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BEWARE OF "GREEKS BRINGING GIFTS"

An "Old Limer" Warns Republicans To Be On Their Guard Against Machinations Of Democrats.

Mr. Editor:— It seems as though the editor of the Wicomico News is getting very uneasy about the Republican party this year, as you will notice in his last issue that he dwells at length upon this point.

He seems to think the party is on the road to the dogs and he is lamenting very much over it. The writer is sorry that the Republican Party is giving him so much concern; very sorry indeed the Grand Old Party is not doing as much as the Editor would have her to do. We think, however, the News is only speaking what she hopes, and that there might be a lack of action within the Republican ranks. You never hear a fellow squeal until he is pinched, and the harder he is pinched the louder he squeals, so you can tell by the News just how the fellow is being pinched. And in order to not be squeezed too hard the Democratic Party with the News on top of course, is trying to do the Republicans in any old way they can. Poor fellows, their existence depends upon the Democratic Control, and should that fail, their memorable CORN CRIB would be at an end.

It seems as though their only desire is to get up to the corn crib, which they speak so much about and once there the other fellow must be content to take the CORN while HE grows fat on the grain. The News is no fool, but what is hurting her is their lost cause—Trick Ballots and the Poe Amendment. Give the Republican Party a fair ballot and an honest count and we will wipe up the earth with the Democratic Party and the News included.

The News very pathetically describes the "old liners," who they say will have to take a back seat. But just wait. The News would have these people believe that they are friends, just like they are fooling a whole lot of Democratic voters. But it is only a trick. While they approach you with a smile, it is a false smile, like Judas wore, with a betrayal kiss. People, beware of the fellow who commends you to your face. It is like the cat slinging to the crowd. You have something they want and when they get it, you can go to the for them.

The Republicans have got them on the trot, and if they don't trot up we will send Capt. Coulbourn with his Militia to catch them, which he will do about the 7th of next November, and jail the whole host. Pharaoh and all.

Mr. Editor, this is only a preliminary notice to the News and cohorts to take warning that the day of wrath is at hand. And it may be one another year rolls around down will come the next, Eagles and all.

"An Old Limer."

A Trying Experience.

The schooner Mary Vickers arrived in port Sunday evening with a cargo of coal after a very trying experience down the bay. While passing between Sharpe's Island and Poplar Island early Friday morning, she was struck by the heavy northeast wind which prevailed at that time. The waves caused the five tons of coal which was on deck to shift so that the seas which came aboard were given no outlet and the cabin began to fill with water and loose coal. Water ran over the deck waist deep and the vessel would very likely have foundered had not part of her deck-rail been cut away and let the water and coal run off.

A Norfolk steamer came alongside in order to take care of the crew of five in case she went down. Happily this service was not needed.

This Is Pretty Tough On Easton.

More pretty girls in Easton than anywhere else on the Eastern Shore except Centerville, Cambridge, Crisfield, Snow Hill, Elkton, Pocomoke City, Salisbury and Chestertown.—News Item in Baltimore Evening News.

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OYSTERS AND POLITICS.

Bivalves Ready For Tongers And Politicians—Season Opens Today.

Oystermen from down the bay have made a rosy forecast of the prospects for bivalves during the coming winter. Such reports are usual previous to the opening of the oyster season. When it is well under way, however, another story is generally told.

It is claimed, however, that this season will be different, as the oystermen have gone over the oyster rocks in the entire bay with the result that unmistakable indications exist of a supply of bivalves more numerous than for many years. "No muscles and plenty fat" they say, "and a quantity far in excess of any previous season."

Tonging under the law is permitted on September 1. Some oysters will reach Baltimore on Saturday, September 2, although the quantity on this day is expected to be small, as the shuckers are not expected to go to work until next Monday. The dredgers begin work on October 15 in the Potomac river and fifteen days later the entire bay is thrown open to them.

The opening of the oyster season preceding a session of the Legislature is always a critical period with oystermen, as there always more or less agitation for legislation that will increase the output. All legislation for the oyster is regarded with the gravest suspicion and concern by those who derive their living from delving in the waters of the bay for the luscious bivalves.

The Haman oyster bill is their standing grievance, since it makes its appearance at each session of the Legislature.

The bitter fight to secure its passage, showing on each occasion a narrowing margin of law-makers who are disposed to respect the prejudices of the oystermen, have aroused their gravest apprehension. As a result of this condition, the oyster is in politics. He is the greatest issue on most of the Eastern Shore counties and some of those in Southern Maryland. No man should be allowed to represent the voters in these counties who has not previously announced his antagonism to legislation providing for the leasing of the oyster beds. The oystermen these counties should pass upon the prospective law-makers' candidacy in accordance with his willingness and ability to fight the Haman bill and all similar measures when he reaches Annapolis.

The objections to the Haman bill from the oystermen's standpoint are many. They all unite in pronouncing it a measure cunningly designed to turn over the great oyster commons of the Chesapeake bay to some monopoly, with the additional affront that the resources of the State will be employed in protecting this monopoly in its ill-gotten possessions. "The Haman bill is a lawyer's bill" they say, and who ever heard of a lawyer working for nothing, spending his own money to persuade the people that his bill is a good thing? Look at the powerful interests that are advocating the Haman bill. They say it's all for the good of the State. Who ever heard of these same people doing anything except for their own good?"

Colored Camp Meeting In Jersey.

A colored camp-meeting has been going on all this week in the "Jersey" grove, on the west side of Polk's mill-pond. Services began last Saturday night and were continued all night. During the week, preaching has begun at 8 o'clock each evening and has continued until a late hour, the usual thing being for them to continue until toward morning.

The camp ends tomorrow, with service at 10.00 a.m. and 3.00 and 7.30 p.m. This means practically an all-day and all-night meeting.

A very great many of the colored preachers in the M. E. Church deary these camp-meetings, and it is very doubtful if they serve any good end. Those who attend these "Jersey" meetings do not interfere with any person and good behavior usually prevails. Rev. B.W. Berry is the pastor in charge.

Important Notice.

In effect 1.00 a. m. Monday, September 4th, 1905, the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company will withdraw trains Nos. 4 and 5 between Salisbury and Ocean City; also trains Nos. 7 and 19 between Ocean City and Claiborne. Train No. 8 will stop at all stations east of Salisbury on notice to conductor to let off passengers from Salisbury.

A. J. BENJAMIN,
Superintendent and D. P. A.

Reduced Rates To Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo.

On account of the National Encampment, Grand Army of the Republic, at Denver, Col., September 4 to 7, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, or Pueblo August 29, 30, 31, September 1, 2, and 3, inclusive, at reduced rates. Tickets will be good returning to reach original starting point not later than September 15 when properly validated by Joint Agent at either of the above mentioned places. Deposit of ticket with Joint Agent and payment of fifty cents will secure extension of return limit to October 10. For specific rates, routes, stop-over privileges, and further information, consult nearest ticket agent.

POT OF GOLD A MYTH.

Story Of Fortune Found By Mr. Kenny Price Was Started As A Joke.

A story, started as a joke, that has caused much interest, some excitement and finally considerable embarrassment, has been going the rounds in Salisbury for some weeks; was printed in a county newspaper, and from thence got into the city papers. From there it went all over the country. It was to the effect that Mr. R. McKenney Price, a popular plumber of Salisbury, while digging a foundation on the old Drummond place, at Drummond-town, Va., had found a pot of gold. No person knew how much money was in the supposed pot, but it was variously estimated up to \$50,000. Rumors flew about of claims that had been made to the money and of difficulty Mr. Price was having to retain a portion of it. It was even said that the United States Government had confiscated it. And so on and so on. Mr. Price eventually received letters of advice and clippings regarding his find from all over the country.

The key to the joke was in the amount of money Mr. Price dug up. He did find a sum in gold—\$25.00—but it had been buried with the intention that Mr. Price should find it.

The whole affair was planned by a practical joker at Drummondtown, in order to get the laugh on some of his cronies. Only one or two were let into the secret, one of the gentlemen told being the cashier of the bank. Mr. Price deposited the gold in the bank and refused to tell anybody how much there was of it.

From this little acorn the big tree grew. It spread all over the country, as told above. Mr. Price was very sorry and tried to stop it, but it had gotten beyond his control. As a practical joke, the scheme was a great success. As a fortune for Mr. Price however, it was a myth. Mr. Price was seen by The Courier man this week and gave the true story of the affair. He regretted exceedingly, he said, that he could not give color to the large estimates that had been made of his "good" fortune. But unfortunately there was no truth in it.

Clerk-Carrier Examination At Salisbury.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on September 16 at Salisbury, an examination will be held for the positions of clerk and carrier in the Post-Office Service.

The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below:

Spelling [twenty words of average difficulty in common use.]

Arithmetic [simple tests in addition, subtraction multiplication and division of whole numbers, and in common and decimal fractions, and United States money.]

Letter-writing [a letter of not less than 125 words on some subject of general interest. Competitors will be permitted to select one of two subjects given.]

Penmanship [the handwriting of the competitor in the subject of copying from plain copy will be considered with special reference to the elements of legibility, rapidity, neatness, general appearance, etc.]

Copying from plain copy [a simple test in copying accurately a few printed lines in the competitor's handwriting.]

United States geography [relative to the boundaries of States, and to capitals, largest cities, rivers and other bodies of water, and the location by States of prominent cities, etc.]

Reading addresses [test in reading the names and addresses on 25 cards in different handwriting.]

Age limit, all positions, 18 to 45 years. All applicants, male and female, must have the medical certificate in the application blank executed. Male applicants must be at least five feet 4 inches in height in bare feet, and weigh not less than 125 pounds.

The Post-Office Department has stated that no person who is defective in any of the following named particulars will be appointed in the postal service: Deaf-mutes, hunchbacks, persons having defective hearing, sight, or speech; persons totally blind in one eye; one-armed, one-handed, or one-legged persons, or those having crippled arms or legs; and those suffering from asthma, consumption, beriberi or any other physical defect or disease which would prevent a proper discharge of the duties of the position.

All persons who have been examined for the position of clerk or carrier within the past year and failed to pass may be re-examined upon filing new applications in due time.

This examination is open to all citizens of the United States who comply with the requirements. From the eligible resulting from this examination it is expected that certification will be made to existing and future vacancies.

For application blank, full instructions, specimen examination questions, and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, and the location of the examination room, application should be made to the secretary of the board of examiners at the post-office. No application will be accepted for this examination unless received by the undersigned prior to the hour of closing business on Sept. 18, 1905.

L. H. FISHER,
Secretary Fourth District,
Civil Service Commission,
Washington, D. C.

"Hamlet" Was Left Out.

The friends of Mr. A. J. Benjamin, who were that gentlemen's guests on the outing to Claiborne recently, arranged a surprise party for him Thursday evening of this week, at the residence of Mr. R. D. Grier. The Talbot countians who have been in the Claiborne party on former occasions as well as this year, were apprized of the happy event, and invited to visit various ones of the Ballaburians, and all plans were perfected for an especially good time. Among other arrangements, a handsome umbrella was purchased, to be presented to Mr. Benjamin, with appropriate speeches of appreciation and so on.

Everything came off as planned, the occasion was very enjoyable in every particular—but, Mr. Benjamin is a very busy man, the secret had been so well kept that he had not even a faint suspicion of the wishes of his good friends to furnish him the contemplated pleasure, and, in spite of the objections of Mrs. Benjamin, he left Wednesday for his accustomed trip to Love Point. He was, even then, not given an inkling of what was in store for him, but was especially requested to reach home Thursday evening.

Alas! He tried to finish his business, but his train missed connection, and the play came off with "Hamlet" left out. He was not able to attend his own surprise party.

A party had to come off; the guests were assembled and ice cream melts. The unexpected had happened; a paragon had been found—a woman who could keep a secret from her husband. She reaped her reward, for she got the umbrella.

A handsome pair of sleeve-links were presented Gen. Beth, who has joined with Mr. Benjamin in making the Claiborne trips so enjoyable. This was a surprise within a surprise and General Beth was overwhelmed.

Mr. Benjamin had his part of the fun when he came home on Friday. The party reassembled at his home Friday evening and gave him the time of his life. They also proved "Injun" given and presented to him the umbrella, though it had been so fairly won by his wife.

Before the assembly departed, each took a solemn obligation never, never again to impart a secret they wanted told to a woman, as long as they lived, without first being informed as to her abilities to keep it.

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Then again, consider the value of a telephone for local calls. Do you realize that the telephone of today is the main channel through which the business of Salisbury is conducted?

Your lawyer, your doctor, your bank, the railroad stations, the City Hall and Fire Department, and your business associates—they are all at your command and you need not leave your business for a moment to talk with any one of them. When they have thus made themselves convenient to your call you can hardly expect them to lose time by coming to see you when they want something in your line.

Your competitor is of the opinion that this service is worth \$25.00 a year and you can have it at the same price. Call Contract Department, Diamond State Telephone Company.

Hooper's Island Camp.

Mr. Editor:—The Hooper's Island Camp closed last Tuesday with good success and the spirit of God was manifested among its believers. There were about fifty unconverted people bowed before God on the altar and they realized the happiness and saving grace of our Saviour. Last Monday night was the most beautiful sight I ever saw on this earth. There were seven teen kneeling on the altar, unconverted people, and most of them were young people, and many of them raised shouting to God. There were many able Ministers from all parts of the country to deliver the sermons. There are the finest set of people there I ever met in my life and the best behavior I ever saw at a camp ground. At time of services the audiences were in silence, listening to the word of God. The boarding tents had fine accommodations and ample food.

Rev. J. S. Boxman is Pastor of the Island and he is doing great work there, bringing people in harmony with one another, and is building a fine church at upper Hooper's Island. May the blessings of God rest upon his work.

When the camp closed we marched around the grounds singing "God be with you till we meet again" and "Come we that love the Lord" and "In the sweet By and By." Constant Worker.

Salisbury, Md.
August 31, 1905.

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P. S.—L. W. Gundry Co. sell our paint.

NEW WYCOMICO HIGH SCHOOL.

New Three-Story Brick Structure With All Modern Improvements Has Been Accepted By Building Commission.

Saturday last the Building Commission met the contractors, Messrs. Windsor & Johnson, at the school building and after going over the plans and specifications (and thoroughly inspecting the building, accepted it on behalf of the School Commissioners. This is one of the handsomest school buildings on the Peninsula. It stands on a prominent hill overlooking Lake Humphreys, and in a few months, when the grounds have been graded and the grass and shade trees planted, will be a beautiful situation.

The plans for the building were prepared by Architect Jackson Gott, of Baltimore, and were drawn with a view to giving a perfect building, especially as to the sanitation and light. The lavatories are in the basement and the most perfect sanitary plumbing has been installed. The recitation rooms have all been arranged so that the light falls over the left shoulder of the pupils.

In the basement, which is high and light, are located the manual training and art rooms, the laboratory, the boiler room, and the lavatories. The manual training room occupies one whole side of the building.

The building has three entrances, the main one facing the South, on Upton Street. Two broad halls run through and across the building, into which open the school rooms. On the first floor are four rooms, each 26x26 feet. The rooms are separated by cloak rooms on each side of the main hall. The second floor contains two recitation rooms being 26x26 and the assembly hall 26x66 feet. Connecting these rooms are cloak rooms.

All of the recitation rooms and the assembly hall are supplied with handsome slate blackboards around the spaces between the doors and windows. These rooms are furnished with up-to-date desks and seats and in each room is a handsome teacher's desk. In the principals room at the head of the stairs is a roll-top desk, and in this room will be located the school library.

Special care was taken in having the building erected so that in case of fire the children would have ample means of exit, there being three ways to get out of the building. Every portion of the building will be heated by steam from a plant in the cellar. The drinking water will all be filtered before passing through the pipes into the rooms and ought to be pure and free from bacteria.

The material used in the construction of the building is red sand brick with stone trimmings. The interior finish is natural pine. The rooms are light, airy and well ventilated, there being a special ventilating system in the building. The various rooms are connected by electric bells for calling the various classes to recitation. Taking the structure as a whole it is complete in every detail, and is an ornament and a credit to Wicomico county.

The plumbing and heating was done by the L. W. Gundry Co., of Salisbury, the desks were furnished by the W. J. C. Dulany Co., of Baltimore, and the seats in the assembly hall by J. H. Irwin, of Baltimore.

COMFORTING WORDS.

Many a Salisbury Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Salisbury readers.

Geo. B. P. Taylor, Ridge P. O. St. Mary's County, Md., writes: That you may clearly understand the benefit I have experienced from taking Doan's Kidney Pills I will briefly state that for years I have suffered periodically with a dull aching pain in my back, attended with a frequent desire to urinate, and with scalding pains in the neck of the bladder and the urethra. I have suffered so intensely that my physician would be obliged to give me morphia and apply hot applications over the region of the kidneys. I took several boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and can truthfully say that I have not suffered since taking them, and I can conscientiously recommend the pills to my fellow men who are similarly afflicted.

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The remaining dates of the popular Pennsylvania Railroad ten-day excursions to Niagara Falls from Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington are August 25, September 8 and 22, and October 13.

The excursion from Philadelphia will be run by two routes. Those on August 25, September 8 and 22, going via Harrisburg and the picturesque valley of the Susquehanna, special train leaving Philadelphia at 9:10 A. M.; excursion of October 13 running via Trenton, Manunka Chunk, and the Delaware Valley, leaving Philadelphia on special train at 8:07 A. M.

Excursion tickets, good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within ten days, will be sold at \$10.00 from Philadelphia and all points on the Delaware Division; \$11.25 from Atlantic City; \$9.60 from Lancaster; and at proportionate rates from other points, including Trenton, Bordentown, Mt. Holly, Cape May, Salem, Wilmington, West Chester, Reading, and principal intermediate stations. A stop-over will be allowed at Buffalo within the limit of ticket returning.

The special trains of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will be run with each excursion running through to Niagara Falls. An extra charge will be made for parlor-car seats.

An experienced tourist agent and chaperon will accompany each excursion.

For descriptive pamphlet, time of connecting trains, and further information apply to nearest ticket agent, or address Geo. W. Boyd, General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia. 9-22

Very Low Round Trip Rates to Pacific Coast Points.

Account of the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition and other occasions, round trip tickets will be sold to Pacific Coast points at extremely low rates via the Southern Railway, which operated Personally Conducted Tourist Sleeping Cars Tri-weekly between Washington, D. C., and Pacific Coast points without change. Tourist Cars leave Washington at 7:30 P. M., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, berth rate only \$8.50.

In addition to the Tourist Car service, Standard Pullman Drawing-room sleeping Cars are operated daily on Limited Trains between Eastern Cities and New Orleans, La., connecting at that point with The Sunset Express which carries through Pullman Drawing-room Sleeping Cars to Pacific Coast points without change.

For detailed information, address Chas. L. Hopkins, District Passenger Agent, Southern Railway, No 328 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Penna.

Millionaire's Poor Stomach

The worn-out stomach of the over-fed millionaire is often paraded in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse tortures than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. At all druggists.

Civil Service Examinations.

The following examinations for positions in the Civil Service are announced for the dates named. For further information apply to J. William Slemons, Secretary, at the postoffice: Firemen (class B).—Departmental Service—September 30, 1905. Pipe Fitter—Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce and Labor—October 4, 1905.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage, executed by James A. Moore to Jay Williams dated May 16, 1903 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. T. No. 35, Folio 362, default having been made in said mortgage, I will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1905

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all that parcel of land situate in Sharptown District, Wicomico County, Maryland, about one-half mile from the town of Sharptown, on the road to Twiford's Mill, containing two acres, more or less, which was conveyed to the said James A. Moore from Jay Williams, trustee, by deed dated May 16, 1903 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County to which reference is made for fuller description.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash.
Title papers at purchaser's expense.
JAY WILLIAMS,
Mortgagee

Salisbury Meat Market In New Hands.

Having purchased of H. P. Elzey the Salisbury Meat Market, we will open same Saturday, September 2nd, when we will be in position to furnish the highest grade of anything in the butcher line at the lowest market price. Goods delivered to any part of the town. Telephone 216. G. A. PATRICK & BRO. Next to Courier Office

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between Gordy & Truitt is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the above firm has been assumed by The Gordy & Truitt Company, a body incorporated by Wicomico Co.

JOHN W. GORDY,
Salisbury, Md.,
Aug. 18, 1905. 9-2

Wanted!

Two men to solicit and collect insurance in Salisbury, for the Baltimore Life Insurance Co. A specially liberal contract. Apply to
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New Hampshire	3,911,743.00
Provident Washington	2,640,599.00
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For policy claims.....\$122,854,012.00.
For surrendered Policies.....32,973,653.32.
For Dividends, Paid Annually.....62,830,905.13.
Total.....\$218,658,570.45.
Balance Held for Policy-Holders' Benefit.....\$45,919,122.87.
Not one cent of premium has been used for expenses, as the company's investments have yielded sufficient to pay all Expenses and Taxes and still add to the Policy-Holders' Fund for fulfillment of existing contracts. 47,319,467.60.

RECORD OF 1904.

Premium Receipts.....\$13,709,830.74.
Total Receipts.....17,847,766.54.
Amount Paid Policy Holders.....9,854,781.27.
Assets, Market Values.....93,237,790.27.
Surplus, Market Values.....7,319,562.97.
Insurance Issued and Revived.....54,801,703.00.
Outstanding Insurance.....363,801,084.00.

Last year's business of the Mutual Benefit was the largest in its history. The long record of fair dealing with its policy holders is a valuable argument for new and increasing business, and overcomes the apparent disadvantage of the smaller commissions, without bonuses, paid its agents.

The company last year reaped the reward of its past thrift and fair practices. It was a year rife with criticism, and therefore a propitious year for the Mutual Benefit. Its Sixtieth Annual Statement, compared with its fifty-ninth, shows but one decrease, which, as in the previous year, was in the expense rate, which is a powerful lever with which to move a discriminating public.

STATE.

Camps are about over.

September 4th is Labor Day.

Steps are soon to be taken to secure sewers in Denton.

Wet goods for men and dry goods for women break up many homes.

Have to go down 87 feet in Dorchester to strike water. Other beverages not so deep.

Williamsport's only policeman has resigned because he was asked to see that the electric lights burned.

Experiments are being made to see if oil upon the race track at Easton will keep down the dust during the races.

Dust thou art, and if you go on the roads, to dust thou wilt return—and wilt in the effort at the same time.

Another strike has stopped the construction of the new railroad bridge between Perryville and Havre de Grace.

Many of the canning factories in Delaware who contracted for tomatoes at 10 cents per basket, are paying 20 cents with a prospect of paying still more before the season is over.

Ignorance is the mother of three children—two daughters—Prejudice and Superstition, and one son—Old Fog. Of the three Old Fog does most credit to his mother.

Cambridge Democrat & News: Local gunners are meeting with much success in the opening days of dove shooting. Shooting parties have on some days, bagged nearly a hundred birds. Doves seem to be more plentiful this year than for years past.

The tower of the Methodist Protestant Church in Delta was struck by lightning during an unusually severe thunder storm last week. The lightning after passing down the tower, tearing off slate and sheathing, escaped from the building. The tower was not rodded.

While running the type setting machine in the Union Republican office at Georgetown, Del., Tuesday, Miss Minnie Joseph got her hair caught in the cylinder and for a short while she thought she would lose her head. The machine was stopped, however, before much damage was done.

A Western newspaper offered a prize for the best answer to the conundrum "Why is a newspaper like a woman?" The prize was won by a lady in Oklahoma, who sent the following answer, "Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbor's."

