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COMMUNICATIONS

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A STRANGE LAKE.

Peculiarities of a Body of Water

Lake George is situated about four miles from the railway station at Bungendore, Australia, and has for many years engaged the attention of scientinc men by reason of the singular and inexplicable phenomena connected with

In Australia.

it. The estimates of its size vary considerably according to circumstances, but when moderately full about 20 by 7 miles will be found tolerably correct. At either end the land is fully 100 feet above the highest recorded surface of the lake, which possesses no known ortlet afthough it is fed by numerous mountain creeks. The lake was discovered by a bush-

man in 1820 and was known to the blacks as the "big water." It was then supposed to form the source of a river having its mouth on the south coast, but subsequent visitors were much perplexed at the manner in which the blacks avoided the lake, of which they appeared to entertain a superstitious dread, one aged aboriginal stating she had seen it all covered with trees, another explaining that the whole of the water sunk through the bottom and disappeared, while others remembered the lake only as a series of small

During the following 20 years considerable variations were noted in the depth and extent of the lake. In 1841 the lake became partially dried up, the moist portions being simply grassy swamps. A few months later large numbers of sheep were pastured in the bed of the lake, but fresh water had to be carted for the use of the shepherds, that of the lake being too salt for human consumption. The place remained more or less dry until 1852, the year of the great floods in that part of the colony, when it again became filled, with an average depth of nine feet. Since then the surface level of the lake has varied considerably, but the bed has never been so dry as in former years. There are indications that many hundreds of years ago the lake covered a far larger area than any vet recorded. remains of trees over 100 years old being found in spots formerly under water. The saline character of the lake is the more remarkable by reason of its being fed by pure and sparkling fresh water streams.

THE WHIRL OF FASHION.

The princess skirt shaped with a corse let top is one of the popular styles of the

peason. Small bishop sleeves, plain in style or laid in horizontal or vertical tucks, are more generally used with the new spring and summer shirt waists than sleeves of any other description.

Panne is still a conspicuous fabric in the shops. Black panne is the least at-tractive of the goods, but in pale shades of mauve, ciel blue, tea rose, pink, silver and sea green it is charming. The golden tint of chestnut is a beauti-

shade of brown, and for those who can wear it nothing is more becoming. is a suspicion of pale yellow in the com-

Whatever may appear later on, the skirts of all new Paris made gowns are atil absolutely close to the figure, with also the omnipresent flare on the lower portion of the skirt, which may be in

circular form or closely gored. For the mild days of spring the furriers who have warm neck things still on sale are doing many of them up with all sorts of dainty coquilles, jabots, choux and cascades of lace and chiffon, with decorated muffs en suite, to make them

look less heavy. Bands of embroidered velvet, cloth, silk or satin are used to edge boleros, walking jackets, skirt hems and open fronted princess dresses, and these strap ings in nun's veiling, cashmere, foulard alk, French batiste, organdie, linen lawn,

etc., will be seen on summer gowns. Queen's purple is the name of the very fashionable shade of this royal color which appears among elegant spring mil-linery in the list of handsome silks, foulards, tailor cloths and the latest impor tation of crepe de chine, nun's veiling, henrietta cloth, lansdowne and similar

BILL OF THE PLAY.

"What Happened to Jones" has scored

Mascagni's "La Maschere" has failed everywhere except in Rome.

Theatrical amusements employ 25,000 people in Great Britain; average weekly salary, \$10.

Margaret Bronson, a niece of Bronson Howard, the playwright, will soon make her debut in vaudeville. Five hundred and sixty-one dramatic

compositions were copyrighted in America during the past year.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Marie MacDowell has secured a diverce from her husband, to whom she was married last June.

Richard Golden has revived "Old Jed Prouty," a New England play that enjoyed much popularity several years ago Clyde Fitch has four plays in New York city, and perhaps the best discussed of these is "Lovers' Lane," his best endeav-

or in the field of rustic dramas. New York and Philadelphia playgoer have declared that "Richard Carvel" is the strongest play that John Drew has ever essayed since he became a star.

Odette Tyler of the Modjeska compan is writing a novel based on some thrilling misodes in Mme. Modteska's career du ing troublous political times in Poland.

The weekly reviewers agree with the critics of the daily press in London in bestowing very warm praise upon the pro-duction of "Twelfth Night" by Beerbohm Tree in Her Majesty's theater.

STATE LINES.

