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Evening Herald

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1898.

The simplest way to attain a competency is to get all you can, and lay aside a third of it for a rainy day.

If you would be a man speak what you think to-day in words as hard as cannon balls, and to-morrow what to-morrow thinks in hard words again, though it contradicts every thing you said to-day.—Emerson.

CEPHAL, according to the testimony given in the breach of promise case tried this week, plays queer pranks at Frackville. Editor Menzies, who keeps a watchful eye over things matrimonial, testified that "very few married men in Frackville ever put their arms around their wives." The witness, however, could not define the term love, and Mr. Wadlinger, one of the counsel, assisted him by the following comprehensive definition: "Love is an inward, outward, inexpressible all overness."

THE annual report of Provost Charles C. Harrison to the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, for the year ending August 31, 1897, has just been published, and the HERALD has been favored with a copy. It shows clearly that the year was one of advancement, extension and general improvement in nearly every department. The Provost carefully outlines the needs of each department, offers many suggestions to the board, commenting especially upon the fact that during the year the university gave aid to 317 students involving over \$50,000.

JUST at this time, when the holiday rush has become a memory and spring trade is yet an anticipation, many merchants are apt to permit a relaxation of vigor in the conduct of their advertising campaigns. This, however, is poor policy. Between season advertising properly conducted is of vast importance to every branch of trade, for it is then that the purchasing public lays its plans for future operations. To wait until the harvest-time arrives before sowing the seed is not productive of large crops, and the merchant who waits until the rush commences before advertising should not feel disappointed if his wiser competitor gets the bulk of trade.

THE Philadelphia Press is authority for the statement that Congressman Brumm has entered into an agreement with Senator Quay to secure the former's renomination for Congress, and in return Mr. Brumm has pledged the delegates to this county to the state convention to the Senator. To accomplish this the gentleman from Minersville will become a quasi-candidate for Governor, and in that way expects that the Schuylkill delegates will be instructed for himself and thus be in a position to throw the delegation to whoever Quay may demand. It is safe to say that Mr. Brumm will realize that the statesman from Beaver cannot dictate the Congressional nomination in this county, and that if it be true, as the Press intimates, that Quay has entered into such a deal it is nine chances to one that the delegates from Schuylkill will be anti-Quay. Stranger things have happened.

Reading Looking Up. The statement of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway Company for the last year ending with that month, furnishes fair opportunity for calculation as to the possibility this year of a dividend on the first preferred stock. The outlook is favorable, though not assuring, as the best of the coal season has passed, suggesting decreases for the future rather than gains. For this reason it is not likely that the management will be in any hurry to make a distribution. There is no room for doubt, however, that the company is in a position to at once declare a dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. on the \$28,000,000 first preferred stock, as it started the new year with \$754,462 applicable to that purpose. Of this handsome surplus, December operations contributed \$234,959, making a surplus of \$2,092,167 for the last half of '97, or, in other words, for the first half of the fiscal year.

From this surplus, however, must be deducted a deficit of \$1,337,705 for the first half of '97, leaving on hand the net surplus of \$754,462, already mentioned. December earnings in both gross and net were favorable in every branch. The net gain of the railway company was \$754,462 and that of the coal company \$67,000, the profit of December, 1907, being \$80,487, against a loss in December, '06, of \$12,374. Considering the depressed condition of the coal trade, this is an exceedingly good exhibit and the officials of the company are certainly to be congratulated.

J. A. Perkins, of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years an assiduously trained physician for the cure of venereal disease. He was quickly convinced by the use of the medicine known as the "Fountain of Life" for the cure of venereal disease. He has since been using it for the cure of all venereal diseases. C. C. Godey, 10, 23, 30 cents. Sent to the postoffice at Philadelphia, Pa., as second class matter.

"GOLD DUST." Woman's best friend. Dirt's worst enemy. Washing Powder. Largest package—greatest economy. Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston, Philadelphia.

A LITERARY SENSATION. Another Exciting Story by the Author of "Que Vadit."

"Love and a Mask" is the title of a newly discovered gem from the pen of the author of "Que Vadit," which is undoubtedly the most popular book of the day. "Love and a Mask" has been translated exclusively for The Great Philadelphia Sunday Press, and will be published in the issue of next Sunday, January 30th. It is a delightful tale of modern-day life in Warsaw, which reveals the life of the happy chapters of "Fidelity." The translation preserves the author's style admirably, and to persons who prefer to keep up with the literature of the day can afford to miss it.

Next Sunday's Press in addition will contain more extensive features of interest than any other paper published. Inside facts concerning the Cuban rebellion, which is now near its crisis, will be a strong feature, and every other field of human interest will be thoroughly covered. It would be well to order next Sunday's Press from your newsdealer to-day.

