

THE DEAR WOMEN.

How the Sweet Creatures are Sized up by a Jersey Preacher and a Pennsylvania Editor.

In one of his sermons, a New Jersey preacher recently had the following to say concerning the women:
 "Women get their fashions from Paris and Paris gets them from hell."
 "The devilish effect of the present fashions is that they present the childless woman as the ideal of femininity. By no stretch of credulity can one think of the hapless, helpless director of ideal as conducive to children. The fashions are a subtle reflection of the prevailing tendency to race suicide."
 "Formerly a woman was proud of being fat, but now she strives for emaciation. Women often follow foolish fashion merely to avoid being conspicuous, but they lose their modesty in doing so."
 "The Jersey preacher's forcible language brings forth the following from the versatile editor of the Connellsville Courier, and there is much truth in what he says:
 "This pulpit orator has enlisted the sympathies of all the ladies of generous proportions, especially the ladies with hippy hips, and all to whom the new gowns are utterly hopeless."
 "The average woman would sooner be out of the world than out of fashion, and most women will take a chance on hell to reflect the fashion plate."
 "The Jersey divine has been wasting his breath."
 So much for the Jersey preacher and the Connellsville editor. Both have uttered more or less truth, but the fact still remains that there are women and women in this world, and thank fortune they are not all alike. There's no use lamenting over the actions of the waistless, hipless species, for women of that kind are also brainless, and the sooner they exterminate themselves by bowing to the decrees fashion, the better. Besides, by resorting to tight lacing and other foolish fads, is the only way some women are able to get squeezed, and it's the only way some of them are fit to be squeezed.

Probably a Wrong Inscription.
 A lawyer by the name of Strange, died. His last request was that only the words be inscribed on his tombstone: "Here lies an honest lawyer." His wishes were complied with, and as people passed the monument, they all remarked: "That's Strange!"—Ex.
 The chances are that the inscription did not tell the truth. We have an idea that something like the following would have contained more truth: "Here lies a lawyer; he never did anything else, except stealing." That kind of an inscription would have caused passers-by to remark "That's true!" instead of remarking "That's strange!"

Marriage Licenses.
 James Williamson, of Pinkerton, and Jennie E. Nedrow, of Casselman.
 Leslie E. Britton, of Hastings, Neb., and Emmeline K. Wolf, of Somerset.
 Jesse Casbeer, of Somerset, and Emma Miller, of Lincoln.
 Ewalt Manages, of Shade, and Pansy David, of Napier Twp., Bedford Co.
 James Straight, of Windber, and Carrie Rodgers, of Lilly, Pa.
 Harry L. Day, of Stonycreek, and Katie Zerfass, of Somerset.
 John Stutzman and Anna Landis, both of Stonycreek.
 Milton J. Durst and Cora S. Miller, both of Somerset.
 Simon C. Long and Malinda B. Brown, both of Brothersvalley.
 Wm. Lohr, of Hooversville, and Bessie P. Coleman, of Shanksville.
 John J. Hauger and Ada F. Weimer, both of Garrett.
 Robert Sterner and Annie Dillinger, both of Beachley.
 Charles H. Brant and Nancy M. Tipton, of Brothersvalley.
 Harry W. Floto and Myra Philson, both of Berlin.
 Jonas S. Lichty and Lela M. Schramm, both of Salisbury.
 Lyman P. Whipkey and Louisa R. Singo, both of Middlecreek.
 Wm. L. Ankey, of Paint Borough, and Lizzie V. Holsinger, of Windber.
 Ross J. Younk, of Markleton, and Myrtle Goller, of Myersdale.
 Frank C. Livingstone and Florence M. Leedom, both of Hooversville.

