

A BABY KANGAROO.

There is a baby kangaroo, just born, at the zoological park upon which are fastened the hopes and ambitions of every one connected with the big animal place.

The day he was born his mother immediately placed him in the pouch made for that purpose by nature.

His Calculation Was Correct.

Professor Truman Henry Safford is one of the most remarkable lightning calculators now living.

One day a gentleman who had heard of his powers and wished to make a test said to him:

"I have a little problem for you, Professor Safford. I was born Aug. 15, 1870, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. This is June 20, 1901, and it is just 3 o'clock. Now, can you tell me my age in seconds?"

The great man frowned, bent his head and began to walk rapidly up and down, twisting his mustache and clasping and unclasping his hands in his nervous way.

The gentleman produced a paper containing the problem worked out and said, with a superior smile:

"Well, professor, I'll give you credit for great genius, but you're several thousands out."

The professor stretched out his hands for the paper and, running over the calculation, said contemptuously:

"No; you are. You've left out the leap year!"

Von Moltke Snubbed Bismarck.

Field Marshal Blumenthal's "Diary," as now published by his son, throws light on several incidents of the wars of 1866 and 1870-71, and, among other things, it disposes of the calumny which Bismarck himself never sought to destroy—that the crown prince, worked upon by his wife, was opposed to the bombardment of Paris.

The "Diary" also shows—what Dr. Busch only hints at in his pages—that the relations between Bismarck and Moltke in France were very strained, the chancellor having complained that he was always treated by his great military colleague with "distinct incivility and rudeness." This coolness characterized their relations to the end, so that one who knew them well once compared them to "a pair of Alpine peaks illumined by the rays of the sun (of glory), but separated by a deep and sunless valley of snow."

Corbin and the Chinese Tailor.

They tell an amusing story of Adjutant General Corbin at Cavite. There is a Chinese tailor there of some note for the making of white uniforms, to whom the officers often come from Manila. The general visited Cavite and went to the Chinaman to be measured for some clothes. "You will come over to the Orient tomorrow and bring them to be tried on," he said.

This was not at all the Chinaman's idea of doing business. "No can do," he said. "Admiral, he come off ship to try on clothes; you come too."

It was that or no clothes, and the general had to go back to the Chinaman's shop to have his clothes fitted.

Long Life of an Ad.

A contract for an advertisement in a Chicago newspaper, which has run continuously for ten years, two months and twenty days, was terminated recently only because the advertiser wished to make a new contract for both daily and Sunday.

He Likes Seventeen.

Sir L. Alma-Tadema, it is said, regards seventeen as a lucky number. Miss Epps, who is now Lady Tadema, was seventeen when he met her, the house in which they first lived was 17, he now lives at 17 Grove End road, where he removed one Nov. 17, and the elaborately beautiful house as it now is was begun one Aug. 17.

Hon. William J. Bryan in a speech at Birmingham, Ala., declared that he was willing for some one else to act the part of the Democratic Moses.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

CONDENSED STORIES.

General Shafter's Criticism of Wagner's Music.

General Shafter took a box for the opera, says a San Francisco paper, and the McKittricks came up from Bakersfield to pass the month with him and enjoy the season.

The Conductor.

An English paper says that John Philip Sousa, the American bandmaster, was standing in his uniform



"WHY DON'T YOU KNOW?"

on a railway platform when a traveler rushed up and asked, "Has the 9:30 gone yet?" "I really don't know," replied the man in blue.

Gave Them to the Chambermaid.

James J. Hill of railroad fame was standing in front of the cigar stand in the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, the other evening and asked the man behind the cigars:

"Does any one ever smoke those big thick cigars that come in the round glass bottles?"

"Oh, yes, sir," said the cigar man.

"They are very popular around Christmas time. But we don't keep them."

"I am very glad to hear it," said Mr. Hill. "Neither do I keep them. Some one who I thought had some regard for me sent me some the other day, and I didn't know whether any one ever smoked them or not. So I gave them to the chambermaid to decorate her room with."

Bagged at the Knee.

When Ed Gilmore of the Academy of Music and Colonel Jones of the aquarium meet at the Fifth Avenue hotel, there is always something doing.

"I see that Senator Stadler was out gunning the other day," said the colonel to Ed Gilmore the other evening.

"Yes?" said Gilmore. "Did he bag anything?"

"Bagged a pair of duck."

"You don't say! Where'd he bag 'em?"

"At the knee," said Colonel Jones. "They were duck pants."—New York Times.

Like Cures Like.

As a preface to his attack upon the recent army appointments in England Rudyard Kipling tells a story of a man who was carrying a bag and of whom a fellow traveler asked what it was that the bag contained.

Best Chicken Feed.

On the country place of Russell Sage a great many chickens are raised. "What do you consider the best chicken feed?" asked a brother financier.