Henry Johnson, of Chestertown, has two cats clearly marked as hybrid cat and rabbit. One is black, the other grey. Both have short "cotton tails" and the conformation of rear feet and legs are exactly similar to that of a rabbit while the body and head is that of a cat.

Seven years ago Joseph Snyder, a Chestertown blacksmith, was bitten on the hand by a dog, and every year since then in August his hand has swelled up and pained him greatly. This year the swelling was greater than usual and Snyder has gone to a Baltimore hospital for treatment.

The automobile of W. H. Radcliffe collided on the public road, near Cambridge, Saturday night, with a carriage. Mr. Radcliffe was thrown from the automobile and severely injured and a son of Capt. Andrew Dunn, who was in the carriage, had his leg broken. Both vehicles were badly damaged and the horse was severely injured.

A new rural mail delivery route will be started out of Forks postoffice Dorchester county on the 10th of October. It is proposed to have the route include the territory around Bendertown, Asbury, Fishing Creek and New Columbus. Examinations for the appointment for carriers will be held on September 15.

Snakes are remarkably active this summer in all parts of the State. In Calvert county Mrs. G. Frank Hardesty the other day found a big black snake climbing the stairway in her home. Not to be out done by other parts of the State, the Hagerstown Mail is authority for the statement that a woman in that town found a snake ringing her doorbell.

For the past two weeks Salisbury Bros. corn-packing establishment has been running night and day. The largest pack for any one day's work aggregated 58,100 2-pound cans, a record never before heard of with one line of machinery. To date over 20,000 cases have been packed, 90 per cent. of which is fancy corn. Mr. C. H. Colby, of Maine is superintending the pack. The Sun, Ridgely Md.

The following "hog story" comes from Easton: "On June 21 the day that Wm. H. H. Malin, tenant on R. W. Rice's farm in Hopkin's Neck, Talbot county, threshed his wheat, a valuable brood sow was missed. Her whereabouts was a mystery, and after diligent search, she was given up as lost. After being missed for forty days and 40 nights, while Malin and his son were engaged in their evening's milking, a strange noise was heard to come from the rick of straw nearby. They at once proceeded to investigate, and after removing a large quantity of straw found the sow imbedded therein, very thin, but still alive. She was not able to stand alone, but was taken care of by her owner and fed, and Malin has hopes of her recovery. In some mysterious way she was covered up during the threshing and unable to get out, without eating or drinking the entire time."

The Tourist left the train at every station and went ahead to the baggage car to ask if his trunk was safe. "Are you quite sure," he asked the baggage officer for the sixth time, "that my trunk is safe?" "Begorra I wish the Lord had made ye an elephant, instead of an ass," was the exasperated reply, "an' then you'd always have your trunk in front of you."

Prof. A. B. Burris, instructor in athletics at Washington College, has resigned. Prof. Burris has been connected with this College since about 1893, and during that time he had brought the athletic department of the college to a degree of proficiency second to no college in the State. He is one of the best base ball and foot ball players in the State and whenever he appeared on the field he added great moral strength.

Oystermen at Franklin City consider the oyster prospect poor for the coming season. It is freely asserted there that the clammer are making more clear money than the oystermen, as they are under comparatively no expense and can pick up one thousand or more clams per man any good day. It is said one "crack" clammer on Chincoteague makes as high as ten or twelve dollars a day. Every fair day this summer has found the shoals of Chincoteague bay fairly alive with small boats, a clammer wading alongside of every one of them feeling out the clams on the bottom with his bare feet as he wades around in water up to his breast, and submerging himself every time he strikes a nest of clams. Sometimes he comes up with only a single clam; again he will strike a pocket of them and gather in a dozen or two dozen. To a stranger it looks like a "funny business," but it's awfully tiresome, and rather damp work for a clammer, and he certainly earns his money no matter if it is ten plunks a day.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were received last week in the Clerk's office for record:

Harry Hastings and Lola B. Hastings to William M. Cooper lot in South Salisbury, \$11.00.

Sallie A. Cannon to Harry B. Freney et al. farm near Delmar, \$200.

Elmer H. Walton and Calvin B. Taylor, trustee to Ernest E. Burbage 150 acres of land more or less in Dennis' election district consideration, \$100.

William H. Palmer and Hettie A. Palmer and Ernest E. Burbage and Mary J. Burbage to William N. Burbage and Farnell J. Dennis 98 acres of land, more or less situated in Dennis' district, \$600.

Gertie M. Wootton and Alphonso Wootton to Rosie M. Farlow 112 acres more or less in Pittsburg election district \$350.

Luther P. Tilghman and Lillie H. Tilghman to Mary D. Powell, lot in South Salisbury, \$100.

Daniel E. Parker and A. R. Parker to Elijah H. Riley, lot in Parsonsburg \$600.

John W. Gordy and Ida M. Gordy and Eliza W. Truitt and Addie L. Truitt to Jason P. Tilghman and E. W. Truitt 50 acres of land in Nutters election district, \$100.

In Memoriam.

The Angel of death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rencher, Saturday, August 26th, and took from them their only child, little Maude, age two years and two months. "The cast down we are not forsaken, Tho' afflicted we are not alone, for the blessed Lord hath recalled his own."

Another sweet flower has faded,
A gem from the casket set free,
A lamb in the fold of the Shepherd,
Let my little ones come unto me.

Darling Maude you are not dead to us,
But as a bright star unseen;
We hold that you are ever near us,
Though death intrudes between.

Once our home was bright and happy;
Oh! how sad and dreary today,
For the love-light of our darling,
Has ever passed away.

Alone unto our Father's will,
One thought, hath reconciled;
That He whose love exceedeth ours,
Hath taken home His child.

Fold her, Oh Father! in thine arms,
And let her henceforth be,
A messenger of love between
Our human hearts and Thee.

By her Papa and Mama.

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Every Republican new-comer to Wicomico county from another State should register at the County Clerk's office, at once, his affidavit of intention to become a citizen of the state of Maryland. Without making such affidavit one year in advance they cannot become a registered voter. Republicans who are already citizens and voters should make it their duty to inform all Republican new-comers to our county of this provision.

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This is to give timely notice that all children entering school for the first time, all beginners, will be received only at two stated periods during the school year, viz: the first two weeks at the beginning of school in September if the pupil is 6 years old or will be before January 1st following; and the first two weeks in January if the pupil is 6 years old or will be any time during the remainder of the school year.

Beginners may enter at these two periods—the first two weeks when school opens in September and the first two weeks in January, and

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 2, 1905.

Republican Ticket.

For House of Delegates:
LEMOUEL B. DUNCAN,
SAMUEL A. LANGRALL,
ELMER H. WALTON.

For County Commissioners:
ALONZO L. WILLIAMS,
FRANK A. WILLING,
AFRIA FOOKS.

For Sheriff:
LOUIS P. COULBOURN.

For Surveyor:
THOMAS W. ENGLISH.

White Men, Remember!

Under the above caption, the Princess Anne Marylander and Herald has the following:

If you voted in 1869 or prior to that you will only have to swear to that fact to register and vote next year.

If your father was a voter in 1869 or prior, you will only have to establish that fact to be able to register and vote in 1906.

If your grandfather was a voter in 1869 or prior, it will be only necessary to establish the fact in order to register and vote next year.

There will be no change in registering and voting this year.

Negroes were not given the voting privilege until 1870, therefore they can not register and vote under the ancestor clause, as white men can, but will have to be able to read a section of the constitution and give a reasonable explanation of its meaning, or be able to explain it when read to them.

Yes, white men should remember. They should remember, however, that if they come in under the "grandfather" clause, that they must establish the fact that their ancestor voted. How can this be done? Thousands cannot establish it at all. Then, they must come in under the clause requiring an interpretation of the constitution.

Remember, furthermore, that after 1906 the "grandfather" clause becomes inoperative. From 1907 on, EVERY VOTER must be able to give a reasonable explanation of some section of the state constitution submitted to him.

Who decides whether the voter gives a "reasonable" explanation of this clause of the constitution? The Registration judge. (Remember this, white man.)

Suppose the Registration judge turns you down, or your boy, what redress have you, white man? Can the court say that your explanation is reasonable, when the man who has the power to decide whether your explanation is reasonable to his own mind, says it is not? How can any court decide upon the view a man will take of a question. If your explanation is unreasonable, from the viewpoint of the Registration judge, that settles it. You have no redress. You are disfranchised.

With the above explanation, it is not easy to understand (and to remember) that, if this Poe Amend-

ment passes, after 1906 no man can vote unless the party in power wants him to, and that any man can vote that the party in power wants to let vote. Consequently, the Democrats being now in power, they can let negroes vote if they see fit. (And they have already promised some colored men that they shall vote.) The Democratic "ring" in any county can keep in power indefinitely, by keeping off the books and therefore from the primaries, any voter, even if a Democrat, who does not do what they tell him to.

It will also make the negro issue a perennial issue. For, don't you see, if the Republicans ever get in to power, they could put the negroes on the books and take the white Democrats all off. Every year, Democratic argument would be based on this fact. The people of the State would be bound hand and foot to the Democratic "ring" forever more, no matter what was done.

The Poe Amendment is printed on page 6 of this paper. Read it white man, and remember that if you vote for it you are voting away your freedom; you are voting the politician into absolute, unending power. You become his slave and can never, by any means, get rid of him. Because if you do not bow the knee to him, he takes you off the books. The "reasonable" explanation that you will be required to give of the State Constitution will be:

Do you favor the continuance of Mr. So and So in office; will you do exactly what he tells you and vote for precisely whoever he wants you to? If so, your name can go on the book. If not, it cannot. Your explanation will be "unreasonable." Remember this, white man, and vote AGAINST the Poe Amendment and preserve your freedom.

Roosevelt The Man Of The Hour.

President Theodore Roosevelt, through whose negotiation and initiative the Peace Convention between Japan and Russia was called at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, the result of which was complete success, is receiving all the glory of the accomplishment. Crowned heads of the world unite with distinguished statesmen of America and Europe in according him praise, and the Pope "thanks God for Theodore Roosevelt's courage." Thousands of telegrams of congratulation from all parts of the civilized world have poured in upon the President in a flood. He is distinctly the man of the hour.

When Roosevelt succeeded to the Presidency, he was feared as a man of war. He is now acclaimed as the Apostle of Peace that has conferred unmeasurable benefit upon humanity by his prompt, courageous action and diplomacy. In foreign lands, he is regarded as the grand victor, emerging, converted with glory, from an almost single-handed struggle in the cause of peace. His success is looked upon as the event of the century. The judgment of the American people is vindicated.

It has been said that President Roosevelt is "bigger than his party." He is not. He reflects honor upon Republicanism, but no more so than did Lincoln, Grant, McKinley and scores of other great men who have been prominent in the affairs of their country since the war. It is in the ranks of the Republican party that such men are found and from whence they arise in the Nation's crises to steer the Ship of State. All praise to Roosevelt, but greater praise to the party whose representative he is and whose policy has placed both him and his country in the exalted position they are privileged to enjoy.

—Golden Eagle Tea Co is selling force 10c Package this week.

Personal

—Mr. Harvey Whiteley spent part of this week at Ocean City.

—Mr. John Robinson, of Wilmington, is visiting Mr. John Owens.

—Miss Clara Tilghman spent part of this week in Philadelphia.

—Mr. G. William Phillips spent part of this week at Ocean City.

—Mrs. O. G. Kenly is spending this week at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. W. A. Roberts is visiting relatives in Philadelphia this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earle Dashiell, of Baltimore, were in town this week.

—Mrs. D. J. Titlow, of Onancock, Va., is visiting Mrs. James E. Ellegood.

—Miss Lillian King, of Culpepper, Va., is visiting Mrs. F. Kent Cooper.

—Mr. Martin M. Higgins, of Easton, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Grier Thursday.

—Mrs. Charles Nock and two children are spending the week at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. J. Y. Brattan of Baltimore was at the home of Mrs. L. D. Collier this week.

—Mr. Lewis M. Holloway, of Tomco, Va., is visiting his mother, Mrs. D. J. Holloway.

—Miss Louise Perry is spending this week at Laurel as the guest of Miss Helen Wootten.

—Mrs. W. H. Hillerman, of Havrestraw, N. Y., is visiting Hon. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson.

—Miss Grace Darby has returned after spending some time with relatives at Wilson, N. C.

—Mrs. Joseph W. Ward is visiting her son, Mr. Charles H. Ward, at Asbury Park, N. J.

—Miss May Givins, of Berlin, and Lewis, of Ocean City, were in Salisbury Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dyson Humphreys have returned after spending some time at Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. F. A. Mullikin and daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives in town.

—Miss Mabel Drummond, of this city, is visiting in Philadelphia and Conshohocken, Pennsylvania.

—Mr. and Mrs. Afria Fooks and son, Welton, are visiting friends in Baltimore and Washington.

—Mrs. Louisa Byrd has returned from an extended visit to Mrs. Hillerman at Havrestraw, N. Y.

—Mrs. C. H. Adkins, of Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Messick on Pine street.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Todd and family are visiting Mrs. Todd's mother, Mrs. Mrs. F. P. Phelps, at Cambridge.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Appleby, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, William street.

—Mr. Ernest B. Hitch left Monday for Asbury Park, N. J., Long Branch and New York for three weeks stay.

—General and Mrs. Joseph B. Seth, of Easton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams Thursday and Friday.

—Mrs. Frank Messick, of Allen, spent part of this week at the home of Mrs. John P. Owens, N. Division Street.

—Mrs. William J. Downing and two sons have returned to their home after spending two weeks at Ocean City.

—Miss Mary T. Adkins and Miss Mamie Smith left Wednesday for a trip to Milford, Del., and Atlantic City, N. J.

—Mrs. W. E. Shephard and Miss Bertha Shephard are spending this week as the guests of Mrs. Shephard's brother at Milford, Del.

—Miss Helen Ellis, of Asbury Park, N. J., returned home Monday after spending two months here with relatives and friends.

—Mr. A. O. H. Grier, City Editor of the Wilmington Evening News, is visiting his father, Mr. William Grier, and uncle, Mr. R. D. Grier.

—Misses Gertrude and Olah Wheatley, of near East New Market, Md., who have been visiting Miss Norah Whiteley returned this week.

—Misses Esther L. Broughton, of Pocomoke, and Emma Brattan, of Maryland Springs, are visiting the Misses Dougherty, East Church street.

—Mrs. J. Fred. Eversman, of Baltimore, returned home Thursday after spending three weeks with relatives and friends in Salisbury and Maryland.

—Mr. Wm. P. Bradley and son, of Perth Amboy, N. J., are visiting his brother, Mr. James A. Bradley. Mr. Bradley was formerly a resident of Salisbury and was foreman of the Advertiser under Col. Lemuel Malone and Albert L. Richardson.

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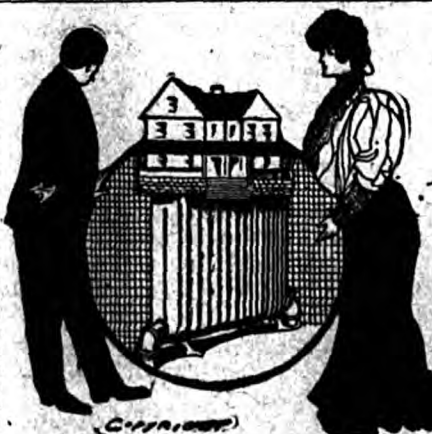
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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Mrs. Durham's private school will open September 18th.

—Easton's taxable basis is \$1,549,641. as against about \$3,800,000 in Salisbury.

—Mr. Ernest Ellis, who has been suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, is reported better.

—This paper is indebted to the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station for a copy of its eighteenth Annual Report.

—Rev. Charles A. Hill will preach in the Wicomico Presbyterian church tomorrow morning, September 3, at 11 a. m.

—Rev. Edward Benedict, Swansea, Mass., has declined the call to the rectorship of Somerset parish, in Somerset county.

—Mr. Chas. E. Harper, of Harper & Taylor, spent a few days in New York this week purchasing a fine line of silverware.

—There will be a meeting of the Lady Board of managers of the Hospital at the City Hall, Monday, September 4th, at 10 o'clock.

—Rev. S. J. Smith has secured the services of Rev. Eben N. Baldwin for the church rally in the M. P. Church September 17.

—There will be a meeting of the King's Daughters at the residence of Mrs. Levin D. Collier next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—To give more room for his prescription department, Harold N. Fitch, the optician, has this week greatly improved his store on Main street.

—LOST—At Parsonsburg Camp, last Sunday, one ladies' open-face gold watch. Finder will receive reward by returning same to The Courier office.

—Clerk of the Court Ernest A. Toad-vine had a slight stroke of facial paralysis Tuesday night but is now better. He was able to be at his office on Thursday.

—Clerk of the Court Ernest A. Toad-vine will visit Nanticoke and Tynaskin Districts on September 13 and 14 for the purpose of issuing oyster tongs' licenses.

—Mr. Oscar A. Bethke, who became on August 1st a member of the firm of Wehn & Bethke, tailors, Fayette street, Baltimore, is spending this week at Ocean City.

—Services in the M. P. Church next Sunday at the usual hours, the pastor preaching in the evening on Peace. Mrs. James Lank leads the Young People's Meeting at 7.15 p. m. Cordial welcome to all.

—Rev. Robert C. Granberry, minister Division street Baptist church, will speak on "God's Chastening" in the forenoon of next Sunday and in the evening at eight the subject will be "The Three R's."

—St. Peter's Episcopal Church choir went to Ocean City on Friday to spend a week at the Hotel Oceanic. There were about 28 or 30 in the party. There will be no services in the church tomorrow, Sunday.

—The open season in Wicomico county for killing squirrel began September 1st, also for rail-birds. The season to shoot summer ducks opens on September 10th. It is lawful to kill doves in this county at any time.

—By a typographical error last week we were made to say that Joseph C. Holloway sold to Elisha W. Truitt 216 acres of land, more or less, in Pittsburg district. It should have read 126 acres. The figures 1 and 2 were transposed.

—A new Democratic newspaper, to be called The Cambridge Record, will be launched in Cambridge next week in the Applegarth interest. The lower floor of the Masonic Temple has been rented for its quarters and it will be edited by Mr. Robert G. Henry.

—The praise services which have been conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society in the Wicomico Presbyterian Church during July and August, will be held in the Lecture room at 6.45 p. m., beginning the first Sunday in September. All are cordially invited.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. McKenney Price left today for a trip to Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. While away Mr. Price will purchase a stock of heating and plumbing material and also expects to engage competent men to go into this business on a larger scale.

—Street Commissioner Kennerly placed tile drains at the crossing of Division and East Church streets this week which is a big improvement. It is said that many of the old wooden drains about town will be replaced by these terra cotta pipes as fast as possible.

—The farm near White Haven owned by the late Mrs. Henry T. Toad-vine was sold at public auction Saturday in front of the court house door, and brought \$3,650.00. The farm contains about 190 acres 93 acres of which is woodland. The property was bid off by Mr. L. B. Ker, of Delmar, but it is stated that it was purchased for Capt. William K. Leatherbury.

—The School Board has decided to open the colored schools throughout the county on October 2, two weeks earlier than last year, for the schools outside of Salisbury. The date of closing was not fixed. The white schools will open September 11, three days after the Tri-county Institute closes at Ocean City.

—The Wicomico branch of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland was addressed Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Peninsula Hotel by Dr. Samuel T. Earle, Jr., of Baltimore, in favor of better local organization. Dr. Earle is president of the society. Another meeting of the local branch will be held September 15, which will be addressed by both local and visiting physicians.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fulton, Miss Wise, Miss Lizzie Collier and Mr. Roscoe White went to Cambridge on Wednesday to play a return tennis match with players of that town. They returned Thursday, after a very enjoyable stay. Mr. White and Mrs. Fulton played in a set of mixed doubles and Mrs. Fulton and Miss Collier in a set of ladies doubles. The Salisbury players lost in both events.

—The directors of the Ocean City Pier and Improvement Company met at Ocean City on Monday, says a dispatch to the Baltimore Sun, and appointed Christopher Ludlum president, D. J. Adkins treasurer and R. L. Parnell secretary and general manager, with instructions to proceed to purchase the material and commence work constructing the pier. It is to be 130 feet wide at the entrance and extend 900 feet into the ocean from the Boardwalk.

—Mr. B. Frank Kennerly, who is one of six Great Representatives of Maryland to the Great Council of the United States, of Improved Order of Red Men, will leave Salisbury next Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., via the B. & O. R., to attend the Great Council. He will be accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Kennerly and will be gone about two weeks. The other Great Representatives from Maryland are: L. L. Dirickson Jr., of Berlin; N. C. Killam and Jno. W. Lowdenslager, of Baltimore; W. H. Lewis, of Hagerstown, and Jno. H. Bennett, of Frederick.

—Wicomico county is represented by 88 teachers out of a teaching force of 92 at the Tri County Normal Institute in session at Ocean City this week. A most valuable and instructive program has been carried out. Among the early arrivals on Saturday last were: E. W. McMaster, of Worcester county; H. Crawford Bounds, of Wicomico, and W. H. Dashiell, of Somerset. For weeks these superintendents have been busy preparing for this normal institute, which promises to fulfill all their expectations. There are about 300 in attendance.

—An interesting but one-sided game of baseball was played here Tuesday afternoon on the South Salisbury grounds between the colored teams of Easton and Salisbury. A good sized audience of white people witnessed the game, the big grand-stand being reserved for them, and loudly applauded the many good plays that were made by players of both clubs. "Chuck" somebody or other pitched for Easton, but he did not do very much, as Salisbury batted him all over the lot, so we did not take the trouble to find out his real name. We imagined he would prefer not to have his name go down to fame under the circumstances. His catcher was an extremely clever little sixteen-year old boy, who put up the best game for his side. Salisbury's battery was Harry Parsons, Sambo Brown and Ernest Robbins. The score was 8 to 2, favor Salisbury.

—Mr. Harry Hall Halbert, for several years assistant purser on the Wicomico river line, died Sunday evening last of consumption, while returning to Baltimore on the Western Maryland Railroad train from Blue Ridge Summit. He had been at a sanatorium near Pen-Mar for a month and had been a sufferer from the disease for the past five years. When first attacked by the disease, Mr. Halbert spent some months in the Adirondacks, also in the mountains of Colorado. His aunt, Miss Hattie W. Hall, was the only person with him when he died. While knowing that the end was not far off, neither he nor his aunt thought of the likelihood of his inability to reach home when they started on the trip down. He had been very quiet for some minutes and was resting his head on the shoulder of his aunt when, at Westminster, she turned and discovered that he was dead. The body was brought directly to Baltimore.

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—Messrs. Wade T. Porter, F. A. Grier, Jr., Harry Ruark and H. Winter Owens will leave tomorrow morning for a northern automobile tour. The party will visit many points of interest, though spending little time at any place while on their trip. They expect to be gone two weeks.

—The partial eclipse of the sun which occurred early Wednesday morning was successfully observed by a number of people in Salisbury, the weather being clear and there being but few clouds to obscure the sky. The sun rose about 5.30 o'clock and the passage of the shadow began a few minutes later. The greatest obscuration was about 6.28 o'clock and all was over by 7.27. Six-tenths of the sun's face was covered.

Personal.

—Miss Alice Humphreys has returned to her home on Newton street after spending some time with relatives at Atlantic City, N. J., and Haverstraw, N. Y.

—Mr. Robert Hitch and daughter, Mrs. Jennie Ellis, left Monday for Asbury Park, N. J., where they will spend the month of September with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ward.

