Kent News

SATURDAY, - - MARCH 11, 1899.

THE Bachelor Girls' Association of Michigan pledges its members not to entertain any ideas of matrimony until the specified age limit of 30 years has been reached. That's right, girls, don't enter into any entangling alliances until you can decently support a husband.

A BEAGLE dog belonging to Mr. Edw. Baker, was run over and killed by the Queen Anne's Railroad on Tuesday The dog was running a rabbit. The train killed the dog on one rail and the rabbit on the other rail.—Queenstown News.

THE "National Printer Journalist," an authority on typography, considers the KENT NEWS, of Chestertown, a model which could be patterned after by other country newspapers with profit to themselves. The Gazette can endorse all the "National Printer Journalist" says in regard to the KENT NEWS and could consistently add much more. It is such papers as the NEWS that raise the standard of country journalism.—Easton Gazette.

THE School Board of Wicomico deals very generously with the school teachers in relation to time lost in the recent blizzard. In order that the teachers shall experience no loss it has decided to extend the term one week, having it end Monday, March 6, inclusive, instead of Monday, Feb. 27, the time it would have ended had it not been for the blizzard. All teachers who did any actual teaching during the blizzard week to be paid extra over and above a full term. We hope our Board will be liberal with the Kent teachers.

Mr. WILLIAM H. WANAMAKER, of Philadelphia, promptly paid into the United States Treasury, as a bondsman of Gideon Marsh, of the Keystone National Bank, $20,000 when the latter forfeited his bond by escaping from the country. In addition to that Mr. Wanamaker expended upwards of $13,000 in the effort to recapture Marsh, who, it will be remembered, returned and surrendered himself to the authorities, the result of which was the same, so far as the bail bond is concerned, as if it had not been forfeited. Marsh received his sentence and the ends of justice were as fully met as they could have been in any case. Now there remains to be done an act of justice to Mr. Wanamaker. He ought to be reimbursed by the government for the $20,000 of forfeited bond money, and the bill for its repayment, introduced by Representative James R. Young on Friday of last week, ought to be passed as promptly as possible by Congress.

A GIRL WITH RABIES.

The Victim Is Miss Agnes Klassmeier, Who Was Bitten By a Dog Nine Years Ago.

Miss Agnes Klassmeier, aged sixteen years, daughter of Mr. Herman Klassmeier, 25 Weyler street, is suffering with rabies at her father's home as a result of a dog bite received nine years ago. Dr. Harry W. Webster, Jr., who is attending her, advised that she be sent to the Pasteur Institute of the City Hospital.

Mr. Klassmeier said: "One evening nine years ago, I think it was on the night of the 25th of January, my little girl went around on Light street to the home of a friend. The lady of the house had a pet black dog and Agnes played with it for awhile. The lady asked Agnes to lift the dog on her lap and my little girl started to do so. The animal snapped at her severely on the upper lip. Dr. Ellis was sent for and cauterized the wound. That night about 11 o'clock I became alarmed that Agnes was not coming home and went around to the friend's house to see what was the matter. They told me Agnes had gone to bed with one of their little girls and would stay over night. Next day she did not come home, and when I went around again they took me up to see her and told me that she had been bitten, but that the doctor had fixed her up and that it would be all right. Her upper lip was badly swollen. I took her home and the doctor told me that there was no danger of hydrophobia, as the dog was not mad. Nine days after that she was taken with a fit just like she has now. She got well and nine weeks later she had another fit. She recovered again and in nine months, exactly, got another fit. Now nine years after the time she was bitten she is taken with a worse fit than ever. I feel sure she has hydrophobia. She starts up and cries "Oh father, drive out that horrid black dog. Don't you see he is biting at my face." Then she lays back exhausted and foams from the mouth and makes noises exactly like a dog.

Mr. Klassmeier has decided to see Dr. N. G. Kierle today and try and arrange to have the girl received at the Pasteur Institute.

"WHAT does the man next door mean by hallooing all the time?"

"That's his business; he invents college yells."

LETTER FROM FLORIDA.

A Kent Countain Writes of Palatka—A City of 3900 People—Farming.

Mr. S. H. McKnett, of Urieville, is with his brother in Palatka, Florida, and writes as follows to the NEWS:

The "novel letter" in your issue of Feb. 25th read with much amusement, but I have one that was picked up on the streets of Wilmington, Del., that will set yours "in the shade." If you wish it I will copy it and send it to you. [Let's have it.—EDS.]

I am always anxious to receive the NEWS and enjoy reading it for I find so much news from "home."

