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WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1893.

A large crop of Canada thistles are now ready for harvest on a vacant lot near the corner of Tenth and Railroad streets. The patch needs some ones especial attention. The law is unfriendly to this terror, the Canada thistle.

When Alexander was asked how he had conquered the world, he replied, "By not delaying." A good suggestion for any practical worker in the world. It is from the habit of putting off that so many good things which are thought of are left undone.

The Courier says: "The people of DuBois are returning to dooryard wells for water to drink." DuBois, Lock Haven and other towns are having considerable trouble about getting water. We have an abundance of pure water which is not fully appreciated by all our citizens.

According to the official statement of the Auditors of the World's Fair, the net profits for the month of May and June aggregated \$1,127,417.78. The receipts from various sources since July 1 have been over \$1,000,000, and the floating debt has been largely reduced since that date.

We lose much of the brightness and freshness of life by despising the attainable. We ignore the trifles and pleasures at hand, ever looking beyond for more excellent things. We trample the violets and daisies under our feet. in our rush for the rare exotic in the king's palace; we get neither-one is beyond our reach, the other we refused.

The new act of assembly provides that dogs shall be assessed by the assessors, but the valuation will be fixed by the county commissioners, not to exceed two dollars for each dog. The tax to be collected by the collector of county taxes and paid into the county fund instead of into the school treasury, as heretofore. Damages for sheep killed by dogs will be paid out of the county funds.

A few pointers for married women: 20th. Remember you are married to a man and not a god: be prepared for imperfections. Be a companion to your husband if he is a wise man; and if he is not, try and make him become your companion. Raise his standard; do not let him lower yours. Once in a while let him have the last word; it will gratify him and be no particular loss to you. Anticipate the discovery by your husband that your "only a women:" if you were not he would not care about you. Let him know more than you do once and a while: it keeps up his self-respect, in you will be none the worse for admitthat you are not infallible

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expected to move into sometime in September. Richards moved his family into a house near M. Thomas. Mr. Richards is a railroader and had just made some improvements on his house He did not have any insurance.

Sykes, Allis & Moorehouse are heavy losers. Their hard earned money made a big fire for a short time, but a heap of twisted iron is of little value. Mr. Moorhouse always slept in the mill and kept his clothing there and all the clothing he had left after the fire was his working outfit-hat, pants, shirt, shoes and stockings.

Twenty-eight persons were thrown of employment. Jonathan Whitmore had a wagon in one of the sheds and all that is left of it is the irons.

The flannels, &c., out of the store was hauled to different places in town, one corner of STAR office was piled full, until afternoon and it was stored away in the vacant rooms in the Arnold block.

NOTES.

John Richards' loss will reach nearly four hundred dollars.

Stone were on the ground to build an other addition to the woolen mill.

Forty chickens that were in McEnteer's coop were roasted to death.

Sykes, Allis & Moorhouse expect to rebuild the mill at this place on the old site.

William Burke's house burned was valued at from \$1,000 to \$1,200 with \$500 insurance.

David Coehran was in such bad condition when he got home from the fire a doctor was called.

Fred. Alexander returned from the fire and took a bath and put on dry underwear and fainted away.

A few of the firemen ran to the fire with good suits of clothes on which were not worth much after the fire was over.

Some of the West Reynoldsville people will certainly feel more friendly towards the Reynoldsville water company than they did a week ago. A hose and good water force is very handy when the fire fiend is raging around a neighborhood.

C. F. Hoffman, one of the firemen, looked up just as a burning board was falling and he leaned forward to keep from getting hit on the head and a red hot nail dropped in at his shirt collar and rolled down his back and cooled off where his belt stopped it from going farther.

For a nice fitting shoe go to Robin-

son's.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby give expression to our thankfulness to the fire companies and kind people who worked so hard and willingly to save our household goods and property on the morning of July WILLIAM BURKE,

THOS. C. MCENTEER.

Do You Need Shoes ?

We have the latest styles at popular REED'S SHOE STORE. prices.

