

DUCHUES OF MARLBOROUGIL ess, now Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont. when the latter secured a divorce from him. The house has been closed since then, Mrs. Belmont declaring that she could not afford to keep it open. It has been thoroughly repoyated in anticipation of the arrival of the duke and duchess, and it is expected that it will be the scene of claborate and recherche entertainments ere the season closes.

Grandpa Pettus.

One of the most interesting men in congress is Senator Pettus of Alabama. He is generally known as Grandon Pettua, being 80 years old. In all outward respects the venerable statesman is a 'most solemn proposition." He usually carries a red bandanna handkerchief. wears spectacles on the extreme tip of his nose and chews tobacco with his front teeth. He never was known to smile, though he says the drollest things imaginable,

That years do not necessarily mean age is beautifully demonstrated by the example of Pettus. He has led an active and eventful life. He was a lieutenant in the Mexican war and a brigndier general in the Confederate army. He has been in more battles than he is years old. When not fighting, he has been practicing law. He never "went in" much for politics. though he liked to go to national conventions once in awhile and could always get a delegate's commission When he was about 75 years of age, he took it into his head that he would like to be judge of the federal court and modestly applied for the job. Mr. Pugh of Alabama, who was then senator, declined to indorse his appliention on the ground that he was too old. He was a year Pugh's senior. "All right," replied Pettus. "I may be too old for a judge, but I am young enough to be a senator." And thereupon he went out after Pugh's seat and brought it home by a big majority.

On the Schley Inquiry Board, Rear Admiral Henry L. Howison has been chosen as the third member of the board of inquiry in the Schley case to fill the vacancy by the declination of Rear Admiral Kimberly, who is un able to serve on account of poor health Rear Admiral Howison was a class mate of Admiral Dewey and graduated No. 4. Dewey being No. 3. Howison was born in the District of Columbia



REAR ADMIRAL HENRY L. HOWISON. and was appointed acting midshipman from Indiana in 1854. He graduated from the Naval academy in 1858. During the civil war, which he entered as master of the sloop of war Pawnee, he saw much active service and partici-pated in many important naval battles. He has not seen active sea service since 1888. During the war with Spain he was acting commandant of the Boston unvy yard. In October, 1899, Rear Admiral Howison retired, having reached the age limit.

Inn Maclaren as a Punster. Rev. Dr. John Watson (Inn Maclaren) and others recently dined with W. S. Caine, M. P. Mr. Caine offered to give £50 to a hospital fund through the man who would make the best pun on his name within five minutes. Brains cogitated for awhile, and tuen, just as the time was about to expire and Mr. Caine thought he was to escape, John Watson said, "Don't be in such a hurry, Caine."

"You will find the work easy," said Mrs. Hauskeep. "We live very sim-ply, and there are no children to"— 'Oh, Ol'll not take the piace av there's no childer," interrupted the applicant. "The idea! You're an exception to

the rule."
"Well, av there's no childer, all the dishes Ol break 'll be blamed on me."—Philadelphia Press.

The fierhabire Industrial Farm. About an hour's ride from Albany, in the Berkshire bills, is a farm where boys are faught the science of farming, and one of the strange rules connected with the institution is that a boy must be bad before he can be admitted to it. "A had boy," says the superintendent, "is one who is lazy, without ambition, inclined to waywardness and more or less beyond the control of

his parents or guardian." The purpose of the farm is to make good men of such boys. It is a big farm of 1,000 acres. The institution is known as the Berkshire Industrial farm, and it is supported in a large measure by benevolent and philanthropic people. The boys are taught the common branches, such as are found in the higher grades of common schools. A balf a day is given to study and a half a day to manual work. The rising bell rings at 5:30, and each boy must be in the dormitory within 15 minutes thereafter. After breakfast the hours until 12 are devoted to lessons. At 1:30 work is resumed, and in the evening there are recreation and services in the chapel. Nine o'clock sees every boy in a good bed.

The boys can earn pocket money by good conduct. Their good conduct is credited to them and their bad is debited. Those who by their conduct get in debt to the farm lose certain privileges. have to eat their meals at the punishment table, where butter, sugar and dessert are unknown and apple ple can only be dreamed about.

There is an abundance of proof from the records kept of boys who have been discharged from the institution that it makes a wonderful improvement in a bad boy.-American Boy.

Our pet cat had three kittens of which she was particularly fond. One of them was unusually active and mischievous and much given to climbing up fenceposts, walls and trees.

