acts gently yet promptly on the bowels; cleanses the system effectually; assists one in overcoming habitual constipation permanently.

To get it's beneficial effects.always buy the genuine.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.



Recognized. pert anecdote, not included in late Mrs. Blaine's reminisences. relates that she was met at a public

reception by a former acquaintance who asked if she had forgotten her. "I do not recall your face, but I remember your dress very well," said Mrs. Blaine,—Boston Herald,

Deafness Cannot Be Cured Dearness Cannot Re Cured
Sylocal applications as they cannot reach the
tiseased portion of the ear. There is only one
way to cure dearness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Dearness is caused by an
mdamed condition of the mucous lining of
the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is indamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed
Dearness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will mation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ton are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the nucons surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deatness, caused by catarrh; that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for troulars free. F.J. Chenkey & Co., Toledo, O Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Can You Beat It.

She (complainingly)-Before our marriage you said my pathway through life should be strewn with

He-Yes, darling, but you know roses have thorns and I didn't realize what thin shoes you women wear .- Boston Transcript.

Only One "Brome Quinine" That is Laxative Bromo Quinne. Look for the signature of E. W. Grove. Used the World over to Sure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Guessing At Population.

Congressional preparation for taking the 1910 census has started statisticians to making estimates of the population of the country and pidiction of what it will be in 1950. James J. Hill recently offered the prediction that the United States would have a population of 250,000-000 by 1950, although other experts

vital statistics place the number low as 175,000,000. One of the census experts, W. S. Rossiter, has just published an article in which he estimates the population in 1910 at about 114,000,000 and ventures the assertion that after that date the rate of increase will be very small, with the prospect that the entire population in 1950 will not exceed 130,000,000.

The record shows that the rate of our population increase is diminishing with each decennial census. The increase from 1870 to 1880 was 31 per cent. From 1880 to 1890 it was 24 per cent. From 1890 to 1900 it was but 21 per cent. Mr. Rossiter argues that if this declining ratio continues the population in 1950 will not exceed 130,000,000. and will thereafter remain about stationary. He shows by the records that all estimates of population at former census periods have been greatly exaggerated.

A Potential Celebrity.

There is a story of Carlyle in his old age having taken the following farewell, in his breadest Scotch, of a young friend who had had him in charge for walks, and who, while al-most always adapting himself to Car-lyle's mood, had on a single occasion entured to disagree with him: 'I would have you to know, young

man, that you have the capacity of being the greatest bore in Christendom."-Argonaut.

The Great Barrier reef, off the north coast of Australia is the largest coral reef in the world. It is a thous-

and miles long and 30 wide. Cracks in floors may be neatly and permanently filled with a paste made from old newspapers, flour, alum and water, throughly boiled together.

> JOY WORK And the Other Kind.

Did you ever stand on a prominent corner at an early morning hour and watch the throngs of people on their way to work? Noting the number who were forcing themselves along because it meant their daily bread, and the others cheerfully and eagerly pursuing their way because of love of their work.

It is a fact that one's food has much to do with it. As an example: If an engine has poor oil, or a boiler is fired with poor coal, a bad result is certain, isn't it?

Treating your stomach right is the keystone that sustains the arch of health's temple, and you will find "Grape-Nuts" as a daily food is the most nourishing and beneficial you

We have thousands of testimonials. real genuine little heart throbs, from people who simply tried Grape-Nuts out of curiosity—as a last resort—with the result that prompted the tes-

If you have never tried Grape-Nuts it's worth while to give it a fair, impartial trial. Remember there are atillions cating Grape-Nuts every day they know, and we know, if you will use Grape-Nuts every morning your work is more likely to be joywork, because you can keep well, and with the brain well nourished work is a joy. Read the "Road to Well-ville" in every package—"There's a

State Pennsylvania

BOY SHOOTS PEDDLER.

Foreigner Totally Blinded By Shot Fired From Ambush.

