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Liberia.
Liberia shares with Haiti the distinction of being the only place in the world where the negro rules not only himself, but also such white men as dwell there. Liberia's history has been one long record of intertribal and civil wars, although its record in this respect, it is only fair to say, is less sanguinary than that of Haiti. In fact, so careful is the Liberator of his skin when fighting is in progress that it has become a standing joke that a Liberator battlefield is the safest place on earth and that to become a soldier in Liberia is to embrace the least dangerous profession known to mankind. —Pearson's Weekly.

The Prettiest Feet.
A Swiss professor named Redorta states that not one woman in a score has a perfect foot owing to the wearing of high heeled boots and pointed toe shoes. Russian, German, American, Austrian and Dutch women, he says, have broad feet, while those of Englishwomen are too narrow to fulfill classical and healthy conditions. The women of the Latin races, excluding Frenchwomen, have the best formed and therefore the prettiest feet, the professor says.

Reptiles' Eggs.
Reptiles' eggs are not very attractive objects. In the case of crocodiles and many kinds of tortoises they are pale colored or white and resemble those of birds in shape. But the egg of the gopher tortoise is remarkable for its complete roundness. It might well be mistaken for a golf ball. Many snakes' eggs are soft skinned, brown as to color and look for all the world like a number of new potatoes. —Scientific American.

Enthusiasm.
The organist sent a little boy to inquire of the minister what the first hymn would be. "Tell her," said the minister. "I would like 'Carol, Brothers, Carol.'"
The little boy thought he said "Howl, Brothers, Howl," and told the organist that the minister's selection was "Yell, Brothers, Yell." —New York Times.

Runs in the Family.
Mr. Agile (to Mr. Stoutman, running for a car)—Hello, old boy! I thought you were too lazy to run like that. Mr. Stoutman (danguldy)—Easily explained, my dear boy. Laziness runs in our family. —Lippincott's.

Colburn People Here Yesterday

A large number of stockholders of the Colburn Machine Glass Company came to Reynoldsville yesterday to see the glass machine in the Star Glass plant operate. The machine will cease operations to-day pending the action of the directors of the Colburn Company at a meeting to be held in New York City Saturday of this week.

Political Pot Is Boiling

A convention composed of prominent Jefferson county politicians of both parties met in the Star Glass office at Reynoldsville Friday night and named P. W. Boyd, of Punxsutawney, and A. D. Deemer, of Brookville, as delegates to the "third party" convention to be held in Philadelphia July 28th.

Raymond E. Brown, of Brookville, acted as chairman of the convention and W. L. McCracken, of Brookville, as secretary.

BANKERS ORGANIZE.

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tution represented in the association, has become a remote possibility.

The officers of the Association are:

President, S. A. Rinn, Punxsutawney; vice presidents, John E. DuBois, DuBois; G. E. Hildebrand, Indiana; R. M. Wilson, Indiana, J. H. Fink, Punxsutawney; secretary, E. E. Lindemuth, Clearfield; treasurer, George W. Canoe, Houtzdale.

Executive Committee, L. W. Robinson, Punxsutawney, chairman; M. I. McCreight, DuBois; C. S. Russell, Curwensville; B. M. Marlin, DuBois; H. B. Powell, of Clearfield; W. H. Sanford, Patton.

Admission Committee, C. G. Avery, Philipsburg, chairman; James R. Daugherty, Indiana; Charles Irvin, Big Run; A. E. Woolridge, Clearfield; H. S. Whiteman, Jr., Clearfield; A. L. Haggerty, Coalport.

The banks represented last week, and comprising the members of the association are:

Punxsutawney—Punxsutawney National Bank, Farmers & Miners Trust Company.

DuBois—Deposit National Bank, DuBois National Bank; Union Banking and Trust Company.

Clearfield—County National Bank, Clearfield National Bank, Clearfield Trust Company, Farmers and Traders National Bank.

Indiana—Citizens' National Bank, First National Bank, Farmers' Bank, Indiana County Deposit Bank, Savings and Trust Company.

Reynoldsville—Citizens' National, First National, People's National.

Curwensville National Bank, Houtzdale National Bank, Maderia National Bank, Coalport National Bank, Glen Campbell First National Bank, Rural Valley National Bank, First National Bank, Plumville; Mahanoy National Bank; First National Bank, Philipsburg; Bituminous National Bank, Winburne; First National Bank, Falls Creek; Citizens' National Bank, Big Run; First National Bank, Sykesville; Jefferson County National Bank, Brookville; First National Bank, Ocoola Mills; First National Bank, Blairsville; Dayton National Bank; Bank of Josephine.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

Treating Barked Maple Trees.

A business man of Mauch Chunk, Pa., whose maple shade trees were badly barked to the sapwood, sent a letter to Prof. H. A. Surface, State Zoologist, for information as to what to do to help the trees outgrow their injury, to which the Professor dictated the following reply:

"Replying to your letter asking what to do to help your maple shade trees, which have been skinned to the sapwood, I beg to say that I can recommend nothing better than to treat immediately any tree that has been skinned, by painting it with warm or melted grafting wax, and then covering it with a thick plaster made of equal parts of fresh cow manure and clay, bound in place with cloths such as old gunny sacks. Part of the virtue of treatment, for a skinned or peeled tree, consists in giving an immediate application to keep it from becoming dry. If I had no other way to do this at once, I should simply apply a coating of mud and when I could get the grafting wax ready I should wash off the mud, and then give the grafting-wax application, because this would be more permanent than anything else.

"It would also be well to cut back the tops of the trees to some extent, because the area through which sap has been flowing has now been reduced, and it will give a reduction in the vitality of the tree if not cut back some.

The Sunny Side of Superstition.

That there is anything genial, cheering or therapeutically valuable about superstition may seem a tall statement. The adjective generally associated with it is "dark." On the contrary, there is something very brightening about a four leaf clover. Who is not a little more of an optimist for picking up a horseshoe? What lonely farmer's wife, stormbound on a winter afternoon, with unwelcome leisure on her hands, but feels a little quickening of the pulse as she drops her scissors and beholds them sticking in the carpet or discovers that she has laid an extra place at the table? Company signs are the commonest and welcomed of all superstitions. The scissors, the needle, the dishcloth, the fork, the Saturday sneeze, all inculcate hospitality and reward it by an unexpected visitor. If the needle slants as it stands up in the crack of the floor it foretells a gentleman. Run, young daughters of the house, and put a blue bow in your hair! —Atlantic Monthly.

Working It Out.
The following note was delivered to a schoolmistress recently:

"Dear Mum—I am sorry that Johnny won't be able to come to school to-day. He has gone with his father to act as timekeeper. The sum you gave Johnny last night was, 'If the road is one and a quarter miles long how long will it take a man to walk that distance twenty-six and a half times, his average rate of progress being three and three-quarter miles per hour? Johnny ain't a man yet, so as dad's the only man in this house he had to go. They started at 4 o'clock this morning, and dad said he'd finish the sum in one day if he could manage it, though it would mean hard going. Dear mum, next time you want any information please make it 'woman', then I can do the sum and dad can go to his work." —London Scraps.

Knicker—How large is their suburban place? Bocker—Large! Why, they have to have folding beds for the flowers. —New York Sun.

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