The Wilson Theatre Company continues to grow. Their grand opera house, Mahanoy City, Pa., speaking of the company the Mahanoy City American says: "Every part was well taken and the audience was most highly pleased, pronouncing it to be one of the best repertoire companies ever seen here. The house was crowded in every part and the singing was at a premium. Between the acts very fine specialties were given by Robert Alton, Charles and Annie Glicker, the champion drum majors of the world, and Pauline Billepe, in illus. "The Slave."

The Miles Ideal Stock Company opens a week's engagement at Regis's Theatre on Monday, Mr. Frank Miles, the manager, has very wisely selected plays and players, which reaches all classes, giving as a whole an entertainment equal to any high priced company and superior to most of them. Mr. John E. Miles, the young and promising star of the company, is supported by the leading man, playing with any reputation company on the road. Being of a fine, well built and pleasing figure, and one whom you never tire of. The supporting company is exceptionally strong, so much so that to individualize would seem an injustice. The specialty drama, "The Slave," by Miss Eva Williams and Jack Tucker.

Salvation Oil the greatest cure on earth for pain, is universally accepted by horsemen and veterinarians as the no plus ultra of liniments. OLD POINT COMFORT AND WASHINGTON. PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOUR BY PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. The second of the present series of four-day tours to Old Point Comfort and Washington under the Personally Conducted Touring system of the Pennsylvania Railway will leave New York Saturday, January 29. The party will travel by the Cape Charles Route to Old Point Comfort, where one day will be spent in the present city of the nation. Washington, spending two days at that point. Round-trip rate, including transportation, meals en route, transfers, hotel accommodations, berth on steamer, and all necessary expenses, \$22.00 from New York; \$21.00 from Trenton; \$10.50 from Philadelphia. This proportionate rates from other points. A slight additional expense for tickets can extend the trip to Virginia Beach, with accommodations at the Princess Anne Hotel. Tickets to Old Point Comfort, only, including one and three days' tour, \$14.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points. For timetables and full information, apply to ticket agents; tourist agent, 1186 Broadway, New York; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad street station, Philadelphia.

IT IS EASY TO TELL. People who fail to look after their health are like the carpenter who neglects to sharpen his tools. People are not apt to get anxious about their health soon enough. If you are "not quite well" or "half sick" have you ever thought that your kidneys may be the cause of your sickness? It is easy to tell by seeing aside your urine for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, scanty supply, pain or dull ache in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order. There is satisfaction in knowing that the great remedy Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, fulfills every wish in relieving weak or diseased kidneys and all forms of bladder and urinary troubles. Not only does Swamp-Root give new life and activity to the kidneys—the cause of trouble, but by treating the kidneys it acts as a tonic for the entire constitution. If you need a medicine take Swamp-Root—it cures. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar, or by sending your address and the name of this paper to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may have a sample bottle of this great discovery sent to you free by mail.

MYSTERIOUS POISONING CASE. Jamestown, Pa., Jan. 28.—Egbert Burch is dead and his wife and daughter are at the point of death with all symptoms of arsenical poisoning. His grandchild, a babe in arms, was very ill, but is now out of danger. Mystery surrounds the illness of the household. A post mortem examination of the remains of the man revealed nothing save slight traces of poisoning. Sylvester Burch was a wealthy farmer residing at Williamsfield, O., and with his wife he was visiting his daughter, Mrs. P. A. Plant, of Jamestown.

Student Van on Examination. New York, Jan. 28.—William H. Watson, the student of the New York Trade school who shot and killed Joseph Miller, a fellow student, on Sunday last, was exonerated yesterday by the coroner's jury. The jury decided that the shooting was entirely accidental.

One Minute Gough Cure cures quickly. That's what you want! C. H. Hagenbuch.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The only safe and reliable medicine for children. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar, or by sending your address and the name of this paper to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., you may have a sample bottle of this great discovery sent to you free by mail.

COUNTERFEIT LOTTERY TICKETS.