Mississippi has a total population of ever 1,500,000, and yet the total vote of the state last November was under 60 .-

A new law in New Hampshire prohib its the holding of property in that state by game clubs which are not locally incorporated. It also provides that the state shall hold in trust for public use all natural bodies of water having an area

To Accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepares Ely's erican exhibition at Buffalo, as a part of Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggist maie. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the contract for furnishing stoves to the the secretions but changes them to natural and healthy chara Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y. character, Ely

Washingtonville Items.

Washingtonville, May 1st.-The fol owing were registered at Eagle Hotel for dinner to-day: R. Golden, Syracuse, N. Y.: W. Egbert and Tilman Foust, o Milton; Harry Hartley, Bloomsburg; H. .. Dewald, Schuyler, and A. R. Lindner f Pottsgrove.

B. A. Stohler of Danville, drove to this town today.

Sydney Hoffa, a student at the Medi-

co-Chi, College, Philadelphia, arrived

home today for the summer vacation. His brother William will return next Monday. H. D. Hennessy of Elmira, was a visi-

or in town today.

Landlord Amandas Heddens spent ast evening in Danville. W. A. Houck of Milton, made a visit

o Washingtonville today. Amandus Heddens has repainted th ouse and built a wagon shed on hi farm in Anthony township

The first game of ball that Washing onville's crack team will play will be ith the "77's" of Danville on Saturday May 18th

Miss Mattie Pollock visited friends in Danville today.

Don't forget the ball game next Satarday afternoon. Washingtonville vs Danville Crescents.

Ghosts would frighten many people who are not afraid of germs. Yet the germ is a real danger. If this micro scopic animalism could be magnified to a size in proportion to its deadliness i would show like a giant python, or fire oreathing dragon. The one fact to re ember is that the germ is powerless to harm the body when the blood is pure t is far easier to keep the germ out than o drive it out after it obtains hold in the system. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the most powerful and perfect of the blood purifying medcines. It increases the quantity as well is the quality of the blood, and enables the body to assist disease, or to throw it ff if disease has obtained a footing in off if disease has obtained a footing in ome weak organ. When ever the di-gestion is imparted, the nutrition of the body is diminished, for the blood is nade from the food which is eaten, and made from the food which is each, and half digested food cannot supply the body with blood in quantity and quality adequate to its needs. For this con-dition there is no remedy equal to "Golden Medical Discovery." It cures ninety eight out every hundred person who give it a fair trial. When there is onstipation Dr. Piesce's Pleasant Pel ets will promptly relieve and perma

Resolutions Adopted.

The following resolutions were adopt ed at the convention of the Woman's Missionary society held in this city: That we give God praise for His good in the past year, in allowing us the priwork.

That we express our sympathy to hose Auxiliaries which have lost faithful o to the Danville Auxiliary which has een deprived in this meeting of the resence and help of Mrs. Crewitt, one of its faithful workers.

That we have been inspired by the aught by our missionaries, Miss Limberpresence of Mrs. Spencer.

ices and to the people of Danville for cordial welcome, and to all who conributed toward making this convenion a success.

That we have greatly enjoyed the resence and help of Mrs. Strawinski, of thanks, also that we are thankful that trict Secretary, Mrs. Purdy through an-

other year. That we are thankful to our Heavenly Father for preserving the lives of our

nissionaries through the recent hostilities in China. That we send in the suggestion of a W.

M. society badge to the branch annua

TATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY, \{ 88 \]
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he he senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENES & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo ounty and State aforesaid, and that said firm rill pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOL LARS for each and every case of CATARRI at cannot be cured by the use of HALL' ATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my resence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 188 A. W. GLEASON,

Notary Publi Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and ets directly on the blood and mucous su ces of the system. Send for testimonial

old by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Danville Youth Makes His Mark. The inter-collegiate debate between Dickinson and State colleges, which took place at the former institution on the night of April 16th, resulted in a victory for Dickinson. The subject dis ussed was: "Resolved, That Mississip pi's representation in the National House of Representatives should be reduced in proportion to the decrease in franchise sulting from her suffrage legislation.' State college, affirmative, was represent

egative, E. I. Presby, '01; B. C. Had stey, '01; E. C. Ammerman '02. The Carlisle Sentinel says: "Ammer nan won from the start. It may be said of him that he magnetized his au dience with some irresistible electric charm, swaying all within the sound of his voice with the Athenian finish of

d by Floyd H. Taylor, '03; A. K. Riss

r, '03; John F. Foley, '03. Dickinson

his oratory." The Judges were Dr. G. M. D. Eckels General J. P. S. Gobin and Hon. T. L.

