ducted by Elder J. Kurtz Miller at the that Mr. Wilmore has discovered a McConnellsdale church next week.

men to keep a careful record of all ex- as much hope of heaven as those who penditures and receipts, so that at the end of every year they may tell whether they are saving enough to provide against the inevitable rainy day. "It is," he says, "the best means of can do, has been done to classify subchecking foolish expenditure. Most jeets, illuminate with archaeological, anyone," he adds, "can make money, but only a very few know how to save and place the subject matter of the

The Ladies' Home Missionary Soclety of the Presbyterian church will give a Colonial Supper at the home of Miss Mary Pittman on Thursday even- Mr. Wilmore's salesman is now in ing, January 25. The public are in-

Isaac Morgret of Hancock has recently purchased Thompson Peck's livery at that place. Thompson is slowly regaining his health, being able a few days ago to take a short drive. George W. Cooper has sold his ho- inve obtained employment in Altel property at Milton.

William H. Dodson, says the Hancock Star, has purchased the Hancock the George W. Seylar estate. Mr. Dodson has been associated with Mr. Sayler for some years.

The Directors of the Franklin and Thursday of last week for the annual nellsburg. round up. The reports show the business of the Company in a prosperous condition. A six per cent. dividend was declared on the net receipts for the year ending December 31st. The est success was with one at D. G. Company up to the current year prom- Elvey's. ises a great increase over that of last

A quarterly school report received | Charles Rotz. from the principal of the C. V. normal school by Mr. J. G. Reisner of of a possible thirteen A's, Ed. made noon. ten; the other three being two B's and one C.

Filt is reported that Dr. Bernhardt, of Dublin Mills has bought the Dr. Stever property at Three Springs. The former is putting up ice at the latter

To attract new business and hold the old you should make the name and Miller visited the county seat tomerit of your business as familiar as day. household words to the people of your own county. One of the best means to Shirleysburg, spent Saturday the needle and thread under the ring Fulton County News.

The Pennsylvania Fish Commission this place. had heard tales that the brown trout On last Friday, Frank Oliver trout to swim close to the bottom of circumstances. taining a considerable amount of iron ville. in them, and so reaches and kills the J. W. Miller is visiting his son out, while it does not affect the fish Samuel, at Shade Gap. that swim higher in the water

The best teachers for boys and and good women.

Selfishness is that detestable vice which no one will forgive in others, and no one is without himself.

it is coming your way, but don't Hughes preached at Zion at three run after it. This is the only o'clock. certain way of making it look small.

How they differ-a woman can not run up a telegraph pole, and a cat can't run up a store bill.

An honest confession that does not reach down to the pocketbook is an injury to the soul.

Come to the NEWS office and see our sale bill's and learn prices before placing your order.

Now is a critical time in the tise during the holidays but the op's. shrewd and always successful business to slumber during the Gregory, so-called "duil season." Now is the accepted time to advertise of our new buckster company. and your business will prosper.

On June 1, 1900, the school apcome due. It is urged that the various schools should on that date hold out for their share not of the \$500,000, but of the \$5. 500,000. Governor Stone's action, we believe, was unconstitutional priation one cent.

No Cause to Be Discouraged. Mr. Youngpop-My little girl is nearly 2 years old and hasn't learned to

Mr. Henpeckke-Don't let that worry you. My wife says ahe didn't begin to talk until she was nearly 3, and now--Philadelphia Record.

There is enough coul in New Mexico to supply the whole of the United States for 1,000 years.

### THE GREATEST BOOK ON

The greatest book on each is Wilflon't forget the Bible Normal con- more's Bible. By this it is not meant was by which people living in open John D. Rockefeller advises young defiance of the laws of God have just have accepted Christ as their Savior, and are trying to serve him in humble obelience; but it does mean that everything that human skill and learning historical, and geographical light, good old Book in such a way that one may obtain a comprehensive knowledge of the scriptures, and yet have time to devote to the successful conduct of any honorable business in life. this county and will call to see you.

### BETHLEHEM.

Ice plenty in the Corner. Boyd Eivey and Luther Fix

Mrs. Flora Shaffer spent Sunday afternoon at the home of G; Foundry and Machine Works from M. Mumma, and Misses Daisy Elvey and Sadie Shaffer were at Charles Lawyer's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Elvey spent Fulton Telephone Company met on Saturday afternoon in McCon-

> John Shaffer makes no pretensions as a jeweler, but he knows how to make a clock go. His lat-

Scott's school is progressing under the skillful supervision of

Mr. and Mrs. John Shaffer and this place giving the class standing of Nicholas Finisf and Amos Peigh-Mr. Reisner's son Ed. states that out tel were in town Saturday after-

Miss Lucy Peightel spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs.

