

Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two Bibles presented to him by Emperor William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the Bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text. This honored pastor, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, says concerning their famous catarrh remedy, Peruna:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen: "I had hemorrhages of the lungs for a long time, and all despaired of me. I took Perwaa and was cured. It gave me strength and courage, and made healthy, pure blood. It increased my weight, gave me a healthy color, and I feel well. It is the best medicine in the world. If everyone kept Peruna in the house it would save many from death every year."-H. STUBENVOLL.

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THE KEYSTONE STATE. News Happenings of Interest Gathered

From All Sources.

Pennsylvania patents :- Edwin E. Ar-Adoniram J. Campbell, Media, sad iron; William C. Coffin, Pittsburg, blast fur-nace; Charles A. Conn, Pittsburg, oil filter; William P. Flint, Pittsburg, igniter apparatus for gas engines; Andrew W. Graham, Bradford, surgical splint; William S. Halsey, Pittsburg, means for transmitting fluid under pressure; Marshall W. Hanks, Pittsburg, treating shall W. Hanks, Pittsburg, treating glowers for direct current electric lamps; Washington D. Keys, Kittan-ning, apparatus for annealing glass; John H. King and E. M. Wolf, Beaver Falls, mill for rolling seamless tubing; Harry M. McColl, Pittsburg, starting Harry M. McColl, Pittsburg, starting valve for explosive engines; Lemel Pat-terson, Warren, sash lock; John C. Reed, Allegheny, mold emptying apparatus; Frank Siegrist, Coopersburg, attachment for rocking chairs; John A. Titzel, Franklin, electric motor or generator; William G. Waring, Tyrone, extracting zinc, producing pure white pigment, making pure hydrogen sulfide from furnace

gases While a 10-month-old child of Harry McKinley, at Burnham, was creeping about the floor on January 6 it was heard to utter a scream. The mother could find nothing wrong with the child, but he continued to give evidence of suffering until Saturday morning when the mother saw a small black spot on one of the child's hips. This proved to be a knot on the end of a black thread. When the mother tried to remove the thread she found it was of considerable length. She became frightened and called in a neighbor. The two women, after much difficulty, succeeded in getting out a long thread with a needle attached, which had evidently entered the child's flesh and worked its way into the body until its progress was stopped by the knot on the end of the thread.

Orders have been issued by the United States Steel Corporation to gesume work at the Sharon steel plant.

The Allentown County Commissioners fixed the rate for county tax at 1.8 mills. In 1900 the rate was 3 mills.

Going into the cellar of his furniture store at Lock Haven, H. E. Pursley shot himself in the head and died a few hours later.

Eleven boys and three junk dealers were arrested in Shamokin in connection with numerous thefts of iron from

the Shamokin Wagon Works. Five additional free rural mail deliv-

ery routes will be placed in operation on February 2, having the York Post Office as their distribution center. At the annual meeting of the Yardley

Pastime Club, Irwin Aaron was elected president, Edward V. Comly secretary, and Thomas S. Cadwallader treasurer. Samuel Leith, of Rittersville, 19 years old, has been arrested, charged with attempting to shoot his father when the latter desired to visit his wife, from

whom he is separated. Shortly after eating dinner, the five members of the family of Harry Spade, of Shamokin, became violently ill, but a physician afforded relief. It is supposed they ate poisoned food.

The Stone Masons in Bethlehem,

How He Came to Swear.

It was four in the morning when he got home. He didn't fumble around the latch for an hour, stutter in his talk, or awaken every one in the neigh borhood with unseeming noise. was sober; hadn't drunk a drop.

Instead, he struck the keyhole at the first attempt and entered. All was quiet. He put his hat and coat on the hall rack, and was about to take off his shoes before going up-stairs when an old, familiar voice sounded gratingly on his ear.

"Is that you, Jack?" "Yes, Nell." Then he began: "It's three minutes after four. I did not let the cat follow me in. I've just returned from one of our lodges. The gas is turned down low. The doors are all locked; the windows fastened. I paid the taxes this afternoon. Mary's baby's got the measles. That isn't our dog barking.

And when he tumbled into bed, Nell looked at him out of sleepy eyes and said---

'Jack, you've been drinking."-Pick-Me-Up.

The Pe-ru-na Almanac.

The druggists have already been supplied with Peruna almanacs. There is sure to be a great demand for these almanacs on account of the articles on astrology which they contain. The subject of astrology is a very attractive one to most people. The articles on astrology in the Peruna al-manac have been furnished by a very competent astrologist, and the mental characteristics of each sign is given, constituting almost a complete horoscope. A list of questions and answers on astrology sent free upon request. There will be a great rush for these books. Ask your druggist for one early before they are all gone.

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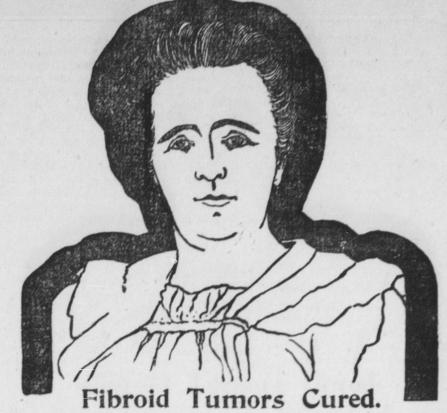
Bread as a daily article of food is used by only about one-third of the population of the carth.