"Oh, pennies, nickels and dimes," replied Mr. Sage, with humorous gravity.—New York Times.

J. M. Newcomer, of Waynesboro, lost a valuable horse. One of his workmen was hauling earth from the stone quarry in South Waynesboro and the loaded cart passed over a rock and upset over the bank, dragging the horse along. The front leg of the horse was broken in the fall, and later had to be shot to put it out of misery.

MERCANTILE APPRAISER'S TAX LIST.

- McConnellsborg, April 30, 1901. The following is a list of retail and wholesale vendors or carriers in goods, wares, merchandise, commodities or effects of whatsoever kind or nature, subject to a mercantile license tax in Fulton County, Pennsylvania, returned to the proper authorities therein by the undersigned appraiser, and in accordance with the direction of the commissioners of said county.

- AYR TOWNSHIP. J. C. Sellers, merchandise. J. L. & H. S. Patterson, merchandise. Mrs. Jefferson Rice, merchandise. Peter Kira, merchandise. BELFAST TOWNSHIP. Joseph W. Lake, merchandise. W. H. K. Miller, merchandise. J. J. Mott, merchandise. J. J. Mott, merchandise. Mrs. M. Adams, merchandise. W. F. Hart, merchandise. A. Runyan, merchandise. HETTING TOWNSHIP. Carnell & Son, merchandise. George F. H. Hill, merchandise. W. F. Golden, merchandise. William Palmer, merchandise. Wm. P. Gordon, merchandise. Mrs. M. E. Mann, merchandise. BRITAIN TOWNSHIP. Charles Lynch, merchandise. Charles W. Trux, merchandise. S. W. Hart, jeweler. James S. Agers, merchandise. J. E. Jackson, merchandise. George Schreiner, groceries. DUBLIN TOWNSHIP. L. C. Kelly, merchandise. Charles McEneaney, merchandise. John E. Speer, merchandise. S. L. Buckley, merchandise. Frank C. Hare, merchandise. Rush M. Kilbr, merchandise. H. H. Henty, merchandise. A. C. McIsaac, merchandise. LICKING CREEK TOWNSHIP. S. K. Dixon, merchandise. W. H. Speer, merchandise. Scott Harst, merchandise. Charles B. Davis, merchandise. McCONNELLSBURG BOROUGH. John Patterson, merchandise. C. K. Stevens, merchandise. Geo. W. Keiser, & Co., merchandise. Hill & Bender, merchandise. Sontague Brothers, groceries. W. L. Seibert, hardware. Thomas A. Hamill, groceries. A. T. Nance, merchandise. H. C. Smith & Co., merchandise. John W. Funk, cigars. John A. Irwin, groceries. John W. Greathead, merchandise. George Rexroth, cigars. C. C. Boyler, groceries. J. K. Johnson, merchandise. W. S. Dickson, drugs. Mrs. M. B. Jones, drugs. Albert Stoner, stoves and tinware. David Mulloy, groceries. S. A. Redd, hardware. Mrs. A. F. Little, milliner. Mrs. A. J. Irwin & Co., milliners. S. M. Robinson, groceries. T. J. Conner, farming implements. W. S. Cleveland & Co., furniture. Geo. W. Smith, groceries. Wm. Stoner, furniture. W. A. Kennedy, hardware. Mrs. E. M. Gress, millinery. Daniel Grissinger, millinery. Geo. W. Cooper, pool table. Geo. W. Cooper, merchandise. Mrs. Mary Daniels, millinery.

- TOD TOWNSHIP. John A. Hamill, merchandise. D. Edward Fore, merchandise. J. C. Ford, merchandise. Mrs. H. Frank Win, & merchandise. TAYLOR TOWNSHIP. A. J. Lamberson, merchandise. W. E. Evans, groceries. H. R. Kirk, merchandise. Jacob Miller, merchandise. H. Gregory, merchandise. Mrs. Chas. Hart, groceries. Michael Laidig, merchandise. S. C. Gregory, merchandise. Locke & Wright, merchandise. W. J. Herricks, merchandise. H. E. Hinton, merchandise. Samuel Bedford, merchandise. A. N. White, merchandise. THOMPSON TOWNSHIP. Amos Sharp, merchandise. Dennis Myers, merchandise. J. H. Capell, merchandise. J. C. Douglas, merchandise. UNION TOWNSHIP. S. Edward McKee, merchandise. Scriber Brothers, merchandise. S. G. Lashley, merchandise. W. E. Lashley, merchandise. WELLS TOWNSHIP. Baumgardner & Co., merchandise. Harry Spanzier, merchandise. H. M. Kitzinger, merchandise. M. W. Houck, merchandise. N. G. Cunningham, merchandise. H. B. Brinley, merchandise. Frank Spow, merchandise. R. McClain, millinery. E. W. McClain, merchandise.