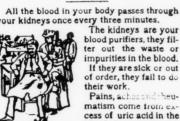
Kennedy.

For Exhibition At Buffalo. The Danville Stove and Manufactur ng company yesterday shipped a stove to the life saving station at New York, the full equipment of a life saving station. The stove, a Queen Beaver, 823 reservoir range, represents a high style life saving service of the government for several years past.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your



impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and theu matism come from excess of uric acid in the

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady ats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar siz-es. You may have a

Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. JOHN KENDRICK BANGS.

es. You may have a sample bottle by mail Home of Swamp-Rock free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

Funniest Flight of Fancy of the Famous Humorist. the Skicycle. The most eccentric humorist of the lay will revieve his famous "Jimmyboy Stories" in next Sunday's great Philadelphia Press, May 5th. The Voyage on his "Skicycle" is told with a snap and humor that is inimitable. Among other things the are some thoughts on riding a bicycle over a lawn mower; rheumatic tires; the Christopher Columbus among skibicycles; the dangers of puncturing tires on church steeples, etc. This story will be one of the interesting features of next Sunday's Press. It will be well to order your copy from your newsdealer in advance.

The Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army has just publish ed statistics of the good work accomplished by it in the United States which. to the general public, will be surprising for few of us see, or seeing, appreciate the work of this great organization. The effect of the army's labors is felt more in the large cities where much charitable work is lost sight of by reason of the constant misery and enormous population. In communities like ness and mercy, which He has shown us Danville there are perhaps few appeals for assistance. This fact does not devilege of assisting in this branch of His tract one iota from the glowing record of the Salvation Army and it must not be inferred that the latter does not take part in relieving our poor when they workers through death or otherwise; all are in need, for it does and in times of dire stress its work has been most con-

The latest statistics of the army show that there are 832 corps now in the United States, with twenty-four food essons of self sacrifice and devotion depots, which have furnished 110,000 monthly meals, and 190 social instituger and Miss Purdy during their visit tions for the poor, with a total daily acome last winter; also grateful for the commodation in the same of 6,200. The workingmen's hotels number sixty-six That we express our cordial thanks to and the workingwomen have six, with the trustees of this beautiful church, the an aggregate of 6,325 inmates. Five pastor for his kindness, the singers and labor bureaus and three farm colonies the young people who so delightfully are established, the latter having 240 ntertained us both evenings. To the laborers. Other minor institutions and press for so faithfully reporting our pro- slum settlements number about eighty ceedings, also to the janitor for his ser- in all. The expenditures on all these institutions in 1900 was \$250,000, of opening their homes and giving us such | which \$210,000 was raised by the work

or the payments of inmates. Besides this noble work in the way of charity the army has done much in elevating the poor and fallen and sending a ray of hope and sunshine into the Williamsport, for which we extend cold and cheerless homes of the poor and afflicted. Many a man and woman the Lord has spared our beloved Dis- has been turned from the road to ruin to that of a better and nobler life. Some Christian churches and societies do not approve the army's plans of campaign, but where's the difference so long as the object sought is attained in an honest

A TRYING POSITION.

Danville Readers Will Appreciate This Advice.

A constant itching tries your :pa Nothing so annoying. Nothing so irritating.
As itching Piles or eczema

To scratch the irritation makes i To leave it alone means misery

Some citizens can tell you how to be free from these troubles. Read the Mr. D. C. Williams 204 Lower Mulperry street, says:--"I can highly recommend Doan's Ointment. Before using it I was greatly annoyed with a burning and itching rectal trouble. This led me to become interested on hearing about Doan's Ointment and I procured it at a drug store and found it most sat-

isfactory. I did not use the reme long before I was completely cured." I did not use the remedy For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo. N.Y.

sole agents for the U.S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

Special Rates. On account of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, May 1st to November 1st, the Philadelphia & Reading Railway will sell special excursion tickets from Danville as follows: Season tickets good to return until Nov. 30th, 1901, on sale every day at rate \$12.40. Ten day tickets on sale at rate \$9.60. Five day tickets on sale Tuesdays and Saturdays only at rate \$7.00.