—Mr. Theodore Humphreys and family have returned to their home in Pittsburg, after spending some time with Mr. Humphreys parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Humphreys.

—Miss Ada L. Whitney has returned to Salisbury from her home in Michigan preparatory to opening of school. She is now at Ocean City attending the Tri-County Teachers Institute.

—Mrs. W. W. Smith and little daughter, Marylou, after spending the last two weeks with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. E. G. Mills, returned to their home in Philadelphia, Thursday.

—Mr. G. Francis Meyers, of the Baltimore Herald, accompanied by Mrs. Meyers and his brothers, Mr. Albert P. Meyers and Mr. John P. Meyers, have been on a short visit to their sister, Mrs. W. E. Birmingham, of Camden Ave. Master John P. Meyers is also with the visitors.

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PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, at the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four, two bills were passed, one proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State, the other proposing an amendment to Section 34 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State, which said bills are in the words following, to wit:

CHAPTER 9.

AN ACT to amend Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Maryland, that the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as herein provided, I shall supersede and stand in place instead of Section 1 of said Article 1.

SECTION 2. All elections by the people shall be by ballot. Every male citizen of the United States, whether native born or naturalized, of the age of 21 years or upwards, who has resided in this State for one year and in the legislative district of Baltimore city or in the county in which he may elect to vote for six months next preceding the election, and who more fully registered as a qualified voter, as provided in this article, shall be entitled to vote in the ward or election district in which he resides and in the legislative district of Baltimore city or in the county or city to which he is entitled to vote for six months next preceding the election.

SECTION 3. And be it further enacted, that the authority aforesaid, that the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the provisions of the Constitution of the State, and the said general election of the State, shall be held on the first day of January, 1906, or on the first day of the next general election of the State, and upon each ballot shall be printed the words "For Constitutional Amendment."

SECTION 4. And be it further enacted, that the authority aforesaid, that the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the provisions of the Constitution of the State, and the said general election of the State, shall be held on the first day of January, 1906, or on the first day of the next general election of the State, and upon each ballot shall be printed the words "For Constitutional Amendment."

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TILE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON X, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 3.

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xxvii. 11-21—Memory Verses, 10-21—Golden Text, Num. xxiii. 23—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1905, by American Press Association.] After the death of Josiah, the last good king of Judah, the twenty-two years that remained to them ere the long threatened judgment fell were filled by the following kings: Jehonahaz or Shallum, three months; Eliakim or Jehoahaz, eleven months; Jeconiah or Jehoiachin, three months, and Mattaniah or Zedekiah, eleven years (verses 1-11 and II Kings xxiii, xxiv), but all, without exception, did evil in the sight of the Lord and humbled not themselves when the Lord sent messengers to reprove them and win them back to Himself.

How pitiful are the words of the Lord by His servants to His erring and deceived people, "I have nourished and brought up children, and they have rebelled against me." "My people have forsaken me." "Turn, O backsliding children, for I am married unto you!" "O Israel, thou hast destroyed thyself, but in me is thine help!" (Isa. i. 3; Jer. li. 13; II. 14; Hos. xiii, 9). Then listen to our Lord Jesus Christ, God manifest in the flesh, "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, . . . how often would I have gathered thy children . . . and ye would not!" See him with tears, saying, "If thou hadst known . . . the things which belong unto thy peace." Hear Him say even to His apostles, "Will ye also go away?" and "Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me?" (Matt. xxv, 87; Luke xix, 42; John vi, 67; xiv, 9).

Ask your own heart, Am I rebellious and self-willed or am I willing and obedient before the word of the Lord? The expression "in the sight of the Lord" recalls the word to Abraham, "Walk before Me, and be thou perfect or sincere" (Gen. xvii, 1), and the promise in Ex. xv, 26, that if they thus walked in His sight He would put none of the diseases of the Egyptians upon them. What a record of the development of iniquity and of the wickedness of the human heart this lesson is, the consummation being described in verse 16, "They mocked the messengers of God and despised His words and misused His prophets until the wrath of the Lord arose against His people till there was no remedy."

A fuller consummation yet to be made manifest is found in II Thess. ii, 3, 4, where we read of one who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God or that is worshipped so that he, as God, sitteth in the temple of God showing himself that he is God. Yet we rejoice that the Lamb shall overcome, for He is King of kings and Lord of lords (Rev. xiv, 14). It does not seem as if there could be any hope for a nation which would treat God as Israel did, and yet because of His unconditional covenant with Abraham and David He will for His own name's sake yet restore them to their own land and do all that He has said for them because "the gifts and calling of God are without repentance" (Rom. xi, 29; Lev. xxvi, 44, 45).

They had been duly warned that if they forsook the Lord severe chastening would be dealt out to them (Lev. xxvi; Deut. xxviii), and Jeremiah, who was still the Lord's messenger at the time of our lesson, had repeatedly told them that if they did not repent they would be given into the hands of the king of Babylon, who would carry them away into captivity for seventy years (Jer. xxi, 8-11). False prophets who preached peace and spoke out of their own hearts said that Jeremiah lied and ought to be put to death, so they had him imprisoned, and Jehoiachin and his mother and the words of the Lord, and they went from bad to worse until, as our lesson says, there was no remedy. They proved to be an illustration of Prov. xxix, 1, "He that, being often reproved, hardeneth his neck shall suddenly be destroyed, and that without remedy."

As it was in the days of Noah and of Lot so shall it be in the end of this age (Luke xvii, 26-30), and as truly as the flood and the fire from heaven came upon the people in those days, so surely shall all that God has said come upon the earth at the end of this age (Ps. cxlxi; Isa. xl, 4; II Thess. i, 7-10). The word of the Lord by the mouth of Jeremiah was literally fulfilled, and so shall every word of the Lord be fulfilled in His time (verse 21; Isa. xlv, 24).

It was Jehovah Himself who gave Judah and her rulers into the hands of the king of Babylon and said concerning it, "I have given the dearly beloved of my soul into the hands of her enemies." "You only have I known of all the families of the earth; therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities" (Dan. i, 2; Jer. xli, 7; Amos iii, 2). The dearest thing to God on earth today is His church, and the last seven letters to the church are those in Rev. ii and iii, in which the ascended Christ sends His last messages to His beloved church, lovingly but very searching telling her what He approves and disapproves, that so she may be a company of overcomers and in due time sit with Him in His throne.

Happy are those who, like the elect remnant in the days of Jeremiah (for God always has his elect remnant), are ready to overcome by the blood of

the Lamb and the word of their testimony and by not loving their lives unto the death (Rev. xii, 11). Looking for that blessed hope, waiting for His Son from heaven, is the only safe attitude and the only one that will wean us from all present entanglements (Tit. ii, 13; I Thess. i, 10).

Noted Dead in Trinity Churchyard.

Alexander Hamilton is buried in Trinity churchyard, at the head of Wall street, New York, and the grave is marked by a conspicuous white marble monument near the Rector street station of the elevated road. His wife, who lived until 1854, fifty years after his death in the duel with Burr, is buried beside him. Albert Gallatin, who succeeded Hamilton as secretary of the treasury, lies only a few feet away, and near by is also the grave of Robert Fulton, inventor of the steamboat. Another famous occupant of Trinity churchyard, whose monument is near the Broadway gate, is Captain James Lawrence of the United States navy, commander of the frigate Chesapeake, who fell in battle with the British ship Shannon June 1, 1813, in the thirty-second year of his age. As he fell upon the deck he cried to his subordinates, "Don't give up the ship!"

Baking Watches.

"I will be with you in a moment. I must finish the baking of this batch of watches first."

The speaker was a jeweler. He said as he worked: "I suppose you are surprised at the idea of watch baking. I will explain. The machinery of a watch is delicate, yet it must work the same in winter as in summer, the same in Russia as in Cairo, the same in the Sahara as in Iceland. There is only one way to accomplish this—the watch must be regulated to heat and cold."

"I am regulating these watches to heat. Afterward, in a refrigerator, I will regulate them to cold. Then when they go out in the world they won't disgrace themselves in any climate. Chronometers must be regulated more carefully than watches. They are often kept for weeks in temperatures that are now zero and now 120 degrees."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Incentives to Marriage.

Apparently the German town of Hachmann does not believe in a state of single blessedness. Annual prizes are offered to the men who wed the ugliest, the most deformed and the oldest women in the town. Eighty dollars is paid to the man who marries the ugliest, while but \$50 is the reward for the one marrying the cripple. All women over forty who have been fitted at least twice bring their spouses sums which vary according to the state of the fund, which was left by a rich resident of the town. The average price paid is \$50 to each unless they should be unusually numerous, while the trustees are empowered to pay a larger sum when, in their judgment, it seems wise to hold forth a special inducement to procure the marriage of some particularly unfortunate woman.

Curiosities About Wood.

The strongest wood which grows within the limits of the United States is that known as nutmeg hickory, which flourishes on the lower Arkansas river. The most elastic is tamarack, the black or shellbark standing not far below. The wood with the least elasticity and lowest specific gravity is the Ficus aurea. The wood of the highest specific gravity is the blue wood of Texas and Mexico. The heaviest of the foreign woods are the pomegranate and the lignum vitae, and the lightest is cork. Four hundred and thirteen different species of trees grow in the various sections of the country, and of this number sixteen, when perfectly seasoned, will sink in water. These woods of high specific gravity grow mostly in the arid regions of New Mexico, Arizona and Nevada.

No Reason For Two Trips.

Patrick's wife was "ailing," and Patrick put on his Sunday best and walked four miles to the doctor's house to tell him about her.

"Now," said the doctor, when he had heard all Patrick had to say and had prepared some medicine, "here is something for your wife. I've written the directions on the bottle and I want her to try it faithfully for a fortnight. Then, if it doesn't relieve her, come to me again and I will give you another prescription."

"Now, doctor, see here," said Patrick, standing straight and looking grimly at the physician. "If you have your doubts of this curin' Mary, as it's ivident you have by the way you spake, why don't you give me first what you're goin' to give me last?"

Torpedo Boats.

Torpedo boats do not ram the vessels against which they operate; they simply discharge self-propelling torpedoes which, if they strike the vessel, explode and sink or otherwise damage it. Then, if not sunk by the enemy's fire, the torpedo boat runs away and after taking on more torpedoes is ready for service again. Torpedo boats are built very light and of enormous speed. They cannot resist gun fire and are easily sunk if hit even by comparatively light shot; therefore they operate to best advantage in the night, so that the threatened fleet has to be very wide awake with its searchlights and its light guns.

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Philadelphia, Baltimore & Washington Railroad.

DELAWARE DIVISION.

On and after May 29, 1904, revised trains leave Salisbury as follows:

		NORTHWARD							
		EXP.	MAIL	EXP.	MAIL	EXP.	MAIL	EXP.	MAIL
		a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.
Salisbury	Lv.	12 35							
Delmar	11 08		10 10	10 10				12 12	12 35
Saunder	1 20		7 20	8 12				2 22	3 46
Seaford	1 33		7 31	8 22				2 32	4 03
Rose			7 34						
Cannon			7 39	8 35					4 11
Bridgeville	1 46		7 45	8 41				2 44	4 16
Greenwood			7 53	8 49				2 52	4 24
Farmington			8 00	8 56					4 31
Ocean City (B.C. & A. Ry.)				9 00					
Berlin				9 06				12 59	
Georgetown				9 06				2 09	
Harrington	Ar.			9 52				2 55	
Harrington	2 18	6 32	8 12	9 11	12 29			3 08	4 45
Felton	2 28	6 41	8 21	9 20	12 38			3 17	4 54
Viola		6 45	8 25	9 24	12 42				5 02
Woodside		6 50	8 29	9 29	12 46				5 06
Wyoming	12 43	6 57	8 36	9 36	12 52			3 29	5 09
Dover	2 50	7 04	8 42	9 43	12 59			3 35	5 16
Dunport		7 09			11 04				
Cheswood		7 14		9 52	1 08				5 24
Brenford		7 19		9 57	1 13				5 29
Smyrna	Lv.	7 15	8 37	9 53				3 42	5 25
Clayton	3 08	7 25	9 00	10 03	1 18			3 52	5 35
Green Spring		7 29			11 22				5 39
Blackbird		7 34		11 01	11 27				5 44
Townsend		7 39	9 13	10 16	1 32			4 05	5 51
Middletown	3 29	7 48	9 22	10 24	1 40			4 14	6 01
Armstrong		7 52			11 44				6 05
Mt. Pleasant		7 56		11 31	1 48				6 09
Sausal		8 01			11 52				6 13
Kirkwood		8 06		10 39	1 56				6 17
Porter		8 16	9 39	11 44	2 06			4 31	6 22
Bear		8 21		11 49	2 06				6 27
State Road		8 21		11 54	2 11				6 31
New Castle		8 27	9 51	10 59	2 16				6 36
Farmhurst		8 32	9 55	11 03	2 20				6 40
Wilmington	4 15	8 42	10 05	11 13	2 30			6 45	6 50
Baltimore	10 07	10 31	11 23	12 43	3 00			6 50	7 10
Washington	7 20	11 32	1 20	1 50	6 10			8 15	9 44
Philadelphia	5 10	9 34	10 52	12 00	3 32			5 39	7 42
	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.			p.m.	p.m.

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Stops on signal to receive passengers for Maryland Division via Porter or for Wilmington and beyond.

Branch Roads.

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Leave Franklin City for Chincoteague (via steamer) 1:36 and 8:45 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Chincoteague 10:42 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. week-days.
Leave Harrington for Georgetown and Rehoboth at 10:38 a.m. and 5:50 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Rehoboth 4:33 a.m. and 1:23 p.m. week-days.
Leave Harrington for Berlin 10:38 a.m. and 5:50 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Berlin 6:55 a.m. and 1:59 p.m. week-days.
Leave Porter for Delaware City 8:58 a.m. and 12:37, 3:31, 4:34 and 6:24 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Delaware City 7:55, 9:50 and 10:24 a.m. and 3:15 and 5:56 p.m. week-days.
Leave Mamey for Chestertown and way stations 9:56 a.m. and 5:10 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Chestertown 7:08 a.m. and 2:32 p.m. week-days.
Leave Anne's & Kent R.R.—Leave Townsend for Centerville and way stations 9:29 a.m. and 4:43 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Centerville 7:41 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. week-days.
Leave Delaware & Chesapeake R.R.—Leave Clayton for Oxford and way stations 9:42 a.m. and 4:58 p.m. week-days. Returning, leave Oxford 6:43 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. week-days.
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IN EFFECT 1:00 A. M. SATURDAY, JULY 1, 1905.

EAST-BOUND						WEST-BOUND							
111	51	71	91	11	31	STATIONS		61	121	101	21	41	141
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7:30		2:30	2:30	6:30		iv. Baltimore av.	1:10	1:10	10:00				10:05
10:55		5:50	5:55	7:00	9:45	iv. Clayborne av.	9:50	9:55	6:45	8:15			7:00
11:00			6:02	7:06	9:51	McDaniel	9:40		6:30	8:10			7:05
11:06			6:08	7:13	9:57	St. Michael's	9:34		6:24	8:04			6:56
11:13			6:16	7:21	10:04	Royal Oak	9:24		6:16	7:54			x 644
11:16			6:19	7:25	10:07	Kirkham	9:20		b 6:11	7:50			x 688
11:19			6:23	7:30	10:10	Bloomfield	9:17		b 6:08	7:47			x 634
11:21		6:14	6:26	7:31	10:12	Lincoln	9:14		b 6:05	7:44			x 636
11:41			6:47	7:56	10:33	Bethlehem	8:55		b 5:46	7:25			x 614
11:46			6:54	8:03	10:39	Preston	8:49		b 5:41	7:19			x 608
11:48			6:56	8:06	10:41	Lebanon	8:46		b 5:38	7:17			x 605
11:50			6:58	8:08	10:43	Ellwood	8:44		b 5:36	7:14			b 603
11:53			7:00	8:12	10:53	Hurlock	8:37		x 5:30	7:08			b 597
12:05			7:13	8:26	11:01	Rhodolade	8:28		x 5:20	6:55			b 576
12:08			7:16	8:29	11:04	Reids Grove	8:25		x 5:17	6:52			b 573
12:17			7:26	8:41	11:13	Vienna	8:16		b 5:10	6:40			b 557
12:23			7:34	8:50	11:22	Mardela Springs	8:07		b 5:02	6:31			b 539
12:28			7:39	8:59	11:31	Hebron	7:59		b 4:55	6:20			b 523
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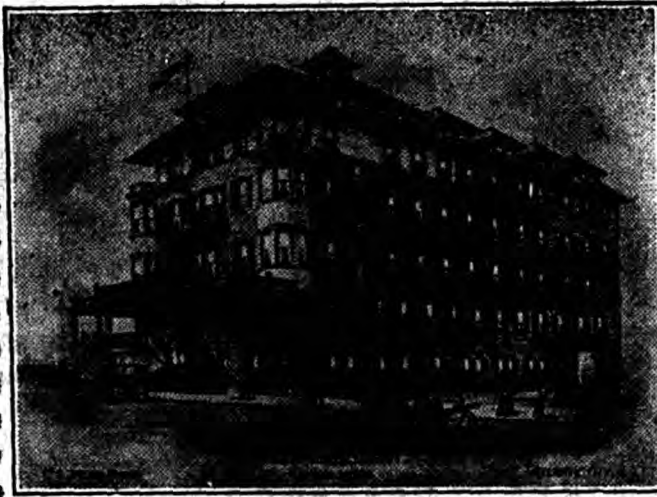
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"When I am up in the air sailing in my ship I feel just as confident and safe as when I am walking on the earth," said A. Roy Knabenshue, the young Toledo aeronaut, the other morning as he carefully threaded his fingers around the huge silk bag that had safely carried him around New York city in a flight on the previous afternoon. "My ship can go into the air in any direction unless there is a gale blowing."

That statement was proved when the daring young aeronaut sent his airship from the vacant lot at Sixty-second street and Central Park West to the Flatiron building and back, to the great astonishment of thousands of persons who lined the streets and gazed into the air for more than an hour, says the New York Globe. Scores of persons had heard that the ship was to appear shortly after 2 o'clock, and they obtained positions from which to watch the flight to advantage.

Knabenshue's car is so light and flimsy of construction that the first idea is that it could not sustain a man's weight. It does not weigh more than fifty pounds, exclusive of the engine.

A structure made of the thinnest of wood is suspended from the gas bag, and upon this the young inventor trusts his life. The skeleton is made of spruce scantlings, held together by little bolts, none of which is more than an eighth of an inch thick.

The frame is fashioned after the shape of a triangle, the extreme length of it being an ellipse, sharply pointed at the ends. Criss crossed from the scantlings at equal distances of about a foot are thin steel wires that hold the frame scantlings in shape and support the engine and the man who operates the machine.

The machine when in flight presents a fascinating and picturesque appearance. The huge gas bag is almost transparent, and when the sun shines on it it has much the appearance of the sail of a first class yacht at sea. Below the bag hangs the frame on which the inventor sits and guides the ship and runs the small engine which operates a propeller at one end.

This propeller is the only visible moving thing on the car. The aeronaut is but a speck in the air, and if it was not known that there was a man on the frame it would take the hardest kind of persuasion to convince any one that there was.

Knabenshue himself is a man of twenty-eight. He is thin and strong and with nerves of steel. He weighs but 140 pounds, stands five feet seven inches, is of dark complexion and has a clear eye. This spareness of limb and flesh makes him best fitted for the task that he has undertaken, for every pound of flesh that he carries means a corresponding loss of weight that must be taken from the strength of his engines or to the structure to which he clings.

This 140 pounds of Knabenshue is so much ballast for his ship. If a heavy current of air hits his ship unexpectedly fore, aft or on the side he must know where to stand upon the web of scantling and wires. He must skip about, throwing his weight at the right moment to the right place and bringing his ship to the right angle of equilibrium. If his judgment errs death probably will be his fate.

Knabenshue comes from good stock. His father is now the American consul at Belfast, Ireland. Knabenshue, Sr., was at one time editor of a Toledo newspaper, and it was there that the son achieved his greatest victories over the winds. Like a pilot of the seas, Knabenshue knows the currents of the air. This is as essential to a proper sailing of an airship as it is to the man who holds the wheel on the greatest ocean grayhound.

It takes fifteen hours to inflate the airship bag. Hundreds of little bags filled with sand hold the inflated bag in readiness for the adjusting of the framework when the ship is being made ready for flight.

An Endless Journey.

Most of us have probably speculated, at one time or another, what would happen if a hole were bored right through the earth and one were to drop a stone into it, and a scientific man gives his views on this puzzling question. "The stone," he says, "would fall with increasing speed to the center of the earth, where it would have attained a rate of nearly 300 miles a minute. Its momentum would carry it at a constantly reducing speed through the remaining half of its journey, until by the time it appeared at the antipodean end of the hole it would have come to a standstill. It would then begin to drop again and would perform exactly the same journey on its return to the starting point. Thus it would continue to travel backward and forward from one end of the earth to the other practically forever."

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The city of Cleveland, O., has undertaken a municipal experiment which if successful will have much to do with revolutionizing its general attitude toward the treatment of the criminal, dependent and defective classes, says a Cleveland dispatch. Eight hundred and fifty acres of land have been purchased, which, with an adjoining 450 acres recently bought for cemetery purposes, makes a total area of 1,300 acres, or two square miles. This vast tract of land, ten miles from the public square, will furnish advantageous locations for the various institutions which the municipality finds necessary and useful in its department of charities and correction. It will be known as the Cleveland farm colony.

The administration building will be located on the summit of a ridge which traverses the center of the tract, from which is an extended view, over the farm and many miles beyond. Located distant from one another will be the house of correction, the detention hospital, a tuberculosis sanitarium, a general hospital for convalescent and chronic cases, a hospital for the treatment of the drink and drug habits, a home for aged poor, a home for cripples and a home for wayward girls.

A municipal hospital car with beds and attendant nurses will be run over the suburban line from the city to the different hospitals on the farm. Special cars will also be employed for the other departments of the colony.

The infirmary or home for aged and defective poor will be one of the first institutions to be removed to the new site. While there will be larger wards for the more helpless as far as possible, the residents will be grouped in cottages. Here separate groups will be made according to nationality and congenial tastes.

Husbands and wives will occupy a part of a cottage by themselves. Each cottage or when desirable each individual will be given a small plot of ground for cultivation. Here will be located not a monumental institution, but a village of unfortunates, with homelike surroundings, sufficient activity to foster a feeling of independence, some room for individual whims and caprices and all in the midst of the free open country, flowers, trees and gardens.

To the residents of the other institutions will be given freedom from city temptations, the privilege of outdoor life and of regaining the normal physical conditions which are important open country, trees and gardens.

Because of mental and bodily defects many of these people have been crowded out of the ranks of the regular strenuous industries in shops and factories. With every industrial depression a larger number of them are forced into the ranks of the criminal and dependent classes. Unlike the crowded factories, the land always furnishes opportunities for the weak and defective to do some work according to their abilities. The men past their prime, the crippled, the feeble minded, who can give only a partial fragmentary day's labor, will here have a fair chance to use their limited talents.

In two square miles of land, with its wooded hills, rolling meadows and plowed fields, with its walks, drives and gardens, with its cottages, shops and barns, with its cattle, sheep and fowl, this farm colony will offer larger opportunities for useful, happier lives for the weak, unfortunate and poor of a great city.

Great Fire in London Predicted.

