THE TALK OF THE CITY.

It's of Interest to Our Readers Because it Refers to Shenandoah Readers.

It's astonishing how good news will spread. From every ward and street we hear of our people talking about the workings of the little conqueror. Merit and honorable methods receive their just reward. So many cases are cropping up that it is next to impossible to investigate them all, but we have taken a few in hand and given them publicity for the benefit of our readers. Our representative obtained the following facts in a personal interview. They are true in every particular, and no stronger evidence can be obtained than home endorsement.

Mr. John D. Hughes, of 213 Market street, miner, says: "I have been in Shenandoah for twenty-eight years. My son and I contract in taking out coal. For years I have been troubled with my back and kidneys, had both a pain and lameness across my loins, and in the small of my back. Well, this bothered me very much, sometimes being worse than others. I was induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them from Kirlin's drug store. I derived great benefit from them for they corrected the kidneys and since taking them I have had no trouble with the kidney secretions and I have been free from pain. Doan's Kidney Pills took out the lameness across me, and I know that they are a reliable kidney remedy."

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DREAD TO SAVE FROM DROWNING.

A Superstition That Prevents Rescues That Could Be Made Easily.

A strong antipathy once prevailed to rescue a drowning man, the idea being that the person saved would sooner or later do some sort of injury to the man who preserved his life. Sir Walter Scott, in "The Pirate," tells how Bryce, the peddler, refused to help Mordaunt save the shipwrecked sailor from drowning and even remonstrated with him on the rashness of such a deed.

"Are you mad," said the peddler, "you that have lived sae lang in Zetland, to risk the saving of a drowning man? Wot ye not, if ye bring him to life again, he will be sure to do you some injury?"

This prejudice, which was deeply rooted among our seagoing community in many parts of the country, existed not very long ago in Cornwall. It is found, too, among French sailors and the boatmen of the Danube and is widely credited in Russia. Mr. Barry in his "Ivan at Home" gives a striking instance of the repugnance of the Russians to saving life from drowning. One day a drunken man walked into the water and disappeared. A number of spectators stood by and gazed on the scene with the utmost indifference, but no one tried to rescue him. A court of inquiry was held, but as on examination no cross was found on his neck a verdict was quickly agreed upon by the villagers, who declared that the man was "drowned because he had no cross upon his neck."

The Bohemian fisherman shrinks from snatching a drowning man from the waters, fearing that the water demon will take away his luck in fishing and drown him at the first opportunity. This is a lingering survival of the ancient significance of this superstition, the explanation being that the water spirit is naturally angry at being despoiled of his victim and henceforth bears a special grudge against the unlucky person who has dared to frustrate him. Thus when some one is drowned in Germany the remark is made, "The river spirit claims his yearly sacrifice," or "The nix has taken him."

Out of Europe also the accidental drowning of a person is attributed to a similar seizure, and the Siamese dreads the Pnuk, or water spirit, that seizes bathers and drags them under to his dwelling. The Sioux Indians have a similar fancy and tell how men have been drowned by Unk-Tahe, the water monster. For the same reason, it appears, the Kamtschadales, far from helping a man out of the water, would drown him by force. If rescued by any chance, no one would receive him into his house or give him food.

The Chinese reluctance to save a man from drowning arises from quite a different belief, it being supposed that the spirit of a person who has met his death in this way continues to flit along the surface of the water until it has caused by drowning the death of a fellow creature. A Chinaman therefore who attempts to rescue another from drowning is considered to incur the hatred of the uneasy spirit, which is desirous, even at the expense of a man's life, to escape from its wanderings.—Boston Globe.

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Army Deficiency Bill in the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Hale yesterday reported the army deficiency bill. The most important amendments are the $3,000,000 contingency appropriation for the war and the same amount for the navy, to be expended under the direction of the president. For the signal corps, $35,000 increase. Pontoon trains, engineer department, $30,000; assistants in engineer department, $30,000. The balance of the $50,000,000 defense fund is to be continued until six months after Jan. 1.

Some Foolish People

Allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c. and 50c. Trial size free. At all druggists.

A Populist Scheme in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 15.—Governor Leedy issued a call this morning for a special session of the legislature to meet next week. This course was decided upon last night after a conference of Populist leaders, who desire to enact several Populist measures into law before the inauguration of the Republican legislature elected in November.

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20 MILLION Catarrh Victims

Dr. Jackson points to the startling fact that there are now 20 million Catarrh victims in this country and the number rapidly increasing. It has already become the National Disease. Are we to become a nation of Catarrhites? It looks like it.

