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Election District, will attend at Guilford Factory, on Monday and Tuesday, the 1st and 2d days of September, 1879, and at James P. Haship's Store, on the Wash-

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The Registration Act of 1876, provides (Section 4) that ed from the precinct or election district in which they have been registered, or who may not be residents thereof, or entitled to vote therein, or have become disqualified under the provisions of the second and third sections of the first article of the Constitution, and shall deliver to any person whose name appears on the said list of qualified voters, and who may the said list of quarmed voters, and who may be desirous of registering elsewhere, a certifi-cate of registration, and shall strike from the books of registration the names of all persons so applying for certificates of registration, as also the names of all dead, removed or disqualified person or persons who may not be residents of the precinct or election district in which he is registered, or may not be entitled to vote therein, under the Constitution and Laws of this State, as the case may be; and shall also state in such books the cause for such striking off of the names respectively, and apply to said officers to be registered as a qualified voter, who shall satisfy them that he possesses, or before the day of election next assume will possess the requisite application. ensuing, will possess the requisite qualifica-tions under the Constitution of the United States, and the laws made in pursuance thereof and of the Constitution of the State of Mary land, and the qualifications of age, citizenship and residence, and is not qualified under the

provisions of the second and third sections of the first article of the Constitution; and before registering any person as a qualified voter, the said Officers of Registration shall administer to him the following oath or affirmation: I will true answers make to all questions neces sary to ascertain my qualification or disquali fleation to be registered as a qualified voter,' but nothing herein contained, shall be con strued to authorize said registers to ask any questions touching any cause of disqualifica-tion not expressly enumerated in the Constitu tion of the State of Maryland, or of the United

States." All male citizens, without distinction of color who are entitled to registration under the preceding section, are hereby notified to appear before the undersigned, at the places named above, between the hours prescribed, on one of the five days and be registered. They may otherwise be excluded from voting at the November election, by the provisions of the Act of Assembly and the Constitution of the State

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#### Couldn't Help Her.

The gates at the passenger depots which shut out all people not having tickets for the trains were yesterday closed at Union depot against an elderly woman wearing spectacles and using an umbrella for a cane. "Can't pass without a ticket," said the man at the gate as she came up.

"I want to see if there's anybody on that train going to Port Huron," she answered.

"Cau't pass without a ticket, madam." "I've got a darter in Port Huron, I have."
"Can't help it, please. My orders are very

"Itell you I want to send word to my dar ter!" she exclaimed, adjusting her spectacles for a better view of the official. "Yes, but we can't help that," you see.
"Please show your ticket."
"I want this 'ere raitroad to understand that Pve got a darter in Port Huron, and she's got a baby four weeks old, and Pm going to send her word in cold of all. send her word in spite of all the gates in this

"Please show your ticket madam,"
She gave the old unbrella a whirl and rought it down on his head with all the vim of an old-fashioned log-raising, and as he staggered aside she passed and said; "There's my ticket, sir, and I've got more behind it! Mebbs one man and a gate can stop me from sending word to my darter to grease the baby's nose with mutton taller if the weather changes cold, but I don't be-And she walked down to the train, found

#### THE OLD, OLB STORY.

Tis told an Eastern monarch, great From triumphs won, returned in state
And made a grand parade;
And at her latticed window high,
To watch the gorgeous train pass by,
There sat a lovely maid.

Eager to see, she pressed the sash.
The slight frame broke with sudden crash,
And fell into the street.
A splinter struck a gallant knight,
He upwards glanced; there met his sight,
The little maiden sweet.

She blushed; he smiled; you know the rest My tale you have already guessed, The end of course is plain. The maid, confused, drew back from view;

The knight passed on, amidst his crew. They never met again.

Rubber-Gathering on the Amazons, The following account of a most interest ing industry occurs in the second paper in the Scribner series on Brazil by Herbert H. Smith:
The rubber-swamps are all around, but land traveling is out of the question. So an Indian canoe-man is engaged—a good natured fellow and adept in wood-craft. He sets us across and adept in wood-craft. He sets us across the river at a half-ruined hut, where bright vines clamber over the broken thatch and hang in long festoons in front of the low doorway; but within, the floor is sodden black clay, and dark mold hangs on the sides, and the air is like a sepulcher. The single solitary manuluca woman who inhabits the place complains bitterly of the ague which torments her; yet year after year until the house falls. plams bitterly of the ague which torments her; yet year after year, until the house falls to pieces, she will go on dying here, because, forsooth, it is her own and the rubber trees are near. She will not even repair the structure. You can see the sky through the roof, but if rain drives in she will swing her hammock in another corner, and shiver on through the night as best she may; for to morrow the night as best she may; for to-morrow there are rubber trees to be tapped, and a fresh harvest of the precious milk to be brought

home—and what will you have? One must expect discomfort in a swamp.