"Within the next few years, I tell you, there will be another great fire, attended by loss of life, in the city of London." This is the prophecy which Edward Atkinson made to one of the representatives of the St. James Gazette. As regards the mechanical appliances employed by the London fire brigade Mr. Atkinson gave it as his opinion that we are far behind the United States. "Your appliances are mere toys," he remarked. "I read of your having an engine which can throw a jet of 500 gallons a minute, but that is not enough. I have not seen a single standpipe in any street here. In America the standpipe runs to the highest floor of the loftiest building and is so constructed that the engine on its arrival can be connected without a minute's delay. No hose is needed, and water is thrown on to every floor. We do not have, as you do, a few such jets of water thrown from the ground level."

Not Too Much For Our Good.

"Lawd," prayed the old colored deacon, "please give us in dis worl' whar we livin' at all de prosperity we kin stand, but w'en we gits dizzy wid it en goes ter celebratin' too much des send 'long old Br'er Trouble ter make us sit stiddy in de boat, en we'll be mighty thankful!" — Atlanta Constitution.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For a Dainty Frock Designed by Martha Dean.

No. 4672

Here is a frock for a dear little lady, which follows the simplicity of the present gowning of the little people. It may be developed into a fetching party gown by omitting the yoke and using the short puff sleeves or for an everyday or Sunday frock in the high neck and long sleeve mode. Shirts or tucks follow the line of the deep round yoke and supply plenty of fullness for the skirt. If a festive frock is desired, white organdie or mousseline de sole in a delicate shade of pink will be very pretty, while heading run with ribbon or lace insertion will be an attractive trimming. Saucy little bows of soft ribbon on the shoulders and at the lower edge of the miniature sleeves will prove effective additions. Where the high neck model is used gingham, chambray, madras, percale or lawn will serve for warm days and challis or any of the woolen fabrics for cold weather. The yoke may be made of strips of insertion, embroidery, rows of ribbon catstitched together or of the material. A round gathered ruffle of embroidery or the material may be used to adorn the yoke. The sleeve is the much liked blousé model and very appropriate to this kind of a gown. Pattern is in six sizes, 1 to 6 years.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 4672, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write plainly and always give full address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.



Patterns For Petticoat and Corset Cover by Martha Dean—Nos. 6316 and 6530



The desire for dainty underwear is a distinctly feminine trait, and few women are entirely content without some nice lingerie. Dainty does not mean elaborate. On the contrary, some of the finest imported garments are without adornment, having simplicity and fine workmanship as their hall mark of quality. This corset cover is a simple, sensible model, having a low round neck and plenty of fullness over the bust. It is in one piece and fastens in front with small buttons or tie strings. A fine beading run with white ribbon and edged with a full narrow lace forms a pretty finish. If more work is to be put upon it, the neck might be buttonholed and small eyelets made through which to run ribbon. The neck might be drawn up in this manner with a result far more individual and attractive. The cover is finished at the lower edge by a peplum, which is circular in shape, thus insuring a smooth fit over the hips.

The petticoat is a five gored model finished with a circular flounce and several ruffles. This will serve as a suggestion for the new petticoat, as it can be made up in any petticoat material and will admit of various modes of trimming. For warm weather wear the natural colored linen or madras is very serviceable, as is also pongee, silk or moreen for cooler weather. Two patterns—No. 6316, in six sizes, 32 to 42 inches bust; No. 6530, in six sizes, 20 to 30 inches waist.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 20 cents to this office, give numbers of these patterns, Nos. 6316 and 6530, and state sizes desired. They will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Or either of the patterns will be sent for 10 cents. Be sure to write plainly and always give full address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

Pattern For Lady's New Style Petticoat Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6347

All the smart capers on garments are being followed very closely in the new lingerie fashions. The shape and design of these garments quickly follow any change in dress, and no up to date woman would think of making a petticoat from last season's patterns. The petticoat has a great deal to do with a woman appearing well groomed and well dressed. It is apparent to every one that with the present fashion of full skirts one must have well fitting petticoats, with the right flare to the lower edge and right fit. The design shown embodies all of the new lines, even to the charming flounce made in handkerchief points. This not only forms a pretty trimming, but does service by giving the skirt a fashionable fullness. The skirt proper is composed of five gores, but cut in such a manner as to throw the fullness where it belongs. It is finished by a deep circular flounce, which may be decorated by the handkerchief frill, by flounces or other preferred manner. The model is one that is as good for a plain black sateen at 15 cents a yard as for the most expensive Paris mull or tulle. Sizes, 20 to 30 inches waist measure.



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Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 6347, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write plainly and always give full address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.



Pattern For a Graceful Morning Gown by Martha Dean. No. 6328

"It checks no vein! But every flowing limb in pleasure draws And heightens ease with grace."

What a world of comfort is to be found within a pretty morning gown! It is easily slipped into for breakfast with its lordship, loose and restful to put on when midday returns tired from her journeys about town and a very haven of bliss for the afternoon nap. The accompanying model is one of unusual charm. The back is trimly fitted to the figure, while the front falls in free grace. A full front is stitched to yoke depth, where it is bridged by a fanciful vest closing only to flow forth in fuller freedom from its confinement to the floor. The sleeve has the full puff to the elbow, ending in a deep tight cuff. The neck may be finished with a standing or turndown collar or left low and adorned with a tiny edging of lace or ribbon. The materials suitable for this gown are many, among the first being challis, lawn or a daintily flowered dimity. The front, neck and wrists may be attractively edged with a narrow ruche or ribbon. Tiny pearl buttons mark the closing of the vest. The making of this gown is very simple, and one need not be a dressmaker to fashion it with success. Six sizes, 32 to 42 inches bust.

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COUNTY.

Quantico.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dashiell, of Baltimore, who have been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Disharoon, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Nannie Taylor left Monday for Baltimore where she will spend a few days after which she will resume her position as milliner in North Carolina.

Misses Stella and Lillie Bounds are spending a few days with their cousin Miss Nina Venables of Salisbury.

Mrs. G. A. Bounds and daughter Delsie spent Wednesday at Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Uman of Salisbury were in town Tuesday.

Miss Martha Hearne of Philadelphia who has been visiting her cousin Mrs. T. H. Jones left Thursday for Salisbury where she will spend a few days.

Mr. William T. Fletcher who has been spending a few days at Syracuse N. Y. returned home Wednesday.

Miss Christa Bailey and friends, the Misses Mac Nell's of Philadelphia who have been spending some time with Miss Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levin C. Bailey returned home Saturday.

Miss Hilda Howard of Hebron was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Clifford Taylor left Monday for California where he will join his brother who left several months ago.

Miss Martha Waller of Salisbury who has been visiting her sister Mrs. T. R. Jones returned home Thursday.

Mr. Clifford Cooper of Allen was in town Sunday.

Miss Lillian Boston is visiting her cousin Mrs. Howard England of Berlin.

Mr. James Waller of Hebron was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Patty Howard who has been spending some time with her daughter Mrs. Whitefield Lowe of near Salisbury returned home Thursday of last week.

Miss Katie Howard of Hebron who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Margaret Bounds returned home Thursday.

Mr. Marcus Acworth and sister, Miss Ruth who have been visiting friends and relatives in Baltimore returned home Sunday.

Miss Nettie Brady of New Jersey who has been spending her summer vacation with her mother Mrs. Annie Brady returned to her duties as nurse Wednesday.

Mrs. G. M. Messick who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks is slowly improving.

Mrs. Emily Kennerly and little granddaughter Gladys returned home Wednesday after a visit of several days to her son Mr. Walter Kennerly of Laurel Del.

Pittsville.

The M. P. Church will be opened again Sunday beginning with Sunday School at 9 o'clock, the class meeting at 10.30 o'clock, and preaching at 8 p. m.

Several of our people attended the camp at Parnassus last Sunday.

Misses Rebecca Shockley, Lillie and Rona Riggins, Messrs. M. A. Davis, T. H. Truitt and Chester Sheppard are attending the Tri-County Summer School at Ocean City.

We are sorry to report Miss Mae Farrow as the sick list.

Mr. Hiram Ake is having his house repainted inside and out.

Mrs. Keenan and children, of Philadelphia are visiting Mrs. Peter Brittingham.

Miss Agnes and Lillian Cropper of Ocean City spent a part of this week with friends here.

Mr. Everett Shockley and family who have been spending quite awhile with relatives here returned home Monday.

Miss Nellie Sheppard of Salisbury spent a part of this week with her cousin Miss Annie Sheppard.

Misses Eva and Marian Davis left Wednesday for Ocean City where they will spend a few days with their friends.

Allen.

Services at Allen M. E. church next Sunday as follows: Sunday School 9.30 A. M. preaching 10.30 A. M. by J. E. White preaching 7.30 P. M. by presiding Elder Rev. Mr. Gayle.

Mr. Thomas F. Bothum and two children Rosalie and Edgar of Wilmington Del. spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby A. W. Hitch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols of near Salisbury spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nichols.

Misses Nettie and Birdie Goslee of Salisbury and Miss Mame Bounds of Waterloo spent last week with Miss Ethel Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goslee of Salisbury and Mr. George Renshaw of Baltimore spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindley Allen and daughter Louisa of Cambridge are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. C. Allen.

Miss Bettie Clayville of Salisbury is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Messick.

Miss Martha Leonard of Salisbury is visiting her aunt Mrs. Sue Griffith.

Miss Carrie and Mildred Fitzgerald of Cape Charles Va. is visiting Misses Carolyn and Martha Hurlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallace of Baltimore is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wood Wallace.

Mr. Frank Huey of Seaford Del. is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Mr. John Murray has three children quite ill with fever, also Mr. Henry Crouch has two children that is very sick with the same disease.

Fodder saving is the leading object of pursuit in and around this place at the present time.

A very heavy rain and thunder, storm passed over this section Tuesday afternoon and evening last which done considerable damage especially the rain as the county roads or at least what was left of them after the rain was almost impassable. A bolt of lightning split an oak board that was used for a prop under a clothes-line in the yard of Mr. Elisha Simms.

The Democratic Party as well as the Republican Party are commending President Roosevelt for trying to bring about peace between Russia and Japan, wonder what kind of thoughts are passing through the minds of those Democratic Editors who only a short time ago were accusing our honored President through the columns of their tricky newspapers of trying at all times to incite riot and bring about war in some kind of manner. They knew it was false when they published it, but like the Poe Amendment they wanted to pull the wool over the eyes of some poor wayfarer. But if they, the Democratic party, don't watch, they will be snowed under in due season and for keeps in both county and state, as a good old Democrat told me today that he thought the Democratic party had about run its race in this state and county and he for one would like to see a change. Now Democrats, whoever reads this, take that in your pipe and smoke it, provided you smoke. And another Democrat told me that a negro had a soul as well as the white man and should be entitled to vote the same as a white man. And to cap the climax another one told me that they, the Democratic party, was going to run Roosevelt for President again and let us Republicans vote for him provided we were good. Well, all I've got to say is, if we as a party have no more record than the Democratic party has, we should not be allowed to vote.

—Mocha and Java coffee 32 cents lb. One can "King of All" baking powder free with every pound—Golden Eagle Tea Company.

Delmar.

Hitchens and Lowe are closing out their stock of Millinery, Ladies Furnishings and notions at auction this week. Mrs. George of Milford, will succeed them at their old stand.

F. Leslie Barker is home for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. John J. Culver is erecting a new residence on Jewell st. When completed will be occupied by Mr. Murray Stewart.

S. N. Culver has leased the new concrete building, erected by T. A. Veasey, next door to the First National Bank and will occupy it about Sept. 9 with a down-to-date Clothing, Hat, Shoe and Furnishing Goods store. The building is 20 feet wide and 72 long, three stories and is the handsomest store building in Delmar. He will put in entirely new store fixtures and stock of goods and will occupy all three stores.

Mr. B. F. Barker and family have returned from a two weeks stay at the Neversink Mountains, Penn.

Mr. F. A. Robertson has purchased an acre of land of Mr. J. J. Culver near town and is erecting a pigeon loft 80x40 ft., with five and every convenience for raising squabs. He expects 1,000 homers next week. He has already about 400. This will make about 1500 in all.

Mr. Herman L. Elliott left Tuesday for St. Louis where he has accepted a position with the Simmons Hardware Co.

The Delmar Concert Band furnished music at the Keller Fair this week. They also furnished music last year. The boys made a good many friends each year.

Delmar is very much in need of a Weekly Newspaper. And if some one with hustle would come here they could make a good thing out of it, besides the amount of the job printing they could get here.

Melons.

Farmers are busy in their fodder.

Ann Hutson, colored, died Monday at a ripe old age of 84 years. She was buried beside her husband, who died about a month ago, and who was 100 years old. Aunt Ann will be greatly missed. She leaves one son.

Riverton.

Misses Ruth and Lettie Bennett have returned from their visit to Fawn Grove Pa.

Capt. G. T. Kennerly spent a few days with his family.

Mrs. G. H. Higgins left for Baltimore to spend several days.

John E. Taylor Jr., and family have returned to Baltimore.

A horse which was drowned at Sharptown this week in an attempt to swim the river while attached to a road cart, floated down the river this morning.

Miss Minnie Robinson, of Sharptown, was a guest of Ruby Cooper and the Misses Kennerly.

The Riverton M. P. Aid Society will meet 2nd. Thursday in September at B. F. Kennerly's.

J. E. Taylor visited Columbia Del. this week.

Mrs. Nan Brainhall of Georgetown Del. is visiting friends in town.

St. Luke's.

Fodder saving is the order of the day.

Mr. George Jones had a small son one day last week, to fall from a cart and severely cut himself. Dr. Dick was called in and rendered medical aid, and the lad is now rapidly improving.

Rev. W. W. White and wife of Fruitland were pleasantly entertained at the home of Rev. Elijah Brown on last Tuesday.

Protracted services will commence at St. Luke's M. E. church on the second Sabbath in September beginning at 7.30 p. m. There will be no service in the afternoon. The members and friends of St. Luke's Church will hold a basket supper and festival on next Thursday evening Sept. 7th. If bad weather on that evening then the supper will be held on following evening. All are cordially invited to assist and attend.

—Mrs. W. D. S. Drummond, of Owens Mills, Baltimore county, with her two little sons, are visiting the family of Mr. Geo. R. Drummond, on William street.

—Mrs. Alex. D. Toadwine left Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Neisley, at Manassett, L. I., with whom her father, Rev. S. W. Reigart, is staying. Dr. Reigart is improving.

Mr. A. T. Dashiell, of White Haven, who has been seriously ill for the past five weeks, was able to be at his store on Monday.

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38-in. Silk Sublime, soft, creaseless, \$1 a yd.

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CHILDRENS'—Sizes 6 to 10, full fashioned foot, double knee, regular price 15c. This sale 10c.

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THE PLATFORM IN A NUTSHELL.

Main Features Of Resolutions Adopted By Republican State Convention On Wednesday.

The main features of the resolutions adopted by the Republican State Convention held in Baltimore on Wednesday, were a denunciation of the proposed suffrage amendment as un-American, un-Republican and un-Democratic; a repudiation of the possibility of negro domination through the Republican party, and an eulogy of President Roosevelt as "the first citizen of the United States and foremost statesman of the world."

In a nutshell the platform was as follows:

Condemns as unfair, the unjust and oppressive changes that have been made in the honest Election law of 1896. Asserts that the constitutional amendment soon to be submitted to the voters is but the culmination of a plot, long meditated and carefully planned, to make and keep Maryland under the control of the political party now dominant and as now organized, regardless of her people's wishes, and, at the same time, to insure to the men who make up the political organization now in power perpetual control of their own party, and through it of State government—a control to be used in the future, as it has been in the past, for their own selfish ambition and fraudulent aims and purposes, without regard to the fair fame or vital interests of our State.

Further condemns the Poe Amendment because of the fact that after the election of a single year, it provides that all young men, of all colors and conditions alike who seek admission to the exercise of manhood suffrage, shall be subject to the discrediting and degrading requirement that they shall submit themselves to an examination in constitutional law that shall be prescribed by and subject to the approval of a board of election officers of a character that experience has found to be quite frequently illiterate, and not infrequently corrupt.

Points with confidence and pride to the wise and conservative administration of the late lamented Lloyd Lowndes, the four years of whose incumbency in office witnessed the enactment of such non-partisan legislation of far reaching utility as will constitute a sufficient answer for all men of common fairness and common sense to the silly, yearly out-cry about "negro domination" and social equality, and all of the attendant train of imaginary and fabricated evils that party expediency can conjure up to serve exigencies of a desperate political organization.

Concludes with the following declaration:

"In recognition of the paramount and predominant character of the issue presented by this proposed amendment, and with a view to accentuating the importance thereof and concentrating the energies of our party toward a movement for the preservation of that right predominant of all others, and without which none other can be secure, the Republicans of Maryland refrain from any declaration upon ordinary measures and policies of administration in this campaign and with firm faith in the justice of the cause in which they, co-ordinately and in co-operation with allied and independent elements of our population, who think alike with them on this question, call upon all good citizens, whatever their politics or their party, to aid in preventing the establishment of a condition which will rob Maryland of the essentials of self-government, endanger her progress and prosperity and discredit and disgrace her before the American people."

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

So Harmonious It Was Tame—Comptroller Not Nominated.

The Republican State Convention met in the Lyceum theatre, Baltimore, Wednesday, to adopt resolutions and perform the other duties incident to such a gathering with the exception of nominating a State ticket, in this case that of Comptroller of the Treasury. Owing to the Primary Election Law in force in Baltimore city a nomination for Comptroller could not legally be made at this time and it was thought best to postpone action upon this important feature until later in the month, when the convention will reconvene, ratify what was done this week and make the nomination. No time was set for this later convention, but it was understood that it would be held about September 28th.

Wednesday's meeting was without special incident, other than the usual preliminary getting together on the details of what was to be accomplished. In fact, Dr. Washington G. Tuck, the old war horse of Anne Arundel, deplored the lack of fighting to add interest to the scene. There was a very large attendance on Tuesday and the halls and conference rooms at the Remont were alive with the throng until a late hour Tuesday night. Everything was satisfactorily arranged, however, at consultations of the leaders at Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte's office in the afternoon and at the hotel that evening. Consequently a considerable number of the delegates left for their homes on Wednesday before the conclusion of the convention.

Congressman Mudd and Jackson were the dominant forces and they, with Mr. Bonaparte outlined what course should be pursued. There was some talk of succeeding Chairman Hanna, of the State Central Committee, with various politicians of more or less prominence, but after a thorough discussion it was decided to reject him.

The resolutions received most careful consideration. Mr. Walter B. Miller, of Wicomico, represented his county on the Resolutions Committee and made a strenuous endeavor to incorporate into them a plank he had written on the question of negro office-holding. Mr. Miller's views were accepted in part and he achieved what, under the circumstances, was a remarkable victory. He loomed high as a candidate for Comptroller and when the Convention reassembles he may receive the nomination. Mr. Miller stated, however, that he is not a candidate in any sense of the word.

Among those present from Wicomico county were Hon. W. H. Jackson, Messrs. E. S. Adkins, W. B. Miller, John H. Tomlinson, Elmer H. Walton, Alan F. Benjamin, Capt. E. S. Turner, A. L. Wingate, W. J. White, W. R. Bomberger, M. A. Humphreys and W. W. Culver, Jr. Mr. W. J. White represented the county on the Committee on Credentials.

THE SUMMER NORMAL SCHOOL.

The Tri-County Institute At Ocean City Has Been A Great Success.

The Tri-County Summer Normal School, embracing the public school teachers of Worcester, Wicomico and Somerset counties, which began its sessions at Ocean City the first of last week, adjourned Friday afternoon until Monday morning, when it reopened to continue through this week. More than 250 teachers were in attendance during the two weeks and the great interest manifested at all the sessions was evidence that the meeting was a success, and reflects credit on County Superintendents Bounds, McMaster and Dashiell, who originated the idea of having the three counties combine for a joint normal course of two weeks instead of the usual one-week county institutes.

The programme which was followed was prepared by Superintendent Bounds, of Wicomico. A large number of educators of note were members of the corps of instructors, including the following: Professor Murdaugh, of the State Normal at Frostburg, Dr. Frank McMurtry, of Columbia University, Dr. Ward, principal of the Maryland State Normal School, Dr. Gault, of the Normal Department of Washington College, Chestertown, Dr. M. Bates Stephens, State Superintendent of the Public Instruction, and Misses Scarborough, Davis, McLean, Ford, Scott and Ricker, of the Maryland State Normal School, Dr. James W. Cain, president of Washington College, and others.

A special feature of this week's program was round-table discussions on different topics pertaining to school work, which were held by the various High School principals of the three counties. On Wednesday Mr. Thomas Perry, formerly School examiner for Wicomico county, addressed the institute on "Civics."

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THEIR SILVER WEDDING.

Hon. and Mrs. Wm. H. Jackson Give Large Reception This Evening In Honor Of Their Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

The custom of celebrating wedding anniversaries dates back into a past so dim that while all history speaks of them, no reference is made of their origin, other than to take it for granted that they are inspired by the same love and affection that made the marriage in the beginning. They are mile-posta safely passed amid the trials and tribulations of this world, each of the wedded couple sustained by the sheltering regard of the other. As the different periods pass, a celebration of the happiness mutually created and enjoyed, is natural. Hence the custom of gathering together one's friends to make the event all the more enjoyable, both to ourselves and to those whose esteem we possess.

How exaggerated become the above sentiments after a period of twenty-five years. It is the culmination of a lifetime. Through such a term, a stream flows past all the varied scenes and with all the varied experiences that come to us on this mundane sphere. It is time for especial joy, especial pride and especial commemoration.

Hon. and Mrs. William H. Jackson passed into this silver age Friday evening, after an unusually successful life both in business and social affairs. In celebration thereof, they gave to their large circle of friends and acquaintances a reception from 8 to 11 o'clock, the magnificence of which has never been exceeded and seldom equalled in this State. About 500 invitations were sent out, 350 to friends in Salisbury and 150 outside, the greater part of which were accepted.

Mr. Jackson had his handsome house completely redecorated for the occasion by Emmert, the Baltimore mural artist. Mr. W. H. Hillerman, of Havrestraw, N. Y., had charge of the floral decorations with carte blanche to make them as beautiful as his ability could accomplish. The reception room wall decorations are in shades of pale terra cotta, cream and silver, ceiling pearl white and ecru. The plant decorations were a large horse-shoe of evergreens bearing the legend 1880-1905, with an H and J entwined, in silver gilt. Under this the receiving party stood to receive the congratulations of the guests. Other floral decorations of the room were asparagus, palms, ferns and American beauty roses.

In the halls the walls are decorated in palest olive green and silver, with the ceiling shades of cream and silver. The plant decorations were palms and smilax.

The library has its walls decorated in shades of blue, ceiling in shades of cream, ecru and pearl white. The plant decorations were palms, ferns and roses.

The dining rooms are notably handsome, with walls of Spanish red, terra cotta, and gold, with ceiling of pink, ecru, gold and pearl white. In this room the flowers used were palms, ferns, smilax and liberty roses and asters.

A special feature of the decorations were the beautiful electric lights, both in the house and the grounds. Colored globes were strung in front of the house through the shrubbery with most beautiful effect.

A string orchestra of 7 pieces, furnished by G. Satori, of Philadelphia, was concealed behind a bank of palms in the hall and played throughout the evening. The caterer was Harris, of Baltimore, assisted by Solomon T. Houston, of Salisbury, who had charge of the wedding breakfast when Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were married. Elaborate refreshments were served.