Hose Co. No. 1.

Every member of Hose Co. No. 1 is earnestly requested to attend a special meeting at hose room, Thursday evening, July 27th. Election of officers and other important business to transact. F. J. BLACK, Pres.

F. A. ALEXANDER, Sec.

Half Rates to the World's Fair by the P. R. R.

In order to afford an opportunity to the public to visit the World's Fair, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has decided to run a series of popular excur-sions from New York, Philadelphia, and other eastern cities to Chicago. The round trip from Philadelphia is fixed at \$18,25, and proportionate rates, a single fare for the round trip, will prevail from other stations.

The parties will be carried on special trains composed of the newest and best standard passenger coaches, containing all modern conveniences

Persons residing at stations not located on the main line will take connecting trains to the nearest point of connection with the special train.

The first excursion is fixed for July 25th, others are fixed for July 31st, August 12th and 16th. Another series to be run at the same rate and under the same conditions will be announced later. The return coupons of these tickets will be good within ten days, and will be accepted for passage only on trains leaving Chicago at 3.15 P. M. and 11.30 P. M.

The villian who attacked Miss Mabel Sutter near the Company store last Tuesday evening made good his escape, and 'tis well for him that he did. A number of young ladies are afraid to meander any of the dark streets alone after dark now.

Miss LaVerne Kunselman is prepared to do fashionable dressmaking. Cutting and fitting done by system. Rooms at C. S. Aulenbach's, Broadway street, Ohiotown. A share of the ladies' patronage solicited.

That portion of my accounts not paid within a respectable length of time will he left for collection.

DR. J. B. NEALE.

New Oil Field.

[Punxsutawney News.]

The test well that is being put down on the farm of John Lewis, in Perry township, near Perry church, shows every indication that the test is to be a success. The well was to have been put down 2,000 feet, but the other day work suddenly stopped. Of course the mysterious maneuvering that goes on around all test wells is not absent in this case, and probably it is just as well that everybody cannot find out what the test has brought to light or is likely to bring to light, but one thing is certain, a good flow of gas has been struck, and a News representative who has been on the ground declares that the sand shows strong indications of oil. What the next move will be cannot be known. The drilling ceased at 1200 feet.

Horses for Sale

At reasonable prices. I will sell one heavy mare and colt four years old, one horse four years old, one horse three years old, two mares eight years old, one mare colt two years old. M. C. COLEMAN.

See Robinson's \$2.50 Blucher for ladies.

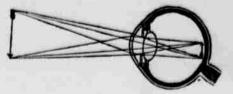
Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the postoffice in Reynoldsville. Pa., July 22, 1893:

GENTS:-M. L. Dinger, John Falls, John G. Gibson, Chas. Kemp, Benja-min Miller, J. H. Parson, Jos. Stein, Frank Windgrove T. H. Rumsey, Jos. Aaron, James Barrell and Lando Brodds

The Weight of Crowds. The load which is produced by a dense rowd of persons is generally taken at 50 to 100 pounds per square foot and is con-idered to be the greatest uniformly dis-ributed load for which a floor need be arbuted load for which a floor need be proportioned. That this value may be argely exceeded in an actual crowd was pointed out by Professor W. C. Kernot of the Melbourne university, Australia, n a paper before the Victorian Institute of Engineers. In an actual trial a class of students averaging 153.5 pounds each n weight were crowded in a lobby con-taining 1.823 source feet making an axtaining 1,823 square feet, making an av-rage floor load of 134.7 pounds. There was still room to have placed another was still room to have placed another man, which would have brought up the loading to 143.1 pounds per square foot. Professor Kernot also quoted from Stoney, who placed 58 Irish laborers averaging 158 pounds each in weight in an empty ship deckhouse measuring 57 square feet floor area. This was a load of 147.4 pounds per square foot In are square feet floor area. In an-of 147.4 pounds per square foot. In an-other test, with 73 laborers crowded into a hut 9 feet by 8 feet 8 inches, Stoney produced a load of 143 pounds per square foot and estimated that two or three more men could have been squeezed in. It appears from these experiments that while the figures ordinarily assumed of 80 to 100 pounds are sufficiently cor-rect for spaces on which there is no cause to induce the collection of great crowds, larger figures, say 140 to 150 pounds per square foot, should be used for railway stations and platforms, entrances and exits to places of public as-semblies or of office buildings, bridge sidewalks, pavements over vaults and other places where dense crowds are likely to gather.-Engineering News.