Notice of Assessment and Appeal. The County Commissioners sitting a

a Board of Revision will hold appeals for the several districts between the hours of 9 a. m., and 4 p. m. as follows Anthony, Monday, May 13th, Exchange. Limestone, Derry and Washington

ville, Tuesday, May 14th, Washington

Liberty, Wednesday, May 15th, Moor-Valley and West Hemlock, Thursday, May 16, Court House. Cooper, Mayberry and Mahoning, Friday, May 17th, Court House. Danville, First Ward, Monday, May

20th. Court House. Danville Second and Fourth Wards. Tuesday, May 21st, Court House. Danville, Third Ward, Wednesday May 22, Conrt House.
N. B,—Appeals will not be heard after above stated times.

By order of Commissioners, JOHN C. PEIFER, Clerk. **********



Cut Glass

-AND-

Solid Silver For spring weddings, new goods arriving daily making our line the most complete ever shown in Danville. Five inch cut glass Olive dish \$1.40. Seven inch saucer \$1.50, beautiful tumbler \$4.50 per doz., other rich cuttings up to \$12. Solid Sterling silver tea spoons \$3 to \$6 half doz. in great variety. We have hundreds of appropriate things for bridal gifts.

HENRY REMPE

Jeweler and Silversmith.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

An Elephant's Appetite. Bolivar, the big elephant out at the St. Louis zoo, has an appetite that makes even the ostrich envious. Being strictly a vegetarian, his diet is of course limited to hay and grain, with a few vegetables. The small boy who deludes himself with the belief that he is affording any gastronomic pleasure to Bolivar by throwing a single peanut ments, regarding which he is very parinto his cavernous mouth would be rather surprised to know that the elephant regards 150 pounds of food in would eat 500 pounds if that amount were provided. In fact, he would eat all day and suffer no ill effects. All elephants are gluttons. Those that travel with shows would eat up all the

profits were it not for the fact that

showmen limit them to about 100

pounds of provender a day. This limit-

good condition, but no elephant ever acknowledged he had enough to eat. Boys, Improve Your Chances. Many boys neglect chances of mental improvement. They do not realine what it is to have an education till they get into a company of boys when son thing comes up for discussion and find that they must sit still instead of taking an active part. After an experience of this sort they usually bemoan their fate and say they had no chance to learn. Some boys leave school sooner than they ought to either from choice or compulsion. It is usually the ones who stop from choice that grumble at fate. When a boy stops going to school from choice, the main cause nearly always lies in his not being industrious

for him.-American Boy. A Tiny Violinist. Maurice A. Warner, a 6-year-old boy living in Kansas City, is attracting attention by playing on the violin. He began taking lessons two years ago. When not in the presence of his teacher, the boy plays no better than might be expected of one who had studied

or caring what the future has in store



MAURICE A. WARNER. music as long as Maurice has. When his teacher is with him, however, and looks him in the eye, the boy can play the most difficult pieces. Some people believe that the teacher hypnotizes the little pupil and that this is what makes

him play so wonderfully at times. Dorothy's Good Time Dorothy's mother was trying to teach her good manners and told her she must always say when she went away from a place where she had been invited that she had had a good time. Recently she was at a party where there were several little boys, and they had a big fuss. The little girl has a temper of her own, and when her mother started to go she was so angry with one of the boys that she was crying as hard as she could. "I won't like youone bit," she said, with a stamp of her foot, "and I never-never-will come here again." Then, remembering her manners, she sobbed out, "But I've-

had-a-perfectly lovely time.' Camela cannot swim. They are very buoyant, but ill balanced, and their heads go under water. They can, however, be taught to swim rivers with the aid of goatskins or jars fastened under their necks. During the Baluchistan expedition in 1808 the camels were lowered into the sea from the bow. ships and their drivers, plunging overboard, clambered on to the backs of their charges, causing the animals' heads to come up, and thus assisted they were successfully piloted ashore.

There is a bird I'd like to see, A bird that always tells of me. Whenever I have naughty been Whenever I have naughty been This bird is surely to drop in And tell mamma just what I've done. Then she calls me "My little son"—I know just what she's going to say. "Tis, "Johnny, you've been had today! But when I ask, "How do you know?" She says, "A little birdle told me so."

And if a piece of pie I take Or even a small bit of cake From pantry where no windows are, And I creep through the door siar, This little bird has eyes to see And tells mamma all tales 'bout me; Yet still I never saw this bird. But ever of it I have heard.