Clarion (Special) .- Frank Mealey. 17 years old, son of David Mealey, of Washington Township, this county, was arrested and placed in the county jail, charged with having deliberately shot, with intent to kill, a Syrian peddler, selling Oriental laces. The peddler is still living, but remains conconscious.

He had stayed over Sunday at Mealey's home, and when passing through a wooded section of the road in leaving on Monday morning was shot by young Mealey, who, it is alleged, was lying in walt in ambush for him. The shot was fired from a shotgun and struck the foreigner the head and face, totally blinding his sight and mortally wounding

Mealey refuses to talk to the authorities of the affair, and deports himself in an unconcerned manner. The boy's parents say the son was hunting, and that the shooting was accidental, but the story is given little credence owing to the circumstances surrounding the shooting, chief among which is the fact that Mealey concealed himself in the by lying behind a fallen tree, from which position he could obtain

Mealey's position there is readily determined, the police say, by following his tracks through the recently and slipped away. fallen snow of the night previous, which show him to have lain down

to conceal himself. The peddler is said to have had considerable money on his person, which he showed during his stay at the Mealey home.

FOUR CHILDREN HURT.

One Of Them Wanted To See Keg Of Powder "Puff."

Johnstown (Special) .- Four children were burned, three of them fatally, when one of them ignited three Stoughton, near here. The explosion also wrecked a large double frame house, which took fire and threatencremate the children.

of them having their eyes burned out.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

Miner's Body Found On Lonely Mountain Path.

Mahanoy City (Special) .- Missing Clasped tightly in his hand was a bottle of whisky, while in his pocket was his two weeks' pay, amounting to \$25. It is believed that, fatigued and overcome with the cold, he sat lamps. down to rest and perished in the storm which raged.

Prison For Bank Cashier.

Lock Haven (Special) .- Cashier John T. Kane, of the defunct Renovo Bank, was found guilty of embezzlement of depositors' funds in court here. Judge Harry Hall, sentenced him to pay \$500 fine and eighteen months' imprisonment in the county jail. Kane was accused of retaining money intrusted to him by Italians to be sent abroad.

One man was killed and three hurt by the explosion of a traction engine on the farm of Aaron Crossman, Lower Paxton Township. The engine was being run by William Minnich and his two sons and without warning blew up, killing John Minnich, one of the boys and injuring his father and brother and Mr.

Saves Whole Family From Death. the home of Charles Salonicus, his on the Philadelphia & Reading Railuncle, Thomas Marcus found him. along with his wife and three children and two servants, unconscious and almost dead from coal gas, which and almost dead from coal gas, which had penetrated the sleeping quarters from a gtove pipe on the first floor. Marcus opened all the windows and summoned physicians, who by hard

Gets \$2000 For Stallion's Death. Easton (Special -Settlement in the suit of J. Walter Lorvatt against

Drops Dead In Restaurant.

Lancaster (Special), - An unknown man, believed to be George W. Slemmer, of Philadelpia, dropped dead in a restaurant here. It is thought he had just alighted from a Pennsylvania Railroad train and went to a nearby lunch house. As he was eating he was stricken with cerebral hemorrhage. Letters indicated that his name was Slemmer, and that he had correspondence with and that he had correspondence with the Patapaco Shoe Company, of Bal-

Father Goes To Poorhouse.

Chester (Special).—After giving away a fortune, Luke Burns, aged away a fortune, Luke Burns, aged 79 years, was admitted to Delaware County's almshouse. Burns, who came to Chester eight years ago, says he sold his farm and other property in Maryland, clearing about \$5,000, and that he bought a house for each of his two daughters and son. Burns claims that now, he being penniless, neither of his children will have anything to do with him Recently he brought suit to compel his son to support him and the case is atill pending in the courts. atill pending to the courts.