Back of the house the rubber trees are seattered—through marshy forest, where we clamber over logs and sink into pools of mud, and leap the puddles; where the mosquitos are bloodthirsty, and nature is damp and dark and threatening, where the silence is unbroken by bass, or bird, silence is unbroken by bass, or bird. ken by besse or bird—a silence that can be felt; it is like a temb in which we are buried, away from the sunshine, away from the brute and man, alone with rotting death. The very beauty of our forcest tomb makes us shudder

by its intenseness. In the early morning, men and women come with baskets of clay cups on their backs, and little hatchets to gash the trees. Where the white milk drips down from the gash they stick their cups on the trunk with daubs of clay models and the cartaly and the control of the control of the cartaly and the car clay, molded so as to catch the whole flow. If the tree is a large one, four or five gashes may be cut in a circle around the trunk. On the next day other gashes are madea little below these, and so on until the rows reach the ground. By eleven o'clock the flow of milk has ceased, and the *seringueiros* come to collect the contents of the cups in calabash jugs. A and twenty trees or more, wading always through these dark marshes, and paying dear-l yfor his profit in fever and weakness. Our mameluca hostess has brought in her day's gathering—a calabash full of the white

for which our guide has been preparing. Over a smouldering fire, fed with hard nuts of the tucuma palm, he places a kind of clay chimney, like a wide-mouthed bottomiess jug; through this the thick smoke pours in a constant stream. Now he takes his mold—in this ease a wooden one, like a round-bladed pad dle-washes it with the milk, and holds i over the smoke until the liquid coagulates. Then another coat is added, only now, as the wood is heated, the milk coagulates faster. It may take the gatherings of two or three days to cover the mold thickly enough. Then the rubber is still a dull white, but in a short time it turns brown and finally almost black, as it is sent to the market. The mass is cut from the paddle and sold to traders in the vil-lage. Bottles are sometimes made by molding the rubber over a clay ball, which is then broken up and removed. Our old-fashioned rubber shoes used to be made in this way.

### The Victoria Cross.

The Victoria Cross was founded in the year 855, the period of the Crimean war, and was instituted as a special military and naval dis-tinction for distinguished conduct in the field. It consists of a plain, unpretentious piece of bronze medal in the shape of a Maltese cross, and is manufactured from guns which have been taken from the enemy. On the front of it is the figure of a lion above a scroll, which bears the simple and appropriate motto, "For Valour," and on the reverse are inscribed the name of the recipient and the date of the deed of bravery for which it had been conferred. On the top of the cross is a crown and the initial letter V, through which passes the ribbon by which it is suspended. The cross is conferre on all ranks alike in the Army and Navy, and when worn, is distinguished by a red ribbon for the Army, and a blue one for the Navy. It also carries with it a pension, varying from £10 for a private to \$100 for an officer. Apart from this, there is no distinction whatever, and its bestowal on a drummer or private as well as on an officer is duly announced in the Gazette accompanied by a full recital of the brave deed which has won it, and giving its possessor the right, if he chooses to exercise it, of placing the letters V. C. after his name. In the case of officers, this last-named privilege is taken full advantage of; but the privates or drummers have never, as far as we are aware, attached these honorable initials to their names. Perhaps this is because their superior officers have never encouraged them to do so, and the modest fellows—for the truly brave are ever modest-have never had the moral courage to assert their right in this respect. The Victoria Cross is very sparingly bestowed, and its value is enhanced by the fact that it can only be obtained by a genuine act of bravery, performed in the presence of others and certified to by the hero's commanding officer. The recommenda-tion is then forwarded through the General commanding to the Secretary of War, who in his turn submits it to the Queen. Though conferred on officers as well as rank and file, it is essentially a soldier's distinction; and the majority of the members of this most honorable of all military orders consists of non-commissioned officers, drummers and privates. It reflects great honor on the drummers of the British Army that so many of their comrades have gained the Victoria Cross; the recends of the Crimean, Indian mutiny, and other later wars containing splendid deeds of bravery and devotion performed by the holders of this once respised rank. This is the more to be admired, as the bugler or drummer has very few chances of distinguishing himself; but when an oppor-tunity does occur he is never remiss. It was a drummer who helped to fasten the powderongs on the gates of Delhi, the destruction of which resulted in the capture of the mutinous city of the Great Moguls in 1857. The act was performed amid a perfect shower of shot and shell, and was rewarded—some months afterwant-with the Victoria Cross. It was also a drummer who, while acting as field-bugler to Lord Napier of Magdala in the Abyssinian war, lett the General's side and dashed first into the stronghold of the tyrant—Chambers's Tournal.

