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#### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1893.

State Senator J. G. Mitchell and Assemblyman W. O. Smith, of Jefferson county, are receiving considerable committee work to do.

The six longest rivers in the world are the Missouri, to the sea, 4,100, forming the longest in the world: Amazon 3,600; Nile 3,000 Mississippi, proper, 2,800; Niger 2,500, Lena 2,600,

The Board of Trustees of the Chautauqua Assembly met at the Monongahela House in Pittsburg on Wednesday of last week and re-elected the officers of last year with the exception of vicepresident, which was made vacant by the death of F. H. Root, of Buffalo, and Robert N. Miller, of Canton, was elected to that office. It is the purpose of the board to make Chautauqua more popular this year. They will expend over seventy-five thousand dollars on improvements this year.

The lesson of the ages, which all the wise and good and great have learned by experience is, that no man can afford to do wrong. It is too expensive. It may seem profitable at the time, but it will rack his conscience and plague his life in after years. To know what is right and pursue it is the sum of all wisdom. Could a man lead an absolutely perfect life, morally and physically, he would have perfect health and perfect peace of mind, and his days would be lengthened by at least a score of years.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

Every man, however brief or inglorious may have been his academical career, must remember with kindness and tenderness the old university comrades and days. The young man's life is just beginning: the boy's leadingstrings are cut, and he has all the novel delights and dignity of freedom. He has no idea of cares yet, or of bad health, or of roguery, or poverty, or of to-morrow's disappointment. The play has not been acted so often as to make him tired. Though the after-drink, as we mechanically go on repeating it, is stale and bitter, how pure and brilliant was that first sparkling draught of pleasure! How the boy rushes at the cup, and with what a wild eagerness he drains it! But old epicures who are cut off from the delights of the table and are restricted to a posched egg and a glass of water, like to see people with good appetites; and, as the next best thing to being amused at a pantomime one's self is to see one's children enjoy It, I hope there may be no degree of age or experience to which mortal may attain, when he shall become such a glum philosopher as not to be pleased at the sight of happy youth.—Thackeray

One's best is a very variable quantity. Duties must be done, obligations met, responsibilities discharged, irrespective of our moods and often of our capabilities. When the hour strikes for certain work to be done, we must be on hand and do it with little regard to whether we can do it well or ill. But all that is required of us is to do the best we can at the time; and it is accepted of a man according to that he hath, and not according to that he hath not. The house-mother often rises in the morning feeling quite inadequate to meet the requirements of the day. As she sees what her children need, and compares their needs with her ability to meet them, she can but exclaim "Who is sufficient for these things?" There is nothing for her to do but to do the best she can, even though it be a very poor best. When nine o'clock calls the teacher to her pupils, not always is she in the best mood for answering that call. But she is required only to do the best she can. The student sits down to a hard lesson, perhaps with aching head, with dull perceptions, with unretentive memory, and his very best efforts fail to make him master of it. His conscience may give him the peace his standing in the recitation room denies. There are some things for which we may be held responsible in the matter of doing our best. Whatever that is avoidable by us, and that robs us of that ability, we are in duty bound to avoid. We cannot knowingly and willingly put it out of our power to do our best and then complain of the result or deny our responsibility for it. Sometimes the very "stars in their courses" seem to fight against us. The skies are clouded, the storm howls about us, the atmosphere is oppressive, and our "environment" suppresses, chokes Even then all we are required to

do is our best and leave results with a

higher power.

Robt. Wilson is improving after a ten weeks' Illness

Rev. Furbay preached in the M. E. church on Sabbath afternoon.

Commissioner A. W. Mulhollan was seen on our streets on Sunday. Jos. L. Hays, of Punxsutawney, paid

Rathmel a flying visit on Sunday. Richard Hughes, of Adrian, visited

his parents at this place on Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Stevens, of the Church of God, went to Pittsburg on Monday to visit his family. Rev. Craig will fill the pulpit

George Hughes and L. A. Hays have formally accepted the nominations of their respective parties for Justice of Pence in Winslow township. Their letters of acceptance will, however, not likely be given to the public earlier than the first week of February.

#### For Sale

One car of sleighs at very close figures. J. C. KING & Co.

#### Rubber Goods

Have sold well, in fact rubber goods were in great demand this winter. Leather goods sold only where rubbers would not do, hence we have some odds and ends in Shoes which we will sell at a sacrifice. See goods in our windows and if quality and price don't suit you you don't need to come in, if they do, then we can show you other bargains when you are inside. Come to Reed's clearance sale.

