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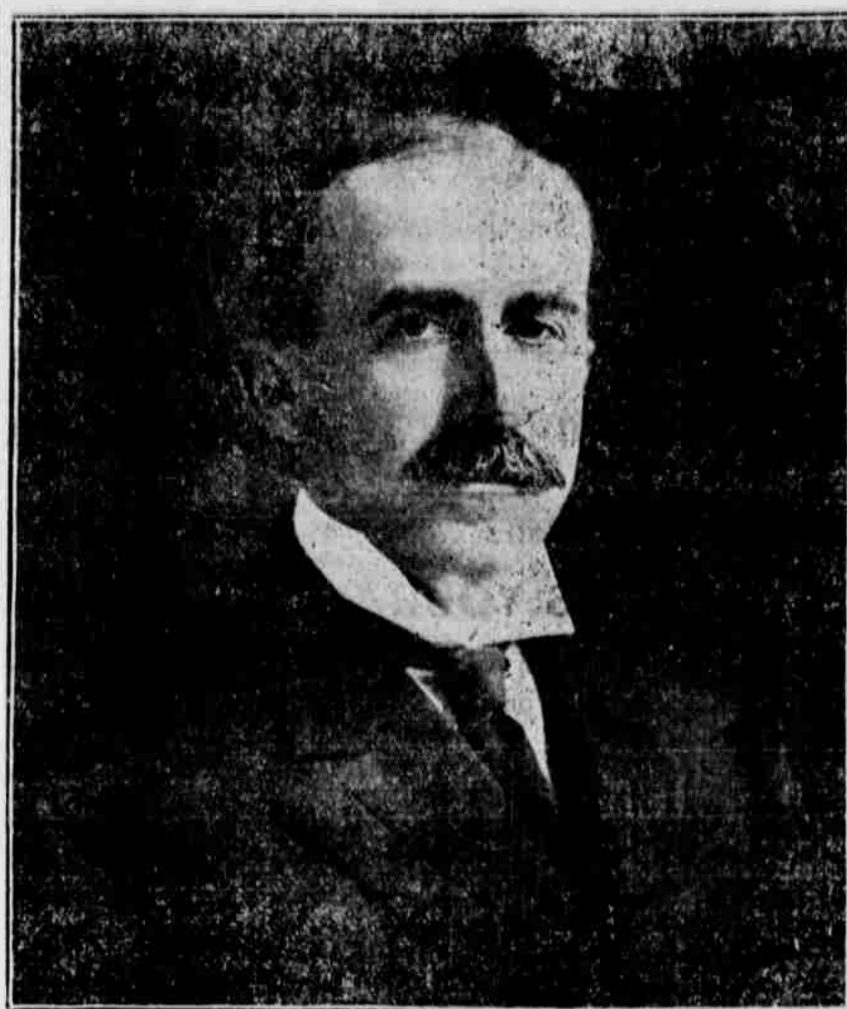
From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5, 1908.

Official and resident society is rapidly drifting back to Washington. The social season is of course not on but what may be called the neighborly season is begun. Neither the houses nor their occupants are prepared for anything verging on ceremony or formality. Painters, paperhangers, and decorators are in most instances supreme in the houses of the fashionable West End. Calling at odd hours or holding conversations over the telephone are the privileges and pastimes of this season when domestic rather than social questions are the subject of interest. The President's wife and daughters are of course, and as usual inundated with invitations to join house parties at country homes but it is probable that they will spend the remainder of their time from now until March, barely five months, without much interruption at the White House. The Roosevelt boys are settled for the winter. None of them will be at the White House. Quentin, the youngest has just been sent to a boarding school at Alexandria, six miles distant from Washington. This leaves Mrs. Roosevelt in the White House with her debutante daughter, Miss Ethel who last summer completed her studies at school in Washington and will this winter take her place among the much courted young ladies of the season. The form of debut has not been decided upon nor has the time been definitely selected. She will be present however from now on at all White House functions attending the first dinner in December when the President and Mrs. Roosevelt will entertain the Cabinet. From that date on until the fourth of March one need not hesitate to wager that she will receive more invitations to a greater variety of functions and entertainments than any young lady of the laud.

