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Helen Gould's annual income is \$100,000.

One of the rare things of the present age is to see a maiden blush.

Over four thousand miles of new railroad track was put down during 1892.

The property lost by fire in the United States last year was valued at \$127,000,000, or an average of \$2 for each head of population.

It is estimated that there are two thousand and four hundred disorders to which the human frame is liable. When a man is laid up with rheumatism, he is apt to think that the entire number have struck him in concert.

A man of considerable business experience said: "I have learned an important lesson. The first ten years of my business life I put forth all my energies to increase my income; now I pay more attention to reducing my expenditures."

Every day a little knowledge. One fact in a day. How small is one fact? Only one. Ten years pass by. Three thousand six hundred and fifty facts are not a small thing. Every day a little self-denial. The thing that is difficult to do to-day will be an easy thing to do three hundred and sixty days hence, if each day it shall have been repeated. Every day a little helpfulness. We live for the good of others, if our living be in any sense a true living. It is not in great deeds of kindness only that the blessing is found. In "little deeds of kindness," repeated every day, we find true happiness. At home, at school in the street, in the neighbor's house, in the playground, we shall find opportunity every day for usefulness.

A convention of Pittsburg miners was held in the Knight of Labor Hall yesterday to consider mining legislation. The bill drafted by the Commission appointed by Governor Pattison was carefully read and compared with the measure drafted by the Mining Institute of Pennsylvania, which differs materially in some essential points affecting the miners' interests. The bill drafted by the Commission makes the operators responsible for the negligence of their superintendents and mine bosses. This clause is entirely omitted in the measure drafted by the Mining Institute. The Commission unanimously adopted the bill which was before the Legislature and will have a committee in Harrisburg to oppose changes such as proposed by the Mining Institute.—Times.

"The point of greatest influence in any sphere of life is the center of that sphere. Whatever of influence is at work in the area of a circle, emanates from its center. The center of a small circle is as large as the center of a large circle, and, as the circumference enlarges the center remains the same. Let him who aspires to have influence in a widely extended circle remember this truth, and bear in mind that he is now at the center of the sphere, and that his greatest work must ever be done there. His influence may, indeed, be less now than it is to be in the future; but it will never emanate from any other point than his present center of life and being. All portions of the lesser or the vaster sweep of any circle's circumference are equidistant from the one center; and he who lives and labors so as to be felt at the center, is doing most for the extension of his influence to the uttermost possible circumference."

The Pittsburg Times says: "Dr. Stanton Coit, a missionary from London, who was born in America and studied local questions in Germany, is at New York City to establish a social reform club. He has selected the Tenth ward, the most densely populated in the city, as the field of his operations. He believes in salvation by means of soap and water, food, shelter, clothes and education. There will be an anti-fifth society which will establish houses where the poor can do their laundry work or can take a bath for a few cents. It will also aim to secure the removal of filth from the streets. Coal and grocery depots will be established to sell supplies at wholesale prices and the organization of trade unions, social and temperance societies, reading and billiard rooms and libraries is aimed at. Dr. Coit believes his mission will be a success. It will require the support of the Society of Friends in England."

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Our line of \$2.25 shoes reduced from \$2.50. Ladies' and gentlemen's. We intend giving full value.

Figs and Thistles.

(Ram's Horn.) A starving man won't find fault with the table cloth.

The devil likes to be called by names that sound respectable.

Love never has to be watched to see that it does a full day's work.

No matter where we walk we are sure to be followed by somebody.

Some men tie themselves nearly to death looking for an easy place.

If we had no troubles but real troubles there wouldn't be a round shouldered man in the world.

This is a great country. A smoker can make a nuisance of himself on a street car platform for a nickel.

There isn't a poor man in the world who would be willing to carry a millionaire's load for the pay he gets.

Every young lady knows what a nice fine shoe I have been selling at \$2.50. Our price from now on is \$2.25. Heel and spring heel, square toe; it is a beautiful shoe. REED'S SHOE STORE.

Finally Settled.

(Brookville Democrat.)

We learn that the supreme court has affirmed the action of our county court in the case of the Borough of Brookville against the estate of R. Arthurs, deceased, growing out of an injury received by Mrs. H. E. Brocius while walking over the sidewalk on the Pickering street front of the Central Hotel property, owned by Mr. Arthurs. Mr. and Mrs. Brocius brought an action against the borough for damages for the injury received, and were awarded five thousand dollars. The borough then instituted suit against Arthurs, and now the supreme court decides he was liable because of not having the pavement in front of his property in proper condition; and directs payment to be made to reimburse the borough. The amount of the judgment against Mr. Arthurs' estate is about \$7,100. This is an important decision to our citizens, and shows the necessity of every property holder maintaining a suitable and safe pavement in front of his property.

Who was it?

(DuBois Courier.)

Saturday evening a chap drove up here from Reynoldsville and put his horse in Jury's livery stable until he was ready to return home. By the time he was ready to go Mr. Jury had left the stable, but he had left word with the driver of the Curwensville stage, who sleeps in the stable, to collect a quarter of a dollar of the man when he came for the horse. The old man asked for the money when the party put in appearance and payment was refused. The stable man told the transient that he could not have his horse until the money was paid, and a quarrel ensued, the stranger picked up a hatchet and brandishing it said he would have his horse without paying anything. The keeper drew a revolver out of his pocket and said the horse would not leave the stable until the money was paid. And the money was paid.

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For Sale.

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Paradise.

Will Deemer got a finger badly smashed one day last week while hauling logs.

Mrs. Jane Mays, wife of Captain Mays, of Skykesville, visited friends in this place last week.

Farmer Coxon lost a valuable mare a few days ago. This makes the second fine mare he has lost this fall.

Jonathan Deemer made a trip to DuBois on last Saturday.

