of Angels." Experience meeting at 10 a. m., Epworth League at 6.30 p. m. Everybody invited.

Mt. Zion M. E. Church. Communion Service tomorrow at 11 A. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject:—The Attractive Power of Christ. Epworth League at 6.30 P. M. All welcome.

IN THIS BUSY WORLD.

"GOSH" SPREADS HIMSELF ON NUMEROUS SUBJECTS THIS WEEK.

His views on turkeys as legal tender, and other interesting subjects.

In this month of Thanksgiving while we are looking over our blessings and privileges, as we are supposed to do, do not let us forget to give thanks for the fact that we are *Americans*. Born and bred in this Land of Liberty the finest land under the sun, the land which holds for each one of us greater possibilities than any other land can offer. Even the cold November days, with the clear, crisp air we breathe, seem to give us fresh vigor and energy, and to strengthen our feelings of independence, the characteristic, most prominent of the Americans,

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said
This is my own my native land,"

The other day, when the wind was blowing quite lively around the corners, a piece of paper flew up in my face and on examining it, I found it to be a fragment of an old letter. It ran somewhat as follows:—"That great mogul of correct grammer has *went* evidently to a great deal of trouble in lecting other people who have *saw* a great maney more summers than he *did* and I *seen* other people who done exactly what he did and a few others is doine and they *was* none of your Nancy Hanks people either. These kind of people are to be founded every where that don't see *nothin* and do not feel *tolerable* well unless they can make others feel *sickly*. It is about time some one asked him who he is talking to and *me* and *me* brother, we hereby do so and I hope others will also. If I should take time to expose this *sham pretender* we could—" and there it ended. A unique character certainly to talk about "correct grammer", and "other people." Who this writer with the pectureseque grammar is. I do not know and I hope he won't see this and *went* to me and *gave* me his opinion.

The Moreland Block has now one of the handsomest buildings in the town, and instead of being an eye sore, as it used to be. It is very pretty in its new paint and improvements. Steam heaters are being put in, and also electric light and when entirely complet ed it will be a model office building, and an ornament to which we can point with pride.

I had supposed that Congress had settled the financial question long ago, and I also read of its proceedings, but it seems there is one important feature that appears to be in reading the *Democrat* last week I read a notice stating that turnips were acceptable on subscription accounts, but that turkey would be much more appreciated, after delicately hinting for that all important Thanksgiving dinner adjunct, the turkey. The editor says he will gladly welcome all fowls answering by that name. Holy Smoke, what is the country coming too, when money is so scarce that turkeys and turnips have to be used as legal tender. It will be amusing in the extreme to go through our extensive market and hear such questions as these: "How much are your potatoes a bushel?" "One turkey and a quarter." Well Mr. editor, you deserve credit for suggesting and putting into practice an idea that (it is hope) will relieve the general depression of the times. I hope it will be a *leg-al Tender*.

The entertainment by the Avon Cycle Club has been much talked about and those who were so unfortunate as to miss it are clamoring to have the club give another. It is the most obligeing club you ever saw and has decided to gratify the people and will give another entertainment, only more elaborate, soon. Details will be published at an early date. Good people encourage this orginization. It is doing a power of good for our young men.

"Hamlet" was produced at the Opera House Wednesday evening before a large and critical audience and it was truly a remarkable performance where ability and genius were most conspicuous. Indeed I have seldom seen a company exhibit such talent as did this company Wednesday eve. I enjoyed it ever so much—was sorry I could not be there.

The people of Easton sustained a loss the early part of this week and a loss that cannot easily be repaired. I refer to the removal of ex-sheriff Fairbanks to his estate in Bay Side. We have all grown much attached to the kind hearted, popular sheriff and regret exceeding that he cannot remain in this community. He and his excellent family have been greatly liked by our people and then removal from us is regretted deeply. Seldom has Talbot had a more acceptable sheriff, and seldom has Easton had a more popular and upright citizen.

The Sunday School organ of the M. E. Church, I was told has become quite dull in tone and a new one is about to be put in. What's the use of going to all that expense? Why not call on an organ grinder?

