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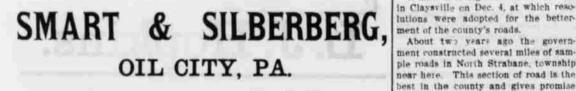
day morning for the second time from the county jail. Daniel Van Buskirk, These are what are known to the trade as seconds, or the "runof the mill." That is, they are slightly imperfect, but for another prisoner, escaped with him. In the morning, after breakfasting all practical purposes they are as good as the regular goods.

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A SLEEPING PREMIER.

Stories of Lord North's Drowsy Moments in Parliament. Lord North was the sleeping parlia-

mentarian of the eighteenth century. He was forever ynwning in the faces of members and their speeches. Black and White says of him that indignant

or buried in the ground. From this timber houses can be built that would in a few years become completely fireproof and would last as long as though built of stone.

> The Hairpin In Surgery. The hairpin as a surgical instrument treated quite seriously by a physi-

BUILT ON WRONG LOT. Handsome House Erected on Anothe Man's Land.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 9 .- There is serious mixup at Donora, this county, over one man building a handsome residence on property which he thought was his own, but which, it developed later, was owned by another

Some time ago Thomas Hollowood purchased a lot at the latter place and on the property erected a fine house which cost him over \$10,000. It has since developed that the lot on which the building was erected was not his own, but an adjoining one, owned by James Wilgus of Dawson, Fayette county.

When the mistake was discovered Hollowood offered to exchange, with DIAMONDS, a considerable sum additional, but Wilgus refused. Hollowood offered then to purchase the other lot, but Wilgus placed an enormous price on it and Hollowood was unable to buy. Wilgus

ESCAPE OF A MURDERER.

Charles Grether Gets Out of Strouds-

burg Jail-Watchman Left

Door Unlecked.

Constable Adam Strunk, escaped Sun-

ing to lock the big iron doors.

ond story of the dwelling adjoining the

Washington County.

ment of better roads in this section.

Many of the county roads are, in winter and stormy weather, rendered

impassible almost, and great delay is

experienced in delivering the mails to

of lasting many years. An effort i being made to construct roads in other sections of the county similar to this.

Practical Joker Killed.

Pittsburg, Dec. 9.-Samuel Ayers, 1

fireman employed in Booth & Flynn's

brickyard, was stabbed to death by an

Italian, who fied. Ayres was a prac-

tical joker. Early Saturday morning

he donned a false beard and nose that

A mass meeting of farmers was held

the country districts.

Stroudsburg, Pa., Dec. 9 .-- Charles

possession of it.

by,

JEWELRY, STERLING SILVERAND NOVELTIES, Is LARGER and mare SELECT

vided 1170-5160 part thereof. The said lands being subject to numer-ous equitable liens claimed by sundry per-sons as fully set forth in s.ctions 25 and 26 of the said Bill. scribe it. You must come and see for yourself. Make your selections now. Don't wait. The best things always go first. Store open evenings.

HARVEY FRITZ, The LEADING JEWELER

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Wanted-An Idea Who can think of some simple Protect your idea; they may bring you wealth write Joint WatoDrateUna & Co., For their Attor was, Washington, D. C., for their Also price atter wash his of two hundred inventions wanted. About two years ago the govern nent constructed several miles of sample roads in North Strabane, township

