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THERE will still be unpleasant factions to deal with in the Baltimore city administration of Republican affairs. Chairman W. F. Stone, it seems, is not having the smoothest sea in which to guide the old ship.

A bill before the Delaware Legislature practically authorizes prize-fighting, as it countenances among other things "trials or contests of speed or power of endurance between or among men, either with or without the use of mechanical means." Under such a provision an old-fashioned bare-knuckle prize fight could be legally held in that State. As well said by the Wilmington *Gazette*, what a name and reputation the passage of this bill would give to Delaware.

THE beautiful 24 page Register of Maryland Nautical Academy is off the press this week at the GAZETTE office. The copy was handed in on Monday and the entire proof revised on Tuesday night. Instead of calling in extra help the force was minus its foreman all of the time and one other professional printer part of the time, yet the the regular work of the office went along smoothly and without delay. For dispatch and excellence of work the public are invited to inspect the results accomplished at the GAZETTE office.

THE REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE will meet at Raine's Hall on Wednesday, June 2, at noon, in accordance with the provision of the party constitution, requiring a meeting at that time. Among other things to be decided by the committee will be to designate the time and place to hold the State Convention to nominate candidates for Comptroller of the State Treasury and clerk of the Court of Appeals, and also to designate the times and places to hold the several conventions to nominate candidates for judges in the Circuits where vacancies on the Bench occur this year

As a chronicler of the accidents of life the newspaper is called upon to perform few more distressing tasks than when it reports the suicide of children, boys or girls, says the Philadelphia *Press*. If,however, those who read the newspapers will but heed the lessons it will be seen that, far from being objectionable, these reports are not only necessary but salutary. The latest suicide of a boy, a victim of the cigarette habit, differs in no respect from others that occur here, there and everywhere, but it serves to accentuate once more the fatal irresponsibility of parents.

It is all very well to explain away each case by means of special pleading, but the essential fact remains that a boy cannot become habitually given up to small or great vices save through parental neglect. This neglect may hide itself under complacent forms of apparent concern for the boy's welfare. The parents themselves may be church goers, the boy, at least superficially, may be under church influences. Both parents and children may rely, therefore, on surface forms, while all the time there is deterioration of character and physical growth. It is so easy to go to Sunday school and so hard to be manly. It is so easy for the parent to sit in a pew and so hard to control and develop character.

All cases of this kind do not necessarily lead to suicide. There was the Washington boy, a Don Juan at 18, swindling right and left in New York, whose home influences had, as the phrase goes, been excellent. But it is unneccessary to multiply cases. They are too common and through a curious irresponsibility of parents,and a fatuity that prevents the application of obvious discipline, they rest complacently in methods through which reform will not come. It is this irresponsibility of parents that forces extra work on the schools and in the cause of the absurd curfew law movements wherein the State is asked to do the work of family. It is time a reaction set in, and instead of blaming the young the blame was put where it belnngs—on the parents.

A Popular President.

Although William McKinley has been President of the United States less than twelve weeks the country has already taken his measure as a man and a statesman. It is a brief period from which to judge of his capacity and the success of his Administration. But an American President is compelled to take so early and so active a part in the Government, to formulate his policy at once and indicate his power for handling great questions, that it is perhaps not unjust for the people to decide quickly whether or not they have chosen rightly in putting the reins of government in his hands.

Mr. McKinley was hardly in the White House before events compelled him to show what manner of President he would be. The first test to which he was put was forced upon him by the officeseekers. For over sixty years the American people have been taught that with the advent of a new party in power a general overturning of the offices would take place. Civil service reform has gradually diminished the number of places which can be disturbed as spoils, but it has not dulled the appetite for office. No President has had to withstand a more vigorous onset from the officeseekers than William McKinley and the manner in which he has met it has given the people an illustration of the man's strength of character and adherence to principle. There has been no attempt to set up a barrier between the President and those who wanted office, but a quiet and firm purpose has been displayed to permit no debauching of the public service simply for the sake of party.

But in protecting the public service President McKinley has not found it necessary to hold himself aloof from the people. He has shown not only a willingness but a desire to meet nis fellow countrymen at all proper times and in all proper places. This is another cause of his growing popularity. Twice since his inauguration Mr. McKinley has come conspicuously before popular audiences, once in New York at the dedication of the Grant memorial and again in this city at the unveiling of the Washington Monument, and on both occasions he has added to his fame as an orator and to the favor in which he is held by the people. Both speeches were chaste examples of oratory and eminently appropriate to the occasion on which they were delivered, while the manner and bearing of the man showed him to be a dignified but courteous and intellectual American gentlemen.

A third way in which William McKinley is winning popularity as a Chief Executive is in his treatment of foreign questions. Four years ago the whole country was humiliated and its pride injured by the haste and evident eagress shown to reverse the policy of a previous Administration, There was more provocation for such a course this year than in 1893, but instead of precipitancy there has been a calm, deliberate attempt to untangle the skein of foreign complications and at the same time a firm and resolute purpose has been shown to defend American rights. The country has seen no petulant action in any instance, but an unflinching resolve to see that American citizenship is respected and so far as our duty goes that humanity shall not be shocked by barbarous practices in neighboring lands. In this way President McKinley has proved himself possessed of the calm judgment and firmness which become the head of a great nation.

Twelve weeks are a brief time in which to judge a man's capacity for high office. Bnt in his treatment of home questions President McKinley has shown that he has the skill and firmness necessary to meet every situation. In his contact with the people he has proved himself an intellectual, courteous and dignified American citizen, and in dealing with foreign affairs he was given evidence of a broad and sagacious statesmanship. The American people who are quick to discern the character of a man have discovered that William McKinley possess the qualities they demand in a President and hence his growing popularity among all classes.—*Philadelphia Press.*

There is some one in almost every neighborhood who is subject to attacks of pain in the stomach or bilious colic. Mr. J. D. Kinney, Warren Center, Pa., used to be troubled in that way. He says: "The attacks were marked by terrible pains, diarrhoea and fainting spells. At such times I suffered exceedingly until I began using Chamberlain,s Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, two or three doses of which effected an immediate and lasting cure." For sale byHarry Roberts, Easton; P. M. Pastotfield, Royal Oak; J. F. Sisk, Cordova.

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In the Circuit Court for Talbot County. In Equity.

Ordered this 28th day of May, A. D. 1897, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by W. F. Watson, trustee,be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twenty-first day of July next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Talbot County once in each of three successive weeks before the 21st day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $4250.

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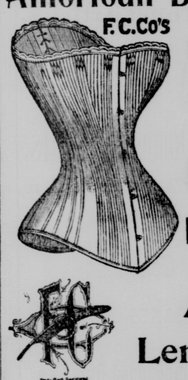
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TUESDAY, JUNE 8TH, A. D. 1897,

between the hours of 1 a nd 3 P.M. of that day All those two parcels of land situate in Ferry Neck, Talbot County, Maryland, adjoining the lands of Frank A.Benson, Joseph H. Newnam and others, and known as "Watts' Resurvey" and "Elon's Addition," containing the quantity of sixty-two and one-half (62½) acres of land, more or less; being the same land which was conveyed unto the said Lily Mitchell by deed from the said Ida E. Summers and husband.

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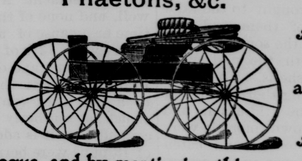
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