The International Tuberculosis Congress which is in session in Washington is likely to have a wide influence in this country on the war against the dread disease. So recent is the discovery of tubercular bacilli that there is not a man present at the Congress but who well remembers its entire history. Dr. Koch, who was the original discoverer, is himself present. Notwithstanding the fact that the progress in eliminating the disease is considerable, as shown by the exhibits of all nations on view at the Convention as compared with the work yet to be done it is trifling. Some startling figures given by Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale at one of the sessions demonstrate the immensity of the task still before the profession and should prove an awakening to the public of the necessity of wide and concerted effort of all classes if the white plague is ever to be eradicated.

Prof. Irving has gathered statistics which show that consumption kills 138,000 persons in the United States every year. This is equal to the deaths from scarlet fever, typhoid, diphtheria, appendicitis, meningitis, diabetes, smallpox and cancer all put together. As it takes about three years for the disease to run its fatal course he estimates the minimum cost of the items of doctor's bills, at \$24.00, while the possible "earning power" if life were not cut short is put at eight thousand. If this multiplied by 138,000 the number of those afflicted, it reaches the almost incalculable sum of \$1,000,000,000. He calculates that of this amount four thousand millions fall on the family, friends, or physicians of the victim and concludes by asserting that if one quarter of the lives are to be saved it would be necessary to invest five billions of dollars. Less than one per cent. of this money is now be-



JOHN G. McHENRY, Candidate for Second Congressional Term.

CONGRESSMAN'S McHENRY'S SPEECH.

From the Shamokin Dispatch, Sept. twenty-fourth.

The Dispatch presented to its readers yesterday the full text of the able speech delivered before the Pennsylvania Bankers' association at Bedford Springs by Hon. John G. McHenry, who has so acceptably, and with rare fidelity to his duties, represented this district in the lower house of congress.

All of the Dispatch readers may not agree with Congressman McHenry's views on governmental guarantee of bank deposits. He prefaced his speech with the announcement that he was aware that a audience of bankers was made up of men whose minds were already adversely fixed on the views which he was to present. Of them he only asked their fair, unbiased, deliberate judgment. That was a fair request and the Dispatch has sufficient confidence in the intelligence of its readers to believe that they have given Mr. McHenry's speech the careful and unprejudiced consideration which he asked of his audience.

Even those who may differ with the speaker on the views which he so ably and clearly and lucidly presents, will concede that his speech shows careful thought, undoubted candor and that the author does his own thinking and has the courage of his convictions.

The one thing above all others that commends Congressman McHenry to the hundreds of independent voters among his constituency is the fact that he wears no man's collar but his own, and that he is endowed with sufficient brains to do his own thinking and that he is always ready to assume the entire responsibility of his own utterances simply and solely because they are his own.

That Mr. McHenry is not a mere phonograph, reproducing the words and ideas of others, is best known in this speech: on the banking question and the forceful and logical presentation of his views won him merited compliments even from those who were diametrically opposed to his ideas.

The speech shows the clear head, the keen mind and the courageous heart of its author. It afforded this critical audience an opportunity to take "the measure of the man" and the verdict was greatly to his credit.

The Dispatch believes that it voices the sentiment of hundreds of its independent readers in commending the meritorious work done in congress by Hon. John G. McHenry. Shamokin is under special obligations to him for securing the appropriation for its new federal building, but above and beyond all that he has the warm admiration of the thinking men of all parties for the merited recognition which he has gained by his brilliant services as the representative of his congressional district.

ing used for the purpose. In preparing this coldly statistical review of the loss in dollars and cents the professor does not forget to mention the more important cost in broken hearts and disappointed lives which cannot be measured. Five million persons now in the United States are doomed to fill consumptive graves unless the crusade can be made more effective.

In another paper on the diet for consumptives he upset one of the theories upon which many sanatoria are now working namely that the victim of pulmonary tuberculosis must be fed and over fed and stuffed like Strasburg geese. From the experiments of Professor Chittenden of Yale who has demonstrated that athletes have greater strength and endurance when taken off of a meat and egg diet he has proved to his own satisfaction that consumptives do best on a moderate diet of non-proteid foods.