BRIDE LOSES SIGHT. Young Scranton Woman Assaulted

By Burglar. Scranton (Special) .- Heroic reme

dles are being used to restore the eyesight and speech of Mrs. Danie Mahoney, of North Rebecca Avenue who was brutally assaulted in her home by a bold daylight robber The victim, who is a bride of three months, is a mere girl and she is now a complete nervous wreck. shocking was her experience

that she entirely lost her sight and speech. From daylight up to about 10 o'clock, at which time she lost the power to talk, she begged pite-ously of her attendant to open the blinds of the windows, and cried out hysterically that the man who had assaulted her was in the room and about to choke her. This led to the disclosure that she had gone blind. Then she became totally dumb and it was not until morning that she showed signs of improvement.

The woman's assailant gained en trance through a rear door while she was in the front of the house, and when she faced him he covered her with two revolvers and compelled her to draw all the window shades and secure a clothesline with which he bound her hand and foot.

He thrust a corset into her mouth for a gag and when she made an outa clear view of the road along which cry he struck her several times in the peddler passed.

It was not until three hours later that she was discovered by neighbors, unconscious and half dead from loss of blood. Friends of the family are subscribing a thousand dollars to be offered as a reward for the capture of the fellow.

Fire Chief Hurt.

Scranton (Special) .- Fire gutted the Squires Building adjoining the Trades' National Bank, on Wyoming Avenue, entailing a loss of nearly

Assistant Fire Chief Storm fell tally, when one of them ignited three five floors down an areaway, sustain-kegs of powder to see the "puff" at ing a fractured skull. His condition is critical. Drinks From Wrong Bottle.

Easton (Special) .-- Albert J. Rob-All of the children, who were for-eigners, were terribly mutilated, two with paralysis some time ago, went erts, aged 78 years, who was stricken to a closet to get his medicine and picked up a bottle of carbolic acid. Before he discovered the mistake he had taken so much that death followed in a few minutes.

STATE ITEMS.

The report of Attorney General from his home in New Boston, a Todd to the Legislature shows that small mining village near here, Andrew Kauras, a miner, was found lying on a lonely mountain path not far from his home frozen to death.

Clasped tightly in his hand was a

stan, miners employed in the colat New Minersville, in the Schuylkill Valley, were frightfully burned while at work using naked lamps. A seam opened, liberating a quantity of gas, which at once ignited and an awful explosion resulted.

Caught in a heading by a rush of coal at New Boston Colliery, Frank Nemrt was buried and smothered to death. The body was not recovered for several hours.

The epidemic of chicken pox con-tinues at Lime Ridge with apparent-ly no abatement. There are now thirty-five cases in the village, and a number of them are quite serious. Nearly every house is placarded Commissioners of Upper Darby

Township have given the Terminal Railway Company the right of way for a trolley line from Sixty-ninth Street to Fernwood.

Northampton Heights Borough nominated this ticket: Burgess, C. H. Lynn: Council (three years), Stover Nicholas, Edward Neumeyer, Alvin Frantz: Council (two years), Benjamin Fluck, W. M. Strohl; school board, Jacob Arnold Dr. W. J. Blober, James Ruth; collector of taxes, Edward Weaver, Jonas Brobst, Hiram Nuss.

Lawrence Ward, a 11-year-old hov Shamokin (Special). - Entering of Chester, was riding on a box car way at Front and Harwick Streets, when the engine of a rear train struck him. He was hurled beneath the box car, which passed over his arm.

from a grove pipe on the first floor. Marcus opened all the windows and summoned physicians, who by hard work resuscitated the sufferers.

Cattle Disease Touches Lancaster.

Washington, D. C. (Special).—
A fresh outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in cattle in East Lampeder Township, which adjoins Lancaster, has just been resported to the Department of Agriculture. The infection is confined to one herd of four cattle.

The Shenandoah Branch of the Lithuanian Alliance of America has adopted and sent to President Roosevell a resolution requesting him to liberate Christian Rudowitz and Jan Pauren, Russian patriotic refugees whose case is now before United States Commissioner Foote, and also to set free the four Mexican refugees Magon, Villareal, Rivera and Sarabia.