Do Fish Suffer?
 My observation is, that they do not. When they find themselves caught either in a net or on a hook, the law of self preservation gets busy and their natural instinct leads them to struggle and plunge in their endeavor to escape. If the hook hurts them, why do they come back again and again after it? I remember once fishing for ring perch when a party near me hooked one which in its struggles took off his hook. In a very short time, not to exceed three minutes. I caught this fish with the hook fastened in its tongue. There could be no doubt about it, this was the same fish, as the snell was sticking out of its mouth. I returned the hook to the owner. How many times have we all caught fish with their mouths and lips torn? This would indicate that they suffer no pain, or else they are very short on gray matter.—The Outer's Book.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following list contains the more important deeds entered of record since our last report:

Wm. F. Shaulis to Philip Oglie, \$3400, in Quemahoning.
 Lewis Baker et ux. to Theodore Miller, \$2500, in Windber.
 John H. Frank et ux. to O. C. Randall, \$1000, in Jenner.
 John H. Seibert et ux. to John C. Statler, \$8000, in Somerset.
 Milton J. Glotfelty et ux. to Tunnison Glotfelty, \$1500, in Salisbury.
 Michael Dickey's heirs to Charles H. Schmuicker, \$138, in Quemahoning.
 Webster W. Barron et ux. to Reuben Zimmerman, \$3125, in Quemahoning.

Russell L. Sterner et ux. to Ephraim Atchison, \$200, in Black.
 Caroline Berkey to Edmund Smith, \$400, in Stoytown.
 James B. Saylor et ux. to Willis D. Fuller, \$7381.82, in Somerset.
 John W. Day to Charlotte Whipperman, \$825, in Stonycreek.
 Mary A. Weimer to R. A. Durst, \$1200, in Berlin.
 Alex. Kingler to Norman Saylor, \$8000, in Brothersvalley.
 John H. Seibert et ux. to Samuel U. Shober, \$2400, in Somerset.
 George Dupstadt to John C. Gnagey, \$500, in Somerset.
 Samuel G. Braucher et ux. to same, \$3150, in Somerset.
 Isaac Dibert et ux. to Jacob Lichty, \$14,505, in Quemahoning.
 Jacob P. Lichty et ux. to Wm. Berkey, \$18,000, in Quemahoning.
 Edward L. Queer et ux. to Adam Pletcher, \$2800, in Somerset.
 Wm. Gahagan to H. W. Gahagan, \$10, in Paint.
 Herman W. Boyer to Alex. Ringler, \$2750, in Brothersvalley.
 Walter Fazenbaker to T. E. Null, \$750, in Addison.
 Charles Wolfenska to Moses McKenzie, \$1200, in Summit.
 Adam Kreitzburg's Ex'trs to Franklin Kreitzburg, \$1301, in Meyersdale.
 Franklin Kreitzburg et ux. to E. E. Boger, \$750, in Meyersdale.
 Frank Bastian et ux. to Harry Meehan, \$1500, in Windber.
 Samantha J. Hartzell to Ira W. Friedline, \$2400, in Somerset.
 Annie Show et vir. to Amos Kurtz, \$1800, in Addison.
 Amos Kurtz et ux. to R. L. Kurtz et al., \$8000, in Addison.
 Herman W. Berk et ux. to Wilson H. Miller, \$13,000.
 Wm. S. Judy et ux. to Wm. Jacobs, \$2500, in Jennertown.

Need of Finding Tin Ores.
 The world's use of tin is steadily increasing and the demand for it is constantly growing. New deposits are discovered from time to time, and certain districts already known are increasing their output, but the production of some of the important tin-mining regions of the world is declining, and that of others can not long be maintained. The reserve stocks held in various parts of the world are accordingly being greatly depleted, and the price of tin is gradually becoming higher.
 For these reasons the discovery of new deposits of tin ore is of great interest to mining men and to many who are connected with the metal industry, as well as to investors. The United States consumes over 40 per cent. of the world's output of tin, but contributes an inappreciable amount, so that any information regarding deposits of tin ore in this country is of especial interest. The Southern Appalachian region has not yet afforded tin ores in commercial quantities, but shows promise of containing them.
 Copies of Bulletin 293 can be obtained free of charge by applying to the Director of the Geological Survey at Washington.

FREE SEEDS.
 THE STAR has on hand a nice assortment of vegetable seeds to distribute among its friends and patrons, free of charge, while they last. For these seeds we are under obligations to our most excellent representative in Congress, Hon. Allen F. Cooper.
BUT REMEMBER, none of these seeds will be doled out to children, no matter whose children they are, and for this we have very good reasons, which need not be stated here. However, all adult friends and patrons of this paper can get a share of these seeds by calling at THE STAR office for them.
 Those knowing themselves to be indebted to this paper, will please bring with them some money to apply on their subscription.
REMEMBER, the seeds are free to you, but don't act as though the paper was also a free gift, for it isn't, and we want you to know that we need our money and expect you to pay up, if you owe us.