REED'S SHOE STORE.

#### Pine Grove

Mrs. Harriet Weary is ill.

Miss Mary Beck is quite ill.

Miss Ida Hetrick was ill but has bout recovered.

Miss Flora Shoemaker has been quite ill but has recovered so as to be able to be about again.

Mrs. George Burkett visited friends near Vantassell on Thursday of last

Dr. J. B. Neale, of Reynoldsville, made a flying trip to this place on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Wm. Moore visited her sister, Mrs. L. W. Perrin, in Warsaw last

G. M. Crawford, of Rockdale Mills, was in this place on business on Tuesday of last week.

W. J. and Miss Edna Moore visited friends in Irishtown on Thursday of last Miss Fannie Horm, of Hazen, was the

guest of her sister, Mrs. M. E. Burkett, for several days the past week.

The Misses Clara and Viola Hetrick entertained quite a number of their young lady friends on Saturday.

The school in this place opened again on Monday. It had been closed for three weeks owing to the illness of the teacher, T. M. Buchanan. We are glad to report his recovery.

Men's solid heel Arctics, all sizes, at Robinson's.

#### Paradise.

Oyster supper at the Grange hall on next Friday night.

A box festival at the Paradise hall on the night of January 25th.

The spelling at the Phillippi school on last Thursday night was a success from the word go.

One of our young men says there is considerable truth in the following

"Tis sweet to court, but O how bitter,

There is a family in this place where there reside three children who should be at school, but for some reason do not go. Is it not about time the directors

Amos Strouse comes to the front this week with the champion rat story. He says he counted sixty-two in his barn one night and that they ran around so fast he couldn't count them.

Grandpa Ludwick has got a large stock of logs at his mill and is ready to start the saw as soon as the weather moderates enough. This will give work to some of our men.

Bill Deemer came very near losing a fine span of mules on one of the recent stormy days. He was hauling logs and left his team stand and went to a shanty to get warm and when he got back the snow had drifted over his team leaving only their ears sticking out, but that was enough to know where to dig for

The Bell, Lewis & Yates C. M. Co. which is operating near this place making mine props, talk of putting more men on their works here to keep up with the demands for timber.

We have heard some people inquire what was wrong with the Paradise correspondent last week. To them we will say this, that we made a New Year's resolution that we would write nothing but the truth and at the time we should have done our writing it was too cold to tell the truth, hence the reason for not writing. We will try and get there hereafter whether it is cold or not.

Red and tan baby shoes 60c. at

A Floating Hotel.

"I wonder," said George Hayser at the Victoria yesterday, "that there is no scheme for a big floating hotel on the lake during the World's fair, modeled after the one just completed in Maine, and which will soon be sent to Florida waters to cruise or float, whichever term may be right. I saw it before I left Maine. It is an immense and rather unwieldly looking affair, and an outside view is not particularly prepossessing, but its interior decoration and the ar-rangements for the convenience and comfort of guests equal almost any of the land hotels, except that it lacks the met-ropolitan character of our large city hotels and has too much of a sporting flavor to suit the average man who is not a Nimrod or a Walton. It will be patronized chiefly by sporting men who will hunt and fish in southern waters. To take the place of cabs, which always stand on the outside of hotels, there are rows of skiffs, and the umbrella receivers, instead of being full of umbrellas and canes, have fishing rods in them.

"Undoubtedly many gentlemen will bring their families with them, so the parlors and ballrooms are fitted up as in land hotels. It is a slow moving craft, and I suppose most of the time it will be stationary, only moving from place to place as reports of good hunting or fishing reach the manager. Most of the hunting expeditions will be made in small boats up into the bayous and rivers and swamps. The management will probably be entirely free from the annoyance of dead beats and hotel sharps, for if they should be detected out on the ocean they might be used as bait for the fishes."—Chicago Tribune.

Advertising as Vanderbilt's Guest. The following unique advertisement has appeared in The Times, and also, with a trifling variation, in The Morning Post:

Mr. R. W. Davey, of London, has arrived at New York on his return trip from Central America, and is at present the guest of Mr. Vanderbilt, the millionaire.

Never before having heard of Mr. R. W. Davey, of London, I am burning for more information concerning this indi-vidual. Who is R. W. Davey? What has be been doing in America? Why is the fact of his being the guest of Mr. Vanderbilt deemed of sufficient public interest for publication as an advertisement in the London papers? Who wants to know where R. W. Davey has been? Who cares where he is now? Evidently R. W. Davey has a large circle of acquaintances who are deeply concerned about his movement, and I shall be glad if any of them will enlighten me on the above points.-London Truth.