And notice is hereby given to all taxable herein that an appeal in accordance with the Mercantile Appraiser's Act, Assembly will be held by the Treasurer of Fulton County, acting in conjunction with said Appraiser, at the office of the County Treasurer in the Court House McConnellsborg, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, May the 1st, 1902, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., when and where all parties interested are required to appear and all grievances will be heard.

W. N. DANIELS, Mercantile Appraiser.

The wrecks of Cervera's war ships are to be sent to Philadelphia for scrap iron. They mark the end of one of the greatest scraps of recent years.

William Amsley made things lively at his home in Charlestown on Saturday evening. It seems that he had been to McConnellsborg and came home under the influence of liquor. He succeeded in almost tearing the dress off his wife and expressed himself as being willing and physically able to kill the entire family.

John L. Brindley, Peters township's fearless and efficient constable was sent for. When he arrived at the scene of action the smoke of the battle had sufficiently cleared for him to see Amsley securely tied and several men holding him down. The constable brought him to Mercersburg, where Mrs. Amsley made information before Justice of the Peace Slick. The Squire committed the prisoner to the lockup. But on Sunday morning Mrs. Amsley relented and withdrew the charge and the prisoner was permitted to go home—Mercersburg Journal.

DR. KING'S TRY NEW DISCOVERY FOR THAT COLD. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE. Cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Pneumonia, Hay Fever, Pleurisy, La Grippe, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup and Whooping Cough. NO CURE, NO PAY. Price 50c. and \$1. TRIAL BOTTLES FREE. ADVERTISE IN The Fulton County News

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- Ladies' Rib Vest (taped neck), 4 to 5c. Ladies' Lace Trimmed Bleached Vests, 9 to 13c. Men's Gauze Shirts and Drawers, 28 to 45c. Lace Hosiery, plain and open Rib, 6 to 28c. Lace Curtains, per pair, 37 to 85c. Curtain Poles, 25 to 80c. Window Shades, 7 to 25c. Men's Sox, 5 to 13c. Table Oil Cloth, per yd., 12c. Ladies Corsets, 25 to 80c. Men's Dress Shirts, 24 to 65c. Men's Work Shirts, 23 to 44c. Scrims for Curtains, per yd., 4c. Jute Rugs, 45 to 85c. Dress Patterns, 10 yds., 60c. Table Damask, 20 to 25c. Unbleached Muslins, 44 to 6c. SHOES. The greatest line we have ever had.

HULL & BENDER, Managers.

PHILIP F. BLACK, Manufacturer of Sash, Doors, Newel Posts, Hand Rails, Stairs, Banisters, Turned Porch Columns, Posts, &c. McConnellsborg, Pa. Doors 2 : 8 x 6 : 8 : 2 : 6 x 6 : 6 : 1 and three-eighth inches in thickness. Sash 11 x 20; 12 x 24; 12 x 28; 12 x 30; 12 x 32; 12 x 34; 12 x 36—inch and a quarter thick—always on hand. Sash—four lights to window—from 45 cents to 70. These sash are all primed and ready for the glass. Both the doors and the sash are made from best white and yellow pines.

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The only perfect washer. Unlike all others. Guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or Money Refunded.

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The proprietor has had over 50 years experience, and is confident that he can please all who may entrust him with their work.

Manufacture of Carpet and Wool Carding a speciality. Wool Batting for Haps—none better. Carpet Chain always in stock. I will take in wool and work at the following places: Booth Brothers, Dublin Mills; A. N. Witter's, Waterfall; W. L. Berkstresser, Orchard Grove; W. R. Speer, Salsvia; Lynch's store at Crystal Springs; Jackson's store at Albersville, P. J. Barton's, Hustontown, and Huston's store at Clear Ridge. I will make monthly visits to these places during the season, and will receive work and return it. Thankful for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am, respectfully, H. H. HERTZLER, Burnt Cabins, Pa.

G. W. Reisner & Co. BACK FROM New York and Philadelphia

With a splendid assortment of summer Dress Goods in silks, woollens and all the nice things in cotton and linen summer stuffs with trimming to suit all. It will pay you richly to see our stock this spring, as we have nothing but nice new stock to show you, especially in summer stuffs. Prices from 4c up.

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As we have some very special values to offer. Shoes

For ladies, misses, gentlemen and boys, at any price from the best down.

Respectfully, G. W. REISNER & CO.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY TIME TABLE—Nov. 25, 1901. Covers the Field.

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Then there is the State and National, News, War News, a Department for the Farmer and Mechanic, Latest Fashions for the Ladies. The latest New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia Markets. The Sunday School Lesson, Helps for Christian Endeavorers, and a Good Sermon for everybody.

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