

The Bent Jew

CHESTERTOWN - FEB. 25, 1888.

A BARE SPOT FOR GAME

A Curious Region in Arkansas Abounding in Fish and Fowl.

"When people living in what is now the eastern part of Crutched county, Arkansas, want to bed one night in the latter part of December, 1881," said a former resident of that region, "they closed their eyes on one of the most beautiful and fertile stretches of land that ever man saw. The region was a series of rolling prairies, interspersed with heavy forests. The St. Francis river and the twin sisters, Little river, wound through the prairies and around the edges of the woods, which cast their shadows on the waters from high and solid banks. When these old-time residents looked out upon the prospect presented the morning after that memorable December night, they must have been surprised. The rivers were there, yet, but in place of one rolling prairie vast lakes spread out. In places above the surface of the largest of these sheets of water so suddenly brought into existence the tops of what could be seen, but in others the land had been entirely submerged. Thus the poor were greatly benefited by the gymnasium established by Mr. Kemp, and especially at this time, when they have to pay ten cents for coal. It would be a grand idea to establish such a gymnasium in your town.

The R. W. & O. R. R. runs an excursion from here to Washington on the 21st of March, to remain until the 21st proximo; fare, round trip, ten dollars, while the regular rate is fifteen dollars. The same road ran one there last spring, which was well patronized. From the negligence a collision between a freight and passenger train occurred here yesterday, at the depot. One man was killed and two women injured. The railroad king is a country gentleman on the public, and their carelessness is becoming criminal, and it is time the people had some something to put on the railroad. I am not in sympathy with some of his movements, and I am in sympathy with the interest of this country to have the railroad and telegraph lines in the hands of the people, and the economical manner in which the postal system is managed demonstrates its capability of making great improvements in this line.

STOP SWEARING.

What the Rev. Mr. Stuebaker Says of the Bad Habit—A Nation of Swearers.

"Because of swearing the land mourneth," was the text Rev. Albert H. Stuebaker, chose for his sermon on "Profanity," at the First English Lutheran Church in Baltimore, recently. He said that it was but to acknowledge the truth when we confessed that profanity had become so prevalent as to deserve the distinction of being called a national characteristic, a distinction of which no true lover of his country would feel proud. It was not only the immoral poor, but the educated and the well-to-do, who were guilty of this practice. It is to be poor is not necessarily to be profane, nor is it necessary to be profane to be poor. Every word, all classes, both sexes, aged and young, swear. The brazen impudence of the vice is unparelleled. It is the licentiousness, no privacy, no respect for God nor man.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

CHARLES CALEY, late of Trenton, New Jersey, deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of August, 1888, or they may be excluded by law from all benefit of said estate.

JOHN D. UHRE, Administrator.

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Jan. 7. CENTREVILLE AND CORSICA RIVER STEAMBOAT CO.

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Letter from Canton, N. Y.

Mass. Editors.—Not wishing to lose any portion of editorial staff of the local department of your paper, I take this opportunity to send you a few items, which will fill space, if they interest you one.

DOWNES & JENNINGS,

Merchant Tailors

RIALTO BUILDING, NO. 407 SECOND STREET, BALTIMORE, MD.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

John D. Urie, Trustee, George H. Bennett and A. Florida Bennett, his wife.

ORDERED, this 8th day of February, 1888,

that the sale of the Real and Personal Property, made and reported by John D. Urie, Trustee, of a Deed of Trust, from George H. Bennett and A. Florida Bennett, his wife, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 12th day of April next.

RATIFICATION NOTICE.

Robert R. Hatcherson, Assignee, versus Lawrence T. Harris and Addie Harris, his wife.

ORDERED, this 20th day of January, 1888,

that the sale of the Real Estate of Lawrence T. Harris and Addie Harris, his wife, made and reported by Robert R. Hatcherson, Assignee, under a power in the mortgage from Lawrence T. Harris and Addie Harris, his wife, to Richard Hynson, dated May 22, 1886, and recorded among the Land Records for Kent county in Lib. C. No. 8, Folio 31, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 12th day of April next.

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