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There is nothing more wholesome than good meal, but do you always get it? Probably you do not unless you ask for MEADOWS MEAL.

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MAN LOSES LIFE IN TENEMENT FIRE

Many Women and Children Overcome by Smoke in Disasterous Conflagration.

New York, March 25.—One man was killed, another badly burned, three women overcome by smoke and five children injured in a fire in a double tenement house at 350 to 354 East Ninety-first street late this afternoon. The flames swept up the air shaft and cut off retreat by either stairway or roof. Firemen had to carry more than thirty women and children out of the building by means of ladders.

Rev. Father Vincent De Paul McGean, who weighs 250 pounds, was told a woman on the top floor was dying, and despite his size and the danger of entering the burning building, he climbed a ladder and administered extreme unction to Mrs. Mary Sharkey, who was later carried down a ladder. She will recover. The body of an unidentified man, burned beyond recognition, was found in the hallway of the building when the fire was extinguished.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Druggist, Price 50c. Williams' Mfg. Co., Proprs., Cleveland, O.

No Danger in Halley's Comet.

In an address at Cambridge University on Halley's comet a few days ago, Sir Robert Ball, an eminent astronomer referred to the needless fear with which the approach of the comet was viewed by a good many people. There was no cause for anxiety at all, he said. There was just as much chance of a collision between the nucleus of the comet and the earth as the was of the Empire state express from New York to Chicago running down the night mail from London to Edinburgh. The earth will pass through the tail of the comet about May 18 and afterward the comet will appear as a new evening star.

Directions for Colic in Horses. Contents of small bottle Painkiller (Ferry Davis) in quart bottle, add pint warm or cold water, sweeten with molasses, shake well until all mixed. Give about half at once, then balance in fifteen minutes, if first dose is not sufficient. This will be found a never-failing remedy. 35c. for a large bottle. Also in 25c. and 50c. sizes.

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SHORT PASSING EVENTS

This is the season when the amateur poet begins to write poetic effusions on "Spring". During the past few days we have received many of these contributions from various authors in and out of this city accompanied by the gentle request that we give "this little contribution" a prominent place in our paper. However, for lack of space, we have had to put them on file and anyone who wishes to be amused for a short while may drop in and peruse these sentimental outbursts.

A few days ago there arrived in this city an aged lady who had come to this city for the first time in her life. While waiting for her friends whom she was to visit to arrive she related some very interesting anecdotes to a Journal representative. She also said that although she had lived near a railroad for 40 years she had never been a passenger until the day she arrived in this city. This remarkable old lady, Mrs. Sarah Andrews lives near Kipton, and is visiting Mrs. Thomas Moore at Brigetown.

The new ordinance prohibiting any boy under 19 years of age entering a billiard or pool room will doubtless be and news to some of the youthful "pool sharks". The ordinance says that each person less than 19 years of age, who shall enter a pool or billiard room, or play pool or billiards in such public pool or billiard parlors, shall be fined five dollars, and the proprietor of the place also fined five dollars for permitting him to enter his place of business. This is an excellent law and should be enforced.

Work in Concrete

All kinds of work in concrete done on short notice at reasonable prices as good work can be done.

E. H. HARPER.

For Easter Whitman's Candy Fresh Supply just received at Davis Pharmacy.

HOMES WIPED OFF THE EARTH

Every House in Village Swept Away by Flames; Thousands Homeless

Charleston W. Va., March 25.—With practically every home in the prosperous mountain village of Mount Hope was wiped from the earth by fire which swept that place today, at least two thousand persons rendered homeless are tonight sleeping on the commons.

Conditions which followed the conflagration that devastated the picturesque little town tonight are much worse than early reports today indicated. Upon the arrival at Mount Hope of the special train tonight bearing the national guard tents were distributed and an effort is being made to house as many as possible of the homeless. Many of the families lost all of their household effects and there is great suffering.

Garden Plows, what you push for gain. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Proceedings In Superior Court

The following cases were disposed of at yesterday's session of Superior Court:

State vs. Robt. Nelson, a d. w. guilty; judgment suspended upon payment of the cost of the trial.

State vs. Eugene Williams, selling to city while member of Board of Aldermen, guilty fine of \$1 and cost. Appeal made to Supreme Court.

State vs. Ench Ambrose, removing crop from another person's premises, guilty, judgment suspended upon the payment of the cost of the case and \$9 to the plaintiff.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

DIED

In Richmond, Va., on Friday March 25th 1910 Mrs. Parthenia Browne Hunter, widow of the late Dr. Edwin S. Hunter.

Our car of "Pittsburgh Perfect" Fencing has arrived. We can fill your orders for Field or Garden Fencing, Barbed wire. J. S. Basnight Hdw Co.

Spelling Match at the Craded School.

Last Friday morning two sides were picked from each of the five higher grades, 15 on a side and a spelling match held for 25 minutes. At the close of the allotted time there were three standing on one side and six on the other.