Mamma says, "Oh, he flies around!"
"Tis strange I cannot hear a sound,
Although I look and listen well
Although I look and listen well
For fear mamma might call me bad
And look at me with eyes so sad
That I am sorry, and I say
Asgin, "I'll never disober." Again, "I'll never disobey."

I wish I could this rare bird find

-E. A. W. in Brooklyn Daily Rogin.

PERSONALITIES. Secretary Long keeps on his desk an alarm clock to remind him of appoint-

The oldest active official in the German empire is a man named Muller at one day as a rather slim allowance. He | Wittlich. At the age of 102 he is still prison warden. Charles Quincy Hildebrand, the new

congressman from the Sixth Ohio district, was once a professional baseball player, and a good one. Congressman Linney of North Caro lina is the only Republican ever elect ed to congress who served as a private ed allowance seems to keep them in

in the Confederate army. Senator Vest and Justice Harlan are two of the oldest acquaintances in Washington. They have been intimate friends for 40 years and more. Francis Murphy, the temperance lec

turer and worker, is now in Honolulu working in the interest of his favorite eform. His meetings have been at tended by large crowds. Angelea Anderson, the young planis is a niece of E. Ellery Anderson and a

great-grandeaughter of Da Ponte, who wrote the book for "Don Giovanni" and other Mozert operas. The crucifix reposing on the breast of Queen Victoria when the coffin was anally closed was placed there by Princess Beatrice and was one which

the latter had possessed since girlhood. Although Verdi spent most of his life in pleasant idleness, he earned more than \$3,000,000 by his music. He spent 1,000,000 francs on a home for aged and indigent musicians at Milan. The report that the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough will spend the sum-

but it is nevertheless true that the duchess is desirous of visiting her native land. Rev. M. B. Boardman of New Britain, Conn., has in his possession the original manuscript of a sermon delivered by his grandfather to the men and women of a New Hampshire town

mer in America lacks confirmation,

100 years ago. Mr. Kaneko, a graduate of Harvard of the class of '83, who came over in 1889 to receive a degree of doctor of laws from his alma mater, has been made a baron by the mikado and apinstice in the cal net of Japan. Professor Baron, a well known Ger

man scientist who died in Berlin the

other day, left the bulk of his fortune

estimated at 420,000 marks, for the es

tablishment of an orphan asylum, where the children shall be brought up on vegetarian principles. Of Str Hiram Maxim the people of Maine say that he had a rooted dislike for school. Therefore he was appren ticed to Daniel Flynt, a painter, and worked in his shop much of the time

Even then he was "tinkering," as the country people express it. Sir Henry Irving has just celebrated his staty-third birthday, and some of his critics find evidences of physical infirmity in him. But on the anniversary in question he played Shylock to a packed bouse in Belfast and is now engaged in the laborious task of producing Coriolanus, a very taxing role.

THE GLASS OF FASHION.

Evening gloves with embroidered eyelets and facing at the top are one of the new fads, and it seems to be useful one for keeping the gloves up at

Youthful black evening gowns are in great demand this season, all because young women find that they can acquire more distinction in a black

gown than in any other. Challies in Persian designs and colorings with satin stripes are brought out again in tempting array, and then there is a new muslin, rather wiry in texture, which shows varying tints in

shaded stripes. Swiss muslins in great variety are displayed in the shops, some with very realistic designs in large flowers, others embroidered with white, black or the same color as the garment and without limit as to patterns. Large leghorn hats drooping in front

and back are said to be a feature o the coming millinery for summer. They have high crowns encircled by roses arranged in a stiff manner, and a soft ribbon caught on the edge of the brim in front is carried to the edge of the brim in the back, where it is tied in a Among the novelties in trimming now in use are the narrow bands o gold cloth studded with jet nail heads

jet beads and embroidered with gold thread are also very popular .- New York Sun.

or little flat black velvet buttons.

bands of black velvet embroidered in

colors and Persian embroidery on

white cloth. Laces dotted with gold or

SIDE LIGHTS ON LIFE. No man was ever so much in lov that it interfered with his appetite. The young man who has to scratch for a living seldom sows any wild oats We have three kinds of people in the world-the wills, the won'ts and the

can'ts.

morrow is apt to wake up some morning and find it yesterday. Some men use Sundays as a sort of sponge to wipe out the sins they committed during the previous six days. There are times when one should speak gently; but, as a rule, it is necessary to use a megaphone if you want

the world to hear you.-Chicago News.