The receiving party consisted of Hon. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Marvel. Mrs. Jackson wore a gown of white net, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, with diamonds. Mrs. W. F. Jackson wore an imported robe of embroidered batiste, trimmed with valenciennes lace and diamonds. Mrs. Marvel wore a light blue chiffon taffeta gown, trimmed with lace and diamonds and pearls.

In the library the guests were received by Mrs. J. C. Phillips, Mrs. George W. Phillips, Mrs. C. F. Lamb, Mrs. W. H. Hillerman, Miss Alice Humphreys, Mrs. N. Browne, Miss Lizzie Rider, and Miss Lillie Humphreys. Mr. and Mrs. Marion A. Humphreys were stationed in the hall. The grand-children present were Miss Belle Jackson and Master Newton Jackson, William H. Jackson, 2d, Jane and Mary Marvel, and Anne Humphreys.

A number of handsome presents were received by Mr. and Mrs. Jackson from his family and close friends, among them being a beautiful silver dish from Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are entertaining a large house party in honor of the occasion, including Judge David T. Marvel, of Wilmington, Del., Dr. and Mrs. Philip Marvel, of Atlantic City, Rev. Richard W. Humphreys, of New Castle, Va., Mrs. N. M. Browne, of Wilmington, Rev. George W. Townsend, of Hurlock, who performed their marriage ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Marvel and children, of Wilmington.

Those from out of town who were expected to be present were the following: Philadelphia:—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bell, Rev. and Mrs. Mervin J. Eckles, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Founce, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph

Hearn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Parsons, Mrs. Amanda Rider, Misses Lizzie and Margaret Rider, Mr. G. Sheldermine, Miss Marie Sheldermine.

Baltimore:—Mr. and Mrs. John Caldwell, Hon. and Mrs. John V. L. Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Graham, Mrs. Clara Hartzog, Capt. Willard Thomson, Mr. Tully A. Joynes, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Levisness, Jr., White Haven:—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Culver, Jr.

La Plata:—Hon. Sydney E. Mudd, New Castle, Del.:—Rev. and Mrs. Prettyman.

Dover:—Mr. W. D. Denney, Mr. and Mrs. R. Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson.

Jessup, Md.:—Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Rider, Brooklyn, N. Y.:—Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blount.

Havre de Grace:—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McCombes, Miss Vesta McCombes.

Riderville Ala.:—Mrs. Noah H. Rider, Princess Anne:—Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Beauchamp, Mr. and Mrs. Lankford, Judge and Mrs. Henry Page, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. D. Stanford, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Williams.

Washington, D. C.:—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Phillips.

Cambridge:—Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Goldsborough, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanna, New Castle, Va.:—Rev. R. W. Humphreys, Greenwood Del.:—Mr. Simeon Pennawill, Norfolk, Va.:—Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cohn, Misses Cohn.

Seaford, Del.:—Mr. and Mrs. James Ross, New York:—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence G. Edgcombe, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morse Jr.

Pallfield, N. J.:—Mrs. I. N. Jackson, Sharptown:—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knowles, Elston:—Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Martindale, Senator and Mrs. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Warburton.

Crisfield:—Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. P. Dennis, Rev. and Mrs. Henry S. Dulaney.

Easton:—Senator and Mrs. R. B. Dixon, Hurlock:—Rev. and Mrs. George W. Townsend.

Nanticoke:—Capt. and Mrs. E. S. S. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Walter.

Atlantic City:—Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Marvel, Miss Lulu Marvel.

Laurel, Del.:—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood.

Wilmington:—Mrs. N. M. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Marvel, Judge David T. Marvel, Miss Lucille Martindale, Dr. and Mrs. Springer.

Delmar:—Mr. Charles Wood.

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There is a big crop of pears in parts of lower Delaware.

A soft answer has little effect in turning away a bill collector.

Labor Day at Cumberland was observed with a big parade and picnic.

Mr. Oscar A. Turner is having built at Castle Haven, Md., a hog pen that will cost \$1900.

An entire carload of strawboard was shipped last week from Chestertown to Cape Town, South Africa.

Ex-Senator George L. Wellington was defeated in Saturday's primaries in Alleghany county by 2000 majority.

When a mosquito sees girl with a see-more waist on he hurries back home and invites all his family to his party.

It is estimated that the entire acreage of tomatoes planted in Maryland does not approach 60 per cent of last year's planting.

J. E. Sommers, residing about two miles from Easton, has an orchard of 700 peach trees all of which are laden with luscious fruit.

Walking in his sleep, Joseph Hodges, colored, fell overboard from a vessel in Chester river at Chestertown and was drowned.

The corn crop in Kent will not be as large as expected. Many ears are not more than half filled, but fodder will be abundant.

A Philadelphia woman only 25 years old has had eight husbands, four of whom are living. Philadelphia isn't such slow place after all.

An eel weighing two pounds and measuring 39 1/2 inches in length was caught in Octoraro Creek by 10-year-old Frank G. Magraw, of Calvert.

The Centreville Observer is out in an endorsement of Governor Warfield for reelection, despite the Governor's opposition to the Poe Amendment.

The Episcopal Church at Millington burned in the fire which destroyed the village last summer will be replaced by a new structure to cost \$3,000.

Trout fishing in the waters of Tangier and Pocomoke Sound is said to be the best in years. A hundred big trout to the boat is a small catch.

Bedsworth, Jr., the fastest pacer on the Eastern Shore has been sold by Chester-town parties to a Washington, D. C., man for \$5,000 cash and other considerations.

A new \$15,000 town hall will be erected at Centreville. W. S. and A. M. Culp, of Chestertown, have been awarded the contract. It will be of limestone and concrete.

Mice among matches caused a fire which destroyed the store and dwelling of Herbert Wilkins at Rock Hall Kent county, on Sunday morning. The family barely escaped with their lives.

The residents of Chestertown, Md., are complaining of poor train and mail service, and a petition has been forwarded to the Postoffice Department at Washington asking for relief.

Mr. A. A. Christian, a native of Greensboro, Md., has retired from his position with Gimbel Brothers, Philadelphia, as Advertising Manager and is traveling in Europe. He has amassed a comfortable fortune.

Tomatoes have been selling at from 25 to 50 cents per basket for some time in the city markets, and the growers who did not contract to furnish them to the canning houses happen to be very fortunate this season, if they have a good crop. The returns are large.

The only business man we ever knew who kept busy without advertising," says an exchange, "was an Arkansas grocer who was afflicted with the seven year itch and carried a Waterbury watch. When he was not scratching he was winding his watch."

A raft of logs from a Virginia creek for Baltimore was lost Saturday by Weaver's tug Sea King. It sank off Holland Point in seven fathoms of water in the track of navigation, to which it is a menace. From the position where the raft sunk Holland Point bears west-half south.

An Indiana editor printed the following: "The fellow who is courting a certain married lady had better leave town as the husband is onto him." The paper had not been out very long before every man had left except three old cripples and a man who had not read the paper.

Council for John M. Simpkins, the condemned murderer of Hon. Albert Constable failed to file a bill of exception upon which to carry the case to the Court of Appeals. The time limit expired last Friday. Simpkins, in all probability, will shortly pay the penalty for his crime on the gallows.

About 300 farmers attended the annual meeting Friday and Saturday at the Maryland Agricultural College. They spent Friday night at the Institution and were hospitably entertained during their stay. All the departments of the college and experiment station were inspected.

Charles T. Wrightson, proprietor of Wrightson Packing Company, of Easton, Talbot county, who contracted last spring with farmers to grow them tomatoes at \$6.50 a ton, greatly surprised them last week by voluntarily raising the price to \$7 a ton. This to include all tomatoes previously delivered at the cannery.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were received last week in the Clerk's office for record:

Alphons H. Holloway and Florence H. Holloway to Samuel A. Graham 10 acres of land more or less in Camden Election \$800.

Charles H. Quinton and Emeline Quinton to Anna S. Spencer 6 2-5 acres of land more or less Sharptown Election District \$110.

L. Atwood Bennett, trustee, to Rebecca Stromberger 15 acres of land, more or less in Nantlooke election district, \$100.

James C. Davis and Bettie S. Davis to Mary A. Scott lot in South Salisbury, \$450.

James C. Davis, Bettie S. Davis and Archer C. Holloway to Rosa Hancock lot in South Salisbury \$450.

Jas. E. Ellegood and Rosa B. Ellegood to Robt. E. Maddox lot in South Salisbury \$300.

James C. Davis, Bettie S. Davis and Archer C. Holloway to Elijah M. Ruark 10 acres of land more or less in Nutters Election District \$300.

Robert L. Leatherbury to James H. Dashiell lot in White Haven \$400.

Resolutions Of Respect.

At the second Quarterly Conference for Quantico Circuit, which met in the M. P. Church, Quantico, Saturday, September 2nd 1905, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas in the providence of our Heavenly Father, Brother William H. Taylor has been by death removed from our midst, and he having been an active member of this conference, therefore be it

Resolved 1, that we bow in humble submission to an allwise God who doeth all things well.

2nd That while we mourn his loss as a brother and fellow worker in the Master's Vineyard, one upon whom we could rely to be present at our official meetings and take an active interest in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the church, yet we rejoice to believe that our loss is his gain "and that safe from sorrow and pain he is where the weary are at rest."

3 That we extend our heart-felt sympathy to his beloved companion and bereaved ones and pray the God of all comfort to sustain them in their bereavement.

4th That a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the minutes of this conference a copy sent to the family of our deceased brother, and a copy to each of the county papers.

A. J. Dashiell, Sec.

In Memoriam.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. D. Phillips was filled with sadness last Thursday evening, when their little baby, Blair, the sunshine of their home, was taken from their tender embrace. He had been sick for a month, suffering with cholera infantum. After funeral services, conducted by Rev. Franklin B. Adkins, in the Spring Hill Episcopal Church, his body was laid to rest in the grave adjoining, and the beautiful flowers that decked his narrow couch are but a faint reflection of the life of him who sleeps beneath. So good, so patient in his sickness, he was soon to be transplanted to a better world than this. May his parents believe and trust in "Him who doeth all things well."

Notice !!!

There will be services in Spring Hill Parish, D. V., on Sunday next, September 10th as follows:—

Quandico 10.30 a. m.
Spring Hill 8 p. m.
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Mr. Ellison Van Hoose shipped from Widgeon wharf, on the Wicomico river, last week, many crates of White Heath peaches which were said to be the finest ever shipped from that wharf. They brought fancy prices in Baltimore. Mr. Van Hoose has cleared enough from his peach crop this year to build a handsome house on the farm.

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In the Republican primary election in Crisfield on Saturday, A. Lincoln Dryden, Subtreasurer of Baltimore; Jas. C. Kates, Collector of Customs and W. R. Reese, Postmaster at Crisfield, who have controlled the Republican organization for several years, were snowed under in a contest for continued supremacy. The contest against boss rule was led by L. E. P. Dennis, J. E. Sterling, C. H. Mattison, W. Jerome Sterling, W. B. Long, John W. Nock and others. Mr. Dryden was elected on the State Central Committee however and was sent as a delegate to the State Convention. No ticket was nominated.

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Excursion tickets, good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within ten days, will be sold at \$10.00 from Philadelphia and all points on the Delaware Division; \$11.25 from Atlantic City; \$9.60 from Lancaster; and at proportionate rates from other points, including Trenton, Bordentown, Mt. Holly, Cape May, Salem, Wilmington, West Chester, Reading, and principal intermediate stations. A stop-over will be allowed at Buffalo within the limit of ticket returning.

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"Tom Watson's" For September.

In the September number of Tom Watson's Magazine, Dr. Albert Bushnell Hart, professor of history in Harvard University, replies to Mr. Watson's arraignment which attracted so much notice throughout the country. Mr. Watson, in rebuttal, again scores the famous historian for his treatment of conditions in the South. The leader for the people also deals some shrewd blows at corruption in life insurance companies. In the contents of the magazine perhaps the strongest feature is "The Financial Case for Home Rule," by John Redmond, member of Parliament and leader of the Nationalist Irish party, with an accompanying article on Mr. Redmond by William T. Stead, probably the world's foremost journalist. The Hon. Samuel Seabury contributes "Municipal Ownership in New," and Frederick Upham Adams has another biting sociological satire, entitled "Mr. Stonychap's Parade." In both fiction and poetry the September number of Tom Watson's is unusually strong, making it a well rounded and unique example of a magazine planned to entertain as well as to instruct, enlivened as it is by numerous bits of humor and original and selected cartoons.—Tom Watson's Magazine, New York, 10 cents.

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"Steal Not This Book."

Students of sociology who are fond of tracing back the customs of latter day man to the practices of his remote ancestry will note with interest the fact that there is authority at least 600 years old for the entry, "Steal not this book for fear of shame," by which schoolboys proclaim their ownership of a work.

In a curious volume in the Bodleian library, formerly belonging to the monastery of Robertbridge in Sussex, is the following inscription: "This book belongs to St. Mary of Robertbridge. Whoever shall steal it or sell it or in any way alienate it, let him be anathema maranatha."

In the course of the fourteenth century the book came into the possession of John, bishop of Exeter, who seems to have been somewhat troubled by the inscription as being likely to give rise to injurious suspicions with regard to himself. Accordingly he wrote underneath it under date 1327, "I, John, bishop of Exeter, know not where the aforesaid house is, nor did I steal this book, but acquired it in a lawful way."—London Advertiser.

The "Tale of a Tub."

One of the most ancient of all sea "yarns" is one that ships have escaped from the fearsome monsters of the deep by throwing them a tub to divert their attention, in much the same way that a landsman might sacrifice a garment in order to escape a bull. In Munster's "Cosmography," published in 1544, there is a picture of a vessel escaping from a whale by this stratagem, while the earlier editions of Swift's "Tale of a Tub" have a similar one. These stories were usually told in such an incoherent way that people became skeptical of their truth, and when a pleader named Tubb put a cause before Sir Thomas More in outrageously rambling language that chancellor jocularly remarked, "Here is a tale of a tub." Thereafter the expression became part of the slang of the period until much later it was raised to a higher rank by becoming the title of Swift's famous work.

Styles in Africa.

The women bore a hole in their top lip and gradually increase this until it is able to inclose a disk of wood two and even three inches in diameter. A Mubra woman came to call on us whose disk measured two and five-eighths inches across. The size of the wood inclosed proclaims the rank of the person. Peasants are only allowed to wear pieces of stick of the same dimensions as a match.

The weight of the wood causes the lip to fall down over the mouth, and in order to eat it is necessary to lift up this shutter with one hand while the other conveys the food to the mouth. Frequently the lip breaks under the strain put upon it, in which case the disconnected ends are carried back and tied to the ear.—"On the Borders of Pygmy Land."

The Catamaran.

The catamaran, made of a hollowed log, shares the popularity of the Mas-soola boat with the fishermen of Madras. The rickety looking contrivance can weather any storm in the skillful native hands, and letters are sent by this means to ships in the offing when other communication with the shore is impossible. The catamaran requires steering with a paddle through the raging surf, and though the boatman may be frequently dashed out of the rude skiff by the violence of the waves, he leaps into his frail bark again with the efficiency of long practice, and the catamaran, flying over the crest of the great billows which threaten instant destruction, accomplishes the perilous voyage in safety.

A Hint For Lovers.

Being "in love" is very different from loving and may be only a selfish emotion, which is the direct opposite of loving. Being in love without loving is bondage—sometimes pleasant and sometimes painful, but always bondage, says Leslie's Monthly. True loving means freedom—freedom both for ourselves and, as far as it is in our power to give it, for all whom we love, for when we truly love another human being we love him for the sake of his best strength, his best use and his best happiness, and not at all for the sake of ourselves.

Costly Cards.

The Empress Catherine, noticing that the beautiful Mlle. Potocka, who had lately come to court, had no pearls, immediately commanded a fancy dress ball, to which the girl was bidden to come as a milkmaid. Then while Mlle. Potocka was dancing the empress slipped a superb necklace of pearls into the pall she carried and at her exclamation of wonder said, "It is only the milk which has curdled."

Sydney Smith's Wit.

"By Jove," said a country squire who had got the worst of an argument with Sydney Smith, "if I had a son who was a donkey I'd make a parson of him straight away!"

"Possibly," returned the wit, "but your father was evidently of a different mind."

They Were Stopped.

"I want those eggs stopped!" shouted the tragedian, striding to the footlights.

"Well, you're stoppin' 'em, ain't you?" asked the boy in the gallery, soaking him with another.—Houston Post.

"Walton's Angler."

This insignificant duodecimo volume, not remarkable for any especial literary merit beyond an easy, cheerful, chatty good humor, interlarded with technical information about a strangely fascinating sport, occupies one of the topmost niches in the huge temple of British bibliographical fame. "Worth its weight in gold" is a very inadequate expression. The number of sovereigns its value represents overbalances many copies. Its companion volume, the second part, by Charles Cotton, was not issued from the press until twenty-three years later and naturally increases the already stupendous price when found with the earlier work.

The perennial popularity of "Walton's Angler" is very remarkable. Scarcely a year passes that does not witness its reissue in some form or other, either delicate and dear for the connoisseur's shelves or commonplace and cheap for the traveler's pocket. There is a charm about the book which time apparently cannot destroy.

How to Make Beeswax.

The following recipe for beeswax can be vouched for: After the combs have been put through an extractor or crushed and strained through a thin cloth the wax is put in a copper or porcelain lined kettle, with cold water enough to cover it, and boiled for half an hour, or longer if it seems necessary. When the wax is taken from the stove it is strained and poured in a vessel previously dipped in cold water. To make a round cake of beeswax pour the melted wax in a bowl that has been dipped in cold water. To make wax sheets use a board three-eighths of an inch thick, dampened with warm water, then dipped in the melted wax two or three times. The board is next put in water to cool for a little while, after which it is taken out, the edges trimmed with a sharp knife and two sheets of wax peeled off. To make these wax sheets the wax must not be too hot or it will crack.

Sound Waves.

The sensation of sound, as is well known, is produced by a certain to and fro or wave-like movement of the air striking upon the drum of the ear and so setting it in vibration. Each sound wave consists of two portions, in one of which the air is compressed beyond and in the other rarefied below the average pressure. If two sound waves are traveling in the same direction, but one of them starts half a wave length behind the other, the compressed half of one will fall upon the rarefied half of the other, the average air pressure will remain undisturbed, and the two sounds will combine to produce silence. If a sounding tuning fork be slowly rotated near the ear four positions will be found in which the sound will be barely audible. This is due to such interference of sound waves as has been described.

How to Cut Glass.

Glass can be cut without a diamond, and the way is very simple. Dip a piece of common string in alcohol and squeeze it reasonably dry. Then tie the string tightly around the glass on the line of cutting. Touch a match to the string and let it burn off. The heat of the burning string will weaken the glass in this particular place. While it is hot plunge the glass under water, letting the arm go under well to the elbow, so there will be no vibration when the glass is struck. With the free hand strike the glass outside the line of cutting, giving a quick, sharp stroke with any long flat instrument, such as a stick of wood or a long bladed knife, and the cut will be clean and straight as if made by a regular glass cutter.

"The Delight of Mankind."

Titus, the Roman emperor, was entitled "the delight of mankind." Titus' beneficence was unbounded, and it so happened that during his brief reign there was the most urgent need of its exercise. In the first year occurred the great eruption of Vesuvius, overwhelming Herculaneum and Pompeii and ruining numerous other towns and villages. The next year a fire broke out in Rome, which raged three days, causing great destruction, and in the track of these calamities followed a dreadful pestilence. Titus dealt out gifts with lavish hand to the houseless and ruined sufferers. He even despoiled the palaces of their valuable ornaments to obtain money for distribution and schemed and planned to furnish occupation for them. He was now the idol of his subjects, the "love and delight of the human race," but unfortunately for that part of the human race over which he ruled, in the commencement of the third year of his reign he became suddenly ill and died at his patrimonial villa in the Sabine country.

Their Descent.

"Oh, yes," she said proudly, "we can trace our ancestry back to—well, I don't know who, but we've been descending for centuries."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A Juvenile Thrust.

Mother—Remember, Tommy, an angel is watching over you. Tommy—Aw, ma, don't be con-celcted!—Chicago News.

Sisters-in-law.

Jinks—What tender care your wife takes of you—always worrying about your health. Blinks—Yes; I have my life insured in favor of my sister.—New York Weekly.

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Beginners may enter at these two periods—the first two weeks when school opens in September and the first two weeks in January, and

At No Other Time

By order of the Board:

H. CRAWFORD BOUNDS,
Aug 5-3m Secretary.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS

Every Republican new-comer to Wicomico county from another State should register at the County Clerk's office, at once, his affidavit of intention to become a citizen of the state of Maryland. Without making such affidavit one year in advance they cannot become a registered voter. Republicans who are already citizens and voters should make it their duty to inform all Republican new-comers to our county of this provision.

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Republican Ticket.

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For County Commissioners:
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FRANK A. WILLING,
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For Sheriff:
LOUIS P. COULBOURN.

For Surveyor:
THOMAS W. ENGLISH.

Republican Attitude Toward The Negro.

"The Republicans of Maryland do not feel it incumbent upon them to make any reply to the partisan warring and senseless sham and shibboleth of 'negro demonization.' The Republican party of the State of Maryland favors no social equality among the races, favors no negro domination over the white people here or elsewhere and can be depended upon to guard against the establishment of either of these conditions here in Maryland with equal safety and with greater sincerity than from a partisan organization that wears the mantle and usurps the name of Democracy, as understood in its best and broadest sense in this land."—From the Republican State Platform adopted Wednesday.

Above is printed the official declaration of the Republican party's attitude toward the negro, as enunciated by the State Convention in session in Baltimore on Wednesday. It expresses in plain English exactly what the party means and believes in—giving the negro a "square deal," but at the same time repudiating the possibility of domination by the negroes in any sense of the word.

As a matter of fact, the Democratic politicians have never feared "negro domination." They only use the prejudice against the colored man as a club with which to knock free elections and an honest ballot on the head. Their hope now is to disfranchise Republican voters in order to perpetuate their power, menaced by misgovernment; their solicitude is for their own skins, not for the purification of political conditions in this state. The claims of the Democratic organization in this direction in fact, are a huge joke, in view of their debauchery of our elections for the past thirty-five years.

The real necessity for reform is with the managers of the Democratic party, and in the laws they have forced on the statute books, by which they have stolen the control of the state ever since the time of Lloyd Lowndes. If, instead, they are given power they are seeking in the Poe Amendment, there will be frauds aggravated, with absolutely no hope for correction.

Rats! Rats!!

The contention of the *Wicomico News* that a white voter's age will be accepted as prima facie evidence of his being eligible to registration under the "Grandfather Clause," in case the Poe Amendment passes is absurd. It is equally absurd to contend that a simple statement of facts, unsupported by other evidence, would be taken as sufficient by conscientious Registration Judges. Democratic Judges, appointed by the ring to do their bidding, might accept these evidences, as they would accept or reject an explanation of the State Constitution as instructed to do so by these same ringsters. An honest Judge, however, could not do it if he performs his sworn duty.

Under the Poe Amendment, the rights of voters will be determined upon by fraud. It was written for that purpose. If a colored man can be kept from voting by fraud, so can a white man who is opposed to ring control.

Does anybody believe the Democratic politicians—or any other politician for that matter—is too good to deprive a man, white or black, of his vote, if by doing so he is benefitted? Rats.

The Misses Toadvine Entertain.