The Aboriginal Indians are said not to have known the disease. That proves it is not caused by our climate and must have been imported. Its growth was slow but persistent. Forty years ago there were less than 40,000 cases in the U. S., to-day there are 20 million. Soon there will be 30 million. Where is it to end? Shall we not awake till it has fastened its fangs on every man, woman and child in the land? How shall we prevent it unless we take immediate and vigorous steps to stamp out the plague? This putrid disease knows no sex, no class, no station. It is everywhere. A germ (microbe) disease it spreads by contagion. The carion breath and expectoration of the poor victim are loaded with these microbes. Others breath them in, they find lodgement and never release their hold till the victim lies down in death, unless every microbe is killed. But can they be killed? Yes, but not by any "blood medicine." No Catarrh germ was ever found in the blood. The trouble is local and must be treated locally. A balsam has been discovered that is sure death to the Catarrh microbe, making a radical and permanent cure. It is **Brazilian Balm.** It has cured tens of thousands in the past 15 years. It also cures all the troubles caused by Catarrh as Sore Throat, Old Coughs, Bronchitis, Asthma and Lung troubles. The swallowing of the Catarrh pus makes the Stomach raw and ulcerated. The **Brazilian Balm** soon makes a radical cure of the Stomach and alimentary canal. It is the cheapest remedy on the market, a $1.00 bottle containing a whole month's treatment. As all sufferers with Catarrh and Asthma have run-down systems we will till January next put a month's treatment of Toxicola Tablets, free in with every $1.00 bottle of Brazilian Balm. This is the best Tonic and nerve and strength builder known. You get all for $1.00, a month's treatment of both. Now is the time to test your Catarrh. Do not delay. Ask your druggist and take no substitute. If he will not get it send direct to us. B. F. JACKSON & Co., M'f'g Chemists, Indianapolis, Ind.

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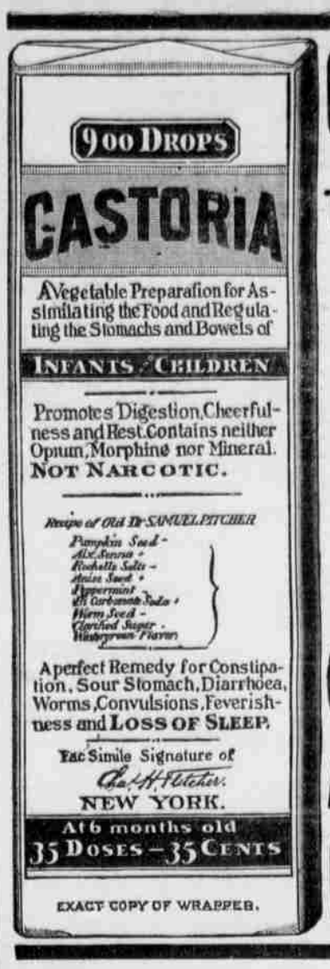

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A special teachers' tour, identical with the above, will be run on the same date. Tickets for this tour, covering all necessary expenses, including accommodations at the National Hotel, Willards Hotel, or the Hotel Regent, $2.00 less than rates quoted above. Side trip to Mount Vernon and admission to the grounds, fifty cents additional. Side trip to Old Point Comfort, returning via the Cape Charles route until January 1, $4.00 additional.

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For Mahanoy Plane, weekdays, 2 10, 3 27, 5 38, 7 30, 9 55, 11 32 a. m., 12 26, 3 09, 6 09, 7 30, 9 56 p. m.

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Leave Reading, week days, 1 37, 7 00, 10 08, a. m., 12 15, 4 17, 6 00, 8 26 p. m.

Leave Pottsville, week days, 7 17, 7 40 a. m 12 30, 1 20, 4 30, 6 10 and 6 50 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua, week days, 3 18, 8 36, 11 23 a. m., 1 49, 5 56, 7 25, 9 44 p. m.

Leave Mahanoy City, week days, 3 45, 9 05, 11 51 a. m., 2 22, 5 25, 6 24, 7 44, 10 08 p. m

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For Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City—Weekdays—9 00 a m, additional for Cape May, 4 15 p m., for Sea Isle City, 5 00 p m., for Ocean City, 4 15, 5 00 p m. Sundays, Chestnut street—9 15 a m., South street, 9 00 a. m.

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The Kind of Fun, Imported From Texas, With Which the Conscienceless Inhabitants of New Mexico Amuse Themselves at Times.