# S. 72° E. 25 R. up said creek to a post. S. 20° W. 121 H. to post; S. 121° E. 42 R. to post; S. 10° E. 16 R. to post; N. 80° E. 7 R. to a white cak tree on bank of said creek; S. 3° W. 214 R. to beginning. Containing 5 A. and 27 R. The same being recorded in Venango Co., P.a. in Book J. page 74. Encepting and reserving therefrom cor-tain parcels and lots, conveyed to sundry persons as fally set forth in the Bill on file in this case. The bill further sets out the title of the respective parties thereto and that the par-ties to this action are seized of the premi-se described in fee simple, each having an undivided inte est therein as follows: The plaintiff, Daniel E Sickles, individ-nally, is seized of an undivided 720-5760 part thereof; the defendant, Daniel E Sickles, is seized of an undivided 720-5760 part there-of, the defendant, Daniel E Sickles, is seized of an undivided 720-5760 part there-of, the defendant, Daniel E Sickles, is seized of an undivided 760-5760 part there-sof, the defendant Laura S. Morro is seized of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Laura S. Morro is seized of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Laura S. Morro is seized of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Laura S. Morro is seized of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant Fred, J. Wa k-er is stezed of an undivided 160-5760 part thereof; the defendant force for the mile andivided 150-5760 part thereof; the defendant andivided 150-5760 part thereof; the defend-ant K-meat B Miliard is seized **Of Course**

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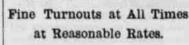
# MY STOCK OF WATCHES,

HOLIDAY

than ever before. Print can't de

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Grether was asked by Reinhart, the watchman, if he did not wish to take a bath. He replied that he did, and Reinhardt unlocked his cell door and led the prisoner to the bathroom, near Reinhart then walked out of the tail corridor to the reading room, fail-Grether was quick enough to notice the watchman's mistake, and in a few minutes after Reinhart had settled himself down to read the morning papers



jall and jumped from the window. Rear of Hotel Weaver FARMERS DETERMINED. Will Push Good Roads Agitation In Telephone No. 20. Washington, Pa., Dec. 9 .- There is concerted movement in all parts of Washington county for the establish-

OFTICIAN.

of his refusal to listen to them, and he was never at a loss in subjecting them to the further humiliation of a sharp retort.

"Even now in these perils the noble lord is asleep!" burst forth an angry member of the opposition, and Lord age tube, to remove foreign bodies, to North awoke in time to murmur, "I wish I were!"

Again he said to another grumbler, "The physician should never quarrel with his own medicine."

To a speaker who impeached him of all sorts of crimes and called attention | virtue of the hair goes into the pin. to his doging through the attack Lord North reioined:

"It is cruel to deny me the solace enjoyed by other criminals-that of a night's rest before they meet their fate.'

The best story of the sleepy premier is that connected with a peer who bored parliament with a history of shipbuilding from the time of Nonh and his ark. North began dozing at the mention of the ark and slept until the speaker reached the Spanish armada. Then a colleague woke him.

"Where are we now?" asked North "In the reign of Queen Elizabeth."

"Dear, dear," exclaimed the prime minister. "Why didn't you let me sleep a century or two more?"

### Whistler's Tart Comment,

Whistler one afternoon called on a young painter of his acquaintance who did the pretty little sort of things that are popular. In the course of the conversation that followed the young art ist turned to a little head he was painting and, daintily balancing a square palette by one corner between two finger tips, took a fine sable brush next Sunday. and as daintily began to tickle a piece of bad drawing into a "sweet expression." suying:

"A pleasant art, ours, isn't it, Jimmy?

"Yes," was Whistler's response, "but what are you doing, Frank?"

"Oh," said the young artist, "I am painting a replica of a little thing some one liked because, you know, I can always sell two or three of the same subject, if it's a taking one."

"Ah!" commented Whistler, "you must be a gentus, Frank, and I, alas, am like the simple minded hen who when asked to do so, protested that she could not lay the same egg twice!"

### Tree That Turns to Stone.

There is a tree that grows in Mexico called the "chlip!" or stone tree. It is of enormous proportions, both in circuniference and height. It has a numher of branches spreading out widely and carrying leaves of a yellowish green color. The wood is extremely ine and easily worked in a green state. It is not given to either warping or splitting. The most remarkable thing about it is that after being cut the wood gets gradually harder, and in the

Acres

cian who, writing in a technical journal, names fifteen different ways in which it may be used in an emergency to ease pain or even to save life. For example, it might serve as a probe, as a surgical needle, in place of a drain-

> compress a blood vessel or to close a wound. "One hair of a woman can draw more than a hundred pair of oxen." wrote old James Howell almost three centu

ries ago. It may be that some of the

Ready to Take Hold.