### BURNT CABINS.

S. P. Metzler, and Miss Annie

Scott Miller and son Jacob, of and Sunday at J. W. Miller's, of

with which some of the streams of the Was unfortunate enough to have State were stocked were particularly his leg broken above the knee susceptible to destruction from light- while working on the planing ning, so they began an investigation and they now announce that the stories mill. He is getting along as well are true. It is the habit of the brown as can be expected under the

the stream it frequents, and though he Miss Laurietta Polk and one of is not litterly struck by lightning, the her pupils spent Saturday and electricity is conducted to the bottom Sunday at her home in Knobs-

Wm. Greer, of Knobsville, visited our city on Satursay.

There will be a local institute girls are the lives of good men at Burnt Cabins school house the evening of January 26th.

### THOMPSON.

Rev. Barney's protracted meet-Walk straight up to trouble if ing began last Sunday. Rev.

Mrs. L. M. Fisher, of Brunswick, Md., attended church at Antioch Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Kelley and Mrs. A. F. Little of McConnellsburg visited friends on the Ridge last

Mrs. J. V. K. Fisher and daughter Rose Bell, of Brunswick, Md., visited Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. Cattlett from Friday until Monday.

James Stech and James Rines history of business men. Some dollar of McConnellsburg were merchants are content to adver- recent visitors at George Bish-

Miss Millie Lynch spent last business man never permits his Sunday with her friend Olive

Hess and Gregory is the name ster Gazette

With the beginning of 1900 a

hundred thousand dollars will be up by the Sunday schools, as with a story of a man in that town suggested by the International wanted to sell put a written notice in Committee. The series will in one of the hotels the other day. A clude the great characters of Bib. man who was inquiring for a small lical story, and the first will be the, when he replied: "I can't buy land the life of Jesus Christ. The at a fair price from any man who does lessons in the last named series and even the Governor has not will occupy the next eighteen and the barn doors before he gave up the power to reduce the appro. months, after which the scheme possession."-Kansas City Journal. of lessons is to include biographical studies of the most eminent men mentioned in the Bible, ton Telephone Company, accompanied receive small savings in sums of 10 The whole will make a most inter- by his son Simeon, spent a couple of cents or decimal fractions of a dollar, esting and instructive course. days in town this week looking and the interests of his line. While here, Senator Penrose. The bill further pro-It is to be hoped that the people they put a new phone in Dr. Smith's vides that no deposit of more thad \$10 of the churches and Sunday onice, one in the store of W. H. Ness may be made at one time; that 2 per schools will take advantage of bit, and one in the office of the Frank- cent interest shall be paid, but that no this opportunity to profit in Bib. lin-Fulton Telephone Company. The linearinstruction—faithfully study and exchange views on the lessand exchange views of the lessand exchange views of

### BABY STUART.

A Popular Misconception of Vandyke's Clever Painting. If the number of houses in which there bang reproductions of a certain drawing of a little child's head after Vandyke could be enumerated. It would cause astonishment. There is

nothing surprising in the popularity of the head. But whatever genius named it "Baby Stuart" is responsible for many ludicrous misapprehensions. There are women who believe that this head was painted by Gilbert Stuart. There are women who have asked if it was the infant of A. T. Stewart. Again, there are women who know that it depicts one of the children of Charles I, but who do not know which one of his children it is, whether it is a boy or a girl, or who painted the original. The head is that of the second son of Charles 1, and the name of the child was James. Vandyke painted him time and time again. One of the family groups of Charles' children by Vandyke hangs in Turin. From the head of tittle James in that group a copy was made by Italiaello Canevari, a drawing, and that copy hangs in the Academy of St. Luke at Rome. From Canevari's drawing the countless army of photographs, engravings. Iithographs and prints which have spread to the uttermost parts of the earth proceeded.

Let us change the title, for we think "Baby Stunrt" has done duty long enough. Why not call him "Little Then, at least, all his worshipers would know his sex. He became King James II of England in 1686, and, necording to eminent authority, be gave evidence of possessing all the vices of his race without any of its virtues. His reign was short and infamous. He was in exile at St. Germain when he died in 1701. Such was the chubby and guileless looking royal baby in the cap.-Boston Tran-

### REMOVING A RING.

A Jeweler Tells How to Take Off One That Has Grown Tight.