"There is something which I have long been wishing to tell you," writes a young gentleman who is now at Eddy, N. M., "but somehow I never succeeded in transporting myself into the right humor to do so. This was a description of one of the principal and most enjoyable pastimes of the Eddy people. The folks here have various ways to beguile the monotony. They have dances, amateur theatricals, hunting parties and badger fights. Badger fights! Oh, what mortal anguish has been caused by these cruel, cruel badger fights! They are of Texan origin, but are now practiced all over the southwest.

"I had been here about a week when I noticed one day all the factory hands grouping together and talking about a magnificent badger that a cow puncher, as cowboys are called here, had brought to town. There was to be a badger fight that night. A dog was to fight him to a finish. Bets were given and taken. Some had seen the badger, and all knew the dog which was to fight him. I do not like bloody spectacles and decided not to go, but heaven willed it otherwise.

"On my way home from work everybody on the streets appeared to be speaking about and betting on the badger fight. People had come in from the country to see it. One man was pointed out to me as having bet as much as $100 on the fight. High bets were transacted in my presence. I decided to see that fight. Two of my friends came to my room after supper and invited me to accompany them to the fight. When we got down stairs, I noticed the whole veranda of the hotel crowded with a boisterous, brawling, betting, disputing, turbulent multitude.

"When we left, this entire multitude filed after us. Shopkeepers left their shops in their shirt sleeves to join the procession. In three blocks the procession behind me had doubled in volume. I began growing excited and believe I should have bet had some one offered to do so with me. When we arrived at the arena, a large crowd was already waiting. Betting now went on with feverish excitement. I had lost track of my friends in the uproar and therefore stood aside to contemplate the scene.

"The crowd had arranged itself in a circle with a large open space in the center. Within this space stood a box all closed up, a rope reaching from the interior extended diametrically across the open space. I was told by some one that the badger was in the box and the rope was tied to him. When the fight would begin, some one would jerk the badger by means of the long rope to about the center of the circle, and the dog would then attack him.

"The dog was now exhibited in the circle. My surprise was unspeakable when I saw that cur. Instead of a large, fierce animal it was a sickly looking puny water spaniel. My sincere sympathy was at once enlisted with the dog.

"Preparations were now made for the bloody event. The badger men insisted upon a careful examination of the dog. Some old sport waltzed up and examined the dog's teeth, legs, nose and fur to see if any pepper had been strewn into it so as to disable the badger. After a careful examination the dog was pronounced O. K.

"A person was now wanted to pull the badger. It was unanimously decided that for this purpose an unbiased person was necessary, a person who had not bet on the fight. The badger men refused to allow a dog man to pull the badger lest he should injure him by a too violent jerk. The dog men were equally vociferous in their refusal to allow a badger man to pull him, lest the badger man pull him into a position unfavorable for a successful attack by the dog. A clamorous haggling now ensued. It appeared to me that instead of a badger fight we might have a free for all fisticuff. Every one who volunteered to do the pulling was for some or another reason vociferously rejected. Finally a man walked through the crowd in quest of a person suitable for the purpose of pulling the badger. He questioned many, but always passed on. Finally he came to me. He asked me if I had bet. No. He asked me other questions, to which apparently I gave satisfactory answers. I was invited to pull. My heart throbbed, as I did not wish the task. 'But by not yielding I would disappoint the entire crowd.' I reluctantly consented.

"Immediately a storm of objections arose. This, however, was finally quieted down, and I took the rope. I got careful instructions how to proceed. I was to pull just so, on the count of 'three.' I trembled at the thought that I might not do just so and have a dozen or so six shooters leveled at my face in case I made a blunder.

"All noise had now subsided. Every one was anticipating. Slowly and distinctly the fellow counted 'One, two, three.' I gave a vicious jerk. Out of the box rolled a nice white and clean porcelain badger, I will say.

"It is needless to say that there was a sudden violent outburst of hilarity. Every one of those wretches exerted his cachinatory powers to the utmost. It took me several seconds to realize that the whole procedure was merely a joke, perpetrated upon poor unoffending me, got up wholely and solely for my benefit.

"I could not lick the whole gang. If I could, I should undoubtedly have done so. I did the next best thing. I put my pipe into my mouth, thrust my hands into my pockets and looked as little sheepish as possible. Occasionally when I succeeded in swallowing a large lump which was troubling my throat I would utter a few guttural sounds. These were meant for a laugh. Since this event I am 'one of the boys.' A badger fight is a sort of 'shibboleth,' an 'open sesame' to the elite of western society.

"Since then I have seen the same joke perpetrated on Mr. ——, a Chicago man. His sheepishness was uncontrollable. He stood for some minutes in the midst of the yelling, frantic crowd, with indescribable agony. He tried to smile, but his mouth assumed the shape of a poorly cut slit in a pumpkin. I had sympathy with him, but nevertheless enjoyed the fun."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at A. Wasley's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Columbus Thanked for It All.