Misses Grace and Mary Toadvine, of White Haven, gave a watermelon wash to a jolly crowd of young people at their home last Wednesday evening, in honor of their guest, Miss Iris Messick, of Nanticoke. Miss Toadvine was assisted in receiving by Miss Iris Messick. The house and lawn were illuminated with Japanese lanterns. The decorations consisted of wild flowers, ferns and potted plants. The guests were entertained with musical selections and numerous games were played on the lawn. The table was decorated with wild flowers and ferns and at eleven o'clock refreshments were served on the lawn. Among those present were: Misses Stella Dennis, of Pittsville; India Insley and May McNabb, of Baltimore; Iris Messick, of Nanticoke; Etha Jones, of Mt. Vernon; Madeline Layfield, Mada Knowles, Minnie Robertson, Ella Wainwright, Jetta Robertson, Rena Lankford, Pearl, Leslie and Daisy Cathin; Messrs. Glen Sturgis, of Snow Hill; Rufus Dashiell, of Mt. Vernon; Grover Layfield, Hyland and Levin Dashiell, Howard and Fulton Waller, Waldo Taylor, Glen Cathin, Rolfe White, Smith Lankford, Grover and Stanley Toadvin. At a late hour the jolly crowd departed, wishing their friends many more watermelon washes.

The Corn-Crib Managerie Manager Still Kicks.

Mr. Editor:—We notice that the Corn-Crib Manager is still kicking, and well he may, for once the door is shut to him he will not be allowed to enter therein.

It seems that the poor Editor of *Courier* has to stand all the blunts, as the *News* says he is guilty of being once a DEMOCRAT. And that guilt is the unpardonable SIN (that we read about). The *News* knows only too well the SINs a Democrat will have to answer for. We are in sympathy with all those fellows who feel their sins have found them out, and you may take my prediction that, after this election this fall the *Wicomico News* will be a Republican paper. This may seem strange news to most all those who will read this but as the writer is on the inside of political news what we tell you will come to pass. It is better to repent and become a Republican while you are living than to wait until you have turned up your toes, for then trick Ballots and Poe Amendments will commence in earnest.

Well, the Corn-Crib (The *News*) knows what that means. But to talk this to most of the Democrats they won't know what to think of it. They will think it all a joke; but fellows, if you could only get to peep on the inside you would not think strange that the *News* is trying to keep the crib within the fold. It is a good thing I tell you, it means a large bank account, it means fine houses to live in, it means a bountiful table nicely spread, and served by NIGGER servants, and a Nigger cook, and all that. (But won't let poor Nigger vote.) It is very fine to have a NIGGER to get up and cook your breakfast on a cold morning, and go down and have all those nice dainties nicely spread awaiting your coming; it is very fine to have a Nigger to do your washing, it is very fine to have a Nigger do your cooking; it is very fine to have a Nigger nurse, (but won't let poor NIGGER vote.)

Don't you remember a short time ago about what happened in Baltimore? There was a Nigger excursion down the bay, and on the return something happened that the boat got stuck and could not get back until Monday morning, and what a howl! Great gosh, all these people were cooks and that Monday morning the white man had to go to his work without his breakfast, for the Nigger cook was not home. Mr. Democrat, you may call NIGGER abuse NIGGER, but we are going to have a Nigger famine in town if you don't let poor NIGGER alone. "Cozie"

Deaths Of The Week.

MRS. J. ELLIOTT RICHARDSON.
Mrs. J. Elliott Richardson, aged 44 years, died Wednesday morning after an illness of about a year, of consumption. She was a daughter of the late William Baker, of Snow Hill, and is survived by her husband, five children and one brother and one sister. The children are Arthur P., Elmore E., Paul J., Margie B., and L. Rodger Richardson. The sister is Miss Cleo Baker, who resides with the Richardson family. The brother is Mr. Carlisle S. Baker, of Denver, Colorado.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, at the house. Interment will be made at Parsons' Cemetery.

MR. JOSEPH HUSTON.

Mr. Joseph Huston, aged 77 years, died Thursday afternoon of consumption at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ora Hall, who resides near town. Mr. Huston was born in Delaware and his occupation was that of a farmer. He lived in Maryland the past 55 years. He is survived by the following four children: Mr. Todd Huston, of Bell Haven, Va.; Mr. George L. Huston, Mrs. Ora Hall and Mr. Phillip Huston, of Salisbury.

Funeral services were held at the home of his daughter yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Elder Francis. Interment was made in Fooks' graveyard.

MRS. R. K. TRUITT.

Mrs. Sallie A. Truitt, aged 72 years, died Tuesday at the home of her son, Dr. Charles Truitt, of Carcinoma. She had been an invalid for more than a year. Mrs. Truitt was born at Georgetown, Del., but had lived at Salisbury since her marriage to the late R. K. Truitt, who established the pharmaceutical firm here of R. K. Truitt & Son. Dr. Charles R. Truitt, health physician of Wicomico county, is the only surviving son. Three grandchildren also remain (Gertrude Martin, Mildred and Dorothy Truitt.) Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon and the remains were interred in the O. S. Baptist burying ground, Salisbury.

MRS. MARY JANE PURNELL.

Mrs. Mary Jane Purnell, sister of Messrs. James and Wm. Levi Laws, of Wicomico county, died Monday at her residence in Snow Hill, after an illness of two weeks. She was 79 years old, and was the widow of Stephen D. Purnell, a well-known citizen of Worcester county. She is survived by six children—Stephen, Oscar M. and Katie Purnell, of Snow Hill; James Laws Purnell, Louisville, Ky.; George and Dr. John Purnell, Guadalajara, Mexico. Nineteen great-grandchildren survive her.

LEONARD L. MORRIS.

Mr. Leonard L. Morris, one of the oldest citizens of Pittsville District, died Saturday night at his home in Pittsville, aged 84 years. His death was due to old age. Mr. Morris is survived by a widow, aged 74 years, and nine children, as follows: Messrs. Archibald and Merrill Morris and Mrs. Florence Truitt of Salisbury; Mrs. Theodocia Maddox, of Delaware; Mr. Manlius Morris, of Pittsville District; Misses Arabella and Letitia Morris and Mr. Larry Morris, of Pittsville, and a daughter named Minerva, who resides in Philadelphia. Funeral services took place Monday afternoon at Pittsville.

MR. ALEXANDER W. CATLIN.

Mr. Alexander W. Catlin, aged 74 years, died Sunday evening at his home in Hebron, from a complication of diseases. He was born at Kingston, Somerset county, and for many years was a resident of Wetupquin, Wicomico county, before removing to Hebron, some eight years ago. In 1885 he married Miss Mary W. Willing, daughter of the late Wm. H. Willing, of Nanticoke, and sister of Hon. John W. Willing, of Nanticoke. She survives with the following children: Messrs. Elmer and Llewellyn Catlin, of Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Robert Evans, of Salisbury; Mrs. James O. Wilson, of Hebron; Mrs. Jay Williams, Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett and Miss Eva L. Catlin, all of Salisbury. The funeral services were held Tuesday at the late home of the deceased, conducted by Rev. J. H. Goebegan, of Hebron, assisted by Rev. E. P. Perry, of Mardela. The remains were brought to Salisbury and interred in Parsons Cemetery.

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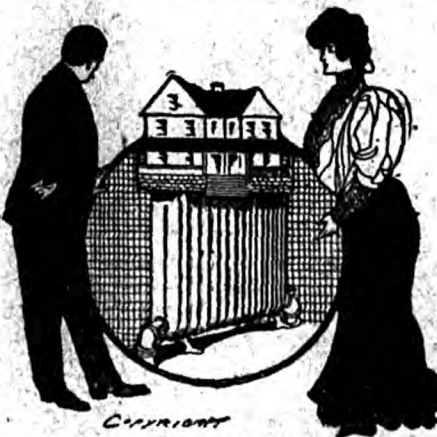
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—Rev. Charles A. Hill will preach in Wicomico Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

—The "Harvest Moon" will be full on September 13 and with clear weather the nights will be the finest of the year.

—Commencing Monday, September 11th, the B. C. & A. Ry. Co. will make change in their schedule, placing into effect their Fall and Winter Time Table.

—There will be services in the Catholic Church here next Sunday by Father Mickle. Mass and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Benediction and Sermon at 7.30 p. m.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Board of managers of the Home for the Aged will be held at the City Hall, Tuesday, September 12th, at 10.30 o'clock.

—J. T. Marvel has opened a photograph gallery on South Division street, opposite Harvey Whiteley's store. He has bought the building formerly run as The Waller Studio.

—Hon. William H. Jackson hopes to get a crop of 50 bushels of corn to the acre on his Rockwalkin farm this year. This estimate of the yield has been made by various people.

—Messrs. H. Winter Owens, Harry W. Ruark, Fred A. Grier, Jr., and Wade T. Porter, who left Salisbury in an automobile the first of the week for a trip through New Jersey were registered at the Hotel Belmont, Atlantic City, on Wednesday.

—Rev. S. J. Smith proposes to preach in the M. P. Church next Sunday upon the following themes: 11 a. m., "Contrary Winds." 7.45 p. m., "A Strong Church—How to make it." Note change of evening hour, Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

—Are you hungry? then go to the oyster and meat supper at Rockwalkin station Thursday September 14. Only 35c for all you can eat. If the night is very stormy the following night. Proceeds for benefit of church. A good time assured and don't you forget it.

—The Annapolis Capital, speaking of Salisbury's shirt factory, says: "Hope Salisbury takes to factories better than aristocratic Annapolis, and hope the Salisbury shirt factory may not have to close as the Annapolis shirt factory did, because poor girls were too proud to work in a factory. But then Salisbury is on the Eastern Shore."

—Reed birds have made their appearance on the Peninsula, though are not very plentiful up to this time. There are usually very few of these birds killed on the marshes near Salisbury, though rail birds are generally shot in large quantities about this time in September. No rails have been killed as yet, as they are a little late in arriving this year.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sirman Jr., entertained about thirty of their friends on Friday evening last at their home on Maryland avenue in honor of their guests Mrs. Woelper and children, of Baltimore. Music and games were indulged in. Among the amusements was pining about 25 tails to a "donkey." Mrs. John W. Windsor received the first prize and Mrs. Jas. E. Lowe, who unfortunately plinned the tail too near the ears, received the booby prize. Ices, cakes and fruits were served at eleven o'clock.

—Jimmie Kennedy, the minstrel boy, who is this season doing principal end with the Great Barlow and Wilson Minstrels, who appears at the opera house Wednesday, September 13, is a comedian of high standing and a delineator of the songs of the South of ability. His rendition of "What you going to do when the rent comes around," and "Oh Sally," make him a big hit whenever he appears. His famous buck and wing dancing in wooden shoes has created a sensation wherever he has been seen. A grand street parade will take place Wednesday noon. Tickets for sale at box office, prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

—Three tramps concealed themselves in a Delaware railroad baggage car one day last week with the intention of robbing the mail and baggage. Baggage Master Ross discovered them and wired ahead for officers. A posse was formed at Clayton and they were captured. Each man was armed with a large revolver and plenty of cartridges. On their way to Dover jail one man told an officer they intended to beat Ross into insensibility on the lonely run from Dover to Harrington and then to plunder the mail pouches and trunks. A large amount of money is carried in the pouches and many checks for the fruit shippers down the State.

—Paul Watson has a very prettily decorated window—a labor-day display.

—The date for the opening of the Salisbury Shirt Factory has been fixed for the 18th of September.

—Mr. W. E. Dorman has improved his property on W. Church Street by putting down a cement sidewalk.

—Rev. W. L. S. Murray, a prominent minister of the Wilmington Conference, now residing in Wilmington, was stricken with nervous prostration Wednesday. His condition is serious.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Vanderbogart and family expect to return to Salisbury from Ocean City next week. Their new home at "Lemon Hill," it is expected, will be ready for occupancy by that time.

—The State Board of Education has granted life certificates to the following Salisbury teachers: Prof. J. Walter Haffington, Miss Mildred Dougherty, Miss L. Cora Gillis and Miss C. Nettie Holloway.

—T. S. Phipps, the Dock St. butcher, has purchased from Mr. S. E. Gordy fifteen young steers from "Orchard Hill" farm. The first delivery was made this week. These are fine young cattle and will make excellent beef.

—The City Council will hold special sittings on Wednesday and Thursday, September 20th and 21st, for the purpose of hearing complaints, if any, against the new assessment of town property. No changes will be made after the dates given above.

—The County Commissioners, on Tuesday, allowed insolvencies of Jno. W. Sirman and John W. Truitt, tax collectors for 1900 and 1901. The amount aggregated a considerable sum. The report of the New Hope tax ditch was received. It is estimated that its cost will be \$2,860.00.

—The Maryland State Convention of the Prohibition Party will be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall, corner of Saratoga and Charles Streets, Baltimore, Md., September 12, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., to nominate a candidate for State Comptroller and elect party officers. There will be a mass meeting at night.

—Mayor Harper wishes to call the attention of all citizens to the necessity of cutting down the grass and weeds on the lots and in the yards at this season of the year. This is the month when typhoid fever is the most prevalent, and our physicians say that much of it comes from decaying vegetation. The weeds and grass should be cut down and hauled away. Do not allow the dying vegetable matter to remain on the lots.

—The Eastern Shore Business College opened for the Fall and Winter terms last Monday with a large enrollment. Classes were organized in Common School English, Book-keeping and Banking, Shorthand and Typewriting, Telegraphy and Civil Service, Vocal and Instrumental Music. This institution is now recognized as one of the leading business colleges in the South, with a constantly growing patronage.

—Freight trains Nos. 3 and 27 on the N. Y. P. & N. R. R., collided Thursday afternoon at Costen. Md., and six or eight loaded freight cars were knocked off the track and demolished and the two engines were also derailed and considerably injured. Both were through trains. The air-brakes on engine No. 27 refusing to work caused the wreck. Number 3 was in advance and stopped at Costen to drop a car with a hot box. Train No. 27 was immediately following. Number 3 had dropped its car and was at the rear of its train when No. 27 came along, unable to stop because of the condition of the air-brakes. That made the two engines on the inside of each train. The crew of each train saw what was about to happen and jumped. No one was seriously hurt.

Personal.

—Mr. Victor Parvin, of Alexandria, Va., visited Salisbury friends this week.

—Miss Mary Tilghman returned Saturday from a visit to Laurel, Del., friends.

—Miss Lola Smith has returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives in Baltimore.

—Miss Sue Nichols, of Easton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Whiteley, on Division street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Trader, of Annapolis, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trader.

—Miss Stella Taylor, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. H. L. Murphy, Newton Street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blount, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips.

—Dr. and Mrs. George W. Truitt, of Roland Park, Baltimore, are visiting relatives in town. They came down Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. K. Truitt.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Disharoon and children, of Holmesburg, Pa., are visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Miss Eunice Porter, of Salisbury, is visiting Mrs. Everett Thomas, Academy Street.—Cambridge Chronicle.

—Mr. Martin Evans and Mr. Harry Nock left this week for a course at Goldie's Business College, Wilmington, Del.

—Mr. Edgar Laws, of Salisbury, came Thursday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Matthew Purnell, near the bay.—Snow Hill Messenger.

—Mr. Ralph Grier, son of R. D. Grier Esq., has accepted a position in Wilmington, Del., with the Delaware Electrical and Supply Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McCombes, of Harve de Grace and Miss Marie Sheldrine, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jackson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sheldrine and Miss Margaret Rider, all of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Humphreys.

—Miss Rena Cooper, who a few days ago returned from a six weeks visit to relatives in Blanchester, Ohio, has returned to Delaware to resume her duties as teacher.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lamb, of Wilmington; Mrs. Amanda Rider and Miss Lizzie Rider, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillerman, of Haverstraw, N. Y., are visiting Miss Alice Humphreys.

—Mrs. Hugh J. Phillips and children returned to their home in Washington, on Wednesday, after several weeks visit to relatives in Salisbury. They were accompanied by Mr. Phillips, who came down Tuesday.

—Miss Martha Toadvine, accompanied for a few days by her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Toadvine, and Miss Rebecca Smith, whose parents are also along for a few days, left this week to take a course at Mary Baldwin Seminary, Staunton, Va. Miss Clara Tighman and Miss Margaret Woodcock will leave next week for the same place.

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LESSON XI, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 10.

Text of the Lesson, Ezek. xlviii, 1-12. Memory Verses, 3-5—Golden Text, Rev. xxii, 17—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1905, by American Press Association.] We have in this lesson the record of a river of living water issuing forth from the temple of Jerusalem and flowing eastward to the Dead sea, bringing life and health everywhere. On either side of the river are seen trees of unfading foliage, fruit bearing, the fruit being for meat and the leaf for medicine, or, as in the margin, for bruises and sores. Referring to the same time to which Ezekiel refers, the Spirit says in Joel iii, 17, 18, "So shall ye know that I am the Lord your God, dwelling in Zion, my holy mountain, * * * and a fountain shall come forth of the house of the Lord and shall water the valley of Shittim." Again in Zech. xiv, 8, He says: "And it shall be in that day that living waters shall go out from Jerusalem, half of them toward the eastern sea and half of them toward the hinder sea. In summer and in winter shall it be." In verse 9 of our lesson we read of "rivers" and in the margin "two rivers," doubtless the same as those of Zechariah.

Our lesson is in a portion of Scripture which tells of the future glory of Jerusalem, with its literal temple restored, the name of the city from that day being Jehovah-shammah (the Lord is there). The context in Zechariah tells of a change in the configuration of the earth in and about Jerusalem, and there is no reason why we should not expect a literal fulfillment of every prophecy concerning the land and the people, but every reason why we should expect it, for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.

Now, while the principle "literal, if possible," stands for all Scripture, we must remember that as in the story of Abraham and Ishmael and Isaac these things had also another meaning, so here we must seek the lesson for our hearts which will work out in us more of the life of Christ, for to that end all our study of the Scripture must tend. God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness (a literal event), not only hath shone in our hearts (if we have truly received Christ), but will increasingly shine there as we weekly receive His word in our hearts (I Cor. iv, 6; Ps. cxix, 180). A literal rock in the wilderness gave forth literal water with which literal men and women quenched their literal thirst (Ex. xvii, 6), but the other meaning is seen in I Cor. x, 4, where we read, "That rock was Christ."

In Jer. ii, 13, the Lord speaks of Himself as the fountain of living waters and complains that His people had forsaken Him for water from their own broken cisterns. In John iv, 13, 14, the same Lord told the woman of Samaria of water that did not satisfy, and also of water that would satisfy and become in the believer a well of water springing up unto everlasting life. The line of truth suggested by "water" in the first seven chapters of John's gospel is most refreshing and inspiring, but the complete story takes us back to Gen. i, 6-8, and on to Rev. xxii, and the cry is ever sounding forth: "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters;" "Whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely;" "If any man thirst let him come unto me and drink" (Isa. lv, 1; Rev. xxii, 17; John vi, 37).

The four times measured river of our lesson may suggest to some the river that went out of Eden and was parted into four, or the fourfold story in the gospels of Him who is the fountain of living waters. But it certainly suggests the ever increasing revelation of God in His wonderful word and the breadth and length and depth and height of His love, which a little child can grasp in some measure, but which is also too deep for even the most spiritual to understand.

Our range of vision must take in not only the present blessings of the gospel while the church is being gathered out, but the greater blessing to all nations when "Israel shall blossom and bud and fill the face of the earth with fruit;" when "the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea;" when "the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of the new Jerusalem and they shall bring the glory and honor of the nations into it (Isa. xxvii, 6; xl, 9; Rev. xxi, 24, 26).

Who shall see and share all this? Whosoever chooses now to take the water of life freely. But how can they take it who have never heard of it? There is our responsibility as stewards of the grace of God. Let him that heareth say come! What are you doing about it? If we really know what it is to drink of the pure river of the water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb (Rev. xxii, 1) we cannot but want to have others drink also. And if we do not most earnestly desire that others may know and drink it is a question whether we ourselves have tasted.

There are many worshippers who do not worship in spirit and in truth because they have only a form of godliness without the power thereof (II Tim. iii, 6; Isa. xlii, 18; xxiii, 31, 32). Some of them make much of turning to the east when they worship, possibly not knowing that facing the east meant turning the back to

the temple. See verse 1 of our lesson and Ezek. viii, 16. In the first verse of the lesson there are two very suggestive phrases—"the door of the house" and "the altar"—each of which points to Him who is the only sacrifice for sin and the only entrance into the presence of God.

An Eccentric Painter.

William Willard, well known as the painter of Massachusetts governors, was very eccentric in his ways. His special aversion was the attempted purchase of his many old relics of furniture by people of wealth. A New York woman visiting in the vicinity of Sturbridge, hearing that the old artist possessed a beautiful colonial mirror and a rare clock, tried to buy them. Mr. Willard seemed to readily agree to the sale, but when asked when it would be convenient to have them packed replied, "Not until after the funeral." "Whose funeral?" asked the visitor. "Mine," replied Mr. Willard, with a chuckle.

Unhappy Dickens.

Dickens had to confess, after a severe trial of married life, that the skeleton in his domestic closet was becoming "a pretty big one." Then, in 1857, came the crisis.

"Poor Catherine and I are not made for each other," he wrote in a letter to Forster, "and there is no help for it. She is exactly what you know in the way of being amiable and complying, but we are strangely ill assorted for the bond that is between us. God knows she would have been a thousand times happier if she had married another kind of man, and her avoidance of this destiny would have been at least equally good for us both. The years have not made it easier to bear for either of us. There is plenty of fault on my side, I dare say, in the way of a thousand uncertainties, caprices and difficulties of disposition, but only one thing will alter all that, and that is the end which alters everything."

Where Silence Is Golden.

This story is illustrative of the absolute silence and loneliness of the typical Australian bush camp:

Two men were camping together, but rarely exchanged a word. One morning one of the men remarked at breakfast, "Heard a cow bellow in the swamp just now."

Nothing further was said, and they went about their business for the rest of the day. Twenty-four hours later, once more at breakfast, the second man said:

"How'd you know it wasn't a bull?" Again no comment. Again a pause of twenty-four hours. Next morning the first man began to pack up his "billy" and "swag."

"You going?" inquired the other. "Yes."

"Why?" "Because," said his friend, "there's too much argument in this camp."—Kansas City Star.

Kept His Word.

The day had been a heavy one for the Blankshire rifle volunteers. Under a sweltering sun they had marched till their feet blistered and they were weary in the extreme.

At last Private Hopkins "fell out." "I won't walk another step," he declared.

"Come along, man!" cried his captain. "The invading force is known to be in the neighborhood, and you'll be captured if you stay behind."

But nothing would induce the valiant Hopkins to move another step; therefore the regiment went on without him.

They had barely passed out of view, however, before Private Hopkins was observed to be pounding after his comrades at a speed which would have done a professional athlete credit, a maddened bull close behind him evidently supplying the necessary motive for haste.

He reached them safely, the bull was headed off, and all was well.

"I thought you said you wouldn't walk another step?" remarked the captain.

"Great Scott!" cried Hopkins, mopping his fevered brow. "You don't call that walking, do you?"—Birmingham (England) Post.

An Unpolished Reflection.

John Philpot Curran, the eminent Irish barrister and orator, once met his match in a port, jolly, keen eyed Paddy, who acted as hostler at a large stable and who was up as witness in a case of a horse buying dispute.

Curran much desired to break down the credibility of this witness and thought to do it by making the man contradict himself by tangling him up in a network of adroitly framed questions, but all to no avail. The hostler was a companion to Sam Veller. His good common sense and his equanimity and good nature were not to be overturned.

