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LODGES,

Bel'efonte Lodge No. 268, A. Y. M., meets on Tues-ty: ght on or before every full moon.

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Yiday night of every month.

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Logan Branch Council No. 141, Junior Order U. A., meets every Friday evening.

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Five Miles of Fire.

The present dry spell is the worst ever known and the valleys of the Alleghenies filled with layers of leaves in many cases two and three feet deep, have been ripe for weeks for a great conflagration. Some fugitive fires were started recently, but the flames did not begin in real earnest until Friday afternoon, when fires in the valley below Scott's Knob and over from Kittaning Point spurred on by high winds, fairly leaped to the steep sides and have been since raging with unabated fury. The scene is grand beyond description, cov. ering as it does an extent of territory three miles long, and the crackling roaring hiss of the burning timber send out clouds of smoke that obscure the sun long before the sunset hour.

The woods about Cresson Springs began burning yesterday, and unless rain. speedily interferes, thousands of acres of oak, chestnut and jack pine will be destroyed. The big hotel is in no danger, but some of the surrounding cottages are in the direct track of the fire Only a change in the wind can save a fine track of timber, the property of Judge Dean, and hundreds of people are in from the surrounding country fighting almost against hope the flames

Creeping over from Kittanning Point and Scott's Knob, during Sunday, the fires struck the Dry Gap Road country yesterday, and invaded the sides of the far-famed Wopsononock. The farm ing population turned out en mass to save their crops, their barns and dwell ings and the property of their neighbors. Every thing is now, of common

interest. Hundreds of acres of cleared The Centre Democrat. Interest. Hundreds of acres of cleared land have been burned over, and at noon yesterday the fire was three miles THE CENTRE DEMOCRAT is pub in a direct line, hissing and rushing along, the wind carrying live coals of bark hundreds of feet shead into new places. The situation last evening was serious. Nothing could pass over the instant destruction. Charles and Grif- to charity. fiths Shannon, of Eleventh avenue and Sixteenth street, this city, went out to their father's farms early yesterday morning to aid in saving property, and were three times cut off from the fighting brigades. They were nearly suffocating the last time and were rescued with difficulty. A boy named Arnot was caught by the fire and lost all the hair on his head. There were a number of narrow escapes. Ramer's lumber works were saved after three days hard fighting. His place is below the Buck Horn.

The flames are now sweeping towards Homer's Gap, the rich beds of punk served three years. Convey my wishes, dry leaves assisting in the spread. Mr. he said, "to Waterman after I am dead. Shannon says the fire swept down towards Altoons yesterday afternoon at the rate of three miles an hour, and the pardon of the young man in questhe wind was blowing a gale. The chestnut tracks along the Wopsononock are a total loss, and owners of dwellings out the Dry Gap road were in great alarm yesterday. The atmosphere is heavily freighted with smoke and the odor of burning leaves is everywhere. Last evening the city street lights looked as they do in a fog. A rough estimate places the timber destroyed and injured at from \$30,000 to \$50,000 .-Altoona Times.

In Future Centuries

In the year 3090 A. D., Dr. Noni was professor of ancient history and antiquities in the University of Timbuctoo.

One morning, when his class had assembled to gather together golden grains of knowledge from the stores of his wisdom, he said:

Now, young gentlemen, we will devote this morning to the consideration of a language of one of the most remarkable nations of antiquity, namely, the United States of America. The English tongue, which has long since become a dead language, was used among the people of this curious land. Mr. X-, please read the sentence upon the black-

The student addressed arose and re-

Let her go Gallagher! Correct, said the professor. This is one of the most classic phrases of antiquity. It is of a celebrity second only to the famous veni, vidi, viei of the Romans. Let ber go, Gallagher was an invocation employed by the citizens of the republic on all occa sions of public importance or private peril. Gallagher is presumed to have been a National deity, and the words let her go, are, doubtless, an exhortaimplying resignation to Gallagher's will or a petition for his intercession. The phrase is now placed on our comes and embodied in our National arms. the same at E plnribus unum appeared on the shield of the United States.

The professor paused for a breath, and the youth at the head of the class inquired:

Doctor, in reading the works of the classic American authors, like Bill Nye, Josh Billings and Bob Bardette. I come across the expres. sion: You can't kid me, He's a fly kid, and the like. What signifies the expletive kid?

