

MY OLD HOUSE.

Written by Mrs. Ormsby, of Fayette, Me., the birthday of my natal day.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

A Remarkable Wager.

At Benson last week a very peculiar bet took place, one in which a fine pair of mules against a fine pair of horses was at stake.

Who Was The Architect.

Under this head a very readable article appears in the March number of American Homes, from which we quote the following extract:

"The history of the building of the Temple of the Lord at Jerusalem, although occupying much space and explicit description in holy writ, is yet incomplete and fragmentary as to the original steps taken toward the end, and it is a matter of curiosity and interest but there is little real knowledge to day as to who planned that remarkable structure, whose hands did the preliminary work, whose drew the detailed plans.

Another suspect.

The Ocean City, a small deep-sea fishing steamer, like the Endeavor which has been here for several days coaling, and preparing for sea left yesterday at twelve o'clock for Charleston, S. C.

The entering wedge of a fatal complaint is often a slight cold, which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement.

Big fire in Richmond Tuesday which burned the Grace Street Baptist Church, Richmond Female Seminary and a number of dwellings.

Fits Cured

From U.S. Journal of Medicine Prof. W. H. Peck, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing.

Edgar W. Nye Dead.

The great humorist and almost universally loved man, known all over the continent as "Bill Nye," passed away at his home, Buck Shoals, N. C. Saturday, at 12 o'clock, surrounded by his grief-stricken family and a few friends.

Mr. Nye was a native of Maine born in Shirley August 25, 1850, but his parents moved to Wisconsin when he was a child—was educated at River Falls, studied law and commenced practice in 1876.

Mr. Nye was held in very high esteem in his neighborhood and in Asheville he was loved by every one who had the good fortune to know him.

GROVER DUCKING AGAIN.

WIDEWATER, Va., February 24—The light house tender Maple, which left Washington at 11 o'clock last night, arrived here this morning about 4 o'clock, with President Cleveland on board.

A Wholesome Face.

They were leaning against a railing near the foot of the stairs of the Brooklyn bridge at the New York side. One of them announced: "I never get tired of looking at the crowds that cross the bridge, especially at this hour, when there are so many women.

A bystander, waiting for her change from a news woman, smiled as she saw that the "unfashionable bonnet" and "sweet, wholesome face" belonged to New York's well known philanthropist, Miss Grace Dodge.—New York Herald.

Bright Helen Young.

Helen S. Young of Osburn, Ida., has just been admitted to the bar. It has always been supposed that women were ineligible. Section 3990 of the Idaho statutes, under the head of "Who may be admitted as attorneys," says, "Any white male citizen is entitled to admission as attorney and counselor in all the courts of the territory."

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The Best Dressed Woman.

In spite of the fact, that eight and nine gored skirts are still in vogue, and skirts measuring from six to nine yards around the hem are yet fashionable, they are not so much worn by the best dressed women.

Miss Frances Power Cobbe, who recently celebrated her seventy-third birthday, is said to have been the first woman to do regular office work on the editorial staff of a London daily.

Some Women Insurance Agents.

In Mrs. E. E. Kanzleiter, Bucyrus, O., is a novelty in the way of a woman insurance agent. Mrs. Kanzleiter is the wife of a wealthy banker of that place and a leader in society.

Mrs. Mell Cohaugh is an enterprising agent of Canton, O. She has four companies, makes a good living and is highly respected.

Miss E. P. Hazlett of East Liverpool, O., is another successful woman insurance agent. Several years ago her brother died, and Miss Hazlett undertook the management of the business.

Miss Jennie Hamilton of Wellsville, O., took up the business when her father died a year or two ago. She not only maintained but greatly increased her father's business. She has four companies.

The church with the Pastor's library was a total loss. Only sufficient insurance on the church to cover the debt.

Miss Flagler of Washington D. C. pleads guilty of involuntary manslaughter and was fined \$500 and imprisoned for three hours.



Froebel, the great promoter of the kindergarten system of teaching children said: "Let parents not live for their children, but with them."

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