By and by Curran, in towering wrath, belched forth, as not another counsel would have dared to do in the presence of the court:

"Sirrah, you are incorrigible. The truth is not to be got from you, for it is not in you. I see the villain in your face."

"I' faith, yer honor," said the witness, with the utmost simplicity and truth and honesty, "my face must be moighty clane and shinin' inside if it can reflect like that."

The truly sublime is always easy and always natural.—Burke.

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For a Blouse of Individuality Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6330

The word shirt waist does not always imply a garment of severe plainness, as the term would suggest, but more often an elaborate creation of tucks and gathers. For general wear the well dressed woman does not desire elaboration or fussiness, but rather would have her blouses made individual by trim stitchery or neat trimming straps. Here is shown a blouse quite ideal in its air of quality and refinement. Tucks give lengthening lines in front and back, while the real charm of the waist lies in the fancifully applied yoke. This buttons to one side of the front with jaunty effect, and a button finishes each side tab. Linen is excellent for developing the waist, while the model is especially well adapted to a lightweight broadcloth or serge. The home dressmaker will find the pattern quite free from difficulties. Sizes, 32 to 42 inches bust measure.



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Pattern For Girl's Plaited Frock Designed by Martha Dean—No. 4668



In the accompanying illustration one can gather an idea of the grace of the plaited model, with its narrow plaits starting from under a round collar and giving the long lines so much in vogue for girls of this age. We are all familiar with the two broad box plaits and the three box plait styles, but when one finds five box plaits in the front and five box plaits in the back of the little maiden's frock we are absolutely certain the style is different from anything else. These plaits are attached to waist depth, and the dress is just as pretty without a belt as with one. The collar is circular shaped and may be trimmed in any preferred manner, or for a plain everyday frock it may be omitted entirely. For warm summer days the style would be pretty without the gumples. Sizes, 3 to 9 years.

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Pattern For Lady's Corset Cover Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6302

The last few years have brought about a great revolution in underwear of all kinds, and we seem now to have reached the perfection of requirement and over-elaboration in all that pertains to this department of woman's apparel. We have at last learned from the Parisienne that the cut and fit of undergarments are of as much importance in the ensemble as the toilet itself. The distinguishing point of this model is the fitted front, which is especially desirable for stout persons. The back is crossed over and tied in the front of the corset by inserting whalebone in the seams. These, of course, could be removed for laundering. The darts, which extend to the shoulder, insure a smooth, easy fit. Any mode of trimming may be adopted, such as frills across the bust, inserts of lace in the seams, etc. Sizes, 32 to 42.



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Pattern For a Dainty Frock Designed by Martha Dean—No. 4674



Dainty little frocks are in perfect harmony with the charms of the tiny lass, and untidy or unsuitable garments are extremely noticeable on her small form. No matter how sweet and winning a child may be, she cannot overcome the barrier of an unkempt appearance, and it is the aim of every mother to have her small daughter attractive. This requires less care than might be supposed, as elaborate models are not at all appropriate, and the simple ones can be made at home even by inexperienced hands, without difficulty. At this season of the year any number of delightful and low priced fabrics are exposed in the shops, so the expense is extremely slight. Flaid gingham is gay and childish and has the added advantage of not showing soil. Then there are madras, dimity in a small flower pattern and crash of a plain color. Low neck and short puff sleeves make this a cool model for the exhausting warm weather. The waist blouses back and front, and the skirt is a straight, gathered one finished at the bottom with a deep hem. The square collar provides a simple decoration and may be edged with narrow lace or embroidery. The pattern is in five sizes, 4 to 12 years.

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COUNTY.

Quantico.

Miss Mabel Bailey is spending some time with the Misses McNeil, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Clyde Crawford of Somerset, has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Crawford.

Miss Robertson, of Baltimore, returned home Monday after a very pleasant stay with her mother, Mrs. Burdette.

Mr. E. M. Phillips and little son, of near Delmar, were in town Sunday.

Miss Lillian Boston, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Howard England, of Berlin, for the past two weeks, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Patty Howard, Mrs. Fanny Bounds and daughters have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langrall for the past week.

Mr. Geo. Graham, who is in business at White Haven, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Beulah Cooper, of Allen, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. M. Messick.

Mr. Roland Bailey returned home Thursday of last week, after a very pleasant trip to friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Sallie Turpin, of Washington, is visiting her father, Mr. J. W. Turpin.

Miss Ruby Crawford left for Philadelphia Monday where she will spend a few days, after which she will resume her position as milliner in Anderson, N. C.

Rev. Mr. Gohegan and family, who have been visiting relatives near Cambridge, returned home Saturday.

Miss Parrott and friend of Talbot county, returned home Saturday, after spending some time with her brother, Mr. Edward Parrott, near town.

Our town was visited by a severe storm and heavy rain Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Messick spent Sunday with Mrs. Messick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gale, near town.

Miss Uora Jones, who has been visiting relatives in East New Market for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. Ira Disharoon left Wednesday for Ocean City where he expects to spend a few days.

Misses Stella and Lillie Bounds, who have been visiting their cousin, Miss Nina Venables, of Salisbury, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Taylor, of Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Disharoon.

Miss Fanny Gillis and Mrs. Emma Robertson returned home Saturday after a ten days' trip to Ocean Grove and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Disharoon, of White Haven, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Graham were in Hebron Sunday.

Allen.

Rev. W. J. Twilley, of Drummond-town, Va., spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashland F. Malone, of Salisbury, spent part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Malone.

Apple peelings and blade strippings.

Mr. Major Williams died Tuesday at his home of blood poison. He was about 60 years old. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at Melsons M. B. Church. The remains were laid at rest in the new cemetery at the church. Mr. Williams leaves a widow and six children to mourn their loss namely: Frank, Vearn and Fred; Mrs. Morton Hearn and Mrs. R. Pusey, of Delmar.

Long Ridge.

A big revival meeting in the open air will commence at Bethlehem Church Sunday September 10, and continue over until September 24. Revs. J. R. Biggs and J. L. McDonald will have charge and will be assisted by several of the local preachers.

Mr. Wm. Sidney Riggen held a large blade stripping Wednesday afternoon which was a success in every particular.

We hope the report is not true that we hear circulated about one of our neighbors beating his wife so bad that both the doctor and the constable were called in.

There is plenty of game reported but the sports are so busy saving fodder that they are not bagging much of it.

How about the Poe Amendment Mr. Editor? It is a pretty bad dose for us back woodsmen isn't it? It seems as though ever since we poor farmers got our eyes open and have been voting for ourselves instead of the Democratic Clique that they have had a grudge against us and have been trying to rob us of our franchise. But we are getting them open wider and wider all the time.

Nanticoke.

Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Little Blanch Travers who has been very ill for the past few weeks is much improved at this writing.

Misses Grace and Beulah Messick are spending the week at Ocean City.

Misses Pearl Young and Myrtle Harrington, of Baltimore, spent a few days with Miss Irene Robertson.

Mrs. Anna Messick and daughters, Misses Anna and Lizzie, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. Frances Messick.

Miss Maude Parks left Wednesday for Baltimore where she will spend the winter.

Miss Lola Barclay, of Princess Anne is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Jno. W. Parks.

Messrs. Aubrey Shores, Will Tyler, of Chance, and Fred Petticoat, of Baltimore visited the home of Mr. Thomas Willey Wednesday.

Mr. Harry Williams left Tuesday for Wilmington where he is attending Goldey College.

—Commander Howard, of the State Fishery force, has written Deputy Commander Nellie Jackson, that the provisions of the oyster law must be strictly enforced, and to that end every tongs in Wicomico county who intends to begin operations on the 15th of September must procure a license before that date. Similar instructions have been given the other Deputy-Commanders throughout the State. The practice heretofore has been to allow tongs to commence taking oysters before their licenses were received.

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I have just returned from the New York Cutting School, where I have undergone instructions in garment cutting and where I have completely mastered the production of elegant garments by the A. D. Rude Great Modern System for designing and cutting men's garments, and secured a diploma for same. V. K. BALTULIS.

Order Nisi.

Jay Williams versus James A. Moore

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county. In Equity No. 1575. September Term, 1905.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds of said sale as made, and reported by Jay Williams, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the tenth day of October next, provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico County once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of September next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$50.00.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND, True Copy Test: HENRY A. TOADVIN, Clerk.

Melsons.

Herbert Hitchens spent Sunday with friends near town.

Mrs. William Wille and Mrs. Smith Horsey, of Laurel, spent Wednesday with Mr. Thomas Oliphant and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carmine spent Sunday with Mr. J. B. Hitchens and family.

Mr. Zeno Tingle purchased a fine horse this week.

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38-in. Silk Sublime, soft, creaseless, \$1 a yd.

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RESULTS FROM BACTERIA.

Alfalfa, Treated By The New Process, A Great Success—Experiment Was Made By Cooper Brothers At Mardela.

On this page is printed a very good picture, taken from a photograph made by G. W. Hitchens, the Main street photographer, of a field of alfalfa a little over an acre in size, that is growing on the farm of Cooper Brothers at Mardela Springs. The plants stood a little more than knee high, and are very thick and close, a perfect "stance" resulting, which is expected to last for years and furnish a constant and unvarying supply of hay each year. It is unexcelled for forage for cattle and is valued at \$30. per ton. It was considered practically an impossibility to get a stand of alfalfa in Wicomico county soil, but by the use of the bacteria process, invented by Dr. Moore, of the United States Government Agricultural Department, Messrs Cooper Brothers have succeeded as above stated. The following account of the method pursued was furnished The Courier by them:

"This alfalfa was seeded August 20th 1904. At that time no rain of consequence had fallen for several weeks previous, and this drought continued some weeks longer. Notwithstanding, the seed came up to an even stand, and grew off nicely, so that when the frosts came later the growing plants stood six inches or more high, and completely covered the land. Cold weather checked the growth and the very severe winter which followed afforded the best test possible of its resistance to extreme cold.

When spring opened the young alfalfa at once began to grow rapidly and later was clipped—not mown—back to cause the plants to spread and tiller. This was again done twice afterward, and about August 1st it was mown for hay, making about a ton to the acre. About five weeks after, September 6th, it was again mown, yielding this time slightly more than at the previous cutting.

The land on which this crop is growing is a light sandy soil, high, and naturally drained, the water table being perhaps twenty-five or thirty feet below the surface. The preparation of the land was begun three or four years previous to the seeding of the alfalfa. That is, it was planted to potatoes, peas, cantaloupes, again to peas, and was each season getting heavy dressings of stable manure, Canada hardwood ashes, Commercial fertilizers and two moderate applications of lime. These preparatory crops were paying well and they ridged the land of the weeds and weed seeds.

The seed was purchased from T. N. Wood & Sons, seedmen of Richmond, and treated with bacteria, furnished free by the U. S. Government, in the manner prescribed by Dr. Moore who discovered the process.

Cooper Brothers attribute most of their success in growing the plant to the bacteria treatment. The preparation that was given the land was a large factor in achieving the result they have secured, but they state that, in their opinion, without the presence of the bacteria, the growth would not have been established, no matter what preparation the land had had. They had tried to grow the plant without it previously and had failed. The Maryland Agricultural College sent out a supply of seed in 1904 to various prominent and progressive farmers in Wicomico county and, so far as is known, every experiment that was tried proved a complete failure. The alfalfa plant sends its roots down into the ground, when once established, until they strike water. In the same arid regions of the west, where the writer has seen immense fields of it growing, these roots often go down 60 feet. For the above reason, alfalfa is considered a sure crop, when a stand has been gotten. The average yield per year is about 4 tons to the acre.

New fall caps for young men and boys at Kennerly & Mitchell's. See Window Display.

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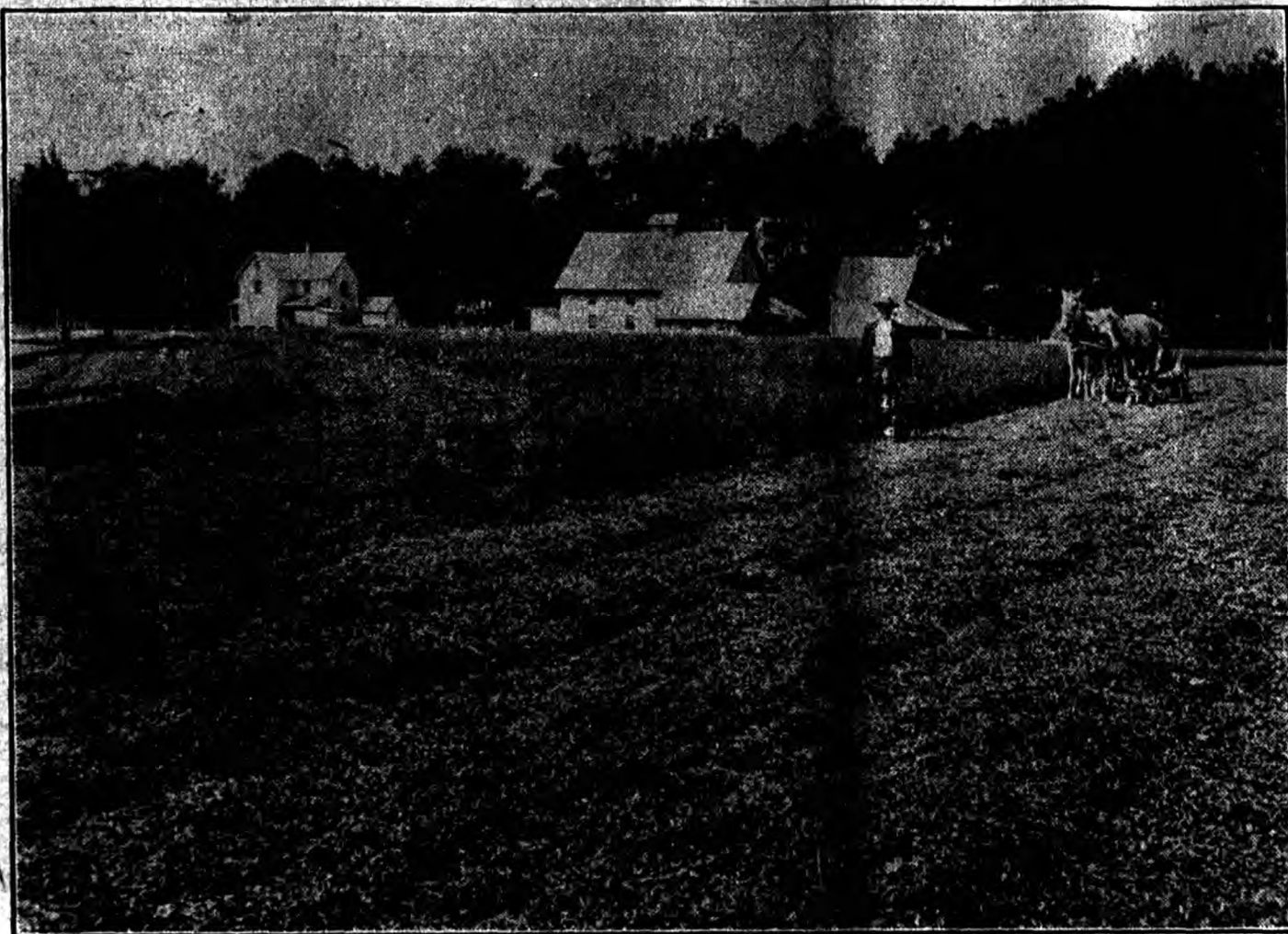
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An acre of Alfalfa, grown this year at Mardela Springs. The seed were inoculated with bacteria secured from the United States Government.

TOMATOES BY INJUNCTION.

Canners Have Sued Growers in Trappe District—Contract Was Verbal Only And An Important Case Is Being Tried.

The Farmers Canning Co., of Whayland, which is composed of Henry J. W. Denson and William Banks, acting through Ellisgood Freney & Wailes, applied for writs of injunction last week before Judge Holland, against James B. Bradley, T. A. Orlando Bounds, Hubert and Herman Bounds, of Trappe district, to compel the defendants to deliver to the plaintiff company tomatoes which, it is alleged, the defendants had contracted to grow for the plaintiff. Judge Holland granted the injunction and the defendants engaged attorneys Jay Williams, Elmer H. Walton and Joseph L. Bailey to represent them at the hearing in the meantime refusing to obey the injunction to deliver the tomatoes to the canning company. The case is being tried in chancery, Samuel R. Douglas taking the testimony. A decision is expected early next week. As a supplementary proceeding, writs of attachment for contempt of Court were issued against James B. Bradley, and Thomas and Orlando Bounds, on Wednesday, to compel them to submit to the writ of injunction, and to recover costs and damages for their refusal to do so. These three are to be brought into Court Monday morning at 10 o'clock to be tried on this count.

One result of the proceedings is that a large quantity of ripe tomatoes have been left in the fields and are in danger of being lost. This phase of the situation is expected to be settled at Monday's trial.

The case is a complicated and difficult one, and the decision, when rendered, will settle some important points in such actions. The contracts with the defendants were verbal only, and were made with E. K. Denson, Mgr., (so the plaintiffs testified), last spring. The growers were to be furnished with seed, which they acknowledged receiving, and were to grow a stipulated number of acres of tomatoes to be delivered at the aforesaid cannery at 10 cents per basket or \$6.00 per ton. This the defendants have not done and they deny having made the contract, stating that they were to pay for the seed which they received. They have been selling the fruit to various parties and shipping them. It was brought out at the trial that the defendants were being paid a much larger price than the one the alleged contract called for and this, the plaintiffs claim, is the reason the contract has been violated.

Witnesses were produced to show that the defendants had stated that they were growing tomatoes for E. A. Denson. The fact that E. A. Denson became insolvent in the early summer, further complicated the matter. To obviate any difficulty on that score, however, the testimony showed that attorney James E. Ellegood, about the 5th of August, just before the delivery of tomatoes was to begin, under an arrangement with the canning company, became guarantor to the defendants, for payment for their fruit.

The case has attracted great attention and the decision is awaited with interest. Several other injunctions for the delivery of tomatoes were granted the first of this week, but these cases were settled by the growers paying the costs and delivering the fruit as per contract. Two of these were petitioned for by attorney S. R. Douglas against Quantico district farmers and one against Joseph B. Parker and Lewis Banks, who were represented by Tondvin & Hall, was petitioned for by the Farmers Canning Co., the same concern that is suing in the cases now being tried.

ANOTHER ICE PLANT.

Will Be Built This Fall By Tomlinson and Williams—To Be Located Near Both Railroads.

Messrs. John H. Tomlinson and Elmer C. Williams will begin at an early date the erection of an ice plant on the property owned by Mr. Tomlinson, at the junction of the B. & A. and the N. Y. P. & N. Railroads, to be completed and ready for business by the early spring. The permission of the Mayor and City Council has been secured to run a switch across Railroad Avenue from the tracks of the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. to the tracks of the B. & A. R. R. The plant will be erected so as to front on this switch. With this location the ice can be loaded and shipped very economically.

The firm state that the most improved machinery with a daily capacity of 25 tons of ice, will be installed. The cost of the plant complete will be about \$20,000. A 5000-ton cold storage plant will be erected in connection with the ice manufacture, so as to accommodate the ice made in winter months, and to be able to take care of the summer trade. Wagons will be placed on the streets of Salisbury, and a traveling salesman on the road to solicit orders.

Strength Of Improved Order of Red Men.

The Courier has received from Mr. B. Frank Kennerly, who is attending the Great Council of the United States, I. O. R. M., at Nashville, Tenn., a copy of Monday's Nashville Banner, giving a complete and interesting account of the first meeting of the Great Council.

Among other reports of interest in the account is that of the Great Chief of Records.

A recapitulation of his figures show the following: Total membership at end of Great Council year 318,714; net increase during the year 19,707. Degree of Pochontas membership, 68,407; increase during year, 6,732, combined membership of tribes and councils 382,131, total net increase in membership 26,450.

Number of Tribes first sun of Cold Moon, G. S. D., 414, was 38,192, increase during the great sun, 179, number of councils Degree of Pochontas, 1,014 increase, 104, combined number of Tribes and Councils, 4,206, total net increase in Tribes and Councils, 238. The total receipts from all sources in Tribes and Councils aggregate \$2,570,767.25, paid out for relief of members, \$784,310.60, for burial of the dead, \$184,008.86, for relief of widows and orphans, \$14,674.14, other expenses, \$1,807,821.01; invested by Tribes and Councils, \$2,855,748.40 cash in wa-pum belts, \$1,142,737.56 total wealth of all branches \$3,908,480.96.

Death Of Mr. John E. Dykes.

The death of Mr. John E. Dykes, one of the oldest citizens in the county, occurred last Friday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alfred Vincent, in South Salisbury. The remains were interred on the old homestead in Nutters' district, after services conducted by Rev. Mr. Phillips, Sunday morning.

Mr. Dykes was 80 years of age and was a well-known resident of Nutters. He was for a long time a sufferer from bladder and kidney troubles. He is survived by two children, Mrs. Alfred Vincent, of Salisbury, and Mr. Alfred Dykes, of Hampton, Va.

Kennerly & Mitchell are showing new fall cloth for suits. Leave them your order. See Window.

PROHIBITIONISTS MAKE AMENDMENT.

Their State Convention Held In Baltimore On Tuesday—R. Henry Holme Nominated For Comptroller.

The state convention of the Prohibition party was held in the auditorium of the Central Y. M. C. A. Building, Baltimore, Tuesday and there were three sessions—morning, afternoon and night. The morning session was devoted to routine business the afternoon to the adoption of a platform and the nomination of Mr. R. Henry Holmes, of Baltimore, for state comptroller. The evening was devoted to a mass-meeting, at which several of the delegates and others spoke.

The platform inveighs particularly against the jug trade in the local-option counties. It also touches the Poe Amendment and declares that that measure would not be just, as it would, if adopted, place arbitrary powers in the hands of those who control the state government. It declares that, if the negro race is to be benefited, the first step would be to place it beyond reach of liquor, which, the platform says, is most detrimental to moral advancement.

The platform also takes up the oyster question saying that the redemption of the barren oyster beds is favored under such legislative safeguards as to prevent a monopoly of the industry.

Notice is also taken of the alleged raising of the printing bill of the State from \$17,000 to \$25,000, and on the strength of that the platform declares that the legislative servants of the people are careless of the trust imposed upon them.

The convention was called to order by State Chairman Finley C. Hendrickson, followed by prayer by Rev. Webster Strayer, of Talbot county. Mr. John M. Herling was elected chairman, Mr. John H. Woods secretary and Mr. Charles M. Eldredge assistant secretary. Messrs. J. W. Frizzell of Baltimore F. W. Watkins, of Montgomery county, and Edwin Collicott, of Anne Arundel county, were elected a committee on credentials.

Mr. William Kleinke, treasurer, then made his report, showing that the receipts from all sources during the past 15 months has been \$1,111.17, and that the expenses during that period were \$1,060.20, leaving a balance of \$42.51.

The following from Wicomico county attended the convention, as delegates: J. T. Price, Z. W. Richardson, Benj. Davis, Rev. Z. H. Webster, Jno. H. Dolanney.

The Law On Killing Doves.

Two weeks ago we were misled by the phraseology in the Baltimore Sun Almanac to make a misstatement of the law relating to the killing of doves in Wicomico county. The matter has been called to our attention by Game Warden Walter B. Miller and we hereby wish to correct the error into which we were led.

In quoting the law on killing game in the State, the Sun almanac has the following:

Dove, Dec. 25-Aug. 15, except in the following counties: Carroll, Frederick, Wicomico, at all times; Kent, Dec. 25-Aug. 1; Somerset, Jan. 16-Aug. 15; Washington, Dec. 25-Aug. 12.