The expression kid, in its most liberal sense, replied the professor, im plies self-sacrifice on the part of the person addressed. I kid, thou kiddest, he kids. It is difficult to render into our tongue, but you may understand its meaning when I say, in general terms, that the Americans used the expression to intimate their appreciation of any favor or act of kindness Thus, when one citizen said to anoth. er, You're kidding, he expressed his gratitude for a tindness rendered.

It's a very classical expression. When the students had written this wisdom in their note-books. Tomorrow, gentlemen, said the professor, we will consider the social customs of the American. Good day .-Tid Bits.

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Items of Interest.

The girl who hooks a fish will shrick To see its frantic wriggles: But when she hooks a man-queer freak! She simply grins and giggles

The King of Siam has 3,000 wives. Governor Beaver draws a pension of \$45 per month for the loss of his leg. Dry Gap road, walls of fire threatening and it is said that he devotes this sum

portion of the human body. It has been known to survive 5,000 years in

A railroad station agent, at Dunkirk, N. Y., in his leisure time has wittled out of 250 pieces of wood a perfect model of a locomative and tender. He was five months on the job.

When on his death-bed and too weak to sign his name, the late Governor Bartlett, of California, told his brother that he had promised the mother of a young man imprisoned for forgery that he would pardon her son after he had I know he will carry them out." Governor Waterman has now announced

A plucky Michigan maiden chased a robber with a pichfork and made him drop his plunder, and she is now receiving offers of marriage at the rate of fifteen per week.

A year ago Miss Clara Moore, of Cincinnati went to visit friends in Los Angeles, Cal. She had a few hundred dollars with her, which she invested in Southern California lands, and in the boom that followed she sold out her property at a net gain of \$125,000.

Baltimore capitalists are reported to be contemplating the establishment of a telegraph company to compete with the Western Union.

A conference on church work smong deaf mutes is being held in Reading. Over 30,000 bushels of potatoes have already been shipped this year from Stewartstown, York county.

William Robinson, the colored policeman who shot and killed William Dolan last Monday at Pittsburg for resisting arrest, had been held for court by the coroner's jury on a charge of mur-

In answer to a correspondent, the Pittsburg Times states that the population of that city is now 215,000, and that of Allegheny 110,000.

Andrew Morass, of Hazelton, was run over and killed by the cars near that place on Wednesday.

Large flocks of wild geese were seen flying over Waterloo last week, a sure harbinger of approaching cold weather. Newburg hoodlums are trying to make "a job" for the coroner there by think he was fit to live, and now I "getting shocks" from the electric light will make an attempt on my life, so

The season being about over for rattlesnakes, squirrels with white bodies and red tails are now being discovered in Sullivan county. The apple market in Lyons this sea-

son is the largest anywhere in Wayne county. Over 45,000 barrels of the fruit have already been brought there. Dr. Peter Collier, a citizen of Wash-

ington and formerly chief chemist of the department of sgriculture, has been appointed director of the State Agricultural Experiment station at Geneva. Chester Reed of Fayette has succeed-

ed in raising 266 bushels of white star pototoes to the acre. One specimen weighs three pounds and thirteen ounces, and yet they say potatoes are SCATCS.

The weather wise say that the big crop of chestnuts portends a severe winter, and that the rule is infallible. It is nature,s way of supplying squirrels and other hibernating animals with the substenance of life during the long and severe winter months.

A new professionship of horticu'ture has been created in the department os agriculture at Cornell University. This department is being improved to use the \$15,000 annual appropriation which Congress has given the State colleges founded under the Land Grant act.

At West Point there is a dog which belongs to the band, and every afternoon at dress parade he statiods himself near the cannon which is fired at sunset. The dog watches intently for the discharge of the gun, and then starts down hill to look for the ball. This he has done for years, with the precision and regularly which mark every duty at the Point.

Ethel and Egbert were bidding each other a proper good-by the other evening when the draft from the open front-door blew the hall light out and left the two young people in sudden darkness, Weren't you awful afraid, asked Ethel's dearest friend next day, when Ethel was telling the story, to be left alone in the dark like that? Yes, dear, I was confessed Ethel, frankly. Egbert is quite bashful, you know, and I was afraid he wouldn't see how perfectly helpless I was.