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A distressing case of Fibroid Tumor, which baffled the skill of Boston doctors. Mrs. Hayes, of Boston, Mass., in the following letter tells how she was cured, after everything else failed, by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Hayes' First Letter Appealing to Mrs. Pinkham for Help:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: - I have been under Boston doctors' treatment for a long time without any relief. They tell me I have a fibroid tumor. I cannot sit down without great pain, and the soreness extends up my spine. I have bearing-down pains both back and front. My ab-domen is swollen, and I have had flowing spells for three years. My ap-petite is not good. I cannot walk or be on my feet for any length of time.

"The symptoms of Fibroid Tumor given in your little book ac-curately describe my case, so I write to you for advice."—(Signed) Mrs. E. F. HAYES, 252 Dudley St., (Roxbury) Boston, Mass.

Note the result of Mrs. Pinkham's advice-although she advised Mrs. Hayes, of Boston, to take her medicine-which she knew would help herher letter contained a mass of additional instructions as to treatment, all of which helped to bring about the happy result.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM :- Sometime ago I wrote to you describing my symptoms and asked your advice. You replied, and I followed all your directions carefully, and to-day I am a well woman. "The use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound entirely

expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system. I can walk miles now.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth five dollars a drop. I advise all women who are afflicted with tumors or female trouble of any kind to give it a faithful trial."-(Signed) Mrs. E. F. HAYES, 252 Dudley St., (Roxbury) Boston, Mass.

Mountains of gold could not purchase such testimony-or take the place of the health and happiness which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought to Mrs. Hayes.

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without the capacity to gratify them.

other; both lie along every line of action. One thousand pounds sterling has been paid for the drinking glass used by the late Empress of Austria while

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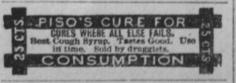
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Idleness creates imaginary wants taking the waters at Langen-Schwal bach, near Wiesbaden, Germany.

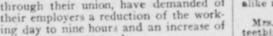


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wages to 30 cents an hour. While alone with her infant at her home in Roxbury, Mrs. John Nicklas

was burned to death. The family of George Roemer, of Plummer, numbering ten persons, were poisoned, a can of poison having fallen tto breckwheat that was used to make cakes for the family.

Several men and women charged with rioting at Lykens and Wiconisco dur-ing the late anthracite coal strike pleaded guilty in the Dauphin County Sentence was suspended. Court.

A verdict for \$2000 was awarded in court at Reading against the city in favor of John Frit for injuries sustained in falling through a hole in the will be able to pick out one from the avement.

The Auburn Bolt and Nut Works, in Auburn and West Brunswick Township, in which State Senator Quail was interested, passed into possession of Philadelphia and Wilmington capitalists who have organized the Delaware Seamless Tube Company. The Harrisburg Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution

has elected Mrs. R. J. Haldeman and Miss Caroline Pearson delegates to the national convention, to be held next month in Washington. Miss Mary Cal-der, Miss Jennings and Mrs. C. A. Rahte- are the alternates. Clarence McCoy and William Guter-

man, of Columbia, who are awaiting trial for the murder of Trackwalker Jacob H. Bostic, at Bainbridge, on December 13, were token into court on a habeas corpus proceeding, but Judge Landis dismissed the writ and remanded the men to jail to stand trial. Presiding Elder H. S. Gable, of Leb

anon; Conference Treasurer I. B. Haak, of Myerstown, and Rev. R. R. Butterwick, of Palmyra, representing the Eastern Pennsylvania Conference of the United Brethren Church, purchased the property of the United Brethren Camp Meeting Association, of Mt. Lebanon.

Store clerks of Norristown have organized to secure shorter hours. They favor closing every evening at 6 o'clock, except Saturdays. The officers chosen are: President, George Clemmer; vice-president, William Hansell; recording secretary, Emily Shainlain; corresponding secretary, Ella Wheeler; treasurer, Anna M. Quinn,

At the meeting of the Yorktown Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, a resolution was adopted requesting all the clergymen of York observe Washington's Birthday, which this year comes on Sunday, by preaching patriotic sermons and also that they ask their congregations to rise while singing or listening to pa triotic hymns.

Council of Dunker churches ordered a Snyder county preacher to answer charges of violating the tenets of the

sect by shooting a robber. In the trial of ex-County Treasurer Thompson, at York, his counsel charged the District Attorney with forcing the

Grand Jury to render a true bill. Two robbers forced their way into the house of a Lancaster family, one guard-ing the husband while the other orders the wife to secure a sum of money known to be in the house. The husband crawls stealthily out of bed in the dark and succeeds in giving an alarm, where-upon the robbers fled.

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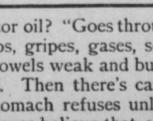
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