"He told me it would probably be a bitter fight." sold the man who had just been to see a lawyer. "But he convinced himself of the justice of your cause," suggested his wife.

"Well, no, not right away," replied the prospective litigant. "He first con-vinced himself that I had money enough to make the fight."-Chicago Post

Before the Ark.

Noah's ark is generally supposed to be the earliest ship of which we have record, but there exist paintings of Egyptian vessels immensely older than the date, 2840 B. C., usually assigned to the ark, being, indeed, probably be tween seventy and eighty centuries old. Moreover, there are now in existence in Egypt boats which were built about the period the ark was constructed.

Saw a Bad Bargain.

Minister (to new janitor)-John, 1 expect to exchange pulpits with Dr. Smith

John-Well, sir, if you'll take my advice you won't do it. I've seen Dr. Smith's pulpit, and it's the most wornout piece of furniture in town.-Chicato News.

Exclusiveness to Be Maintained. Ping-Are Mrs. De Styles' entertaln-

ments very exclusive? Pong-Well, I should say so. She has just made application to have the conversation of her guests copyrighted .-Baltimore Herald.

Health is so necessary to all the du ties as well as pleasures of life that the crime of squandering it is equal to the folly. \_\_\_\_\_A Dissenter.

"Don't you like that deaf and dumb barber? "No. A fellow might as well shave timself,"-Indianapolis News.

Bright Boy of Class In Arithmetic. Teacher-Johnnie Stokes, how many

make a million? Johnnie-Very few on dis earth .-Chicago Journal.

Some girls enjoy eating candy alone, wood gets gradually harder, and in the course of a few years it is absolutely their lowers. - Philadelphia Ledger.

his son had used on Hallowe'en, and, going to the engine room where the Italian, Anthony Bruno, was on the same night turn with him, pushed the door open and said to the Italian: "Now I've got you." Bruno drew a knife and stabbed Avres three times before he learned who it was, and then fied, after telling the night watchman what he had done. Ayres died at the hospital.

## Fire Caused by Natural Gas.

Ridgeway, Pa. Dec. 9 .- The Eagle Valley tannery at this place was destroyed by fire early Sunday. The fire was caused by an explosion of natural gas in the engine room. The loss on the building is estimated at \$75,000 and that on the stock of leather and hides at \$250,000 to \$300,000.

Called to Washington (Pa.) Church. Washington, Pa., Dec. 9 .- The con gregation of the First Baptist church have extended a call to Rev. Charles W. Fletcher of Rochester, N. Y.

# \$500 REWARD **SOUD REWARD** WILL BE PAID AT ONCE To any person or persons proving the following statements not genuine. Note also the cures are PHRMANENT. Cured of Bright's Disease 16 Years. I had been troubled with kidney and liver complaint. I suffered with a dull, heavy pain across the back. I had eradmit become all run down A greater west twenty-six rods to a post. Eleventh. -(N. 60° W. 25 R.) north sixty-five degrees west thirty-two rods to a post. Tenth.-(N. 60° W. 25 R.) north sixty five degrees west thirty-two rods to a post. Tenth.-(N. 60° W. 25 R.) north sixty five degrees west the back and the seventy of the seventy of the seventy of the result of the seventy of the result of the seventy of the result of the resul

liver complaint. I suffered with a dull, heavy pain across the back. I had gradually become all run down. A great deal of the time my stomach was filed with gas, I was growing very nervous and was constantly suffering with head ache. Finally I discovered a white stringy sediment in my urine which frightened me, for I knew then I head Bright's disease. I began taking Thomp son's Barosma at once and three bottle seemed to cure me, but to insure a per-manent cure I took three bottles manent cure I took three bottles m Although this was sixteen years ago 1 have had no bad symptoms since and have been perfectly free from pain.