One morning I heard a pitifui little cat cry up in a tall cherry tree, and on examination I found that the mischlevous kitten was near the top of the tree. elinging to a branch, and its cries showed that it was frightened and afraid to come down.

Sitting on the ground a little distance off was the mother cat, looking as if she was thinking what she ought to do to get her kitten out of its trouble. Suddenly she seemed to have made up her mind, for she ran quickly up the tree to where the kitten was, and, pausing there a moment as if to fix the kitten's attention on what she was doing, she began to descend the tree slowly and carefully. She was showing the kitten the easiest way to get

When she reached the ground, she sat down and looked up at the kitten. calling to it with soft, entreating cries, and the kitten, as if understanding exactly what was expected of it. came down just as the mother had done. - road Company has now on sale Philadelphia Times.

The Sunbeam Bird.

are the most levely. They look like animated jewels as they dart about from flower to flower in the sunshine. As is ful plumage, they have no song to falo, good to return within tenspeak of, Moreover, they are as quarrelseme as the saucy sparrows, fighting days from date of issue, will be They are very inquisitive, too, their cu at rate of \$14.85 from Mercers riosity often getting them into trouble and sometimes even into the collector's net. Like most wild things, they canthe pretty names of the beams and Buffalo, with which Cumberland locks of the sun.

Memento of Alfred the Grent. Wiltshire downs is a tract of fairly level land in England. As you stand on an elevation and look across the country your eye catches the form of a gigantic white horse upon the side of a bill beyond the valley. It is a figure cut in the rock in the side of the downs and is 175 feet long from the head to the tail. It is believed to have been PRESSUTERIAN-Rev. W. A. West D. made in the time of King Alfred, who died 1,000 years ago. The figure is rather crude, but when seen at a distance the outline of a horse is very distinet. Just above the figure, on top of the hill, are the remains of an old camp.

The Two Boys.

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"Two little boys," said Grandmother Dole,

"I knew many years ago;
One, I believe he was Thought Good Acts;
The other was Did Them, you know!
One never helped his neighbors at all;
He never grew brave and strong;
He was known to do nothing really good
Nor anything very wrong;
But the other was active as he could be,
A favorite, was with all!

But the other was active as he could be,
A favorite, yes, with all!
Somebow he helped, why, every one,
Grown up folks as well as amill!"
"That's easy, the reason for that," said Jack,
"As easy as it can be;
He thought good deeds and did them, too;
The other just thought them, you see!"
Adelbert F. Caldwell in Chicago Record-Herdd.

Wanted Rusty Ones. One of Mamie's little friends had a pair of russet shoes, and she thought it would be nice for her to have a pair of that kind, so when she and her mother went to the shoe store and the clerk brought out some black ones she

"That is not the kind I want, mamma. I want a pair of rusty ones."

After Sunfish, "Why will you insist on fishing out there in the sun, Danny?" "Oh, I'm all right, papa; I'm fishing

Any More For Slumberland? There's a boat that sails at half past six From the bury port of Play, And it reaches the haven of Slumberland Before the close of day.

The boatswain whistles so low and sweet, Like a mother's lullaby. That the travelers smile and close their eyes, To draam of angels nigh.

tometimes the travelers tarry too long.

In the busy port of Play,
and the anxious boatman coaxes and calls.

And grieves at their delay.

The name of the boat is the Rock-e-bys, And it's guided by mother's hand, For she is the patient boatman, dear, Who takes you to Slumberland.

Now, what is the fare a traveler pays On a Rock-a-bye boat like this? Why, the poorest child can afford the pr For it's only a good night kiss!

FOR THE CHILDREN COST OF BAD ROADS.

> Easy Transportation Would Add to the Value of the Farms.

> Experts employed by the department of agriculture to investigate the subject say that the cost of moving farm products from the farms to callreads or shipping points by feams now exceeds \$946,000,000 a year, the average haul in the United States being from about six to nearly seven miles, and the cost per wagen load being \$1.80. in northern and eastern states, says American Cultivator.

> In the prairie and southern states the average baul is nearly nine miles, and the cost per wagon load is \$2.72. A fair average for the cost of hauling the farm produces to the point of shipsome k of such a mile for each ton. The average charge by the rallroads for moving these products after they receive them is less than one-half cent a mile, or they earry them over



SOUTHERN SHELD BOAD.