John Ross is reported to be on the sick list. We don't know how bad he is, but hope it is nothing serious.

Some of the school "kids" complain of there being too much partiality used in our schools. This should be looked into by their parents, for if a child can't dress as well as its neighbor it should be treated alright by the teacher.

Why not buy your shoes of us? We shall endeavor to merit your trade if low prices will gain that end. REED'S SHOE STORE.

Buy your felt boots at Robinson's, 1.00 per pair.

Electric Roads and Snowfalls.

When many of our electric railway managers were boys it was just about this time of year that they got down from the attic or up from the cellar or out from the woodshed their old "double runners," and polished and oiled them up in anticipation of many coasts down the icy hillside roads. They are doing pretty much the same thing now, except that the "double runners" have developed into electric railway snow plows, whose function is to spoil coasting rather than to facilitate it. These machines are of very recent origin, and are still in many ways experimental devices.

Plows and sweepers have both been used to displace the snow from electric railroad tracks. It has been thought by some companies that the sweeper does its work too thoroughly, as it cleans off all the snow, leaving only the bare ground for the use of other vehicles on runners. This causes delays to the electric cars and interferes with their prompt operation. Crosby and Bell state in their book on the electric railway that "it is best to leave an inch or two of snow on the track when cleared by plows. Unless the snow is very much compacted, or has become a sort of frozen slush, it is then possible to obtain fair contact between wheel and rail, thus keeping up the car service."

The proper function of the snow plow is its constant use in keeping the snow on the tracks from packing and freezing. Its principal use is in the city streets. Where the road runs out into the country, or where the snows are light, the sweeper service will probably prove equally desirable. On many roads a combined plow and sweeper service will be found best of all.—Electrical Review.

He Found One Man.

Captain John Miller tells a good story about himself in connection with his trip to the Chicago convention. While en route he thought he would feel the public pulse along the road, so at the various stopping places he got out on the rear platform and made short speeches in favor of Senator Hill. The name of Hill did not arouse the slightest enthusiasm, greatly to the surprise of Captain Miller, who before leaving Washington had an idea that the Democrats of the country were hungry for Hill's nomination. Not a hand was clapped in response to Captain Miller's eloquence until the train reached a little town in Ohio. There one man in the crowd applauded the name of Hill quite vigorously. Captain Miller paused in his speech, jumped off the train and rushed up to the man, saying:

"My dear friend, I am glad to know that there is one man out in this God forsaken country who appreciates the name of Hill."

"I don't belong here," replied the man. "I came out on the train with you, Captain Jack."

That put an end to Captain Miller's electioneering for Senator Hill.—Washington Post.

A Serpent of the Sea.

Chancellor Rand, of McMaster university, received by express a box which, when opened, was found to contain a snake some nine feet long, of slender build and of a dull mud color. An accompanying letter explained the arrival. Last May, while on the way from the Philippine islands, the Theodore H. Rand, a ship named after the chancellor, was caught in a heavy gale off the African coast. Everything was battered down, and yet, after some hours, during which the seas ran bodily over the vessel, the helmsman felt something like a rope around his leg, and looking down was horrified to find this snake.

The ship at the time was more than a hundred miles off the shore, was closely battered and had not been in port for some weeks. Many theories have been raised to account for the reptile's presence, some thinking it had been washed aboard during the storm; others that it had lain dormant since the ship left port and others suggesting that a genuine sea serpent had at last been found. The captain forwarded the snake to the chancellor as a curiosity.—Toronto Herald.

For Sale.

House and lot in Ohiotown. Six rooms and kitchen, inside water closet, bath tub and marble top stationary wash stand. This property will be sold reasonable. Inquire at Racket store, F. K. Mullon, Agent.

The Prince of Wales is about to become a bicyclist. He will not only need a safety machine up to eighteen tons, but he will find an elevator to hoist him into the saddle a very acceptable addition to it.—Exchange.

An iron bound bucket, weighing about sixty pounds, fell a distance of twenty-five feet the other day and struck a Belding, Mich., man squarely on the head, and did not injure him in the least.

Orphan's Court Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the said Court to me directed, I will sell at public sale on the premises hereinafter described on the 2nd day of February, 1893, at two o'clock p. m. the following described real estate: All that certain lot of land situated in Reynoldsville, county of Jefferson and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, corner on Jackson street and Berris alley, running along said alley 150 feet to a post on Gordon alley; thence 50 feet along said alley parallel with Jackson street to post, corner of lot No. 29; thence in a southerly direction 150 feet to Jackson street; thence along said street 50 feet to place of beginning, containing 7,500 square feet, more or less, being a part of a larger tract of land surveyed on Warrant of Timothy Pickering and others No. 191 and Patented to Chas. V. Cox by patent dated the 21st day of April, A. D. 1867, enrolled in the Patent Book "H" Vol. 37, Page 299.

TERMS OF SALE. The purchaser to pay \$100 on day of sale which shall be considered and retained as stipulated damages upon the purchaser's failure to comply with the subsequent conditions of sale; \$500 on confirmation of sale by the court; the balance of the purchase money to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises entered of record, payable in six months from confirmation of sale with interest thereon from the same date; possession of the premises to be given and the deed therefor made and delivered at the expense of the purchaser upon complying with these conditions.

C. J. KERR, Administrator of Margaret Sedler, deceased. Reynoldsville, Pa., Jan. 2, 1893.

CHANGEABLE WEATHER!

Nature has seen fit to have changeable weather and why not have your person garmented with a neat and noble suit made of heavy-weight material to suit the weather that is now creeping upon us. You need a new winter suit and as the cold waves are very uncertain you will be wise if you place your order now for winter wearing apparel, so as to have it to don when blustering weather is ushered in. Such an immense line of winter patterns was never displayed in town as can be seen at

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