The man who takes no thought of to

PEN, PENCIL AND BRUSH.

Anthony Hope is not in good health and is restricting his engagements as much as possible. He continues to write

however, in spite of his illness. William Jonathan Neidig, a young San Francisco journalist and short story writer, has been made a member of the facul-ty of English of Leland Stanford university, from which he was graduated in Frederic Harrison says that English

men are agreed in regarding Herbert Spencer as the greatest living man of letters. The philosopher is now 83, and his mind remains singularly clear for his vears. Sir Laurence Alma - Tadema, best

known as a painter of pictures, decorated recently a set of china which the Dutch colony in London gave as a wedding present to Queen Wilhelmina. Tadema was born in the Netherlands. Herbert Spencer's "Autobiography" extends to two volumes and is in print, but

will not be published while he lives. He is an octogenarian, but looks ten years younger. It is said that he does not contemplate any further revision of his

When Tennyson was nearing 60 years of age and his fame might fairly be assumed to be worldwide, Edward Moxon, the publisher, decided to approach Gustave Dore and commission him to illustrate the "Idylls of the King." After Dore had considered the proposal he asked. "Who, then, is this M. Tennyson?"

EPIGRAMS OF A NOVELIST.

Patriotism no longer means love your ountry. It means hate your neighbors. Deathbed repentances should be followed by deaths. Life tries them too London is Piccadilly and the park, or it

is nothing. To live in London one must be born rich or die dishonest. What is the house of lords but a monkey house—all these brand new peers, these brewers and bankers, aping the old feudal lords, mimicking their mediæval

Modern battles are won by brain, not by brawn. The future Napoleon will be a paralytic chess player carried about the field on a water bed.—"The Mantle of Elijah." by I. Zangwill.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Save your cold tea for the vinegar barrel. It sours easily and gives color and

flavor. Cleaning windows with borax instead of ammonia or soap takes much less time than the ordinary way and is a success. Never buy butter which has a milky look or is dotted with pink spots. This is a sign that it has not been thoroughly washed from the buttermilk and will quickly turn sour or lose its flavor.

To clean chandelier globes that have become smoked and grimy they should be left for some minutes in hot water in which a piece of washing soda has been lissolved. Afterward wash them in hot water with a little ammonia, scouring the discolorations with a small, not too stiff, brush.

THE HOME DOCTOR.

An excellent gargle for sore throat or poarseness is made by boiling a teaspoonful of pure honey in a cup of water. Cinders or any of the particles that seek lodgment in the eye are best re-moved by first closing the eye until it is filled with tears. Next turn the lid back and use the edge of a handkerchief or a looped hair to remove the cinder. Common, everyday earth is a cure for

many an ache or pain. In the case of a burn from an acid the chief thing is to pply an alkali to neutralize the acid. This may be done by gathering a handful of earth and laving it on the injured part, for the earth contains alkali enough to render it very efficacious. Soda may

be used for an acid burn. HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To clean gilded frames, wipe them gently with a fine cotton cloth saturated with Laces and other delicate trifles should

be placed in a muslin bag before being boiled. This prevents their getting lost and torn in the wash. If machine grease gets upon washable fabric it may be taken out with washing soda and cold water. Apply the soda to the spot and wash it in the water. Then

To restore lvory knife handles which

are stained, damp a rag slightly and with

it apply a little salts of lemon to the spots. Wipe with a damp rag and then polish with a soft duster.

wash it with soap and water.

CURIOUS CULLINGS. Elongated ear lobes are considered a mark of beauty in Borneo. Girls with this feature reaching down to their el-bows are not uncommon. William Wombwell, aged 70, and Catharine Heley, aged 57, jumped over a broomstick at Cowle, near Doncaster,

England, recently and thereupon became according to Romany custom, man and

DROPS OF WATER. Two hundred and twenty-four gallons of fresh water weigh a ton. The branches of the Mississippi have an aggregate length of 15,000 miles. The greatest waterfall is Niagara,

which sends over 32,000,000 tons of water an hour.