The Independent party of Medis have begun a movement denying that Major Frank G. Jerrin by reason of his rank, is entitled to serve as judge of election for the new eastern precinct of the north ward of Media, where alcorion, \$13.50@14; No. 3 timothy Straw — We quote: Straight rye straw, fair to choice, \$18; straight rye. No. 2, \$16.50@17

Butter — Creamery good, 23@28.

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ern precinct of the north ward of Media, where election will be held for the first time on Saturday.

Sinking Valley farmers are alarmthe suit of J. Walter Lorvatt against the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for damages for the loss of the racing stallion Cuyler Coast, Jr., has been effected, the company paying \$2,000.

John Kipp, of Rittersville was kicked in the mouth by a victous horse, his jaw being broken and near-ly all his teeth knocked out.

William Thomas Transue, of Shawnee, and Miss Helen Keller, of Delaware Water Gap, were married at Stroudsburg by Rev. Dr. Oakley E Vanslyke. The groom is a son of E R. Transue, owner of the Shawnee

A family of five children and two parents was found starving by City Missionary T. P. Wilson, of Williams-port. They had been without food since Sunday.

Three hundred inmates of the Lebanon County Almshouse, at Lebanon, were menaced by a fire which destroyed an ice house on the premises. The loss was \$500.

The Todd Hospital, Carlisle, has elected as officers for the coming year: President, Dr. Reed, of Dick.

appropriation.

COMMERCIAL COLUMN

Weekly Review of Trade and Lates! Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says: "Changes in the general business "marine are larkely favorable Spring orders are being placed in Eastern centers, and traveling salesmen are sending in comparative optimistic reports. In various lines the prospect of tariff revision tends to develop a certain degree of hesitancy in making large future commitments, and as a matter of fact some contracts now being enter.

ed into contain clauses which provide for new prices in the event of exist ing tariff schedules being rearranged "Business failures in the United States for the week ended January 14, were 316, against 329 last week 431 in the like week of 1908, 234 1907, 279 in 1906 and 304

"Wheat, including flour exports from the United States and Canada from the United States and Canada for the week ended January 14, aggregate 3,210,822 bushels, against 3,765,056 last week and 5,412,867 this week last year. For the 29 weeks ended January 14, this year, the exports are 122,947,882 bushels, against 131,312,807 in the corresponding period last year. Corn exports for the week are 1,590,293 bushels, against 1,846,038 last week and 900,280 in 1908. For the 29 weeks ended January 14, corn exports are 13,521,058 bushels, against 26,959,521 last year."

Wholesain Martata

New York.—Wheat—Receipts, 13,-200 bush.; exports, 64,515. Spot. firm; No. 2 red, 1.07 @ 1.08; elevator, No. 2 red, 1.09, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 1.19 4, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 1.16 4, f. o. b. afloat;

f. o. b. affoat. Corn—Receipts, 7,875 bush.; excorn—Receipts, 7,875 bush.; exports, 3,144. Spot, easy; No. 2, 68c elevator, and 66½, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white nominal and No. 2 yellow, 67, f. o. b. afloat.

Oats — Receipts, 45,750 bush.

Spot steady; mixed, 26@32 bs. 54

@ 54 1/2; natural white, 26 @ 32 lbs. 54 @ 57; clipped white, 34 @ 42 lbs. 56 14 @ 62. Eggs-Firm: receipts, 6,197 cases

State. Pennsylvania and nearby brown and mixed fancy, 35@37c.; do., fair to choice, 32@34; Western Foultry—Alive firm; chickens, 15 (60ks, 14@15½; turkeys, 12@18. Dressed, firm; Western chickens, 15 (22; fowls, 14@15½; turkeys, 16

Philadelphia. - Wheat - Steady fair demand; contract grade January 1.06@ 1.06% Corn-Dull and 1/2 lower; Janu

ary, 64 % 65.
Oats—Firm; fair demand; No. 2
white natural, 56 @ 56 ½.
Butter—Steady, fair demand; ex-

Butter—Steady, fair demand; ex-tra Western creamery, 34c.; do. nearby prints, 36.

