NOTED FOR THEIR BEAUTY OF FACE AND GRACEFUL FIGURES.

they are Warm Hearted and Affection. ate. Displaying Much Devetion to Their Families - Not So Many Marriages of Convenience in Cuba as in France.

Cuban women are noted for their beauty, somewhat resembling the Oriental type, with dark, languishing coloriess complexions, small mouths, graceful, rounded forms, and exquisitely shaped hands and feet. Their Cinderella-like feet are probably due to the fact that Cuban women are not fond of exercise, although in the country they saunter around the grounds or take a brisk canter on horseback before breakfast. In town they arise early, as people usually do in the tropics, before the dew is off the grass, and take a turn in the garden or walk through the park.

When they go shopping they drive to the stores, but seldom alight from their carriages. Obsequious clerks hasten to bring out goods for their inspection, while they make their selection, glancing indifferently with their big black eyes at the passers by, meanwhile, who pass close to their equipages, owing to the narrow sidewalks and thoroughfares. Sometimes ladies prefer to have samples sent to their residences, and do their shopping at home with still greater case. In the tropics labor is simplified as much as possible, and time is not of much account. All social as well as domestic duties are carried out leisurely, and the rush and hurry of the metropolis are unknown.

The popular idea is that Cuban women are indolent, but such is not the case, although the torrid zone does impart a languid grace to every motion, while the bustling activity of Northern women is lacking. They find plenty to do at home in superintending their servants, attending to Tribunc. household duties, and embroidering or doing fine needle work, for Cuban women are skilled in the use of the needle, and of late years in the brush also. Cuba having produced many celebrated artists.

Flores de Mayo, Flowers of May, as the May festival to the Virgin is called, brings out many pretty maiddark tresses, they repair to the evening service to carry flowers, going up to the altar two by two, and extending their floral offerings, which are received and placed on the altar by the acolytes.

Cuban girls are carefully shielded from the world, the prevailing customs in regard to chaperonage being similar to those of the French, as well as other customs, But a closer intercourse with the United habitants. States through education and travel has modified many of their customs, especially since so many Cubans have made our country their home by adop-

Fewer marriages of convenience are made in Cuba than in France. Cuban women's hearts away their heads. They are warm-hearted, passionate, affectionate, while their ns center in their homes. As a rule they are true and faithful in family relations, and are devoted to their husbands and children. The only flaw, perhaps, is some times an overweening fondness for their offspring, which tends to barmful indulgence—harmful because excessive—for self-control should be taught a child, and wholesome discipline maintained.

The distinctive charms of Cuban maidens are their soft, gentle, and captivating ways, and languid grace. They are not as lively and independent as American girls, while their training and conventional life tend to render thee; more timid and dependent.-Harper's Bazar.

Quick Retart.

A young aide-de-camp who at a party in Dublin Castle once approached Archbishop Whately and asked: "Does your grace know what is the difference between an ass and an Archbish-"No," was the grave answer. Then the youth weat on, "An ass has a cross on his back, but an Archbishop has a cross on his breast." "Very good," said the Archbishop; "now, will you tell me what is the difference between yourself and an ass?" "I don't know," said the youth. "Neither do I," said the Archbishop, and walked away.

An Unconquerable Prejudice. "Dis is a fine piece," remarked Piodding Pete, who had been regaling himself with some literature which be had picked up on the way. "What's it about?" asked Meander-

"About de beauties of nature. Come to t'ink of it, some o' dem is fine. Don't ye kind of enjoy lookin' over at evening and scein' de mountain bathed

"No," replied Meandering Mike, "Me nature's too sympathetic. I feel sorry for 'em."-Washington Star.

She Would be Disappointed Mrs. Benham-I am going to write to mother to-night, and I am just go ing to tell her all I know.

Benham-That will be too bad; she will be expecting a good long letter .-New York Journal

He Kept His Word. "Her husband said when she mar ried him, his love would be unremitting." "Did he keep his word?"

"Yes, he has never given ber

Care of the Hands.