JEWELRY JOTTINGS. Rose gold reigns in the lorgnette, and eweling has become most elaborate. Jewelers provide ingenious devices for loing away with ear piercings, thus mak-

ing easy the path of the newly favored Little round balls of turquoise, about the size of a pea and perfect spheres of purest blue, are the captivating form of the newest earrings. No mounting shows. A bracelet of rarest elegance consists of a mere thread of gold with a pendant comprising first a square cut emerald, second a ruby and last a marquise dia-

nond. Inexpressibly dainty is a ring composed of two small diamonds, oval cut and unted one above the other below the band of the ring, which is itself incrusted with brilliants. The whole is an array of blue white stones apparently devoid of any touch of metal .- Jewelers' Circular-

Weekly. TALES OF CITIES.

It is estimated that the dense fog in London costs the city from \$250,000 to \$500,000 daily in the matter of bills for ras and electricity. The climate of New York is abating.

The Central park meteorological observ-

atory has records covering a period of 32 years, and these give strong evidence that the winters are growing milder. Sheffield, Ala., has passed a curfew law tipulating that it shall be unlawful for any child under the age of 15 years to idle or loiter upon the streets or in any store or other public place within the city after the hour of 8 p. m. without the written permission of his parent or

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

guardian.

Estate of George W. Steinman, Late of Derry Township, Montour County. Pennsylvania. deceased. Notice is hereby given that letter of Administration upon the above State have tranted to the undersigned. All persons inlebted to the said Estate, are required to make payment, and those having claims or lemands against the said estate, will make known the same without delay to

LEVI MOSER. Administrator. RALPH KISNER, Attorney.

APPRAISEMENT OF MERCANTILE TAX | ANNUAL STATEMENT OF

COOPER TOWNSHIP.

DANVILLE, FIRST WARD

DANVILLE, SECOND WARD

DANVILLE, THIRD WARD.

.Retail Vend

Carr, John A., Sr., Esterbrook, Harry Gibbons, John M.,

Rue, Abran

Shepperson, William. Pripner, E.S. Valker, W. H. N. orgy, J. H.

leaver, Jesse..... ochelle, Frank L.

beltz, L. C.... Deltz, L. C... Dougherty, James F. Evans, Thomas J... Eckman, D. R. Eisenhart, John

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inn, Charles

Meyers, George A. Malers, Jacob..... Marks, R. L.... McClain, G. L....

Ranck, Clarence

assell, Andrew.

osenstine, A..... ote, Wellington...

Welliver, S. J..... Woods, Emma A. Warga, Peter.....

ognetz, G. D. agner, N. L.

DANVILLE, FOURTH WARD.

DERRY TOWNSHIP.

LIMESTONE TOWNSHIP.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP

· MAHONING TOWNSHIP.

MAYBERRY TOWNSHIP.

VALLEY TOWNSHIP.

WASHINGTONVILLE

WEST HEMLOCK TOWNSHIP

DANVILLE, FIRST WARD.

DANVILLE, THIRD WARD.

DDNVILLE, FIRST WARD.

DANVILLE, THIRD WARD.

CURTIS COOK,
Mercantile Appraiser,
Danville, Pa., April 18th,

CURTIS COOK

George W. Jr......Retail Vender

Delsite, Edwin S....... Heddens, James...... Lawrence, Wm. & Son. Moser, Frederick

eddens, G. K.

eighmiller, C.J.....

Atlantic Refining Co...

Velliver Hardware Co. laupt, George.....

Moyer, T. F.1..... Riehl, James L.2.....

Retail Vend

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... Retail Vender

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. Wholesale Vender

Eating House

. Pool-Billlar

ongenberger, C. & M

ster Brothers

James ...

Montour County For The Year 1901. Jacob Roup in Acct. with Valley Twp., List of persons and firms engaged in selling

> CR. Amount of Duplicate License Tax Received from D. W. Foust Return Tax Unseated land Work done by Citizens Bridge Material Hardware & Tile Shed for Machines Counsel fees ... Repair for Road Machines ... Supervisors Services 81 days at Retail Vende pervisors Services 81 days at \$1.50 per day... 121 50 ..Retail Vende Books.
> Making Duplicate
> Bond & Oath.
> Township Watering trough.
> Percentage on collection \$421 20.
> Auditor fees.
> Use of House W. D. Wise.
> Printing Statements.
> Exonerations. 2 50 1 00 3 00 8 50 25 80 3 20 18 57 xonerations.....rder to D. D. Williams. nterest on order...... Paid to D. R. P. Childs. 918 58 691 21 227 37 Balance due Township

VALLEY TOWNSHIP.

as Supervisor for the year ending

April 5th, 1901.