Eggs—Firm, good demand; Penn-sylvania and other nearby firsts, f. c., 34 at mark; do., current receipts in returnable cases, 23 at mark; Western firsts, f. c., 34 at mark; do. current receipts, f. c., 32 @ 33c. Cheese—Firm, fair demand; New

York full creams, 141/2; do., fair to good, 13 1/4 @ 14. good, 13 ½ @ 14.

Poultry—Alive, dull; fowls, 13 @ 14c.; old roosters, 10; spring chickens, 13 @ 14; ducks, 12 @ 13; geese 11 @ 12 ½; turkeys, 16 @ 17.

Baltimore.—Wheat—Receipts, 2, 277 bush., including 100 Southern shipments from elevators, 21,007 stock in elevators, 470,028. W quote graded lots of No. 2 red afloat nominally at 1.05 1/2 per bush, at the The market for Western opened

steady: spot 1.06c; February 1.06 1/2; May, 1.07 1/4. There was no much life in the market, but prices were firm and at the end of the day were higher.

Corn — The market for Southers was steady on graded lots. Sales of white at 67c, by sample, and of a cargo of yellow at 65½. One small of white corn sold at 66c. by sample.

Cob corn firm and fairly good de We quote carloads prime yel mand. low on spot at \$3.60 per barrel.

Western opened steady; spot 65 ½ c.; February, 65 ½; March, 66 May, 67. Spot was in some demand but offerings were light and trading was narrow. Oats-Market quiet, with demand

moderate and confined to the better grades. We quote: White—No. 2 55 ½ @ 56c.; No. 3, 54 @ 55; No. 4 53 @ 53 ½. Mixed—No. 2, 54 @

53 @ 53 ½. Mixed—No. 2, 54 @ 54 ½c.; No. 3, 53 @ 53 ½.

Hay—We quote, per ton: No. 1 timothy, large bales, \$15; do., smai blocks, \$15; No. 2 timothy, as to location, \$13.50 @ 14; No. 3 timothy

Ey. 13. Ducks, 12. Live Stock

Chicago,-Cattle - Receipts, esti mated, 10,000 head; market 10@ 15c, lower. Steers, \$4.60@ 7.25; cows, \$3@5.56; heifers, \$3@5.75; bulls, \$3.40@3.80; calves, \$3.50@ 10; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@

Hogs - Receipts, 30,000 head market weak to 10c. lower. Choice, heavy shipping. \$6.25 @ 6.37 16 butchers, \$6.20 @ 6.35; light mixed, \$5.75 @ 5.95; choice light, \$5.95 @ 6.15; packing, \$5.90 @ 6.20; pigs, \$4.50 @ 5.50; bulk of sales, \$5.85 @

Sheep—Receipts, about 15,000 head; market easy. Sheep, \$4@6; lambs. \$5.25@8.10; yearlings, \$4.25

Pittsburg, Pa. — Supply light; eady. Choice, \$6.30@6.70; prime, \$6.10@6.25.

Sheep — Supply light; steady. Prime, wethers, \$5.50@5.75; culls and common, \$2@3; lambs, \$5@8; veal calves, \$2.50@10.

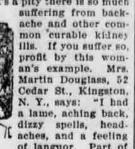
Hogs—Receipts, fair; active; higher. Prime heavies, \$6.50; mediums, \$6.25@6.30; heavy Yorkers, \$6.20@6.25; light Yorkers, \$5.90@6; pigs, \$5.70@5.75; roughs, \$5.00@6; pigs, \$5.70@5.75; roughs, \$5.05.75.

New York.—Dressed beef in moderate demand, at 8 to 10 16 c.
Sheep and Lambs.—Feeling steady.
Common sheep, at \$3.50; prime yearlings. \$6.75; lambs. \$7.50 @
7.75; no choice lambs offered; culls, \$5.00.

OFTEN THE CASE.