No woman of refinement will disregard the appearance of her hands, because these useful members are always in evidence, and cannot be overlooked in the general estimate of her appearance. To a certain extent the care which a woman takes of her hands indicates her character. Contrary to the popular impression, soft, white hands are difficult to attain, because nothing of value is procured To Amt of duplicate, 1895 ..... without effort.

as possible, and hot water is sure to Balance uncollected on duplicate, is some bands or face. injure any skin, be it on hands or face. Lifting heavy objects, excessive bi-

Lifting heavy objects, excessive bicycle practice and wearing rings too small inevitably result in disfigurements.

Parents should take special pains to care for the hands of their growing children, for early neglect often destroys the possibility of future excellence. In order to acquire a soft, white hand, great care must be called the control of white hand, great care must be observed in the selection of preparations and toilet soaps. Nothing exceeds the quality of pure olive soap of Spanish make; all highly colored and very fragrant soaps should be avoided. Violent hand shaking is detrimental to the hand, and is avoided by many people in public life. George Washington at public receptions always stood with his hands behind him, simply bowing with dignified courtesy.

Mis. President Harrison was forced to refrain from hand shaking on account of the disastrous effect on her hands .- Mme. Rowland in New York

Was Not so Nervous.

"I have been a great sufferer for many years with liver and kidney troubles, indigestion and headaches. I was nervous and could not sleep. Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommend-Clad in white, wearing ed to me and I thought I would try it. white vells over their After taking a few bottles my headache was relieved. I was not so nervous and I was able to eat and sleep well." Mrs. R. J. Huber, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 25

South Africa has about 750,000 European and 3,000,000 colored in-

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The Wright-Clayton Estate. The Wright—Cauton Estate.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Columbia County to distribute the sum in the hands of the Trustee to the persons entitled to the same, in the matter of the Wright—Clayton estate, will need the parties interested for the performance of his duties at his office in the torn of Bloomsburg, on Twesday, August 3rd, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons are required to present their claims before such auditor, or be debarred from coming in for a share of the assets or fund, July 7, 1897. CHARLES G. BARKLEY, 3. July 7, 1897.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Utt, late of Greenwood township Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Jacob Utt, late of Greenwood ticp, decased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons debtet to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to WM. E. UTT.

G. M. Quick, Atty. 7-1 6t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Susan B. Funston, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed auditor to distribute the fund in the hands of the accountant in the estate of Susan B. Funston deceased to and among the parties entitled thereto, will attend at his office on Centre Street, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Saturday, July 17th, A. D., 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenon, for the performance of his duties as such auditor; when and where all persons having claims must present them duly authenticated for allowance, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

3 W. JOHN G. FREEZE, JOHN G. FREEZE, Auditor

June 25-97. ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of John C. Fruit, late of Hemlock Trep., decraved. Notice is hereby given that letters of adminis-tration in said estate have been granted to the un-dersigned administratric, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make pay-ments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to E. LAVINA FRUIT, Admx., Charles G. Barkley, Atty., Bloomstong. Pa.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re Estate of John D. Hummer, late of Jackson township, dec'd. The undersigned appointed auditor, to distribute the balance in the hands of G. E. Hummer, administrator of said decreased, as shown by the second and final account of said administrator, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at his office in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa. on Tuesday, July 20, 1887, at aime o'clock in ..., for the purpose of altending to the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and proce the same, or be forever debarred from coming in im said fund.

and prove the same, and coming in on said read.

ROBT. R. LITTLE, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters of adminis-tration on the estate of Emma German, tale of Pine township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned auministrator, to whom all persons included to said estate are requested to make pay-ments, a. at those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to JOSEPH SWEBNY. JOSEPH SWEENY,

Sunder, Attu.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE,

Estate of William M. Achenbach, late of Orange township, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of Win-M. Achenbuch, doceased, having been granted to the undersigned administratrix, all persons in-debted to said estate are requested to make pay-ment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to MRS, A LICE A CHENBACH.

Administratriz Orangeville, Pa. Soyder, Atty. 6-24 60°

STATEMENT OF THE Bloomsburg School District,

FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE, 1897. M. C. WOODWARD, Collector, DR. J. K. BITTENBENDER, Collector, DR. Balance on duplicate, 1895, ......