Wm. R. Richardson, Auditors. D. R. P. Childs in Acct. with Valley Twp., as Supervisor for the year

ending April 5th. 1901.\$518 88 57 00 Work done by Citizens...
Wagon Watering Trough &c...
Tile & Bridge timber.
Posts & Ralls...
Stone for Road.
Order from Jos. Churm.
Attorneys fees.
Blacksmithing Handle & Sand..
Supervisor Services 58 days at
\$1.50 per day.
Duplicate Book Bond & Oath.
Return Tax. 13 85 42 47 5 00 11 90 14 20 2 50 6 55 ercentage on collection \$190 00. 2 Perch of Stone for Bridge 40cts per perch.... Publishing Statement.... Auditors fees... Jse of house W. D. Wise. Received from Jacob Rou

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N THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF MONTOUR COUNTY, NO 2 JUNE

Theodore Doster And Agnes B. Doster His Wife in Right Of Said Wife, Harry Latimere And Elizabeth Latimere, His Wife, In Right Of Said Wife, Sarah C. Johnston, Mary J. Johnston And Samuel Johnston, Plaintiffs.

Hilkert, Eleanor Hilkert, Mary M.

Hilkert, Richard Moser, And Eve-

line Moser, His Wife, In Right Of Said Wife, And William Cleveland Defendants.

O WILLIAM CLEVELAND: One of the Defendants above-named: WHEREAS on the twenty-first day of farch A. D. 1901, a Writ of Partition in the WHEREAS on the twenty-first day of March A. D. 1901, a Writ of Partition in the above-stated case was issued against the above-named Pleindants to answer the above-named Plaintiffs of a plea wherefore, whereas, the said Plaintiff and the said Defendants, above-named, respectively hold together and undivided a certain messuage, tenement and town lot of land situate on the East side of Mill street in the Third Ward of the Borough of Danville in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Fronting on Mill street on the westward adjoining a four foot wide alley on the northward, an alley on the eastward, and lot number fitteen (15) now owned by Peter McCann, on the southward, extending in width on Mill street thirty-four feet, more or less, and extending back of the same width to alley aforesaid, said lot being in length on the northern side along said four foot wide alley ninety-seven and eighty-seven onehundredths feet and in length along the southerns side along said four foot with the appurtenances and whereupon are erected a Pura Chapu Promo Dwalling Hanso

Monday, June 10th, 1901, Monday, June 10th, 1901,
AND, WHERE AS upon the affidavit of Samuel Johnston, one of the Plaintiffs, abovenamed, made and filed in the aforesaid Court, on the 21st, day of March, A. D. 1901, it appeared to the Court that the residence of the abovenamed William Cleveland, the last of the Defendants, abovenamed, is to the Deponent, at present, unknown, the Court made the following decree or Order of Publication, to wit.;—"And now March 21st, 1901 it appearing to the Court by the Oath of samuel Johnston one of the Plaintiffs in this clase, that the residence of William Cleveland, the last named of the Defendants in the said case, and who holds a tenancy by the curtesy in an undivided one forty ninth interest in the premises mentioned in the Writ of Partition in this case, is unknown to him, the Court on motion of Edward Sayre Gearhart of Counsel for Plaintiffs direct notice to be given to the said william Cleveland by publication once aweek for six successive weeks, before the return day of the said writ, in one weekly newspaper printed and published in the Borough of Danville, in the Court of Montour and State of Pennsylvania.

By THE COURT.

ennsylvania.
BY THE COURT.
MICHAEL BRECKBILL, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office Danville, Pa., April 23rd, 1901.

American \$1.00 per year.

Vaples & Garrison

Edward

and vending goods, wares merchandise or elects of whatever kind or nature, residing husinessin the County of Montou and State of Pennsylvania. ANTHONY TOWNSHIP.

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udited this 5 day April 1901.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

Audited this 5 day of April 1001

Wm. R. Richardson,
G. C. Jenkins,

TERM. 1901.

saiah Hilkert, William Hilkert, John

Two-Story Frame Dwelling House. and a frame stable, etc., marked in the plot of Alexander Montgomery's Addition to the Borough of Danville, number sixteen, (16) in block number seven (7), of which the said Deblock number seven (7), of which the said De-fendants deny partition to be made between them according to the form of the Act of As-sembly in such case made and provided and unjustly permit the same not to be done, contrary etc., and which said writ is made re-turnable at the next term of the aforesaid. Court, the same being on

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