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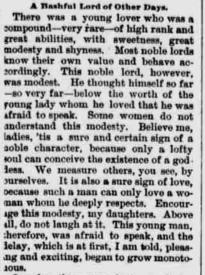
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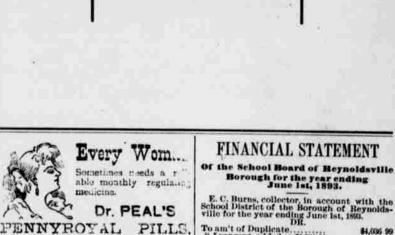
One day they were playing cards for noney, after the fashion of their gen-sration. The lady won; the loser paid. "It is," he said, "half a crown. I wish

ndeed it were a crown. "At least," replied the lady, "your

ordship can give me a coronet." And behold a miracle! For his tongue was loosened, and his eyes glowed, and his lips spake. They lived happy, one may add, though it is an unusual ending o a story, ever afterward.-Walter Be-sant in London Queen.

The Ostrich and Its Eggs.

I am rehearsing a few of the peculiari-ies of the creature which have made it of interest ever since the days of Job. which leaveth her eggs in the earth and warmeth them in the dust." It would sppear to be an evidence of cunning rather than stupidity for Mrs. Ostrich to adopt this very simple method of in-subation. However, it has its disadvan-Sold by H. Alex. Stoke, druggist. ages, for while she is away getting a good dinner her enemy, the white necked row, spies the unguarded nest. He mows he cannot break one of those nammoth eggs and devises a shrewd plan to help him. Taking a stone in his Has been introducing to the P beak he flies over the spot, calculates with bird sagacity the necessary dis-cance and drops the stone. Plunk! An and a broken, and he descends to his least. This is said to be the same kind of a raven that fed the prophet Elijah. His wisdom seems almost of a supernataral order. It is said that the cry of an astrich is like the roar of a lion, and the Hottentots often run from it in fright intil they see the bird .- Detroit Free Press. A Remarkable Bedstead From Bombay. A Bombay man has constructed a pedstead priced at 10,000 rupees. It is hus described: "It has at its four corsers four full sized, gaudily dressed Frecian damsels—those at the head solding banjos, while those on the right and left foot hold fans. Beneath the sot is a quasical box which extends the shole length of the cot and is expedia whole length of the cot and is capable of playing 12 charming airs. The music begins the moment the least pressure ias been brought to bear from the top, which is created by one sleeping or sit-ing, and ceases the moment the indiridual rises. While the music is in progress the lady banjoists at the head nanipulate the strings with their fin-gers and move their heads, while the wo Grecian damsels at the bottom fan he sleeper to sleep."



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The last legislature passed a law providing for the registration in the office of the Register and Recorder of all births and deaths in the respective counties of the Commonwealth. The township and borough assessors are to gather this information and for each birth and death reported to the Commissions are to receive five cents, to be paid out of the county funds. The clerk of the Orphan's Court is to be provided with suitable books in which such registrations are to be recorded, and for every such registration is to receive five cents. Assessors who neglect to comply with the provisions of the law are to be fined \$10 for every omission, and persons who refuse information to the Assessor are subject to a similar fine.-Ex.