J. K. BITTENBENDER, Collector, DR.

\$ 7035 88 1718 00

1925 00 \$10673 88 5096 36 WM. E. RINKER, Treasurer, DR.

To Amt from L. P. sterner, pro-ceeds lantern exhibition at school..... 

Bai in Treasurer's hands ......

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT, DR. To balance on duplicate, 1895... \$ 17.19 12

"Amt on duplicate, 1896... 463 12

"bonds negotiated... 12000 00

"interest accrued on bonds negotiated... 22 98

To distributive share in Amt from I. W. McKelvy estate... 22 98

To balance on duplicate, 1892

and 1898... 22 79 and 1893.....

and 1893.... By disct and commission paid In 60 days... By collector's commission paid In six mouths.

By amt pd J. Saltzer for organs
By amt paid Thos. Gorrey on
new building...

By Amt paid B. G. Carpenter for apparatus and repairs.... By amt paid Eshleman, Holmes By ant paid Eshleman, Holmes and Hartman, plumbing, etc. By amt paid B. W. Jury, plans and superintendence.
By amt paid School Furnishing Co, desks and furniture.
Paid bonds 108, 110, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 188.
Coupons and interest.
Paid outstanding order, G. R. Kress, agent. Kress, agent.....

Paid various persons orders drawn for material and labor on repairs old buildings and new...Treasurer's comraission Balance on 1850 duplicate..... 1896 ..... Transferred to school fund..... SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT, DR.

Distributive share I. W. McKel-vy estate..... Orders discounted in bank..... amt from building fund.

By balance on duplicate. '92-'93 \$ 38 0.
By exonerat'ns on duplicate, '95
By discount and commission on
taxes, 60 days. 346 68
By collector's commission on
taxes, six months 61 18
By balance on duplicate, 1895 567 32
By treasurer's commission 412 09 black boards 31 35
By Supplee on lot. 50 00
" H. A. WKillip, services collect. I. W. McKelvy estate. 10 00
By supplies, oli, water, lumber By I. H. Holter and others liabor By I. H. Holter and others liabor By discount on orders renewed 34 27 By tuition Mt. Pleasant district 95 and 96 240 00 120 00 12 62

2 50 4368 00 116 17 Amt as per last annual statem 18 32 50
Amt received from net proceeds
commencement, 95. 1 55
Amt received from lantern exhibition, High School. 4 39 BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

Bonds redeemed Jan., 1897.....

Present bonded indebtedness. OTBER INDEBTEDNESS. Orders discounted at bank.....\$ 5400 or Outstanding orders unp'd for 97 200 30 ASSETS.

Estimated value of buildings 

We, the undersigned auditors, having examined the above accounts, statements and vouchers, as presented by Treasurer and Secretary, find them correct, and approve the same.

PETER H. FREEZE. A. H. BLOOM, June 24, 1897.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ship, decrased,
The undersigned, an aunitor appointed by the
Orphans' Court of Cohunbia county to make distribution of the money in the hands of the aduninstrators of said decrdent as appears by their
account confirmed at May Term 1897, will sit at
his office in Bloomshirg, Fu., on Wednesday, July
21st, 1897, at ten octock a. m., to perform the
duties of his appointment, when and where all
persons having claims against said estate must
appear and prove the same or be debarred from
coming in on said fund.
E-24-4t.

L. E. WALLER, Auditor.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE -OF VALUABLE --

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, the undersigned administra-tor of the estate of C. W. Eves, late of the Borough of Millville, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, will offer at public sale the hereinafter described premises designated as purparts No. 1, 8, 9, 10 and 11, on the premises designated as purpart No. 1 in the Borough of Millville aforesaid, on!

FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1897, at ? o'clock p. m. And upon the following day, to-wit,

SATURDAY, JULY 31, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., upon the premises corner of Third street and Strawberry Alley, in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., purparts No 5 and 6. Said

several pieces or parcels of ground more fully described as follows, to-wit: Purpart No. 1 .- All that certain lot of land situate in the Borough of Miliville. Pa., bounded by Main and State streets and land of Sarah B. Rich and James M. Rote; containing thirtytwo and one-half perches. Whereon is erected a FRAME DWELLING AND STORE HOUSE,

and also a brick dwelling and store house. Purpart No. 8.-A double dwelling house and lot of ground situate in the Borough of Millville aforesaid, bounded on the east by Centre street south by Third street, west by an alley, and on the north by Wheeler Chrisman, being front on Centre street by feet in depth on Third street.