I hope, so sincerely that the readers of the GAZETTE enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner but I particularly hope they had an easier time digesting it then did "Gosh"

Christian Endeavor Conventions.—There will be held in Baltimore next week two conventions of the Christian Endeavor Society. The first will be under the auspices of The Methodist Protestant Church and will be held in Lafayette Ave. Church. J. W. Kirk Pastor. It will open Dec 4th, and last two days.

Rev. H. L. Elderdice will preside Miss Katie E. Moore, Mrs. E. H. Roe and Mrs. J. M. Sheridan have been elected delegates from Calvary M. P. Church. Many interesting subjects pertaining to Christian Endeavor work will be discussed by prominent workers throughout the State. Dr. Clark of Maine and Rev. J. F. Cowan of Pittsburg will also deliver addresses. The other convention will be composed of societies from all denominations in the State and will be held in Brantly Baptist Church Dec. 5, 6, and 7th. W. C. Perkins will preside.

The address of welcome will be by Dr. Wharton and the response by Rev. A. L. Elderdice. Prominent speakers from N. Y. and other States will deliver addresses. The convention sermon will be by Rev. M. B. Babcock. Address on Christian Endeavor and the Unchurched, by Mr. Anthony Comstock of New York. "How to Save the Children." by Mrs. Scudder of Jersey City. "The Problem of the Unemployed," by Dr. F. E. Clark of Maine. Other prominent speakers will speak on "The Pledge," "Convention Work," "Prayer Meeting," and "Christian Fellowship." Also addresses by Rev. T. H Lewis of West Minister and Dr. Burrell of New York.

There will be a large gathering of Christian Endeavor workers from all over Maryland, and great interest and enthusiasm will be manifested. A choir of one hundred voices will lead singing. All rail roads and steam boat lines will issue tickets and reduced rates. There is a strong effort being made to hold the National Convention of 1896 in Baltimore. The National convention this year was held in Montreal, Canada, at which there were twenty five thousand delegates.

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

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well knows and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial Fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50c. and $1.00 per bottle at J. C. Henry's Drug Store. tf

Special Notice.—The B & E S. R. R. Co. will run another special excursion to Baltimore from all points on its line Friday, Dec. 8th. at special low rates. Tickets good for return next day. See Posters.

A. J. BENJAMIN, Genl, Pass. Agt.

Didier and Bartlett Wedding.—On Wednesday evening a brilliant assemblege of people crowded the church of SS. Peter and Paul to attend the marriage of Mr. T. Tennant Didier to Miss Mary Bartlett. Promptly at 7 o'clock the bridal party entered the main entrance of the church and was escorted up the aisle to the chancel railing by the ushers, Messrs. James Dixon, William H. Kemp, Frank Gibson and Samuel Harper. The marriage ceremony was performed by an uncle of the bride, Rev. Wm. Bartlett of St. Anne's Church, Baltimore, assisted by Rev. Laurence McNamara of Washington D. C., and Rev. T. F. Waldron, pastor, Easton.

The bride wore a brown cloth traveling suit and carried La France roses tied with pink ribbon. The groom and ushers were in full evening dress; there were no bridesmaids. The chancel was elaborately decorated with hundreds of candles and the choicest of potted plants. The entire communion railing was covered with smilax relieved by tea roses. The part of the church allotted for the intimate friends of the contracting couple was enclosed in white ribbon. During the services Mrs. Wm. Coney presided at the organ. After the ceremony the young couple received the congratulations of their friends at the rectory and left on the night boat on an extended tour. Relatives were present from Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York.

Death of Alexander R. Parks—Alexander R. Parks died of typhoid fever at the home of his son-in-law, W. J. Coleman, at Coleman's, yesterday, aged 68 years. Mr. Parks was taken sick about a week ago. He was a most exemplary citizen, and a successful farmer until several years ago, when he abandoned rural pursuits, having accumulated a valuable property. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and at the time of his death was a member of the official board of the church at Still Pond. Scrupulously honorable in all business affairs he commanded the respect of all who knew him. He leaves three children, Mrs. Dr. J. B. Merrit, of Easton; Mrs. M. M. Rasin, of Zanesville and Mrs. W. J. Coleman, of Coleman's.—*Chestertown Transcript.*

Fifty-Eighth Annual Report of the Union Dorcas Society.—Another year has been added to the long list of those that have rolled by since the organization of the Union Dorcas Society, and the record of its usefulness has suffered no diminution. With unflagging zeal and unfailing hope the Managers pursue their quiet routine of benevolent work giving, according to our financial ability, to those who are proved upon investigation to be worthy recipients of charity. And in some cases of utter destitution, though the persons may have brought the suffering upon themselves, we can but follow the example of our Savior Christ, and the teaching of Him "who maketh His sun shine upon the evil and the good, and sendeth rain upon the just and the unjust."