Most girls who have had buby rings have had trouble in removing them from their fingers. "There is really no necessity for all this ado about removing a tight ring," said a Jeweler. "In fact, as in everything else, the secret of success lies in knowing how to do it. Here is a recipe that I have found unfailing for removing a tight ring, and there is no painful surgical operation involved either: Thread a needle flat in the eye, using thread that is strong, but not too coarse, then pass the head of the needle under the ring. Care, of course, must be used in this, and it would be hest to soap the needle before beginning. The needle having been passed through, pull the thread through a few inches toward the band-so."

on his own tinger and was prepared to Illustrate the little lecture. long end of the thread around the anger toward the anil in this manuer, then take hold of the short end and unwind it-so. The thread, thus pressing against the ring, will gradually remove it, however tight or swollen the finger."-Pittsburg Dispatch.

### Danish Bospitality. A correspondent of the Dundee Ad-

vertiser writes from Denmack: "The people of Denmark, though sprung from the same stock as ourselves, are infinitely more polite and hospitableso much so that my friend the Scotch landowner, who is Scotch to the backbone and never more Scotch than when out of Scotland, early came to the con-clusion that their politeness, besides being 'a michty trouble to themselves, was a sheer waste of time.' I did not find it so. I rejoleed that it was one of their characteristics, for they were ever willing to show me their farms and their dairies and their bacon curing establishments, though 1 had been assured before leaving this country that the Danish creamery at least was shut against the straitger

"Like most continental people I have met, the Dane puts blmself to no end of trouble to help you, and after he gives all the information you want you must needs go to his home and drink his drink and smoke his eigurs, as old friends in this country might do after years of separation.

Where Dr. Johnson Was Married. One of the most interesting entries in the parish register of St. Wer-

burgh's, Derby, relates to the marriage of Dr. Johnson and the widow Porter. which was celebrated in St. Wer burgh's. It rends "Mard.-Samil Johnson, of ye parish

of St. Mary's, in Lichtletd, and Ellzabeth Porter, of ye parish of S. Phillip. in B'bam.

Why the couple should have traveled from Birmingham to Derby to be wed is greatly dark. Even Boswell confessed that he could not understand Johnson, however, gave him an amusing account of the jour ney. They must have looked a queerly matched pair as they walked up the aisle of St. Werburgh's, he an awkward, big boned, shambling man, she "a young person of nearly 50" and pos sessed of scant attractions. - Westmin-

### Wouldn't Trust Him.

Mean men continue to exist and frequent examples are cited of what is claimed to be the meanest of all. The propriation of five million five new series of lessons was taken Fredonia (Kan.) Citizen steps forward farm was referred to the written nohis own advertising in that way. He might stend the fence, the pump handle

and exchange views on the les- and are providing a great convenience

### A SONG OF LIFE.

What shall I make of my life, love? What shall I bring to you.

Flower of fair color, song of tremulous sweep?

flird that o'er waters of tears on a faithful wing to you Finds her way with a leaf for you to keep? Shell in whose chamber renumbered waves shat

ring to you Chimes of sleep?

Bird that homes to you? Song that will sigh and sing to your Flower that knoweth not passion or faith or

Shell that whispers a musical memory out? Nay, I will make of my life two bands to cling to Passionate lunds, my heart, that shall clasp you

and cling to you, Living and dying, daylight and dreaming throughout. -Black and White.

### STOOD FOR STONEWALL.

When Jackson Gave an Order, It Was Obeyed to the Letter.

The following dialogue, current at the time, between one of Stonewall Jackson's soldiers and the provost guard illustrates Jackson's tact at cluding his enemy and also the obedience rendered and the confidence reposed in him by his troops.

evening before Jackson left the valley to take part in the seven days' fight around Richmond were that in case the army moved before further orders the answer from every soldier to any and all questions except those connected with the army shall be, "I don't On the march the provest guard found a soldier in a cherry tree and art. A piano in the house is helping binuself, when the following took place:

"Who are you?" demanded the guard. "I don't know," replied the soldier.

"Where is your command?"

"I don't know." "What are you doing in that cherry tree?"

'I don't know." "Are those good cherries you are eat-

"I don't know." "Is there anything you do know?"

"Yes." "What is it?"

"Well, the last order I had from old Stonewall was that I was not to know anything until further orders, and, gentlemen, I will see you all hanged before | during the century and a quarter I will know anything until old Stonewall takes that order off." - Waco Times-Berald.