Purpart No. 9.-House and lot of ground situate in the Borough of Millville, aforesaid bounded on the east by public road, south by land of A. J. Carr, west by an alley, and north by lot of Sarah B. Eves, containing one-fourth of an acre, more or less. Purpart No. 10.-A certain piece of timber land situate partly in Madison and partly in

Pine townships, bounded by lands of William Fairman, Bethuel Whipple, David Masters, James Masters, beirs of Andy and S. S. Runyan and others, containing 522 ACRES, AND 73 PERCHES.

and allowance with the appurtenances. Purpart No. 11 .- A tract of timber land situate in Pine town5hip, bounded by lands of James stackhouse, Benjamin Redline, Alinas Cole and others, containing about

300 ACRES,

Purpart No. 5. A certain lot of ground situate on the north side of Third street in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the north side of Thire street on the western boundary of the lot of Charles W. Eves, deceased, eighty-five feet from the corner of Third street and Strawberry alley, thence along said lot north thirty-three degrees and ten minutes west one hundred and thirty-seven feet to a point on land of Peter K. Vannatta, thence along same south forty-eight and three-fourths degrees west thirty-three and one-fourth feet to lot of the estate of Adam Utt, thence along said lot south thirty degrees and ten minutes east one hundred and thirtyeight feet, more or less, to Third street, aforesaid, thence along same north forty-nine degrees and fifty-four minutes east forty feet to

the place of beginning. Purpart No. 6.-A certain lot of ground situate on the north side of Third street in Bloomsburg aforesald bounded as follows: Beginning at the corner of Third street aforesaid and Strawberry alley, thence along Strawberry alley north forty degrees and fifteen minutes west two hundred feet, more or less, to Pine alley. thence south forty-eight degrees and thirty minutes west along said Pine alley sixty and three-tenths feet, be the same more or less, to a lot of Peter K. Vannatta south thirty-three degrees and ten minutes east two hundred feet, be the same more or less, to Third street, thence along Third street north forty-nine degrees and fifty-four minutes east eighty-five feet, more or less, to strawberry alley,, aforesaid, the place of beginning; containing about fourteen thou and five hundred square feet, more or less whereon are crected

3 DOUBLE FRAME DWELLING HOUSES. Purparts No. 5 and 6 are subdivided and will be sold as follows: a. A vacant lot on north side of Third street being thirty-eight feet front on Third street by one hundred and twenty-Ave feet, more or less, in depth, bounded west by land of the estate of Adam Utt. b. Lot on the northwest corner of Third street and extension of Catharine street formerly known as Strawberry alley being eighty-seven feet front on Third street by fifty-four feet front on Catharine street, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME BLOCK OF HOUSES,

nited up for three private residences. C. J lot fronting on Catharine street and immediately north of last above described lot, being sev enty and nine-tenths feet in front by eighty and nine-tenths feet deep at the southern line and seventy-two and four-tenths feet at the northern line whereon is erected a two-story

BLOCK OF HOUSES,

fitted up for four private families. d. A lot on the southwest corner of Catharine street and Pine alley, being seventy-four and five-tenths feet front on Catharine street by sixty and three-tenths feet on Pine alley with a depth on the southern line of one hundred and three and two-tenths feet, whereon is erected a double two-story

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TERMS OF SALE:-10 per cent. of 14 upon striking down of the property, 14 less the 10 per cent, upon the confirmation of the sale, remaining three-fourths in one year from date of conurmation with interest from date of confirma tion. Possession to be given when 14 is paid. C. W. MILLER, Atty. MORRIS E. EVES, Admr. of the estate of C. W. Eves, dec'd

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estates of W. A. J. Brittain and Mary Brittain.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphaus' Court of Columbia County, on exceptions to Foregoing account, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, Pa, on Tuesday, Aug. 3, 1897, at 10 o'clock a.m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be deharred from counting in on said fund.

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