-The following is from the Pic-nic Hints in the New Haven Register: "It is of the highest importance that your mother-in-law should be invited. As a commander in chief she will be indespensable. Also ask your mother. Some oody must be on hand to wash the dishes. A pic.nie without lemonade would be no pic-nie at all; so you tip over the wash tub and mop out the dust, and concoct a beverage that has all the deliciousness of the lemon, combined with the flavor or onions that were brought to And she walked down to the train, total some one going to Port Huron and came back the ground in that self same tub. An ominous humming the melody of "The Three Blind the ground in that self same tub. An ominous rumble of thunder and a hurry and scurry of looked at him carefully, and, noting the size of his mouth, replied, "I don't doubt it; but it -When a young man with a small salary proposes to one of the opposite sex with a small amount of common sense, he generally receives ner consent to starve her to death,

The editor of a New York State Journal on laying down his professional labors, em-braces the occasion to give utterance to some sentiments which are applicable the world over among newspaper readers:

Having for nearly seven years been a weekly visitor at your homes, kindly sharing the hospitality, and, we kope, contributing somewhat to the comfort of the same, it only remains to shake hands all around, take an affectionate and heart-breaking farewell, and

mains to shake hands an around, fectionate and heart-breaking farewell, and come no more, probably, forever.

Good-bye. It has been spoken over the dead lying in their coffins. It has been spoken when an ocean was to roll in between parting hearts, but it never is spoken with such pathos and unction as when a country editor, with the memory of his grabbings and his scant comforts pressing upon him, hands his valedictory over to the compositor, puts the stub end of his worn out pencil into his breeches pocket, and shuffles his rheumatic legs down stairs, to go no more back forever.

I thank the Lord that thare is one thing in this world that money kant buy, and that is the wag ov a dog's tail.

I notiss one thing, the man who rides on the kars every day is satisfied with one seat, but he who rides once a year wants four.

bound to be forgiven.
Farmers, good-bye. You are the dorsal column of the country editor's subscription list. It could not stand erect without your foothcoming book, Old Probabilities. mortgage, like a great morass in the center of a pleasant meadow, shall obstruct your pros-perity. Have you ever given us wood of scrimp pattern and highly perforated cord-age? The act is forgiven. Have you ever given us butter of most unhallowed flavor? Malays have acquired most unhallowed flavor?

have enemies. Don't prattle all over the village about the short comings of the editor—

Britain group, the Papuans of New Zealand have a remarkable custom, which even the East have enemies. Don't prattican over the village about the short comings of the editor—have a remarkable custom, which even the East cannot match. Girls of 6 or 8 years old are shim to get news, and see that he has his share of your money to do business with. Don't extinguishers, made of palm leaves, out of extinguishers, made of palm leaves, out of or your money to do business with. Don't loaf around his office and steal his time. He knows more about his business, probably, than you do. Help, jbut don't hinder. Again,

#### Clerical Humor.

The Louisville Courier Journal correspondent at Saratoga writes as follows: "The most genial people one meets at Saratoga are the clergymen who come here for recreation. They have many amusing anecdotes, which they enjoy getting off at their own expense or that of their colleagues. Among the distinguished divines who are now here are Bishop Whipple divines who are now here are Bishop Whipple The Louisville Courier Journal corresponthe contents of the cups in caiabash jugs. A gill or so is the utmost yield from each tree, and a single gatherer may attend to a hundred and Drs. Schenek, Potter, and Charles Robin-