Sweet girl (disrobing)-Did you look ender the bed? Old Maid-What for? To see if there was a man there. No,

dear, I've given up all hope. The measles will be a fashionable disase this winter, now that the

A Tripple Murder.

Louisville, Ky., November 4 .- A terrible trageby was enacted in the western portion of this city last night, For the awful results of which were not discovered until 10 o'clock this morning. At that hour Mrs. Mary Bruner, the mother of Mrs. Charles B. The hair is the most indestructible Brownfield who lives at No. 1922 West Chesnut street, called at the residence of her daughter, upon some matters connected with family affairs. No one answered her ring at the door bell, and after several ineffectual efforts she went to the window of the little one-sto y frame cottage, raised it and threw open the shutters.

The sight that met her eyes was horrible beyond description. In the middle of the door opening between the room occupied by her daughter and husband and their little daughter of 8 or 10 years, and the one occupied by William F. Bruner, a brother of Mrs. Brownfield, who resided with the family, was the body of Charles Brownfield, her daughter's husbanb, suspended by a strap attached to the lintel, and swaying to and fro, the features ghastly in death.

Mrs. Bruner aroused the neighbors, who made still more horrible discoveries. At the suicide's back on a bed in a dark corner, reposed the body of William F. Bruner, with his throat cut from ear to ear. Facing the selfmurderer in the other room was another bed, upon which, stiffened in their blood were the forms of his wi'e and 9-year-old child. Their heads were almost severed from their bodies. Beneath Brownfield's feet lay the ra, zor with whiich the awful deed had been committed. The bed clothing was drenched with blood, and the faces of the victims besmeared so that they were almost beyond recognization. On the bureau in the parlor the following letter, dated 6.30 a. m., and written by the murberer in an unusually legible hand, was found:

"To All Whom It May Concern: I, Charles B. Brownfield, murdereb my dear wife and baby, also W. F. Bruner, my brotoher-in-law. I Filled my wife and baby because I was tired of life, and did not want them left penniless in the world, and no one to take care of them. My cause for being tired of life is gambling. Now let my brothers and friends take warning. silled W. F. Bruner because I didn't goodbye, my father, brother, sister and friends and relations. All take warn-

"CHAS. B. BROWNFIETD." He was a drummer and was always known to be sober and industrius young man. Six years ago he married Miss Alice Bruner. He seemed particularly fond of his wife and little son, Harold, and spent his evenings and spare time at home in their company. People who knew them say they never heard him saying a cross word to his wife, and he fairly idolized his child, who was always on his knee while he was at home.

Prosecuted by the Priest.

LAWRENCE, Mass., November 6 .- The unusual spectacle of a Catholic priest as prosecutor in a police court took place here yesterday. Rev. James T O Reilly, pastor of St. Mary's church, recently saw a child 9 years old intoxicated, who obtained liquor from Hannah Toomey, the keeper of a rum shop. He instituted proceedingsagainst Hannah and succeeded in having her convicted. She was fined \$75 and costs and sentenced to four months in the house of correction.

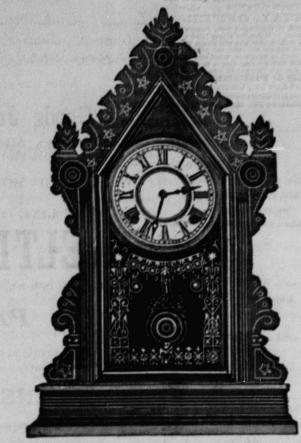
-WORTH KNOWING .- Mr. W. H. Morgan, merchant, Lake City, Fla., was taken with a severe Cold, attended with a distressing Cough and running into Consumption in its first stages. He tried many so-called popular cough remedies and steadily grew worse. Was reduced in flesh, had difficulty in breathing and was unable to sleep. Fnally tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and found immediate relief, and after using about a half dozen bottles found himself well and has had no return of the disease. No other remedy can show so grand a record of cures, as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Guaranteed to do just what is claimed for it.-Trial bottle free at J. Zeller & Son's Drug Store

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