We are glad to acknowledge from Miller Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the handsome donation of Fifty Dollars, without which we should have been much restricted in our work. And from the Directors of the Talbot County Fair Association we received a large box of bread which was distributed among our pensioners and was most gratefully received by them.

We have paid during the year one hundred and twenty-three visits and relieved twenty-four individuals. For the means to continue our work we rely upon the aid of a generous public to whom we have never appealed in vain. We know that the late financial crisis will somewhat restrict the means of many of our patrons, but we trust they will be "merciful after their power. If thou hast much give plenteously. If thou hast little, do thy diligence gladly to give of that little, for so gatherest thou unto thyself a good reward in the day of adversity."

Subjoined is the Treasurer's Report.

Treasurer's Report of Receipts and Expenditures of Union Dorcas Society for the year ending Nov. 30th, 1893.

Cash received of Donation Committee	$71 68
Cash received of Subscription Com.,	31 50
Cash rec'd of Miller Lodge, I. O. O. F.,	50 00
Cash rec'd, interest on Nath Legacy,	6 03
Cash received, Abs nt Fees,	1 10
Cash received, Jarrett & Nichols, (bal. of donation)	1 17
Total,	$161 44
Paid out as per checks,	152 79
Balance in Treasury,	$8 65
Received in dry goods,	$ 6 83
Received in groceries,	22 50
Received in medicines,	35 00
Received in boots,	5 00
Received in meat,	1 50
Total,	$79 22

Dr. Harlan H. Ballard, President of the Agassiz Association, in Popular Science News, on the Birds of North America.—In Connection with the foregoing report of our Ornithological Chapter, it is only right to call the attention of all lovers of birds to the magnificent work now being issued by the Natural Science Association of America, and entitled. "The Birds of North America." Edition limited to 1,000.

It is emphatically an original work, original in design and execution, and whether in letter, press, illustration or price, it is unapproached by anything of the kind in existence.

It is recommended by the highest scientific, ecclesiastic and educational authority as being the most attractive, meritorious, pur- and ennobling exposition of our ornithology yet given to the public.

Dr. Elliott Coues, author of "Birds of the North-West," says: "It is a really notable work." Prof. C. J. Maynard, author of the "Birds of Eastern North America," says; "It contains the best pictures of the species which I have ever seen." Thomas G. Gentry, author of "Life Histories of Birds," and "Nests and Eggs of Birds of the United States," says: "It is the cheapest and best publication on ornithology in this country. The drawings are of a very high order, and rivals in beauty of design and finish the more costly works published abroad or in this country. It should be found in our homes and libraries generally." And according to Dr. Theodore Gill, a member of the National Academy of Sciences. "It is not only a meritorious volume, but is altogether as handsome as to make it a very appropriate presentation book or ornament for the family table."

It is an imperial quarto volume of engraved figures of all our species artistically reproduced, true in all hues of color to their natural plumage and botanical surroundings. It also includes a copious text description of their habits and characteristics, and embracing in general the observations made by the most eminent writers on ornithology, and a systematic table, arranged according to the classifications adopted by the American Ornithologists' Union, includes all the additions and corrections of our North American species which have been made to date, with an index to page, plate and figure of each species according to the A. O. U. number. It is illustrated with one hundred and nineteen full page colored plates, each representing from one to thirty or more species. It is the finest book on American birds issued since Audubon, and is announced by some authorities superior to that now rare and costly work. It is issued in half and full bindings, Russia, seal, or morocco, at the net price of $40 and $45 respectively; but in response to a special letter, the association authorizes me to say that a substantial discount will be made to such of of our A. A. members and others as are working naturalists. We commend this work especially to members of the Wilson Ornithological Chapter.

