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Rooms are furnished to patrons of the Bank for business transactions. Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent. The Bank offers to depositors and customers every facility and convenience for the transaction of business.

Traders National Bank.

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Main Street Near Court House, CLARKSBURG W. VA.

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Two houses on Sycamore St. in the very heart of town.—both good bargains for either investment or speculation.

House and lot with every modern convenience on carline Pt. Comfort, at a most reasonable price. No city taxes.

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F. A. ROBINSON & SON,
322 Main Street.

LETTERS

Uncalled for at Postoffice and Advertisers.

List of unclaimed letters in the Clarksburg, W. Va. post office advertised December 18, 1902.

Miss Ida Adams, Jack Bingam, Bell Belmont, Miss Hettie Blair, Miss Edna Bell, Thornton F. Coming, Jas. Comdoorm, Peter Cunningham, Mrs. Kate Currence, Miss A. Carrington, H. B. Campbell, same, Miss Oli Cleener, Mrs. Iva Drummond, Joe Day, Frank Ewing, H. B. Ervin, S. E. Flowers, R. S. Frankling, F. H. Foster, Geo. Gooseberry, Grover, Groce, Ben Hefner, Joseph Helm, M. J. Hines, Jos. A. Helm, Mrs. Eliza Hart, Chas. Hipson, John Inherst, J. P. Johnson, Miss Mary Kelley, Andrew Knowell, Ramly Kilm. Miss Lella Lang, T. Lethoe, Miss Verna Lefler, Magle Loy, Prime Louthier, Annie R. Miller, Jas. Montgomery, Mrs. Jas. M. Murray, Will Morgan, Miss M. E. Marshall, R. M. Marshall, D. C. Mobley, Henry Monath, Miss Sarah Miles, Jeff Mott, Ira Norris, Mrs. Bessie Norris, same, Mrs. C. Powell, Jonas Roush, Mrs. Lizzie Redmond, Stander & Co., H. P. Simms, Miss Bessie Swisher, Stanton & Faboert, T. F. Thomas, Tom Trunnske, Miss Maude M. Wolfe, M. G. Waugh, M. L. Wichterhann, W. M. Wick, Mrs. E. R. White, John Walsoet, C. W. West, Harper Yerkey, John Thos. Young.

S. C. DENHAM, P. M.

"DARKEST HOUR"

Lincoln J. Carter's Play Poorly Presented at the Grand.

A production of Lincoln J. Carter's "The Darkest Hour," was presented at the Traiers Grand opera house Thursday evening. But a fair sized audience was present. The play as presented at this performance, was a very ordinary one. The written play is possibly an excellent one, but in this company, the piece was horribly butchered by the different characters presented.

"The great railroad scene," possesses great possibilities. However, it was poorly presented, about half of the necessary "properties" being notably absent.

The company carries a lot of good scenery. The sunset scene in the last act, was excellent.

The Clarksburg Fish and Oyster Market, located on Third street, next door to Squire Gordon's office, is no more.

Master Hate Dowman, young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dowman is ill threatened with fever.

One lone drunk was up before Mayor Crile this morning. He was assessed the usual fine.

Characteristic Worth.

The woman who carries herself well is more apt to command respect than the woman who trudges along with her head inclined forward and her shoulders in a stooping position. The possessor of a graceful, erect carriage unconsciously impresses us as having characteristic worth, says the Pittsburg Observer. There are many noble hearted women who really do themselves injustice by the awkward way they carry themselves. It is very hard for others to see beauty and grace of heart in an unlovely outward appearance. It is the exterior charm of the rose that gives fitting expression to its hidden sweetness.

Are Women Too Restless?