Madrid, Dec. 15.—A mob of women in Grenada yesterday, considering that the discovery of America was in their opinion the principal cause of Spain's misfortunes, stoned the statue of Columbus there.

Itching piles? Never mind if physicians have failed to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No failure there. 50 cents, at any drug store.

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I was riding along the road leading across Hurricane top, in the Pine mountain range, thinking of the peculiar people who lived in these fastnesses, when I was startled by a voice up the hillside calling to me to come up and give somebody a lift. I had no idea who owned the voice, but whoever it was was in trouble, and I responded and found a man of 60 or more caught by the foot under a fallen tree and unable to get away. He wasn't hurt, and I soon had him on his feet, and he insisted on my stopping farther down the mountain and taking dinner with him. He lived in a well kept cabin with his daughter, and after dinner we sat in the shade of a tree in the yard and he told me about himself.

"Air you married?" he asked after he told me he was a widower.

"No, but I hope to be some day." I answered quite sincerely.

"You ought to be. Every man ought to be. A man that ain't ain't showin a right feelin to'rds what the Lord's done for him. Thar ain't nothin on the face uv God's green earth that is a patchin to a woman. I don't keer what kind she is."

"You're hale and hearty yet," I said, "and I don't see why you don't take some of your own advice."

"Don't crowd the mourners, mister," he said, waving his hand as if warding off my attack. "Don't you crowd the mourners. I'm figgerin on sever'l this very minute, and I ain't quite shore yit which one to pick. I've been married four times, and every time my notions uv women has got so much higher that I'll be derned ef I don't kinder look forrard to losin a wife jist for the satisfaction uv gittin another one."

The idea was so entirely new that I was overcome by it.—Washington Star.

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Muddy complexions. Nauseating breath come from chronic constipation. Karl's Clover Root Tea is an absolute cure and has been sold for fifty years on an absolute guarantee. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by P. D Kirlin and a guarantee.

"By Your Leave."

When Miss Ellen Terry was to appear at a theater in Bradford one season, the place was crowded hours before the commencement of the play. Just before the advertised time to begin a workman, a regular Yorkshire type, with a hammer in his hand, was seen at the back of the gallery, trying to get down to the front.

Thinking he was on business, the "gods" responded readily to his, "By your leave," and after great trouble he worked his way to the front seat. All eyes were upon him to see what he was going to do, when amid great laughter, applause and groans he calmly crushed into a seat, and all efforts to remove him were fruitless.

Doing His Best.

"Do you know, Paul," said Ethel tremblingly, "I sometimes fear that you don't love me any more?"

"Right you are," said Paul, embracing her. "I couldn't."

And Ethel heaved a sigh and settled down contentedly.—Somerville Journal.

Russians have long but beautifully shaped hands, while those of Spaniards are often spoiled by the thickness of the fingers, which are apt to round at the tips

A wreck at sea is not the only place where a life line is of importance.

There is a life line for the sick, as well as for the drowning man. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is not a cure-all, but it is a scientific medicine that goes to the fountain head of a number of serious and fatal diseases. When a man gets seriously sick, he can generally be cured by the right course of treatment. The treatment that cures many obstinate chronic diseases consists of pure air, good food, rational exercise, and the use of a remedy that will strengthen the weak stomach, correct the impaired digestion, invigorate the liver and promote the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food. The "Golden Medical Discovery" accomplishes all these things.

"A young man lay pale and motionless upon (what neighbors called) his dying bed. Disease of the lungs, liver complaint, kidney trouble, and pleurisy were fast hastening him to the grave. The doctors had given him up to die. The neighbors said, 'he cannot live.' 'Oh, I would not care to die,' he said, 'were it not for leaving my dear wife and little child, but I know that I must die.' A brother had presented him with three bottles of medicine, but he had no faith in 'patent medicines'; but, after the doctors had given him up to die and he had banished every hope of recovery, he said to his wife, 'dear wife, I am going to die, there can be no harm now in taking that medicine. I will begin its use at once.' He did begin to use it and at first he grew worse, but soon there came a change. Slowly but surely he got better. To-day that man is strong and healthy and he owes his life to that medicine. What was the medicine? it was Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and I, Luther Martin, am the cured man. Dr. Pierce, I thank you from the very depth of my heart, for rescuing me from the grave." The foregoing is from Luther Martin, Esq., a prominent citizen of Lubec, Wood Co., W. Va.

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