"At the times and places of which notice shall be so given the said respective Officers of liquid, in appearance precisely like milk. If lett in this condition it coagulates after a while and forms a whitish gum. To make the black rubber of commerce the milk must go the first of qualified voters the names of all persons in their respective wards or election disthrough a peculiar process of manufacture, bury had a dread of paralysis, and made it a bury had a dread of paralysis, and made it a subject of prayer that he might escape the calamity. A grand concert was given in London, and a distinguished Duke and Duchess invited the Archbishop to accompany them and take a seat in their private box. The Archbishop occupied a seat between the Duke and Duchess. Before the evening was over the Duchess manifested great uneasiness. She would bound from her seat, and her manner would bound from her seat, and her manner The Duke gave her reproving glances, and

by his manner let her understand that her behavior bordered on the indecorous. The attention of the husband and wife was now directed to the Arenbishop, who meekly folded his hands upon his breast and said: 'It has come! At last it has come! Oh Lord, give me patience to bear it.' 'Bear what, your lordship?' in quired the Duke. 'Paralysis,' said the Archbishop; 'I have feared it and prayed against it.' 'But,' said the Duke, 'don't you think you are mistaken? I see nothing unusual in your looks.' 'I cannot be mistaken,' said the Archbishop, for I have been pinching my leg vigorously all the evening, and I have no sensation in it.' 'Oh,' cried the Duchess, 'it is my leg that you have been pinching, and I did not know what to make of it.' The telling of this absurd story created such merriment among the reverends that for the time they forgot all the ailments which had necessitated

#### ı visit to Saratoga."

John Wesley's Dream. John Wesley, the eminent theologian, once was troubled in regard to the disposition of the various sects, and the chances of each in reference to future happiness or punishment A dream one night transported him in its un certain wanderings to the gates of hell.

'Are there any Roman Catholics here asked thoughtful Wesley. 'Yes,' was the reply.

'Any Presbyterians?' 'Yes,' was again the answer. 'Any Congregationalists?'

'Any Methodists?' by way of a clincher isked the pious Wesley. 'Yes,' was answered to his great indigna-

In the mystic way of dreams, a sudden transition, and he stood at the gates of Heaven. Improving his opportunity, he again in-'Are there any Roman Catholics here?'

'No,' was replied. 'Any Presbyterians?'

'Any Congregationalists?'

'Any Methodists?'

'Well then,' he asked, lost in wonder, 'who 'Christians? was the jubilant answer.

#### Mythology Modernized.

The Norristown Herald thus caustically rves up the ancient myth regarding Neme When she was little she was called 'sis.' without the Neme. She was the goddess of punishment—the terror of all evil-doers, tracking every crime to its door, or alley gate, as the case might be. When the cashier of the First National bank of Olympus appropriated \$50,000 of the bank's funds and skipped to Switzerland to drink in the beauties of the mountain scenery and grow up with the country.

Switzerland to drink in the beauties of the mountain scenery and grow up with the country.

Our old friend Pickering says that he has mountain scenery and grow up with the country, Nemesis jumped into her car, whipped np her team of gryphons and speedily over-took the offender. She discovered the Manhattan bank burglars, but she is mighty dilatory in getting on the track of the Stewart grave robbers. The fact is, the avenging Nemesis of modern days is a misera-ble failure... The man who embezzles \$75,000, if ever overtaken by her, is awarded a few months' imprisonment, while the man who abducts a ham to feed his starving family is quickly grasped by the modern Nemesls and sent up for three years. She is altogether too. opsided in her manner of wreaking vengeance. As long as the cliptomaniae newspaper man is permitted to thrive and wear better clothes than the journalist from whom he pilfers we shall conclude that Nemesis is either dead, or has espoused the cause of the women's rights advocates, and has no time to devote to the avenging business.

- A gentleman once remarked to a witty lady

#### Josh Billingsisms.

If a young men hain't got a well-balanced head ilike to see him part hiz hair in the mid-

I don't take any foolish chances. It i wuz called upon to mourn over a dead mule i should stand in front of him and do my weeping. There is no man so poor but what he kan afford to keep one dog, and i have seen them so poor that they could afford to keep three.

I say to 2 thirds of the ritch people in this

legs down stairs, to go no more back forever.

"We part upon the square." We proclaim general amnesty all round. We expire forgiving our enemies and shall haunt those who obstinately refuse to forgive us. We are be forgiven. The man who rides on the kars every day is satisfied with one seat, but he who rides once a year wants four.

Flattery is like colone water; to be smelled of, not swallowed.

The man whom you kant wit to write poetry

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#### Papuan Young Ladies.

given us butter of most unhallowed flavor?
We hope, after a little, to forgive even this.
There is a particular class of patrons whom every departing country editor remembers with special gratitude. It is the substantial, thoroughly steadfast, patrons—the men who are never blown out of favor with him by the light gusts of ill wind. They are the men who cash their bills with thoroughly professional honor and proptness. We remember all such men in Groton with downright and uncompromising gratitude. We count their names with thankfullness. They are like the brick walls which hold this office above the dust that vexes the street below.