I notice in the last issue the wedding of two of my old friends, Miss Redmile and Mr. Herzog. Wish them much joy and happiness in their new life. Wonder who will be the next?

Have been reading with much interest the reports of the great storm. The cold was very severe here and the orange groves are killed as far south as Miami. All kinds of vegetables are killed with the exception of onions. They are putting up again. Strawberries would have been in market by this time but, as it is, there isn't one to be found. The farmers (crackers they are called here) are very much disheartened. A great many of them have expressed their intention of giving up the orange culture. As far as I have seen I don't know what they raise successfully except sweet potatoes.

According to the 1899 directory this town has a population of 3950 and if it had to depend upon the farmer for its living there wouldn't be much town left. There are several large lumber and shingle mills here giving employment to hundreds of men and boys, also a sash and door factory employing about 200. A large tank mill here has just completed the largest wooden tank I ever saw. It has a capacity of 50,000 gallons.

The fire department is very poor I think. The Baptist church caught on fire last Saturday at noon and the firemen had to climb electric light poles in order to get a stream of water on the shingles of the steeple.

I have seen some very pretty scenery here. Especially along the St. John's river. I have had one little trip down the river by moonlight on a little steam yacht and it was a delightful one I assure you. At present the weather is perfect. Last Sunday was the warmest day the thermometer registering 80°.

Will write again soon. With best wishes I am an "Ex-Correspondent."

Rock Hall Bible Readers.

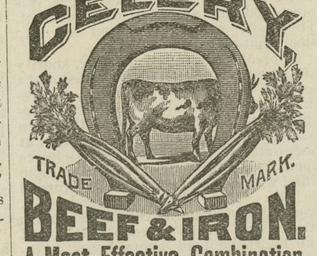
Rock Hallites have ever been noted for their propensity to Bibliography, but of late whether from the effects of the protracted meeting, or being pent up by storms, or Lenten observances, a greater research in Biblical matters seems to have been indulged in. As a result the following is interesting:

1st. Seven-eights of the Bible has reference only to the literal, social and historical affairs of Israel and Judah; that one-eighth of the whole Bible has any real bearing upon the Gentiles. It therefore follows that not to understand the distinction of Isreal from Judah is to misunderstand seven-eights of the Bible, and, it is claimed, in this year 1899 that 99 per cent. of the people do not recognize any difference as existing between Isreal and Judah.

2nd. A son of a wicked man had his life threatened by a wicked woman. He was saved from death by a pious Jewish woman and was afterwards killed by the sons of two heathen women. Before his death he had killed one of his first cousins whose father and mother had both been instrumental in saving his own life. Who was he?

3rd. Some of the greatest chapters of the Bible are: The Bottomless Chapter, Ephesians 3; Character Chapter, Job 29; Wisdom Chapter, Job 28; Rest Chapter, Heb. 4; Resurrection Chapter, 1 Cor. 15; Victory Chapter, Rom. 8; Duty Chapter, Ezekiel 33; Courage Chapter, Josh. 1; Convert's Chapter, Isa. 12; Work Chapter, James 2; Travelers Chapter, Psa. 121; Prodigal Chapter, Psa. 51; Lost and Found Chapter, Luke 15; Charity Chapter, 1 Cor. 13; Atonement Chapters, Heb. 9 and Lev. 16; Fast Chapter, Isa. 58; Blessing Chapter, Deut. 28; Heaven Chapter, Rev. 21; Hypocrite Chapter, Matt. 23. Frequent perusals of the above chapters will be found most beneficial to any earnest seeker after spiritual comfort.

DR. HENLEY'S EXTRACT OF CELERY



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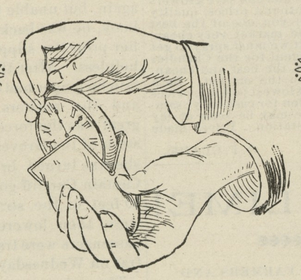

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Ladies' Storm Rubbers per pair.	.30
Gent's Storm Rubbers per pair.	.49
Gent's Plain Sandels, per pair.	.48
Ladies' Croque per pair.	.24
Men's Heavy Leather Boots. Per pair.	1.39
Men's Heavy Leather Boots, worth $2.25, per pair	1.98
Lot of Boy's Shoes, prices were $2.25, 2.50, 3.00, any size, per pair	1.00
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Flanneletts, that were 10c. per yard, now	6¾
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4-4 Brown Muslin	.4
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Linen Napkins, per dozen	.60
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