The Bell Mare. Ill tempered old horses delight to attack very young foals and will kill them if permitted. Mules have the same cheerful habit, unless they are under the luftuence of "the bell mare." She is the queen of the herd-a kindly creature who has grazed and fed with them, wearing a tinkling bell about her If she snorts defiance of anything, all her followers rush to the at- Maryland only remain marked, tnek. If she sniffs tolerance, they pass In all things they obey her ab-

Back in the old days, when horses the expense and Dr Clark is now and mules throughout the southwest went to market in droves, the rough riding highwayman of that epoch always tried to capture "the bell" and make off with it, knowing that nothing could keep the drove from following. Similarly, drovers tried always to save "the bell." She was led, never ridden, so that in event of attack she might be fresh for a game run. A light lad ied her-the owner or chief drover brought up the rear. The tad had strict orders at the first sign of trouble to go his very best, caring for nothing but "the bell."

Boston's Four Bent Savings.

A good deal is to be forgiven Colonel Higginson in view of his witty and most admirable thrust at Henry James. There are four mots upon which Bos ton particularly prides berself. Motley made one of them, "Give me the luxuries of life, and I will dispense with its necessities." Tom Appleton made another, "Good Americans, when they die, go to Paris." A lady, name with held, but quoted by Emerson, made the third, "The consciousness of being perfectly well dressed gives a feeling of inward tranquillity which religion is powerless to bestow." These three have long been famous, but Higginson matched the best of them when he remarked, "Henry James has been called a cosmopolitan, but he isn't, since a cosmopolitan is a man who is at home, even in his own country."-New York Mall and Express.

### A Man's Culls.

A man must think when making a call to leave his umbrella, overcoat and overshoes in the half, though he may carry his hat and stick to the drawing room. He must arise whenever a lady enters the room, and, whether caller or host, he must never took at his watch, Except in his own house, he should never find a seat for another. He must not offer his own chair to any one and should remove his glove before shaking hands.-Leah Lanceford in Woman's Home Companion

Right and Left Eyed People. People are right or left eyed just as they are right or left handed, and just as the right hand is usually the more powerful, so is the right eye. Only one person in ten is left sighted. It is very probable that the use of weapons during countless ages has had something to do with the extra power of the right eye.

### Undaunted. See Perstishus-Goodness, you would

not start on a journey on Friday, would Miss Schoffer-Pd start for Europe on 13 Fridays. - Philadelphia Record.

The street accidents of London amount to about 3.500 a year, nearly ten a day

The population of India increases at the rate of Manu, Our aurently

A Postal Savings Bank bill empow-J. H. Covalt, President of the Ful- ering all money order Post Offices to days in town this week looking after is to be introduced in Congress by presentation at any money order Post Office these are to be redeemed.

WISE ECONOMY.

There is a false economy whose devotees are said to be "penny wise and pound foolish." The following is from Success:

"If I were out of employment, with only a dollar in the world (and if I didn't have a dollar, I would go out and earn one), " said the head of a firm who has risen from an office boy to his present position, "I would spend it all in an hour. I would divide most of that dollar between a shave, a bath and a shine. With the remainder I would buy the best meal I could get. I might have to carry a hod for my next meal, but never would I miss the one opportunity to make myself presentable for a better position." This would be economy. It is The orders read on dress parade the economy to patronize a good lecture; it is economy, as well as a paying investment, to buy good literature. It prompts high resolves and noble endeavor. It is economy to cultivate a desire for the best of everything, in music economy. It is the creator of peace and harmony, which are priceless. It is economy to take a week's travel occasionally and "To what command do you belong?" learn what the world is doing beyoud the four walls in which you

> When Mason & Dixon's line was surveyed, 1762-8, the line was marked by stone monuments at intervals of five miles as far as the Blue Mountains. Many of these have become dilapidated they have stood, and large parts of them have been carried away by relic hunters and others. Dr. Clark, Maryland State Geologist, says that in Washington county two of them ornamented the front steps of a farmer's house. Some years ago the States of West Virginia and Penusylvania re-ran and marked the old line, so that the Pennsylvania has already appropriated \$5000 for its share of asking the Maryland Legislature for a like sum. Pennsylvania's share of the expense in running the line originally was about 8171,000.

Mrs. James Seaman, Hagerstown, and Mrs. Margaret Shipley, living near Downesville, have been notified that the estate of their father, John Caffery, an old canal man who went to Chicago some years ago and made a fortune, is in final course of adjustment, and that they will each receive about \$60,000. Mrs. Shiplev is a widow who has been desperately ill.

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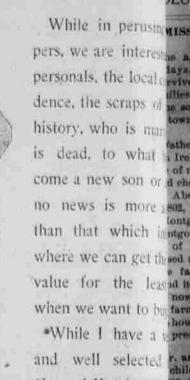
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