Support the new management. A country newspaper needs friends, and cannot afford to have enemics. Don't prattle all over the village about the short comings of the additional properties. The girls are taken out once a day to wash, but they never leave the house. Mr. Wallace says that the young ladies do not seem to suffer in health.

of Minneapolis, Rev. Dr. Cuyler of New York and Drs. Schenek, Potter, and Charles Robinson.

"On the piazza at the United States a merry group was seen the other day. The laughter was louder than usually breaks upon the stiff conventional propriety which reigns among the fashionable cliques who contempropriety the fashionable cliques who contempropriet in the counter to in the fashionable cliques who contempropriet in the counter to incomplet the fashionable cliques who contempropriet in the counter to in the fashionable cliques who contempropriet in the current coin; but, lacking that, gave him two valuable bits of information; assurant in the valuable bits of information; as a valuable bits of informa himself by turning the couplet;

#### Yelping terrier, rusty key, Was Walter Scott's first Jeddart fee.

-A story comes of an incident in a school in Southampton, England, some years since.
The boys were being examined in the history of England, and the answers were mainly dates of events more or less important in the history of the British empire. Among the pu-pils was the son of an American sea captain, a bright specimen of young America. Being questioned concerning dates in English history, he manifested an ignorance bordering on stuhe mannested an ignorance bordering on stu-pidity. The teacher, whose patience was ex-hausted, exclaimed: 'What! Don't you re-member a single date that marks an import-ant event in the history of England?—Why, yes, sir, answered the boy. 'I do know one.' 'Well, out with it,' said the teacher. 'The Fourth of July, 1776.' There was a decided sensation. ensation.

—A teacher in one of the Westfield public schools was startled the other day at the answer she got from one bright little fellow. On the blackboard was the picture of an ostrich, and the teacher described its great strength and power of endurance, closing by saying it was the only bird upon which a man could ride. "I know another," spoke up a little chap. "Well, what is it?" "A lark." Unsuspectingly the teacher asked, 'How can you prove that Johnny?" "All that you prove that Johnny?" "All that I know about it," said the boy, "is that mother every little while says father's off on a lark, and when he comes back he looks as if he had rode awful fast."

—She laid her pretty hand upon her husband's shoulder, "Henry, love there's something the matter with the clock; will you see So he took off his coat removed the face and fingers, examined the interior with a large magnifying glass, blew into them with the bellows, oiled them thoroughly, and did all that mortal ingenuity could advise. But it was of no avail; and so despairing, at late hous of the wieth he work the house of the pieth house. a late hour of the night he went to bed, and slept the sleep of the rightcous. Next morning at breakfast quoth she, "Henry, dear, I know what was the matter with the clock." "Well?" It only wanted winding."

—"You have given me Scotch whiskey; I asked for Irish," complained a hurried imbiber. "Never mind," said the publican; "fancy it's Irish." The man drank up the liquor, and made for

"Stop!" cried Boniface; "you haven't paid "Never mind; fancy I have," said his cuslomer, and away he went. -An Irish laborer was lying in the ditch, very much the worse for liquor. He was en-

countered by the priest of his parish. Very much shocked, his reverence turned the drankand over, who muttered, "Where am I?" "On the road to hell!" replied the priest, sternly. "Thank God, then," replied Pat, "it's comfortin' to know that Father Murtagh is with -A young lady graduate in a neighboring

county read an essay entitled 'Employment of Time.' Her composition was based on the text, 'Time wasted is existence: used, is life.'

-Our old friend Pickering says that he has known ladies in which the instinct of decora-tion was so strong that if they were told they must be hanged in the presence of twenty thousand persons to morrow, their first thought would be. "Oh, dear! and I haven't a dress fit to be hung in."

-A dull, heavy pain in the sides, sleepiness, want of energy, no continuity of thought or labor, these all indicate disease of the Liver, and should be removed by the use of Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills, which will surely accomplish the object sought.

Lyons, the whole of the letter press being executed in silken thread. Portraits, verses, and brief addresses have often been reproduced by the loom, but an entire volume from the weaver's hand is a novelty.

The indiscretion of our first parents was mighty good thing for tailors and dressmakers.

Don't tell an editor how to run his paper. If poverty is a disgrace, mended atockings are a darned shame.

-Physical force, moral force and the police force are what keep the world going.