Yesterday the following took their places to complete the match: Mary Louise Jones, Dorothy Rea and Catherine Patterson; opposed to these were Mary Berry, Kathleen Lucas, Elizabeth Morton, Lucy Meredith, Rufus Armstrong and Floyd Askins. First one and then the other went down until the contest was between Mary Berry of the ninth grade and Lucy Meredith of sixth A grade. After standing the words for quite a long time "occupant" was too much for Miss Berry and Lucy Meredith was declared the winner. The words were taken from the first ninety pages of the speller in use at school and were given out by Miss Hendren.

On next Friday a "Mental Arithmetic" match between the 5 A and 4 B grades and the 5 B and A 4 grade will be held.

These contests are held immediately after the opening exercises and the pupils are very much interested in them.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, swollen, tired, aching feet. Always use it to break in new shoes. Try it to-day. Sold everywhere. By mail for 25 cts. in stamps. Don't accept any substitute. For FREE trial package, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Thrilling—Startling—Dramatic

The biggest mystery story ever written from the pen of Louis Joseph Vance. It is entitled "The Brass Bow," and it has had the attention of novel readers in Europe and America for the past year. So great has the fame of this book become that the New York Sunday World has covered it for its Romance series. It will begin April 2nd and be complete in five booklets of 25,000 words each. Get the first installment. It is a masterpiece.

DR COOK FAILS TO PROVE CLAIM

Wife Writes From Chile to Former Friend of the Explorer. Has Traveled Much.

Bellingham Wash, March 25.—Dr William H. Axtell, a personal friend of Frederick A. Cook, today received a letter from Mrs. Cook, dated Valparaiso Chile, in which she says the explorer is broken in health, without funds and unable to continue his fight to establish his claim that he discovered the pole. Dr. Axtell said today.

"Mrs. Cook tells me in her letter that Dr. Cook made considerable money out of his trip when he first arrived in New York, but that he spent it in defending himself against bitter attacks from his enemies before the Copenhagen decision was made public.

"Cook left New York later to escape contempt, says Mrs. Cook and to go before the board of inquiry at Copenhagen as his own representative. Then Mrs. Cook followed him, met him in England, found him a nervous wreck and very ill.

"She writes that it was her fault the time he was unfavorably reported on. She says she took him to Holland, France, Italy, and then to Spain where they embarked for Buenos Ayres.

"From Buenos Ayres they went around Cape Horn to Chile, Cook is still very ill and will be in no condition to take up his fight for the honor which he still says should have been his."

Dr. Axtell added that according to the letter the explorer and his family will arrive quietly in New York and will settle down for a quiet life.

"Mrs. Cook says," he continued, "that her husband has no funds with which to go to the Arctic regions after the proofs required by the University of Copenhagen, and that if he had the necessary cash he knows of no one he could trust to do the work for him.

Refrigerators

It is time to think of what kind you are going to buy. I have the White Mountain Grand, is known as the chest with the chill in it, the Leonard Clearalls in beautiful white porcelain lined, quartered oak frame, sure to please at sight and guaranteed to give satisfaction. Prices from \$18 to \$50. J. S. Miller.

City School Census.

The census for this year shows the school population of the city to be as follows: White, 1,047; colored 1,896, total, 2,943.

The enrollment to March 1st is as follows:

White school, 801, colored school 782, total, 1,583

The average daily attendance for February is as follows:

White school, 660.49; colored school, 437.00, total, 1,097.49.

This is the first time that the enrollment in the white school has ever reached 800. At present the enrollment and average daily attendance is larger than ever before.

For Rent

I am now offering for rent a few small houses in white neighborhoods. A good Office Building on South Front St. \$8.50 per month.

One \$4.00 residence on Griffith St.
One \$5.00 " on Short St.
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One \$7.00 " on S Front St.

Also eight large airy rooms over a Broad street store, and one good store on Middle street.

C. T. HANCOCK, Agent.

Cunn-Henderson.

Mr. Louis D. Dunn, of Arapahoe, and Miss Minnie Mae Henderson were happily married Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents near Mayaville. Rev. W. L. Bihbro officiating.

The wedding was attended by only a few of the relatives of the contracting parties. They passed through this city en route to Arapahoe, their future home, last night.

THE HAIR TONIC THAT IS GUARANTEED.

Parison/Sage is now sold by druggists in heavy every town of consequence in America, and enormous sales wherever introduced.

It is guaranteed to cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp in two weeks of money back.

It will make any woman's hair and unattractive hair soft and lustrous in a few days. It is the ideal, delightful, rejuvenating tonic that makes hair grow; it is not sticky or greasy, but on the other hand is most pleasant, refreshing and delicately perfumed, and only 25 cents a large bottle at druggists everywhere and at the Bradburn Drug Co. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid by the American makers, Olcott Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y. The girl with an aching head is on every bottle.

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