The Clever Scheme of a Gang of Swindlers is Exposed. Cleveland, Jan. 28.—Government secret service agents surrounded yesterday in searching a gang of lottery ticket counterfeiters whose operations during the last five years have extended into nearly every large city in the country. As lotteries are outlawed in the United States, the tickets cannot be printed, but the gang agents got after them by sending lottery tickets through the mail. They made a deposit upon No. 75 Berlin street, the home of Thomas Dolan, ostensibly a carpenter. They arrested Dolan on the charge of the ticket lottery, tickets through the mail, and searched the home. In the basement was found a complete paraphernalia for altering lottery tickets. It was confiscated and taken to the United States marshal's office. Dolan says he knows nothing of the swindling scheme. He was released on \$500 bail. The gang's method of operation was to buy lottery tickets, wait for the announcement of the winning numbers, and change the numbers on the tickets to correspond to the numbers of any other lottery. The work was done by scraping the original numbers off and painting the new numbers and lettering on. The work was done so dexterously that in many cases the deception cannot be detected with a magnifying glass. No attempt was made to have the lottery company cash the tickets direct, but in Cleveland there are 17 "pushers" who disposed of them to individuals at a slight discount, after showing the official list of winning numbers and making the plan that they were in need of ready money.

Banking's Armes Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or is a sure remedy, it is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 50 cents per box. For sale by A. Wadler.

The Florida Limited Will Again Run on the Southern Railway. The Florida Limited, which is the synonym of all that is elegant in modern railway trains, and which during its former service has been a prime favorite for tourists from the North seeking the mild climate of Florida, will be placed in service by the Southern Railway during the first week in January, 1898. With its return to service this train, which will be sold full season vestibuled between New York, Philadelphia and St. Augustine will present features in the way of luxurious and comfortable appointments not elsewhere presented, and which will be furthered by its already well established popularity.

Notice.—Applications for further information addressed to J. M. Beall, District Passenger Agent, Southern Railway, 825 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, will receive prompt attention. 10-25-17

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY. The French Ambassador Decorated in Berlin, Jan. 28.—The celebration yesterday of the birthday of Emperor William was more general than usual. The public and other buildings were decorated with flags, and busts of his majesty were everywhere displayed. The emperor, wearing a blue sash, accompanied by his mother, the ex-Empress Frederick, and the German princes, including the kings of Saxony and Wurtemberg. The newspapers, excepting the socialist organs, published congratulatory articles. There was much open indignation at the shutting off of all traffic in the district around the castle. In the evening the illuminations of the city were very fine. One store showed 12,500 electric lights. The French ambassador was decorated with the Grand Cross of the Red Eagle.

CATARH OF THE STOMACH. A PLEASANT, SIMPLE, BUT SAFE EFFETUAL CURE FOR IT. Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing, headache, flabby appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling. There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition. The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared. According to Dr. Harrison the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aspic Pepsin, a Little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. N. J. Boshor, of 2718 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge, reaching backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headache, stomach, heartburn, bloating after meals. Send for literature, mailed free, on stomach troubles, by addressing Stuart Co., Marsh Hill, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

STORIES OF THE STREET.

Shenandoah People are Talking About It on Every Corner. It is sometimes an easy matter to fool the public, but you can't keep it up very long. They are sure to find you out, and every time a man is fooled, another skeptic is made. Skepticism is allowable when reading in a home newspaper about some incident occurring in California or Iowa, but the circumstances are entirely different when it refers to some one right here at home, friends and neighbors, people you know, whom you see, and with whom you talk it over. This is the kind of evidence at the back of Doan's Kidney Pills—home statements by home people and the astonishing local work they have been doing has caused more talk among our friends than the greatest value to me. I have not the constant desire to drink which I had and the kidney secretions are becoming normal. My flesh is not dry and wrinkly as formerly and I do not have the dizziness and my head feels much better. The itching which I suffered from has also gone down. I can highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney trouble judging from what they have done for me." Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-McBirn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. Major-General of the United States Army. Major-General of the United States Army. Major-General of the United States Army.

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IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 28.—This evening at 6 o'clock the senate will vote upon the Teller resolution authorizing payment of government bonds in silver, and the pending amendments thereto. When the senate yesterday took up the resolution the agreement made last week that the final vote upon it should be taken before adjournment was changed in order that all senators might have an opportunity to speak. Today's session began at 10 a. m., and after 2 p. m. the speeches will be confined to 15 minutes each. Yesterday's session continued for more than six hours, the resolution being under discussion throughout, practically, the entire session. While the speeches for the most part were studied efforts, the session was replete with lively incidents and spicy colloquies.

The house yesterday finally succeeded in passing the Indian appropriation bill, and the political debate which has been raging since Monday was transferred to the District of Columbia bill, which followed it. The only two important changes in the Indian bill, as passed, were eliminations of the provisions for the leasing of the Cripple Creek mineral lands in Utah and the coal lands of the Kiowa, Comanche, Apache and Wichita reservations, both of which went out on points of order.

Prosperity comes quickest to the man whose liver is in good condition. DeWitt's Little Early Bitters are famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, indigestion and all stomach and liver troubles. C. H. Hagenbuch.