Those who achieve most are not always accounted greatest by the people whose collective judgement make up public opinion. Many a politician whose life is given up to trickery and whose days and nights are spent in scheming, receives more praise than the unostentatious individual whose honest work and genius make possible for mankind achievements impossible before. But for all that the world is gradually coming to a better appreciation of what really constitutes a great man. In the old days of kingly rule, when "the divine right" passed unquestioned, and the voice of the people was but an indistinct murmur that rarely reached so high as to disturb a throne, the popular hero, the great man, was the rulor, the master whose bidding was perative, whose right was tradition, and whose authority was that given by might. But with the spread of republican ideas, with the growth of the belief that it is the people who are masters, the world's ideas has been changing, until it is now more nearly ng, until it is now more nearly tes that of the Great Teacher who hade the greatest be a servant and he chief a minister.

The nicest \$2.50 shoe in town at Robinon's

Vote of Thanks.

The officers, teachers and scholars of the Reynoldsville Baptist Bible school tender their thanks to Messrs. Elliott and Mellinger of the R. & F. C. R'y Co. for their kindness and courtesy in placing cars at our disposal and conveying us to the grove at Big Soldier mine for our picnic, Thursday, July 20, 1893.

E. T. DERR, Pastor. W. S. STONE, Sup't.

Good house for rent. Inquire of Henry A. Reed.

Teachers Wanted-Salaries Paid.

The school directors of Winslow township will meet at the Ohiotown school house, on Saturday, July 29th, 1893, to elect teachers for the various schools of the township. All applications with recommendations, certificates, &c., must be handed in before that time. The following salaries will be paid: Ohiotown schools, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, 840; No. 3, 835; Prescottville, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35: Rathmel, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; Dean, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; Sykesville, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; all schools not graded, \$40.

J. B. SYKES, Sec.

When in need of shoes go to Henry A. Reed, "the shoe man." He can suit you to a T.

Bids Wanted.

The school directors will receive bids until the first of August for the janitor work at the school house for the coming term of school. All bids to be handed to David Wheeler, president of the board. JOS. M. CATHERS, Sec.

The people of Reynoldsville and vicinity know when they have a good thing; that accounts for the great increase in business at Reed's shoe store. Henry is a worker and knows how to buy and sell good footwear.

LADIES:-Mrs. Sam Danbruspeck, Mrs. Anna Kougher and Miss Emma Stiffler.

When calling for the above letters please say they were advertised.

J. W. FOUST, P. M.

Shoes for style, shoes for wear, shoe for comfort at Reed's shoe store.

"Fire! Fire! Fire!"

REYNOLDSVILLE, PA., July 5, 1893. To all whom it may concern:

My dwelling house on Hill street Reynoldsville, Pa., was struck by lightning on June 25th and was insured in N. G. Pinney's agency, Brookville, Pa., by Walter Spry, solicitor. The loss was paid Thursday and I can recommend Pinney's agency as prompt and reliable.-10-6. JOHN WILLIAMS.

Shoes a yard wide at Robinson's,

NOTICE.

TREASURY DEP'T OFFICE OF

TREASURY DEP'T OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, May 27, '93. Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Reynoldsville," in the Borough of Reynoldsville, in the County of Jefferson, and State of Pennsylva-na has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, re-quired to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to com-mence the business of banking. Monther of the Currency, do hereby for the Statute of the Currency, do hereby of Reynoldsville, in the Forst National Bank of Reynoldsville, "In the Borough of Reynoldsville, in the County of Jef-ferson and State of Pennsylvania is an-torized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Re-vised Statutes of the United States. The testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 27th day of Marking as more the states.

[No. 4908.] Compt'r of the Currency.

Tobacco and Microbes.

Dr. Tassinari has published in the talia Termale the result of an investi-ration into the effects of tobacco smoke m microbes. He finds that the smoke st the Cavour, Virginia and Tuscan ci-pars and all black and chopped tobaccos cossesses a very pronounced bactericide ower, especially against the bacillus of sistic cholers. This microbicide action nay in all probability be attributed to he products of nicotine. In epidemics if cholera and typhus the use of tobacco nay be rather useful than hurtful. Toacco smoke merits special consideration m the hygiene of the mouth as a pro-hylactic means of combating microbian iffections of the buccal cavity.

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