Women Struggle Hopelessly Along, Suffering Backache, Dizzy Spells,

Languor, Etc. Women have so much to go through in life that it's a pity there is so much suffering from backache and other common curable kilnes



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the time I could not attend to my work and irregularity of the kidney secretions was annoying. Donn's Kidney Pills brought me prompt relief." Sold by all dealers, 50c. a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Motor Superstitions.

The men who take part in big motor races are a hard headed lot, but they have a few pet superstitions just the same. It is almost impossible to get any of them to accept the No. 13, for instance, and is another number considered by them to be unlucky, as well as 23.

An entrant in the 1906 Vanderbilt cup race who wrecked his car against cup race who wrecked his car against a telegraph pole and had his ribs broken attributed his misfortunes to

the facts that his car was No. 7 and that he was 23 years old. A large number of drivers feel that to discard a hat or cap that has been in any successful event would be to invite disaster in the next. A cer-tain chauffeur has worn an old soft hat in all his races for the last few years, and would refuse to take the wheel if it were lost or stolen, it is a battered gray felt that has been washed so many times in the gasoline tank that its original shape can only be guessed at, the crown lining is missing, and the leather band inside has been clumsily mended in several places with coarse, white thread by the motorist's own hand. but he clings to it with an affection born of long association and a firm belief in its power as a mascot. Another driver pinned his faith t

a little pearl pig hung on his watch strange to say, in spite of his pre-vious record, he has never won a rac-

Speedy Barber.

"It was one of those sleepy, onehorse, back-water towns, Squash," said Representative F Ilke said Representative Burton describing at a Hot Springs dinner

a town that he disliked.

"Squash is the limit. A gentleman arrived there the other day and wanted a halrcut. He found the barber shop, and, after shaking the barber vigorously, managed to awaken

How long will it take you to cut my hair, barber?' he asked.
"'Not long, boss,' said the barber

"And he arose, yawned and stretched himself. Then he called upstairs to his wife:
"'Hey, send the kid down to the newspaper office to tell the editor I want my scissors just as soon as he's done editin' the paper. There's a gent here waitin' for a haircut.' "—Washington Star.

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every four hours. This will frequently cure an acute cold in twenty-four hours. The ingredients can be gotten at any drug store.

John Suttenberger chewed up two whisky glasses at Youngstown, O., and suffered no ill effects. He says he has been eat he ass 15 years and his digestion is

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The Italian government has established a bureau to deal exclusively with the electrification of the state railways which is making rapid

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"When about two and a haif years nice my daughter broke out on her hips and the upper parts of her legs with a very irritating and painful eruption. It began in Octo-ber; the first I notice! was a little red auface and a constant desire on her part to scratch her limbs. She could not sleep and the eroptions got sore, and yellow water came out of them. I had two doctors treat her, but she grew worse under their treat-ment. Then I bought the Cuticara Rem-edies and only used them two weeks when she was entirely well. This was in Febru She has never had another rough place on her skin, and she is now fourteen years old. Mrs. R. R. Whitaker, Winches-Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston. Mass.

The public lands vacant and subject to settlement in the United States on the 1st of last July amounted to 774,385,069 acres.

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One of the strangest farms in the world is situated in Southern California, 265 feet below the level of the sea. The place is known as It is a salt farm of about

1,000 acres. Here the sait lies, as deposited Here the sait lies, as deposited by nature, from 6 inches to 16 inches in depth. The sait farmers are busy harvesting this crop the year round; and, though the harvest has continu-ed for over 20 years, during which time more than 40,000 tons of sait have been harvested, only 10 of the 1,000 acres of the farm have been worked. The salt is first plowed up into furrows; it is then thrown into conical piles by men with barrows, after which it is taken to the reduction works near by and put

Salt Farming.

The work is done by Mexicans and Chinese, the intense heat being more than Americans can endure.

Women as stenographers have been greatly increased in number in New York City during the last year and there are now about 11,200 of them.

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The annual fire loss of New York I

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