The agreement between this country and Great Britain that letters to England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales will need only a two cent stamp instead of a five cent as heretofore went into effect Thursday. At present the new rate of postage applies only to the British Isles but eventually it may be extended so as to include all of the British possessions and it may be that in a few years one may send letters to South Africa or India for the same postage that is required for a letter to be delivered in one's home town. The remarkable reduction in rates was agreed upon between the two nations as the best means of promoting commercial and friendly relations between the United States and Great Britain and it is quite certain that before long Germany, France and Italy will be asking for a similar arrangement with regard to letter mail in those countries. Postmaster General Meyer is entitled to most of the credit for this change.

Womanly Wisdom.

Lift up! Give a word of good cheer! Lend a hand and make the world better for your having had a place in it.

Rest your weary bones by having a chair in the kitchen to sit in while doing the work you can do in that way.

You will spoil your nice china washing it in water that is too hot. Have the water fairly warm. Use a bit of soap and you are all right. No cracked china then.

Don't try to do your dusting with a dry cloth. That only sets the particles of dust flying everywhere. Dampen your cloth and rinse it out in clear water, once in a while.

Rice usually looks clean when it comes from the store; but wash it in clean water and you will see that it is far from being so. Keep on washing till the water is clear, then cook.

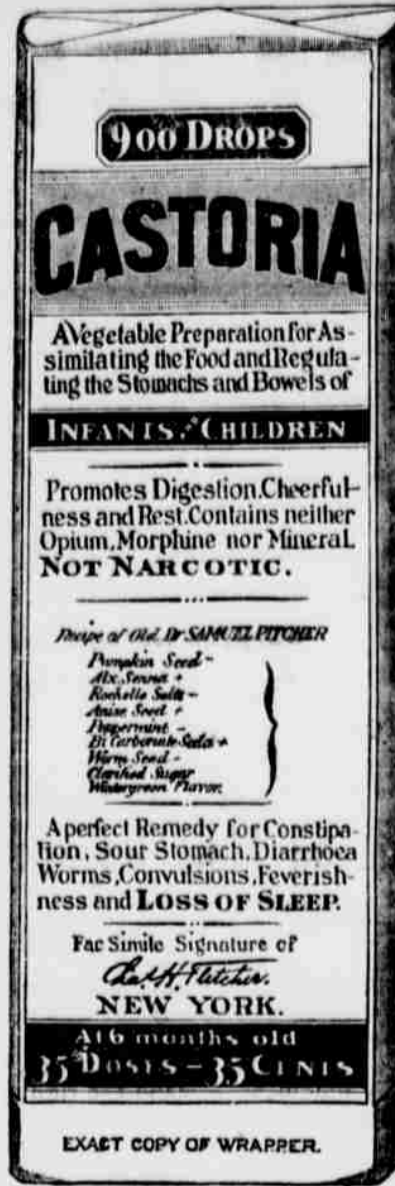
To get rid of ants in the pantry lay some ham rinds on the shelves, or smear a saucer with lard and set it there over night. In the morning these will be found covered with the ants, which may be scalded with boiling water, and the traps set again. In a few days every ant will disappear.

Our old subscribers must know our pet dried beef recipe by heart, but we want the new ones also to learn it: For every twenty pounds of beef, take one pint of salt, one teaspoonful of saltpeter, a quarter of a pound of brown sugar. Divide these ingredients into three equal parts and rub them well into the beef on three successive days. Lay in an earthen or porcelain vessel, and turn each day in the brine it will make. At the end of the week hang it to dry.—October Farm Journal.

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In the Orphans' Court. In re estate of Columbia County J. P. K. Patterson Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the said Orphans' Court by the undersigned for letters of administration on the estate of said P. K. Patterson, who has been absent from the place of his last domicile, viz. Greenwood Township, in this County and Commonwealth, for more than seven years last past and his whereabouts unknown, and the said Court has fixed Monday, December 7th, 1908, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time to hear the evidence concerning the alleged absence of the supposed decedent and the circumstances and duration thereof.

B. F. BATTIN, Clinton Herring, Att'y. 10-1-5t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Michael Bubis, late of Wilburton, Conyngham Township, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit Company of Mount Carmel, Pennsylvania. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims against the same will make them known without delay to said Administrator at their banking house in Mount Carmel, Pa., or to their counsel,

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