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 She—Yes; it's a masterpiece.

EXPLAINED.



The Feather Duster—My goodness, your stick is covered with coal dust and ashes! What have you been doing?
 The Broom—I've been playing poker.

A HOME THRUST.



Grace—You looked really charming at last night's dinner.
 Helen—Oh, you are so flattering!
 Grace—No, no, honest. I did not know you at first.

TIME ALLOWANCE.



"I hear, Mrs. Camewater, that your husband has bought an auto."
 "Yes he got tired of getting up at six o'clock to catch the train."
 "What time does he start now?"
 "Oh, about half-past five. You see he wants plenty of time in case anything should break down."

A BOTANICAL CHILL.



Mother Bug—Willie! Willie! get off that snow drop before you freeze your feet.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Below will be found the names of the various county and district officials. Unless otherwise indicated, their addresses are Somerset, Pa.

President Judge—Francis J. Kooser, Member of Congress—A. F. Cooper, Uniontown, Pa.
 State Senator—William C. Miller, Bedford, Pa.
 Members of Assembly—W. H. Floto, Meyersdale; A. W. Knepper.
 Sheriff—Charles H. Weimer.
 Prothonotary—J. B. Gerhard.
 Register—Bert F. Landis.
 Recorder—Norman E. Berkey.
 Clerk of Courts—F. A. Harsh.
 Treasurer—Russell G. Walker.
 District Attorney—John S. Miller.
 Coroner—Dr. H. S. Kimmell.
 Commissioners—Josiah Specht, Kanton; Rush S. McMillen, Rockwood; Hiram P. Hay, Berlin. Solicitor—Charles W. Walker.
 Jury Commissioners—George J. Schrock, M. L. Weighley, Jenners.
 Directors of the Poor—J. F. Reiman, William W. Baker, J. C. Dietz, Listie.
 Attorney for Directors, H. F. Yost.
 Superintendent of Schools—D. W. Seibert.
 County Auditors—Jacob S. Miller, Friedens; W. H. H. Baker and Samuel A. Kretchman, Rockwood.
 Chairmen Political Organizations—Jonas M. Cook, Republican; Alex. B. Grof, Democratic; Fred Grof, Berlin, Prohibition.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mark Anthony Fryn, late of Salisbury Borough, Somerset county, Pennsylvania, deceased.
 Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to those persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present the same duly authenticated for settlement, on Saturday, May 28th, 1909, at 3 o'clock p. m., at The First National Bank of Salisbury, Pa.
 ALBERT REITZ, Administrator.

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State College News.

The Executive Committee of the Pennsylvania State Grange has accepted the invitation of the Pomona Grange, of Centre county, to hold the next annual meeting of the State Grange at State College. The date fixed is December 21-24. The Auditorium and Armory on the college campus afford unsurpassed facilities for the thousands who attend this annual meeting.

Farmers' Week at State College will begin Monday, December 27th, and close January 1st. The slight change in date this year is made on account of the date of the State Grange meeting. The Winter Courses in Agriculture at State College begin November 30th, 1908, and close February 25th, 1910. These five courses bring a fine body of young men to the college each winter. The instruction is practical and helpful to men engaged in Agriculture, Horticulture, Dairy Husbandry, Dairy Manufacture or Poultry Raising. No entrance examinations are required.

The annual convention of the Pennsylvania Millers' Association will be held at The Pennsylvania State College, September 8-10, 1909. The College Experiment Station has arranged to have some milling tests of varieties of wheat made in co-operation with this association.

He Was From Missouri.

It is related that one day last week a lady living on Ord street called up one of the newly elected Borough Councilmen and asked him if he was not now a city "dad," to which he replied in the affirmative, when the lady informed him that the mud was knee deep on the crossing near her home, and she was compelled to wade through it, and thought it a shame. The "city dad" politely informed her that "he was from Missouri," and she would have to show him. She rang off.

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