#### A Discharged Engineer's Suit.

One of the strangest actions ever brought in the Lawrence county courts has just been commenced by W. P. Nye against the Pittsburg company, which has been improving the new town of Ellwood. Mr. Nye states that he is a locomotive engineer. Sept. 23, 1890, he was induced by the Pittaburg company to accept a position as engineer on the Beaver Valley railroad at \$80 a month, which was increased by working over

On the representations of the company that he would have a permanent posi-tion he bought a house and lot from the Pittaburg company for \$1,750, agreeing to pay \$120 every three months until the whole amount was paid. July 31, 1892, he was discharged, as he says, without cause. He ceased to pay for his house, and now he asks \$2,000 from the company for breach of contract.—Meadville (Pa.) Gazette.

A Singular Bailroad Accident. A case was reported recently of an engineer being killed by his head striking against a sagged telegraph pole as he leaned from his cab window, and several instances are lately noted of brakemen being swept from the roof of cars by bridges. But perhaps the most singular accident of this kind occurred in Missouri last week. An engineer of an Iron Mountain train was leaning out of his cab window passing Williamsville when he was caught by the mail catcher—the iron pole and hook arrangement for catching the mails from moving trains and pulled clean from his engine, through the window, falling beside the track as his train passed on. He was seriously injured.—Exchange.

A Nervous Bridegroom. The First Presbyterian church was the scene of a very pretty wedding at an being Benjamin Spence, of West Bridge-water, Mass., and Miss Bianca Verbeek, of this city. During the ceremony the groom startled the invited guests by falling in a faint. His nervousness agitated the bride, and it was feared a postponethe bride, and it was feared a postpone-ment would be necessary, but at his re-quest, when he regained his composure, the officiating clergyman completed the ceremony. While going down the aisle the groom again fainted and was with much difficulty revived, but recovered sufficiently to take the train for his home in Massachusetts. — Atlantic City Cor. Philadelphia Times.

#### The Dangers in Iced Water

Cautions have been issued by the im-perial health office of Berlin with regard to the use of ice. Investigation has shown that the ice of commerce sold at Berlin contains micro-organisms that ingerous to health, and the conclusion has been arrived at that illnesses frequently observed after iced drinks have been taken have probably less to do with the coldness of the drink than with the disease germs contained in the ice. The public have consequently been warned to eschew drinks and food which have become dangerous to health in the manner suggested.—Cor. Manchester (England) Guardian.

Protests Against the Antioption Bill. There is a marked change between this session and the last so far as the antioption bill is concerned. Last session petitions poured in by bushels asking for the passage of the measure, while now pro-tests are coming in against the senate acting favorably thereon.—Washington Cor. New Orleans Times-Democrat.

#### Miscellancons.

C. MITCHELL,

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BROOKVILLE, PA., PHIL P. CARRIER, Proprietor, Sample rooms on the ground floor. House heated by natural gas. Omnibus to and from all trains.

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## Boots and Shoes!

Ever attempted in the place. Our invoice of last week shows that we have on hand thirtyfive hundred dollars worth of Boots and Shoes. This is by far the largest stock in the place. We intend to close out the entire line in the following manner:

We have reduced the price on all our Boots and Shoes, as you can well see when you come to buy, as our goods are all marked in plain English figures, that is, you can see what they originally sold for and what you can now buy them at. This is inducement number one. Number two is as follows:

We intend to give away every tenth pair of Boots or Shoes, no matter what they originally sold for. A strict account will be kept and the lucky tenth buyer gets their purchase

Ladies have you ever used TABLE FELT on your dining table? If not, you lack this one item to set a nice table. We have it in two grades.

J. B. ARNOLD.

#### REDUCING

Ladies' New Market Coats,

Ladies' 3-4 length Coats,

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Coats.

We will give you a few prices: New Markets are worth 10, 12 and 15 dollars, we are sell-

ing them at 5, 6 and 6.50 dollars. Ladies' fur coats are worth 10, 12 and 15 dollars, we are selling them for 6.50, 7.50

and 8.00 dollars.

# Children's Short Coats

Men's Jersey Shirts worth \$1, reduced to 75 cts. Jersey Shirts worth \$1.25, for 87c. Jersey Shirts worth \$1.50, for \$1. Jersey Shirts worth

\$1.35 for 95c. Boys' Shirts worth 75 cts, for 58 cents.

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