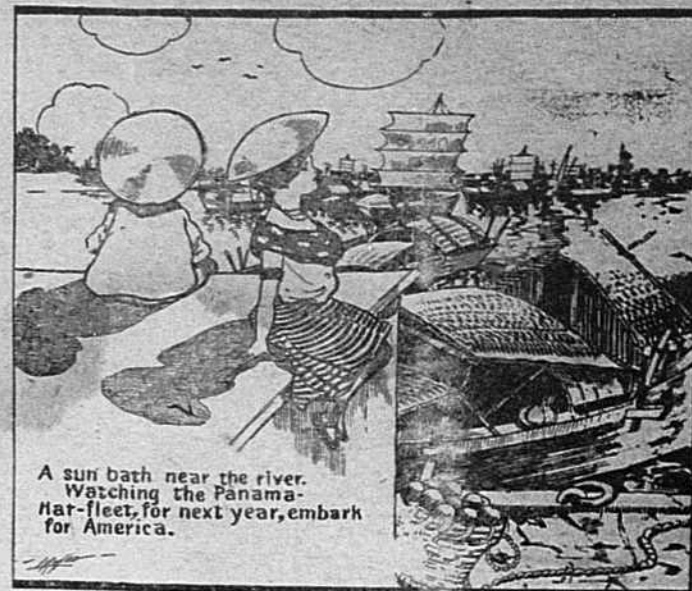
The American woman is restless, dissatisfied. Society, whether among the highest or lowest classes, has driven her toward a destiny that is not normal. The factories are full of old maids. The colleges are full of old maids. The ballrooms in the worldly milieux are full of old maids. For natural obligations are substituted the fictitious duties of clubs, committees, meetings, organizations, professions, a thousand unwomanly occupations.—Everybody's Magazine.

Mutton Fat.

If uncooked mutton fat is scalded in cold water twenty-four hours, then cooked in water, putting a scant quarter teaspoonful of soda to a quart of water, it loses its strong taste and can be used for pastry. Do the same with mutton drippings. All bacon and ham fat should be clarified and kept to fry eggs in.

Daily Puzzle Picture.

THE WEE LITTLES AT THE MANILA DOCKS.



A sun bath near the river. Watching the Panama-Har-fleet, for next year, embark for America.

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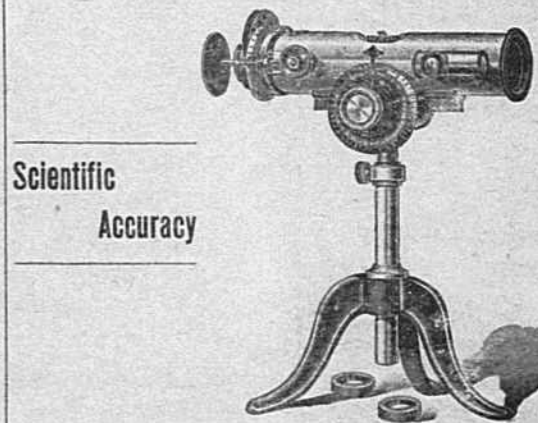
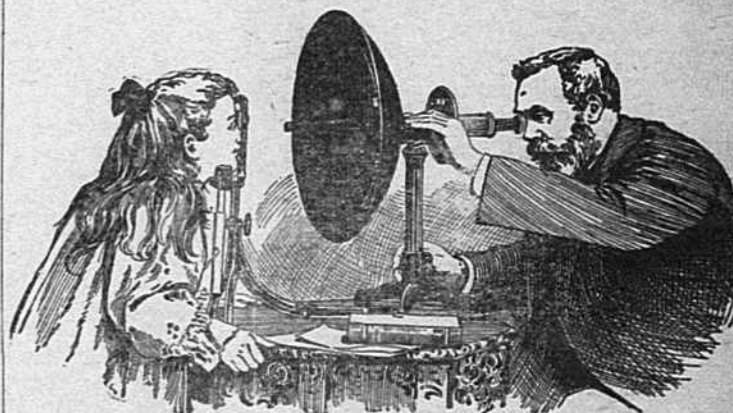
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The Doctor is not only a very fine refractometer, but has acquired a thorough knowledge of grinding and cutting lenses, frame fitting and adjusting and is therefore competent to examine the eye, make up, and adjust the glasses in the most satisfactory manner.

His stock of solid gold and gold filled spectacle and eye glass frames and regular cut, and special ground lenses is full and complete, which enables him to make up the MAJORITY of his work while you wait and all you pay for is the finest and best fitting pair of glasses that can be made for the price.

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