50 miles at the price it costs the farmer to carry them one mile. Good roads would reduce the cost of this hauling by team nearly two-thirds, they ray, as the same power moves three tous on a good road that will move one ton over hilly and muddy roads.

Although we have not had experience with prairie roads in muddy times, we have had a little chance to know some thing about roads in the south at such times and can readily believe their statements are not exaggerated, but we think the remedy must finally be found in the use of trolley roads to carry freight from the farms to the markets. where the traffic is large enough towarrant it. They also say that if this expense of transportation to the railroads was reduced by well built permanent highways through every county and township in the United States it would increase the value of farms and farm property at least \$5,000,000,000, which we think is not an extravagant esti-

#### Pan-American Exposition Now Open.

The Cumberland Valley Railregular Summer Excursion tick ets to Buffalo on account of Pau-Of all birds the tiny humming birds American Exposition and to Ni agara Falls. The rate from Mercersburg is \$18.00. In addition so often the case with birds of beauti- special excursion tickets to Bufwith their mates as well as strangers. sold every day until October 81st. burg

For the accommodation of visnot bear captivity and usually pine iters to the Exposition the Pennaway and die when caged. Because gylvania Railroad Company has they are such exquisite creatures the put on two new trains in each di-South American Indians call them by rection, between Harrisburg and Valley trains make close connec tion at Harrisburg. Nos. 4 and 10 reaching Buffalo at 8,00 P. M. and 7.85 A. M. respectively. Re turning leave Buffalo at 8,00 P M. and 8,30 A. M. connecting with trains 1 and 9 respectively.

#### Church Directory.

D., Pastor.

Subbuth school, 9:15. Preaching service-each alternate Sunday morning counting from Aug. 12th, at 10:30, and every Sunday evening at 7:30.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:00. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening

at 7:30. METHODIST EPISCOPAL-Rev. A. D. McCloskey, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Preaching every other Sunday moraing, counting from June 16th, at 10:30 and every Sunday evening at

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN-Rev. J. L. Grove, Pastor'

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching every Sunday morning at 10:30, and every other Sunday evening counting from August 19, at 7:30. The alternate Sabbath evenings are used by the Young People's Christian Union at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN-Rev. A.G. Wolf, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting

Preaching morning and evening every other Sunday, dating from December 9, 1900. REFORMED-Rev. C. M. Smith, Pas-

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting

TERMS OF COURT. The first term of the Courts of Fulton court in the year shall commence on the The-di-diowing the second Monday of January, at the year shall commence on the Thersday what the second Monday of January, at 10 et A. M. e second term companies on the third lay of March, at 20 clock P. M. e third term on the Taraday next following second Manday of June at 10 0 clock he second Manday of June at 10 0 clock The fourth term on the first Monday of Octo

#### ROUSS RACKET STORE

We wish to call your attention this week to some special bargains in Fall and Winter Goods. We still have about 10 rolls of table oil cloth left but of 30, and we will sell it at the old price, 12]c yard. If we were to buy it now it would cost you 15c. Just received as nice a line of Boys' and Men's Leather Boots as you will see this winter, and at prices that can't be matched. Boys' Boots, I to 5, 81,25; Men's, \$1.48 to \$1.90; Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.45.

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Men's S oz. duck coats, blanket lived, 80c; 10 oz., the heaviest made,

\$1.18. Men's black waterproof duck coats, guaranteed not to crack,

\$1.20. Men's covert coats, the cases we sold so many of last year,

\$1.20. Waterproof, \$1.45. Men's cord pants, heavy, and lined all

through \$1.80; also higher priced over the coats. through, \$1.80; also, higher priced ones.

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We don't mean to say we sell these, but we do sell the gun and ammunition to kill them. We can sell you a good single barrel gun, 12 gauge, 30 or 32 inch barrel, at \$5.25; and with the patent shell ejecter, \$5,75. Double-barrel guns, back action locks, \$9.75; doublebarrel with bar locks, 811.90. The best Laffin and Ran Black Powder made, 20c lb.; shot, all sizes, 8c lb.; waterproof gan caps, 5c box; gun wads, 5 to 18c a box. No. 2 primers, 15c box; 22 cal. cartridges, 14c box: 32 rim fire, 28c; 32 center fire, 45c box; 38 cal. center fire, 50c box. Reloading tools, a complete set, 75c; also, a full line of hunting coats and canvas and leather leggins. Ask us for prices on tar rope. Whatever you do, don't full to see our shoes and clothing;

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