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of $14,000, and so great was the effect of this act of yours upon Washington's mind that he devoted much attention to the College, and in 1784 became one of its governors and regular visitors, in return for which the college, not to be outdone even by the President of the United States, in 1789 conferred upon him the degree above mentioned.

In these days of danger to the republic it may not be amiss, particularly in this form, to call attention to the fact that the College of Washington, was the third to be incorporated in the State, King William School, now St. John's, dating from 1596, and Charlotte Hall in 1774.

It is little wonder, therefore, that this section of Maryland so rapidly developed in literary, political and legal importance.

Rocked in the cradle of these great institutions, the boys in this section of the State of Maryland assimilated in healthful fashion the food handed out to them by the illustrious instructors of those days, and strange indeed, would it have been had men so nurtured proven less worthy of their alma mater, and rendered less service to the State and nation in the formative period of their life.

Yes, gentlemen of the association, it is good for us to be here and to recall the facts to which I have hastily referred.

In this day of negation of the Constitution we cannot get too closely in touch with the environment which so largely determined its immortal declarations.

We cannot bathe too freely in the memories of that glorious past, nor can we too sacredly renew our pledges to its principles, and probably nownere else in Maryland could be found a place more fit or an occasion more suitable for this purpose than here, and now, speaking for myself, and I believe for every member of the Association, I pledge to the people of Kent and through them to the entire State of Maryland, such editorial battle in behalf of the Republic as would have gladdened the hearts of the founders of the colony and the constructors of the nation, and would have warranted the great commoner in saying: "Well done, sons of Maryland, you have kept the faith, you have fought a good fight, you have chosen between liberty and death, and you have triumphed."

I thank you, citizens of Chestertown, on behalf of this association for the greeting you have given us, and I assure you in the sturdiness of the words of of Horace, *haec olim meminise juvavit.* For all future time, the memory of your gracious hospitality will linger in our minds and hearts and not even the indigestion which must attend the appeasement of an editorial appetites, will mar our recollections of the good things for which Kent county has ever been famous. Again I thank you.

BOOKS THAT COST HUNDREDS.

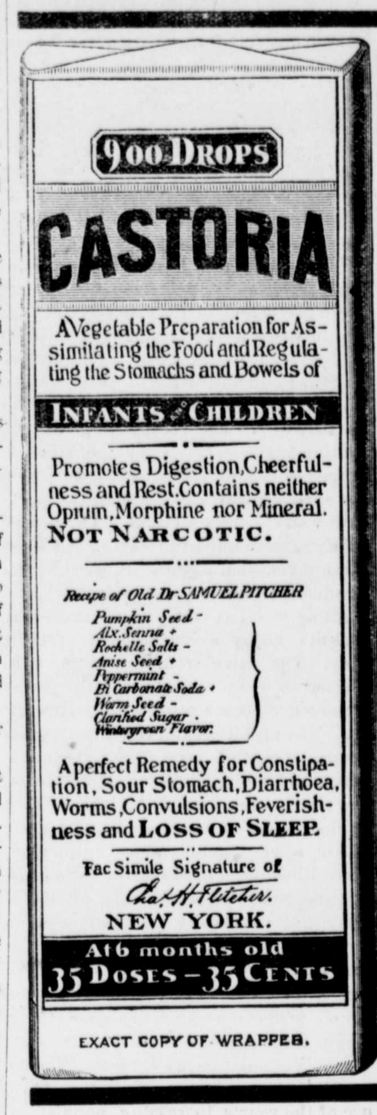
Many Costly Volumes Gotten up in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, though not the largest market for books in the United States, is quite a center of book manufacturing. Many costly works which are published and sold by firms in distant cities are printed, bound and altogether produced in Philadelphia. This is a trade secret, though an open secret in regard to medical and scientific works; but art works of technical trades made in this city command prices which would startle the popular mind. Imagine a book of techinal designs selling at retail for $100, and another which commands $500 per volum. One naturally wonders who buys these costly books. Libraries have them of course, as by large manufactories for their designing rooms, but practically the largest class of consumers of this expensive literature is made up of private individuals of wealth. When a publishing firm goes in for this class of works a very large capital is essential, but when their lists are once made up success is assured, for those who buy one costly volume are apt to buy others of the same class. One technial book made in Philadelphia but never sold in this city, employed 200 designers and 38 writers, who with the greatest painstaking brought up the story of the trade, with colored illustrations, from the earliest times to the present day, and the only claim the publisher makes for it is "absolute accurcy."

GOOD STRAWBERRY SEASON ENDS.

More Than $66,000 Received in a Single County.

Dover, Del., June 17.—The strawberry season throughout this section has just closed, and the last shipments were made yesterday. From Ridgley there have been shiped by rail, besides what have been conserved in canneries, 16,620 crates, or 792,580 quarts. Averaging these at five cents per quart, this is $39,624, and the pickers got for their work $15,849. From Goldsboro there were shipped 10,462 crates, or 375,000 quarts, and from Greensboro, 167,480 quarts. The total amount of cash that this represents coming into the growers and pickers is $66,753, while the laboring classes alone have profited by the picking to the extent of $26,700, and this only from the northern end of Caroline County.



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mar.3-3m. J. B. PENNINGTON.

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