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Help... Nature

Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.



will generally correct this difficulty.

If you will put from one-fourth to half a teaspoonful in baby's bottle three or four times a day you will soon see a marked improvement. For larger children, from half to a teaspoonful, according to age, dissolved in their milk. If you so desire, will very soon show its great nourishing power. If the mother's milk does not nourish the baby, she needs the emulsion. It will show an effect at once both upon mother and child.

See and get all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

THE new (?) developed political ringsters of Cambria county should adhere to the old adage of "Pot Shouldn't Call Kettle Black."

It is estimated that this year the yield of the three principal grains will be: Corn, 2,121,600,000 bushels; oats, 775,000,000 bushels, and wheat, 560,140,000 bushels.

MISTAKES of the war seem to be as numerous as the "Mistakes of Moses." Now comes a naval expert who says that the sinking of the Merrimac was a strategical blunder.

THE disparity between a \$75,000 reception in New York and an \$11,000 gift house in Washington, will doubtless cause Admiral Dewey to wonder why the figures were not reversed.

THE Pittsburg Dispatch says that twenty-five hundred more steel cars ordered from the Pittsburg works had the capacity sold up for 11 months ahead! Certainly the times are busy for Pittsburg.

THE South American combine against the United States turns out to be only a trade alliance. It could not be well otherwise. Where would the South American Republics be to-day were it not for the protecting arm of the United States.

The late Hastings Tribune says that it will doubtless surprise F. J. O'Connor, Esq., to learn that he is "boss" of the Democratic party in Cambria county. You're right it will. He's the whole shooting match—not a common boss, as that title, so it is said by many Democrats, is claimed by the ring candidate for Commissioner.

TIMOTHY M. SHEEHAN, one of the most popular and enterprising farmers of Clearfield township, who was the popular choice of all Democrats of Cambria county for county commissioner, was a visitor to Patton Friday, where he received congratulations from every person he met with. Tim is very popular and all who have formed his acquaintance have the kindest regards for him, regardless of party.

TOO BAD, TOO BAD, that we happened to trample on the toes of Righteous Jehoshaphat Kaylor, the little insignificant and dying-to-get-in-the-"push" editor of the would-be leading Democratic paper in Cambria county, nit, known as the late Hastings Tribune, now located at the county seat. It is certainly news to many Democrats of the north to learn that Brother Kaylor is such an ardent supporter of Englehart, the ring candidate of the Johnstown aggregation, not saying a word how he tried to carry water on both shoulders in the treasurer'ship fight. We honestly acknowledge the fact that

we might stand a little seasoning as suggested by the editor with the swelled-head, who praises his own ability as an editorial writer, but we will, however, have a port hole large enough in the "brick kiln of which our town is famous," to be able to observe a few things that may transpire once a week, at any rate, until we are eligible to membership in Brother Kaylor's conception of journalism, which is noted for saying "real pretty things."

NOTEWORTHY results may in time be produced under the system lately put in operation in some states of the Union whereby primary elections are held under public authority says Bradstreet's. A striking indication of this has just been furnished by the outcome of the first primary election held in San Francisco under the new state law. It appears from the press dispatches that what has been regarded as the machine element in both the Republican and Democratic parties has been overwhelmingly defeated. This result took place upon a total poll representing about 50 per cent. of the average vote at a biennial election. The result, which is sufficiently remarkable, not to say surprising, one, goes to sustain the contention of those promoters of the improvement of politics who have insisted that a decided advance would be made by making primary elections in effect public functions. It is of a nature to encourage the optimists of democracy and to rebuke the cynics who have cloaked their selfish abstention from participation in politics under the plea that effort by the independent citizen must in the nature of things be resultless. The outcome in San Francisco furnishes a fresh and invigorating commentary on the courageous maxim that "our doubts are traitors."

LORETO'S CENTENNIAL.

St. Michael's Day to be Celebrated With Pomp and Ceremony.

On Friday, September 29th, St. Michael's Day will be commemorated with much pomp and ceremony, the 100th anniversary of the founding of the town of Loreto, this county, by the Apostle of the Alleghenies. This day was doubtless selected because Father Gallitain named the church he erected there in 1799 St. Michael's, and the name is still applied to the church and congregation.

About the year 1787 Captain Michael McGuire, a brave soldier of the Revolutionary war, settled near Loreto on land adjoining the present town, now owned and occupied by Henry Eversy. McGuire and his family as well as those that subsequently joined the colony, were Catholics, and to attend to their spiritual wants they occasionally secured the services of a priest from Conewago or Georgetown. On one of these occasions, in 1799, Father Schmet, or Smith, as he was then known, but now famous the world over as Demetrius Augustine Gallitain, prince and priest, visited the outlying colony, and, being pleased with the people and the place, and desiring to immerse himself from the world in this then almost inaccessible wilderness, sought and obtained permission of his ecclesiastical superior to locate there. Having obtained the desired permission, he soon began the erection of a small log church, and in this unpretentious edifice on Christmas day, 1799, the "Gloria in Excelsis" of midnight mass first broke the solitude of the forest where but a few years previously the echoes reverberated with the war-hoop of the Indian.

From that time forward for more than a quarter of a century, the growth of Loreto was comparatively rapid, but its distance from railroad facilities has for the past sixty-five years operated against its material advancement. It is, however, a centre of culture and refinement, owing to the long existence in its midst of St. Francis' college and St. Aloysius academy.

In Honor of the Soldiers.

Welcome the brave Tenth Pennsylvania heroes. Next Sunday's "Philadelphia Press" (August 20) will be a souvenir in their honor. It will be filled with half-tone reproductions of the photographs taken in San Francisco by the "Sunday Press" photographer, especially for this edition. The landing of the troops, incidents of the routing demonstration made in their honor, the individual heroes and snap shots of many scenes will be shown in this magnificent souvenir edition. Colonel George Nox McCain, the only Philadelphia staff correspondent who went out to meet "the boys in blue," has written for this edition all about their work in the Philippines, the tragedies and comedies of war, incidents which make heroes, stories that will make you laugh and tales that will bring the tear. Artists and photographers will unite to illustrate the deeds of the sons of the Keystone State, in this great souvenir edition. Be sure to get next Sunday's "Press."

Ebensburg Firm Bankrupt.

Fralley Bros., who conduct the Economy Clothing & Shoe House at Ebensburg, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court at Pittsburg last Tuesday. The liabilities of the firm are \$2,247, and assets \$105. There are no individual liabilities, but the assets aggregate \$250.

A \$3 Newman hat for \$1.50 at Goldstein's.

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