It is also a very useful and appropriate addition to the home and reference library, and for presentation purposes generally. Address regarding it, the NATURAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION, 114 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y. Samples of plates and text can be had by sending twenty five cents in postage stamps. dec2tf

G. A. R.—The regular meeting of Hicks Post No. 24 G. A. R. will be held on Tuesday Evening next Dec. 5th, at 7.30 at the Post room in Easton. The annual impotion of the post will take place and a full attendance is earnestly requested.—By command of THOMAS H. COBURN, Commander.

FOR THE BLOOD,
Weakness, Malaria, Indigestion and Biliousness, take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It cures quickly. For sale by all dealers in medicine. Get the genuine.

From Our Trappe Correspondant.—Rev. F. M. Totten has closed protracted services in the M. E. Church, South, which resulted in several conversions. Miss Annie Howard of Caroline County assisted at several exercises, and, by her earnestness gave material aid. Large congregation attended on Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. D. M. Long has been invited to address the teachers of Baltimore County on Saturday in Baltimore City,

Messrs. Hollingsworth and Sullivan are painting the Southern Methodist Church.

Arrangements are being made for an entertainment in the Town Hall, Christmas week, for the Mite Society, M. E. Church, South.

Butchering season has again arrived and ere long will be heard the squeal of "the last pig of autumn."

Several little children are entertained by a species of whooping cough.

Mr. L. Hill Mullikin is giving a showy appearance to his house.

Some folks still wonder at the recent democratic editor's joke. Actions may be legal, yet neither fair nor manly. Well, "there are many things 'twixt heaven and earth, Horatio, that are never dreamt of in your philosophy."

A Cold Winter Expected—A dispatch to the New York *Sun* from Northwood, N. Y. says: When the long headed old Adirondack men gather down at Grant on election day to vote the one topic that interested them next to the political situation was the weather. They all agreed that "finer weather never laid out o' doors that what we've been havin' but unless the signs fail we're goin' to get it right smart the other way," beginning very soon. And here are some of the signs on which Adirondack folks rely when they are looking into the future of the weather.

The boys have had to dig deeper for foxes this fall than at any time for six years, and about all the fox holes of which report was made in the hotel horse shed at Grant had been found in the earth instead of the rocks, where they are usually found. The fox is "a right cunnin' critter," and he knows in some way when cold weather is to be expected, and digs a hole accordingly.

Then attention was called to the horses that came into the shed. Everyone was sweating although it was a cold if very bright day.

"See the sweat," said Uncle Daniel Higgins "It's because every one of 'em has an unusually thick coat. Why' jist rub your hand on any horse here and you'll find the hair as thick as a bear's skin. It is confidently asserted that a thick coat always grows on all domestic animals when a very cold winter is expected,

Another woodsman called attention to the old beaver meadows. "The grass on Flae Brook hasn't been so long in—well, not since '87. I can show you stalks from six to six and a half feet long in what I cut for bedding" he said, and that growth is noticed, they say, only in the kind of a year when the muskrats are likely to need a particularly warm house for the season. The muskrat homes have not been attacked yet in the regular fall hunts, but one man, Bill McDougal, of the Twin Lake stream settlement had "opened one for luck," and found the walls, he said, at least a quarter thicker than they were last year.

The old stand by sign of the goose bone is hooted at by the lowlanders of this section but two men who brought deer out of the woods on the last day of the season, and kill many partridges every fall, said that all kinds of game are dressed in unusually warm coats, as the domestic animals.

The last sign to be mentioned was probably the most important, because the most trustworthy of all. After listening to what the rest said Superintendent Talbot, of the Hicksley lumber mills, went to an apple tree not far away from the shed and took away a cocoon made there by some kind of a caterpillar and broke it open before the woodsmen. Very few, if any of the spectators were familiar with cocoons, but Mr. Talbot, who is a naturalist as well as an expert republican politician and a lumberman, said that the softness as well as the thickness of the material indicates the kind of weather to which the other signs pointed.