FRANK STURGIS. Aug. 13, 1898. Sturtevant, Craw. Co. Pa.

## Sciatic Rheumatism Cured Six Years Ago.

Six years ago last fall I was a great suffere from scinic rheumatism, staving in my kidneys and running down my thigh, disabiling me from my kind af work, and was compelled to walk with a cane to relieve my pain. I heard of some of the wonderful cures made by Thompson's faroama. I bought a bottle, and to my de-light, the second doar seemed to act upon my kidneys at once, and the pain began to leave In one week after I commenced taking Harosma rode one hundred and fifty miles in a buggy without any inconvenience and have been a watch was investing. Will answer any ques-tions to those who suffer as I di.  $E \in G. Baxem.$ Easte of Pennsylvania, Crawford Co.

 and the set of the s State of Pennsylvania, Crawford Co. ss: Sworn and subscribed before me by the above named affiant this 10th day of December, A. D

\$5.00.

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divided 1053-5760 part thereof; the defend ant Ernest B Millard is solzed of an undi-vided 117-5760 part thereof; and the defen-dant Alta H. Denham is seized of an undi-



# LIVERY STABLE

H. MEADE: TAKE NOTICE: -- A Bill in Equity has been filed by the plaintiff above named for the partition of the following described real estate, situate in the Bor-ough and Township of Tionesta, Forest County, Pennsylvania, to wit: First-- Beginning at a leaning chestnut tree, said tree being also the northwest corner of Warrant No. 3922, thence (S. 20° E.371 R.) south twenty-nine degrees east three hundred and sevenly-one rods to stones on a large rock, said stones also being a corner between Warrant 3692 and 3991. Second.-(S. 42° W. 374 R.) south forty-two degrees west, thirty-seven and one-half rods to a white oak. Third.-(S. 50° W. 79 R.) South fifty degrees west seventy-nine rods to an ash tree. Fourth, -(S. 30° W. 324 R.) south thirty degrees west thirty-two and one hal rods to a white oak. Fifth - (West 52.2 R.) West fifty- two and two-tenths rods to a post on the east bank of the Tionesta creek, Sixth.-Thence down said creek. (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the one down said creek. (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the top degrees (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the one down said creek. (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the one down said creek. (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the one down said creek. (N. 25° W. 4.0 continues on the one down said creek. TIONESTA, - PENN. S. S. CANFIELD, PROPRIETOR. Good Stock, Good Carriages and Bug gies to let upon the most reasonable terms. He will also do

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W.30 R.) north eighty-five degrees west thirty rods to a post on the east bank of the Allegheny river. Seventeenth.—(N. 12° E. 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> R.) north twelve degrees east unsteen and one-half rods to a post. Eighteenth.—(S. 87° E. 40 R.) south eighty-seven degrees east F riy rods to a post. Nineteenth.—(S. 87° E. 11 R.) south ally Conducted Pullman TouristSleeping Car Excursion + from Chicago and Cincinnati every week. Elegant Through Sleeplug Car Service and Quickest Time to

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eighty-seven degrees east f rty rods to a post. Nineteenth.-(S, S° E. II R.) south eight degrees east eleven rods to a post. Twentieth.-(E. 75 R.) east seventy five rods to a post. Twenty first.-(N. 4° W. 164 R.) north four degrees west one hundred and sixty-four rods to a pin cak. Twenty-econd.-(N. 46° E. 181 R.) north forty-six degrees east one hundred and eighty-one rods to a birch. Twenty-third.-(N. 82° E. 365 R.) north eighty-two degrees east three hundred and six-ty five and one-half rods to a post. Twenty-fourth.-(S. 61° W, 410 R.) south sixty-one degrees west four hundred and Pallman Drawing oom Sleepers, Free Reclining Chair Cars, Buffet-Library Smoking Cars, Cafe Dining Cars (meals a In carte)

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