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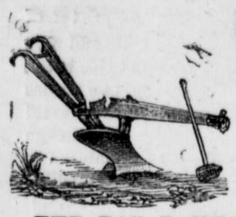

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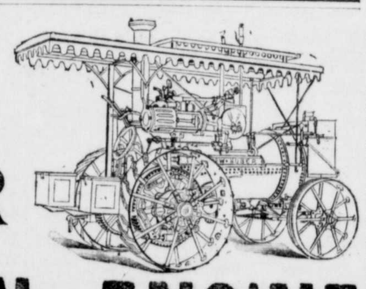

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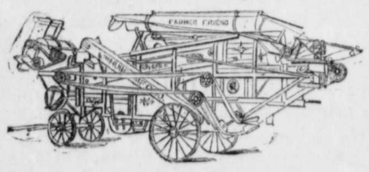

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Making Fortune at 15.

There is a precocious girl shop-keeper in Syracuse. All children like to "play store," but Mary Elizabeth Evans, aged 15, is a "sure enough" business proprietor, who works hard and makes money. She has a candy shop, which had the biggest trade of any in town during the winter just past. Moreover, she has charge of a bakery, a meat store, an ice cream parlor and a drug store. The business is conducted in a cottage, which Miss Evans' grandfather left heavily mortgaged, but which she, of course, has cleared of all indebtedness. Equally, of course, she rises before daylight, works late into the night and supports her family by her industry. This hard-headed young girl got the leading doctor to certify to the purity of her candies when she first went into business, and made the bold stroke of establishing a "help yourself counter," trusting to the honor of the customers to pay for what they took. Admirable sagacity, but one can't help thinking, "Poor little girl" in spite of, or perhaps because of, her success, since it comes to her before she has tasted the pleasures of being a careless, fun-loving girl.

"UNCLE SAM'S" BIRTHPLACE SOLD.

Washingtonian Purchases Famous New Hampshire Farm.

Mason, N. H., May 1.—The Wilson homestead, said to be the birthplace of the original "Uncle Sam," has been sold at auction for $1500. The purchaser was Capt. Orren A. Hamblett, of Washington. "Uncle Sam" was Samuel Wilson, the eldest of 12 children born on this farm.

During the second war with England, as the story goes, he and his brother Edward were contractors for the Government supplies at Troy, N. Y. It was the Wilsons' idea to label their beef and pork packages "U. S.," and, as Samuel Wilson was generally called "Uncle Sam," the army quickly referred to the supplies as "Uncle Sam's." This title quickly was applied to the Government, and after the war used everywhere in that sense.

Samuel wilson died in troy in 1854, aged 88. The farm was sold because of the death of the last member of the family. It was owned by a Wilson far 122 years.

HOW DO MOSQUITOES HUM.

Explanation Given Before the Royal Society of Edinburgh.

Everybody knows the aggressive hum which heralds the approach of the gnat—which is only mosquito writ small. Various opinions are held as to the way in which the sound is produced, says the *Westminster Gazette*. Some writers consider it due to the rapid vibration of the wings, while others maintain that it is caused by the passage of air through the spiracles, or breathing holes, on the side of the insect's body. A third explanation, recently put forward at a meeting of the Royal Society of Edinburg,credits the malarial mosquito (and probably other species) with a musical apparatus, akin to that by which the grasshoppers produce their familiar chirp. There is said to be at the base of the wings a bar furnished with projecting teeth, which strike against a series of ridges when the wings are moved in flight. The explanation is probable.

Money Mysteries.

Will you please tell me:

1. Did the conductor want Money's money?
2. Did Money have any money?
3. Was Money's money good money?
4. If the conductor had given money to the police would it have been considered a bribe?
5. Could the conductor's action of not pressing a charge against money be considered passing bad money?
6. Did the police refuse to take Money because he was bad?
7. Is there another case on record where the police refused to receive money?
8. Has the Senate got any more Money of this kind?
9. Is this wildcat money?

An Eastern Shore Version

To the Editor

Born and raised on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, I am able to give you from memory the version of the "Jingle of the months" commonly in use there. It is as follows;

Thirty days hath September,
April, June and November;
All the rest have thirty-one
Excep the second month alone,
To which we twenty-eight assign
Till leap-year gives it twenty-nine.

This has the merit of rythm at least, which some of the others sadly lack.

EASTERN SHOREMAN.

THE FASHIONABLE DROOP—Dresses droop in the skirts, sashes droop, ends of ribbons in a fashionable toilette droop also, and in the large hat now worn ends droop over the back of the hair and look wonderfully graceful the while.

THE MAN WHO DID.

All doctors in my town failed to releive me of rheumatism. I have used about half a bottle of Nelaton and feel so much improved, that while I may not need it, I enclose P. O. order for $1 for one more bottle of the remedy that has been such a God-send to me. I cheerfully recommend Nelaton to anyone suffering with rheumatism.

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JOHN BARTLEY,

Chestertown, Md.

Next to old bank.

Annual Report

—OF THE—

COMMISSIONERS OF CHESTERTOWN,

—FOR THE—

Period from April 20th,1901, to April 20th, 1902.

REVENUE.

Balance on hand April 20, 1901,	$2777 17	
Corporation tax levied 1901...	2719 36	
Water rent from Insurance Co.	200 00	
Cart License	12 25	
Sewer taps	25 00	
Dog license	10 00	
Show license	12 00	
Co.Treasurer for road levy 1901	2000 00	
Sale lot to H. D. Orem	165 30	
Paving from individuals	52 45	
Fines	24 50	
Additional taxes not on books.	25 46	
Interest on delinquent taxes..	6 78	
Total receipts		$8150 27

EXPENDITURES.

Work and material on streets.		
Labor	$ 597 90	
Hauling	362 89	
Paving	502 60	
Bricks and cement	743 05	
Shells	102 58	
		$2309 02
For Street Lighting		
Electric Light Company	$1158 70	
Oil for old lamps	9 78	1168 48
Repairs to pumps		17 20
Running sprinkler		145 77
		$3640 47

SUNDRIES.

Election	$ 5 00	
Blacksmith work	8 45	
Lumber bill	80 69	
Clock slips	1 25	
Hardware bill	29 27	
Charities	6 25	
New fire plugs, rep. to plugs, sewer and fountain	162 18	
Water rent fire purposes	590 00	
Witness fees town cases	1 32	
W. W. Hubbard damage to street sprinkler	2 75	
M. A. Toulson, medicine	1 55	
Draping flag, etc	1 25	
Dog tags	7 28	
Trunks for street crossing	11 20	
Stationery and stamps	4 93	
Bridge boards	1 25	
Bailiffs, assistants and clerk.	1055 00	
Insolvences and removals	37 74	
Taxes in Sheriff's hands	82 15	
Unpaid taxes	31 32	
Publishing Statement notice	31 50	
M. deK. Smith, Counsel to Board	100 00	
		$2252 33
Total Expenditures		$5892 80
Balance in hand		$2257 47

WM. J. VANNORT,
CHAS. L. DODD,
W. B. COLEMAN,
Commissioners of Chestertown.

TEST:—M. W. Thomas, Clerk.

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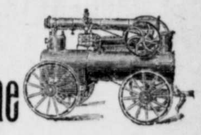

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