The weather probabilities are of interest to all kinds of people, but to none more than to the Adirondack folks. A cold winter with its continuously deep snow, is just what they want. They call snow the poor man's fertilizer, because the meadows produce better hay when covered deep all winter. Then the deep snow enables them to lay out highways in all parts of the woods, including swamps, while a low temperature makes all kinds of fur prime, so that better prices are realized. By the time this is printed every man in the region will be busy overhauling his bobsleds and making trails for the winter's teaming, while Sunday will regularly be devoted to regularly laying out lines for traps. If Adirondack folks don't winter well it will be a remarkable season in the history of Herkimer county, for it never saw the day in which all signs failed entirely.

Serious Accident.—Mr. Edward Hardcastle met with a serious accident yesterday afternoon. While attempting to cross the railroad track near Kirkham, his horse collided with a hand car, throwing him violently to the ground. He sustained a fracture of the arm and other injuries, but it is hoped of not a serious character.

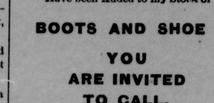
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No. 297.—Crossword Enigma.

In nervous, not in bold;
In illness, not in cold;
In giant, not in boy;
In plaything, not in toy;
In tidy and in neat;
In cashier, not in seat;
In ninety, not in two;
In guitar, not in shoe;
In manly, not in fine;
In liquid, not in wine;
In cruel, not in kind;
My whole a bird you'll find.

No. 298.—A Familiar Saying.



No. 299.—Charade.

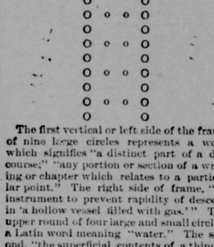
A schoolboy sat beneath a tree
To ONE his grammar through,
And as he studied well he THREE,
Then drank from out a two.
But though he pondered much he could
His ideas ne'er control,
And he admitted that he would
Not try that word to WHOLE.

No. 300.—Zigzag.

All the words described contain the same number of letters. When rightly guessed and placed one below another in the order here given, the zigzag, beginning at the upper left hand corner, will spell a sobriquet given to the third president of the United States:

Crosswords: 1. Solitary. 2. A sudden and rapid invasion by a cavalry force. 3. A dry, granulated starch imported from the East Indies. 4. An intricacy. 5. To travel slowly, but steadily. 6. At a distance. 7. To beat with a heavy stick. 8. A uniting tie. 9. A long pointed tooth. 10. Unyielding courage. 11. A two masted, square rigged vessel. 12. Performs. 13. Impartial. 14. Otherwise. 15. To thwart. 16. A game played on horseback.

No. 301.—A Ladder.



The first vertical or left side of the frame of nine large circles represents a word which signifies "a distinct part of a discourse;" "any portion or section of a writing or chapter which relates to a particular point." The right side of frame, "an instrument to prevent rapidity of descent in the human body;" "a fastening for ties." The upper round of four large and small circles, a Latin word meaning "water." The second, "the superficial contents of a thing;" "an inclosed space or open surface." The third, "a violent motion;" a plant. The fourth, "a substance resembling turf, used for fuel."

No. 302.—Metagram.

1. I am decayed; change my head, and I am a whim; again, and I am to have possessed; again, and I am out of my mind; again, and I am a cushion; again, and I am sorrowful.

2. I am a winged animal; change my head, and I am a domestic animal; again, and I am stout; again, and I am an article of apparel; again, and I am a rug; again, and I am to hit lightly; again, and I am to have reclined; again, and I am a tub.

No. 303.—Hidden Authors.

He purchased for cash a lemon color silk cloak.

I laid the book of John's on the table.

The painted arrow struck the target; the others missed it, so I shall use that hereafter.

The cobwebs terrified the children.

The minister needs the support of his parishioners.

Conundrums Answered.

What is that which is full of holes and yet holds water? A sponge.

When does a rogue think he gets "a drop too much?" When he gets the hangman's.

What can a man have in his pocket when it is empty? A hole.

Why is an unsuitable thing like a dumb person? Because it won't answer.

Key to the Puzzler.

No. 289.—Charade: Hermitage.

No. 290.—A Menu For Dinner: 1. Mock turtle. 2. Salmon. 3. Greens. 4. Green peas. 5. Lamb. 6. Mint sauce. 7. Turkey. 8. Ham. 9. Potatoes. 10. Cabbage. 11. Beets. 12. Corn. 13