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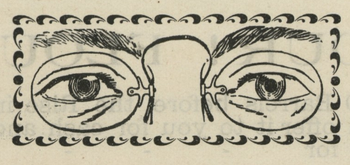

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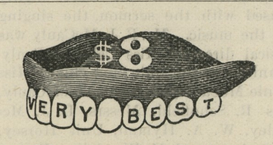

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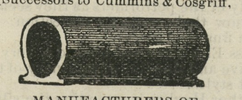

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A Sermon in Verse.

Rev. J. M. Gill preached a strong sermon recently to a large audience, the gist of which may be found in the following verses:

There are loyal hearts, there are spirits brave,
There are souls that are pure and true!
Then give to the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you.

Give love, and love to your life will flow,
A strength in your utmost need;
Have faith, and a score of hearts will show
Their faith in your word and deed.

Give truth, and your gifts will be paid in kind,
And honor will honor meet.
And a smile that is sweet will surely find
A smile that is just as sweet!

Give pity and sorrow to those who mourn;
You will gather, in flowers again,
The scattered seeds from your thoughts outborne,
Though the sowing seemed in vain.

For life is the mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what we are and do.
Then give to the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you.

ALL THE property of the Sinepuxent Beach Company at Ocean City, Md., was sold by the receivers Tuesday to John F. Waggaman for $65,000.

For this price Mr. Waggaman obtained the Atlantic Hotel, with its furniture and equipments, the ladies' bathhouses, electric light plant, artesian well, nine miles of ocean front, divided into about 4,000 building lots, besides other lots and two farms of 400 acres each on the mainland.

Mr. Waggaman lives in Washington, but has large business interests in Baltimore. He said that the property would be improved and put in first-class condition for the approaching season. It is said that a new stock company will be formed for this purpose.

The Baltimore View of It.

We try to keep the oystermen informed upon the views of the highlanders in Baltimore and the western part of the State in relation to the oyster beds. These views are often best expressed through the Baltimore *Sun*, whose latest editorial on the subject contains the following:

The Chesapeake oyster beds belong to the people of the entire State, and not to the people of the tide-water counties alone. Properly managed the oyster beds should produce a revenue sufficient to support the State government and relieve the people of all State taxes. Instead of doing this it is a charge on the treasury. Professor Brooks estimated that with a proper cultivation the oyster bottoms of the Chesapeake bay would yield annually fifty million dollars or thirty millions more than the fields and farms of the State produced in 1880. In the report of the shellfish commissioner of the State of Connecticut for the year 1896 it is stated that "the commission has sold ground that had been previously surrendered as worthless and this has been made productive by the depositing thereon of dredged material composed of a sufficient proportion of sand to harden the bottom to the right consistency." With intelligent legislation large areas of bottom in the Chesapeake and its tributaries which are now barren could be made enormously productive, affording food and occupation for the people and revenue for the State. When voting this fall the oystermen might consider whether they want to support the whole State Government or not.—*Cambridge Democrat.*

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GEORGE WARFIELD,
April 10, 1897. President.

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WICOMICO RIVER LINE—5 p. m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Wingate's Point, Deal's Island and landings to Salisbury. Returning, leave Salisbury at 2.30 p. m., every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, arriving in Baltimore at 6 a. m.

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