OF FOR A LONG TRIP. New York, Jan. 28.—Three hundred excursionists left on the Hamburg-American liner Augusta Victoria yesterday for a cruise in the Mediterranean. The excursion is to last 60 days and embrace a total traveling distance, by water alone, not speaking of side trips, of 12,703 miles. Ex-Governor and Mrs. Flower and C. Oliver and Mrs. Iselin are among the excursionists.

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"Saved Her Life."



MRS. JOHN WALLE, of Jefferson, Wis., than whom none is more highly esteemed or widely known, writes: "In 1890 I had a severe attack of LaGrippe and at the end of four months, in spite of all physicians, friends and good nursing could do, my lungs heart and nervous system were so completely wrecked, my life was despaired of, my friends giving me up. I could only sleep by the use of opiates. My lungs and heart pained me terribly and my cough was most aggravating. I could not lie in one position out of a short time and not on my left side at all. My husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nerve and Heart Cure and I began taking them. When I had taken a half bottle of each I was much better and continuing persistently I took about a dozen bottles and was completely restored to health to the surprise of all."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottles benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address, Dr. J. C. Miles, Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. Restores Health. Dr. J. C. Miles, Elkhart, Ind.

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Headquarters—Commercial Hotel, Shenandoah. THREE YEAR COURSE. Calls night or day promptly responded.

M. M. BURKE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office—Egan building, corner of Main and Centre streets, Shenandoah.

J. H. POMEROY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Shenandoah, Pa.

E. W. SHOEMAKER, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Corner Market and Centre streets.

PROF. JOHN JONES, MUSICAL INSTRUCTOR. Lock Box 66, Mahanoy City, Pa.

Having studied under some of the best masters in London and Paris, will give instruction in the violin, mandolin, guitar and vocal culture. Terms reasonable. Address in care of Deacon, the Jeweler, Shenandoah.

Christ. Schmidt, Agent and Bottler of... LAUER'S LAGER AND PILSNER BEER.

Porter and Weiss Beer. FINEST, PUREST, AND HEALTHIEST.

203 W. Coal Street, SHENANDOAH, PA.

Stop That Cough. Hold that cold back. How? By using... Manager Ben Berg's Celebrated Cough and Horehound Drops. For sale only at NEW YORK CONFECTIONERY COMPANY, 110 North Main Street.

RUPTURE CURED. A Specialist on Rupture from Williamsport will visit Shenandoah Every Thursday—AT THE—Ferguson House, from 9 a. m. till 1:30 p. m. Rupture permanently and quickly cured or no pay. Written guarantee to absolutely cure all kinds of Rupture without operation or detention from business. Absolutely no Danger. Examination Free.

100 persons cured in Sunbury, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel and vicinity who can be referred to. Charges and terms moderate and within reach of all. A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. FOSCO'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

ECZEMA Most Torturing, Disfiguring, Humiliating. Of itching, burning, bleeding, scaly skin and scalp humors is instantly relieved by a warm bath with CURICURA SOAP, a single application of CURICURA OINTMENT, the great skin cure, and a full dose of CURICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood purifiers and humor cures.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

LEITER OWNS ALL THE WHEAT. His Partner Declares This Country Will Need All on Hand. Chicago, Jan. 28.—"Basing our estimates on the government figures, we think we now own every bushel of surplus wheat in this country," George E. French, the active manager of the wheat combine, was speaking for himself and Joseph Leiter, who is the visible head of the "combine."

KAIER'S Opera House. J. J. QUIRK, Mgr. MAHANAY CITY PA. ONE WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, JAN. 24, 1898. The Old Original Wilson Theatre Com'y. (21st Year.) Supported by Miss Anna Davis, in a repertoire of standard American plays. TWO DISTINCT COMPANIES. DRAMATIC AND VAUDEVILLE. Unique, refined and novel illustrated songs. Latest Veriscope pictures. New specialties. AN UP-TO-DATE REPERTOIR. Special scenery for each play. Elegant costumes. Change of bill nightly. Ladies' free tickets Monday evening. Prices: 10, 20 and 30 Cents.

TUESDAY, FEB. 1st. The fashionable event of the season. Initial appearance of the great New York Comedy success.

The Girl From Frisco. By Gus Heege, author of Von Yonsum, Ole Oleson, etc. A SUMPTUOUS PRODUCTION. PURE, CLEAN, WHOLESOME FUN. Presented by a company of clever comedians, headed by MR. HARRY BOOKER. A laugh from start to finish. Special feature.

The Golden Gate Quartette. Prices: 25, 35, 50 and 75 Cents.

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