This we took to mean that the birds could be killed at all times, when, on the contrary, it is prohibited to kill doves at any time.

The law on killing doves is a State law, and it is "not lawful" to kill them, under its provisions, at any time, in Wicomico county.

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THE TRI-COUNTY INSTITUTE.

J. Y. Bratlan, In The Baltimore American Praises The Plan.

Ocean City, Md., September 8.—When Mr. H. Crawford Bouds, school examiner for Wicomico county, suggested that separate institutes for his own and for Somerset and Worcester counties be abandoned and the three counties unite in one institute at Ocean City he had a definite idea in his mind. He was anxious to bring the best educators of the State and outside teaching talent and the teachers in close contact. If the results of that contact should prove to be successful, he would next direct his efforts toward summer school for teachers at the seashore. His idea was encouraged by Dr. M. Hates Stephens, state superintendent of public instruction.

The idea was not new. It was embraced in a resolution passed by the state teachers at their last annual gathering at the Blue Mountain House. It merely suggested a summer school for the whole state. Realizing that every movement must have a beginning, Mr. Bouds began at home. He sought and secured the cooperation of Examiner Dashiell, of Somerset, and of Examiner McMaster of Worcester. The annual county institute was laid aside and for it was substituted the tri-county institute.

That institute has been in session here since a last Monday. It will adjourn on Friday. Its success has been so marked that there is every prospect that a summer school for teachers of the Eastern Shore will be established—if not next year, then, perhaps, two or three years hence.

TERN FOR THE WHOLE STATE.

When the summer school of the Eastern Shore shall have been placed on a firm footing its success will be an inspiration to the teachers of the Western Shore and to the teachers of Baltimore. Perhaps within a few years what two or three months ago seemed to be only a suggestion will become an established fact for the whole state.

So marked has been the success of the present gathering that already Talbot teachers are knocking for admission into the institute next year. Probably Dorchester and other counties will next be clamoring for membership. The only bar to a whole Eastern Shore institute would be the lack of hotel accommodations here. There are 300 teachers now on the beach. If all the Eastern Shore institute teachers assembled there would be over a thousand here. If the idea of an institute for whole Shore should prevail, it would be necessary to divide it into sections, and that is just what would be done if the summer school should become an annual fixture.

To the teachers themselves the suggestion of broader opportunities for greater knowledge of their profession appeals with great force. Life here has its social as well as its educational side and after all what is more broadening than social contact? To the teachers it is an outing that is without expense, since they are paid their salaries while here. When the summer school becomes a reality there will be witnessed the novelty of teachers going to school and of being paid for it.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE.

That the idea of attending a county institute appeals to the teacher is shown by the large attendance here. Only one Wicomico and three Somerset teachers are absent. As far as I know there is not a single teacher of Worcester county absent. I am told that at each county institute over a dozen teachers absent themselves on one pretext or another. The teachers say themselves they cannot endure the dulness, and frequently the stupidity which pervade the atmosphere of the institutes held once a year at the county seat. And truly the teachers are right, for what can be more stupid, more monotonous, more heart-breaking than the bad music, the indifferent essays and the worse recitations to which they are compelled to listen? There is no social feature, so dear to the woman teacher. The county seats make no provision for social life for the visiting teachers. They do not become a part of the social life of the towns while attending the institutes. They admit, privately, and confidentially. The surroundings are barren of those backgrounds so conducive to education. Here at the seashore life is different. To many of the teachers it is a real dream, full of varying delights. It is true the attendance is compulsory. It is also true that they are required to attend section meetings and a daily general session, but they have their evenings to themselves, and what delightful evenings they are. If you really want to view an animated scene, if you want to hear the buzz of unconventional conversation, come to Ocean City this week. And if any lonely and eligible bachelor is in search of a pretty and practical wife let him not miss this rare opportunity for there are over 200 school mar'ns here, young and old, mostly young. I will not guarantee that the bachelor will be accepted, for most of these teachers have sweethearts at home or elsewhere, and those not so fortunate are particular, very particular, to whom they plight their troth.

It is a charming sight to see these attractive women together, to note their neat appearance, their cheerful and hopeful faces, their big eyes, their complexion, unclouded by late hours and frivolities, their unaffected manners, their devotion to their profession. In the evenings when they fill the ball rooms, the hotel verandas and corridors, they are exquisitely attired, not in expensive gowns, but in those simple white frocks which fit their forms without a crease. They can dance. Most of them can make a piano give up music that reveals the talent of the performer. Their beaux have been left at home. Ocean City is almost a mass of Eden. The girls are out for a good time, for a combination of business and pleasure.

INSTITUTIONS MAY UNITE.

Two Colleges Will Probably Join University of Maryland.

A meeting was called of representatives of the University of Maryland, the Maryland Agricultural College and St. John's College for last Wednesday afternoon in Governor Warfield's office in the Fidelity Building, to consider further the proposition to unite these three institutions into a great State university.

The fruition of the plans now a foot to this end appeals particularly to the University of Maryland. It is the desire of the authorities of the University of Maryland, and has been for years, to have an academic department, but the means have not been available. By uniting with the Maryland Agricultural College and St. John's College it is believed that State patronage will be sufficient to enable all three schools to work out their ambitions satisfactorily.

Dr. Eugene F. Cordell of the University of Maryland, speaking for that institution said:

"The importance of the meeting tomorrow cannot be too forcibly emphasized. It has in it possibilities of the utmost importance to the welfare and the future of the University of Maryland. It represents a movement that offers the only prospect we can see for the supply of our most pressing needs. These needs are connected with organization, government and endowment—needs that have dwarfed our growth for a century. These needs are such as must be supplied if we are to fill any important and worthy place hereafter among American Universities."

The Governor is deeply interested in the proposition of consolidation, and Mr. John P. Poe is a member of the committee appointed to draw up the articles for presentation to the Legislature.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were received last week in the Clerk's office for record:

W. B. Tilghman and wife to Mary D. Powell, lot on Locust st., \$900.

W. A. Crew and wife to George S. Stratton and Jerome Tubbs, a river front lot on Fitzwater st., \$350.

Senora Annie Brewington and Isaac S. Brewington, her husband, to L. Atwood Bennett, lot on High st., \$500.

W. F. Allen and Wm. Cooper, to Josephus Elliott, tract of land in Camden district, \$400.

Irving N. Cooper and wife to the County Commissioners, lot in Barren Creek district, \$30.

Watson D. Mitchell and wife to George D. Insley, Jr., lot on county road from Nanticoke to Bivalve, \$100.

Mary F. Hastings and husband, Frederick J. Hastings, to Ulie Hastings, lot in South Salisbury, \$1.

Lucy Waller and George A. Waller, her husband, and Lenora Waller and Ballard Waller, her husband, to Alice J. Wood, farm in Salisbury district, containing 110 acres of land, \$1,225.

Milbourn W. Heath to Katie J. Stewart, lot in Nanticoke district, \$300.

L. Atwood Bennett, trustee, to Gatty M. Holloway and Victor G. Holloway, farm in Parsons district, \$350.

L. Atwood Bennett, trustee, to Bertha C. Holloway and N. Grace Holloway, farm in Parsons district \$1880.

L. Atwood Bennett, trustee, to Daniel C. Holloway and Elisha C. Holloway land in Parsons district, \$1,230.

Henry J. Godfrey and wife to Martha E. Glaseo lot in Nutters district, \$25.

L. Sydney Bell and wife to George W. Bell, Daisy M. Bell and William S. Bell, lot on Bell st., \$1.

B. R. Dashiell to Addie B. Larmore, land in Tyaskin district \$330.

Jennie Conway, James Conway, Belle Gaddis, Gertrude Barnes, John Barnes, Mary E. Bishop and Emma Dashiels to James E. Leonard, five-sevenths interest in lot on East Church st., \$1.

Church Notice.

The Second Quarterly Conference of Powellville Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held at M. Pleasant on Saturday, Sept. 16, at 3 P. M. A full attendance of the official members of the charge is most earnestly requested. On Sunday, Sept. 17, the Presiding Elder, Dr. Adam Stengle will preach at St. John's, at 10.30 a. m., at Friendship at 3 p. m., and at Willards at 7.30 p. m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at St. John's and Friendship at the conclusion of the preaching service. The service at Willard's will mark the beginning of the revival services at that place. The public is very cordially invited to attend all of these services.

Howard Davis, Pastor.

Easton Fair.

On account of Easton Fair, the B. C. & A. Ry. will place on sale at stations on Railway Division Excursion Tickets to Easton Fair Grounds. On Thursday Special Train will be run from Salisbury and intermediate points, leaving Salisbury at 3.30 a. m. Returning, leaves Easton at 6.00 p. m. making connection at Hurlock with C. & S. train for Cambridge and intermediate points. See Posters for time and rates.

Governor Warfield has signed the death warrant of John Simpers who was convicted of the murder of Mr. Albert Constable of Elkton Cecil county. The execution is fixed for Friday October 20. Simpers who is now in the penitentiary at Baltimore will be taken to Elkton about three days before the execution.

Notice of Registration, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration for Wicomico county will sit at times and places hereinafter designated for the purpose of revising the general registry of voters of Wicomico county, for 1905, on

Tuesday, October 3,

Tuesday, October 10,

From 8 o'clock a. m. to 7 o'clock p. m., daily.

No. 1. Barren Creek—James E. Bacon and Samuel W. Bennett, Registrars, will sit at the election house, formerly Windsor's carpenter shop, in Mardela Springs.

No. 2. Quantico District—W. Frank Howard and W. Scott Dashiell, Registrars, will sit in the storehouse owned by Mary Crawford and formerly occupied by W. T. Phillips, in Quantico.

No. 3. Tyaskin District—John W. Furbush and Wm. A. Conway, Registrars, will sit at vacant building near W. H. Bedworth's store.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—E. H. Hamblin and George E. Jackson, Registrars, will sit at the Freney Building in Pittsville.

No. 5. Parsons District—Neaman P. Turner and Robert D. Drier, Registrars, will sit at the voting house on Water street in Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—L. Lee Laws and D. J. Clark, Registrars, will sit at Lambert J. Powell's store in Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Columbus C. Fooks and Otho Bounds, Registrars, will sit at the new house of Wm. Smith, opposite Election House, in Trappe District.

No. 8. Nutters District—Willie P. Ward and Oswald Tilghman, Registrars, will sit at house on public road, nearly opposite the residence of W. P. Ward in Nutters District.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Whitefield S. Lowe and Alan F. Benjey, Registrars, will sit at "Humphrey's" shirt factory, Mill Grove, on Division street, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown—Clement J. Green and Wm. D. Grawen, Registrars, will sit in B. H. Phillips' building in Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—Edward E. Gordy and Daniel H. Foskey, Registrars, will sit at the Masonic Temple in Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—Arthur M. Reucher and Samuel M. White, Registrars, will sit at Knights of Pythias Hall Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden district—Elisha E. Twilley and Wm. Wirt Leonard, Registrars, will sit at Guthrie's old storehouse on Division street, South Salisbury.

The Registrars will also sit at their respective places on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17th, from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m., for the purpose only of correcting and revising the lists. Remember, that no new names will be registered on that day.

Registrars will appear before the Board of Supervisors on Saturday, September 30th, 1905, to receive registration supplies.

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Election Judges and Clerks.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico County, News Building.

Salisbury, Md., Sept. 5, 1905.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico county having appointed Judges and Clerks of Election for the several voting precincts of said county, in accordance with Section 12, Art. 33 of Code of Public General Laws hereby give notice of the name and residence of each, and also the political party to which each belongs and represents. The law makes it the duty of this Board "to examine promptly into any complaints which may be made to them in writing against the fitness or qualification of any person so appointed, and to remove such Judge or Clerk whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable." This Board expects to swear in the unopposed Judges or Clerks on or about September 30, 1905. The appointments are as follows:

No. 1. Barren Creek District—Benjamin S. Bradley, dem., judge, Riverton. Peter Graham, rep., judge, Athol. Albert W. Bounds, dem., clerk, Mardela. George W. Riggan, rep., clerk, Hebron, Route 1.

No. 2. Quantico District—T. R. Jones, dem., judge, Quantico. B. S. Pusey, rep., judge, Salisbury. H. F. Pollitt, dem., clerk, Salisbury. W. B. Wilson, rep., clerk, Hebron.

No. 3. Tyaskin District—A. J. White, dem., judge, White Haven. Rhuel S. Richardson, rep., judge, Wetpquin. Ware Hopkins, dem., clerk, Tyaskin. Chas. H. Larmore, rep., clerk, Tyaskin.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—M. A. Davis, dem., judge, Pittsville. G. Frank Williams, rep., judge, Pittsville. Ernest Adkins, dem., clerk, Parsonsburg. Fred E. Hayman, rep., clerk, Parsonsburg.

No. 5. Parsons District—H. L. Bretingham, dem., judge, Salisbury. John P. Owens, rep., judge, Salisbury. T. Ernest Holloway, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Fred P. Adkins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—W. T. Henman, dem., judge, Powellville. Chas. R. Sayers, rep., judge, Powellville. Paul Powell, dem., clerk, Powellville. E. C. H. Adkins, rep., clerk, Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Wm. F. Messick, dem., judge, Allen. Wm. Goodell, rep., judge, Allen. P. A. Malone, dem., clerk, Allen. F. P. Price, rep., clerk, Allen.

No. 8. Nutters District—Joshua L. Freney, dem., judge, Salisbury. W. Durand Fooks, rep., judge, Salisbury. J. D. Coulbourn, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Marion D. Collins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Jerome T. Hayman, dem., judge, Salisbury. Wm. A. Crew, rep., judge, Salisbury. Walter S. Sheppard, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Geo. H. Weisbach, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown District—Jno. A. Wright, dem., judge, Mardela. Geo. T. Owens, rep., judge, Sharptown. C. E. Knowles, dem., clerk, Sharptown. Ernest Robinson, rep., clerk, Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—L. B. Ker, dem., judge, Delmar. F. Frank Goelee, rep., judge, Delmar. J. G. W. Perdue, dem., clerk, Delmar. Jas. T. Wilson, rep., clerk, Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—H. J. Willing, dem., judge, Nanticoke. J. A. White, rep., judge, Nanticoke. Levin J. Walters, dem., clerk, Nanticoke. Thos. J. Walter, rep., clerk, Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—Harry W. Kuark, dem., judge, Salisbury. Morris A. Walton, rep., judge, Salisbury. C. F. Dickerson, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Frank Gunby, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

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Order Nisi.

Jay Williams versus James A. Moore

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county. In Equity No. 1575. September Term, 1905.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds of said sale as made, and reported by Jay Williams, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the tenth day of October next, provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico County once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of September next.

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STATE.

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Knoxville, Frederick county, boasts of a banana tree that bears fruit.

There is in the three banks of Chester town in exact figures \$1,414,885.12.

Capt. W. Lee Dixon has sold the Hotel Dixon, at Cambridge to a stock company for \$25,000.

To stop hiccupping as soon as the attack comes on press the pulse as hard as possible and the hiccupping will stop.

Montgomery Republicans are reported to be for Thomas Dawson, of Rockville, for Comptroller of the State Treasury.

Several samples of drinking water from Elkton have been analysed and pronounced bad by the State Bacteriologist Stokes.

The Red Men of Magnolia will erect a two-story building this fall, with two storerooms on the first floor and a Red Men's hall on the upper floor.

Oysters are reported in good condition by tongs, but the warm weather has kept the prices down to from 50 to 70 cents a bushel during the past two weeks.

While riding his bicycle, John C. Webster of Easton ran into a rut in the road and was thrown violently, breaking his collar bone. Another argument for good roads.

Mr. L. Bates Russell, editor of the Chestertown Enterprise, who was nominated for county treasurer by the Kent county Republican convention, has declined the honor. This is one more instance of the aversion of the average Republican editor to become a candidate for office.

James E. Sammons, of Cambridge, was arrested on Monday, charged with setting fire to the store of Parker & Carey. Sammons also kept a store near by and is accused of trying in this way to get rid of the other stores. A few years ago his dwelling was burned and his wife lost her life in the flames.

Marion defeated the strong team from Allen at Marion, on Thursday of last week by the score of 11 to 9. This game closes the season for the Marion team, they having won 9 out of 10 games played, defeating the strong teams of Princess Anne, Fairmount, Kingston, Somerset Athletic Club of Crisfield, Allen and others. Marion claims the amateur championship of this county. — Crisfield Tribune.

Crisfield Md., Sept. 12. — Morgan Thornton of Crisfield got himself into double trouble yesterday. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Kennerly for swearing and using indecent language on the streets of Crisfield. He pleaded guilty and the Justice imposed a fine of \$25. Being unable to pay the fine he was ordered to be locked up. As Policeman Evans was conducting the prisoner from the magistrate's office Thornton became angry and, breaking away from the officer, dealt Justice Kennerly a terrific blow, which blackened his eye and felled him to the floor. The justice had the prisoner rearraigned and increased the fine to \$75.

Among the thousands of encomiums that have poured in upon President Roosevelt during the past few days, none has gone to the mark with more directness than the following eloquent words of Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, in response to a request for an opinion relative to the President's part in the conclusion of peace between Japan and Russia: "President Roosevelt is a great man, the greatest in his time. He is first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen. He is the biggest man in this country, because he has been the means of bringing to an end a terrible war. I admire him for his great work, and the nation will bless him."

A tomato war between packers and growers is now on at Ridgely. Owing to the shortage of the crop and the cutting down of the acreage tomatoes are selling delivered at the railroad siding at Ridgely and at Downes, at 25 cents a basket. This would mean on an average to the farmer of about \$15 a ton for his goods. Last year canners paid the growers \$8 a ton, and as the yield was very large the packers were losers. This year the growers contracted for \$6 a ton, delivered to the factories. When it became known that the crop was almost a failure throughout the State, city buyers became interested and offered the farmers over twice as much as their contract calls for with the canners. Many of the farmers have broken their contracts.

Mr. William H. Jackson and his wife celebrated their silver wedding last night at their home, in Salisbury. I hear that the occasion was a most festive one, and friends came with their offerings, their good wishes and congratulations from miles around. In the catalogue of Republican gubernatorial timber published in The News yesterday the name of Mr. Jackson was omitted, but there are reports that he may tap his barrel and enter the lists. If he does the other fellows will be up against a pretty stiff proposition, for "Old Man Bill," as his friends on the Eastern Shore speak of him, not with derision, but with kindness, is a fighter from "way back. But whether Mr. Jackson is or not a candidate for Governor, here's good luck to him and felicitations on his twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. May he live many years to rap those whom he likes on the shine with his cane. May he long continue to indulge in that little pleasure — a pinch — to those who really hold his affection and regard. — Balto. Evening News.

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Beginners may enter at these two periods—the first two weeks when school opens in September and the first two weeks in January, and

At No Other Time

By order of the Board:
H. CRAWFORD BOUNDS,
Aug 3-Jm Secretary.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS

Every Republican newcomer to Wicomico county from another State should register at the County Clerk's office, at once, his affidavit of intention to become a citizen of the state of Maryland. Without making such affidavit one year in advance they cannot become a registered voter. Republicans who are already citizens and voters should make it their duty to inform all Republican newcomers to our county of this provision.

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Republican Ticket.

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For County Commissioners:
ALONZO L. WILLIAMS,
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For Sheriff:
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For Surveyor:
THOMAS W. ENGLISH.

The Real Issue Hidden.

The Democratic politician, in presenting arguments in favor of the Poe Amendment, keeps religiously in the background the possibility of fraud, corruption, and legitimized robbery from white men of their ballot, under its provisions, and assiduously presents glowing pictures of the "good time" coming, if the negro is not allowed to vote. Not a single point of objection to the Amendment that has been made by Republicans and Independent Democrats, from Governor Warfield down, has been met. These objections have been, up to his time, absolutely unanswerable. In face of the dangers that have been pointed out to exist in the Amendment—and as stated above have proven unanswerable—how any citizen, not interested in securing control of the government for selfish reasons, can vote for it, is difficult to understand. We do not believe that many will vote for it.

The Republican State Convention met the "negro domination," cry with a direct statement of policy. It is amusing to see how some of the Democratic press alternately pat Mr. W. B. Miller, who fought through the resolution embodying this principle, on the back, and then try to grab the negro voter with the other hand, by raising his animus against the Republicans.

We will say that there are other Republicans in the State of Maryland as honest and outspoken as Mr. Miller, as the resolution above mentioned passed the convention unanimously. And why the Democratic papers are interesting themselves to such an extent over the "wrongs" of the "poor negro" in thus being put right before the people of the State, is plain to see. They want his vote for the Democratic party.

The truth of the matter is that the Democratic press is so afraid that the ordinary run of voters will discover the harmlessness of the horrible bugaboo they have held up for so long, they do not know what to do. The wind has been taken out of their sails completely.

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Graves Robbed of Flowers.

A year or more ago we took occasion to call attention to the fact that it was a frequent occurrence for the graves in Parsons' cemetery to be robbed of flowers, evidently by some criminal who was selling them. For a time, we are told, the robberies ceased, but we are now informed that the depredations have begun again and that not only freshly cut flowers are taken, but artificial designs are carried away. Last week an extremely handsome design of this character was stolen and members of the family of the deceased are very indignant over the occurrence.

Perhaps it is not possible to keep a watchman at the cemetery, but it does look as though more effort should be made to protect our city of the dead from desecration. As a matter of fact, the city police should give it more attention than they do. In any event, it would be a comparatively easy matter to capture this thief, and it should be done at once.

HON. THOMAS F. J. RIDER DEAD.

Member Of Prominent Wicomico Family
Passes Away Wednesday Morning.
Short Sketch of His Life.

Hon Thomas F. J. Rider, aged about 69 years died at the Peninsula General Hospital Wednesday morning, after an illness of several weeks, of a complication of diseases, the immediate cause of his death being inflammation of the stomach. He leaves one daughter, Miss Mary Rider and one brother, Mr. William P. Rider, of Princess Anne.

Mr. Rider belonged to one of the most prominent and influential families of Wicomico county. He was born on the 2d. of February, 1836, at "Wellington", on the Wicomico river, near Quantico, then in Somerset county. His father was the owner of a very large landed estate. He married Miss Josephine Toadvin, sister of former Senator E. Stanley Toadvin. She died in 1888.

Mr. Rider graduated at the Washington Academy, at Princess Anne Md., in 1854, and entered the junior class at Jefferson College, Pennsylvania, the same year, where he graduated with high honor in 1856. On his return from college he was elected principal of the Salisbury Academy.

In 1858 he resigned that position, and began reading law in the office of Jones & Irving, at Princess Anne, and was admitted to the bar two years thereafter. From 1861 to 1864 he was school examiner for Somerset county, and in 1864 was elected to the legislature and was also a member of the extra session of 1866.

In 1867 Mr. Rider was elected a member of the Constitutional Convention of 1867, and was conspicuous for his participation in the legislation of that distinguished body. At the November election of 1867 he was elected clerk of the Circuit Court for the new county of Wicomico for six years and at the expiration of the term declined a renomination.

Removing to Washington, D.C., Mr. Rider practised law there for five years, but on the death of Purnell Toadvin, his father-in-law, he returned to Salisbury, and in 1865 was appointed state's attorney by the bench for the unexpired term of three years of Joseph A. Graham. He was elected three terms to the same office.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Peter's Episcopal Church, of which Mr. Rider was for a long time a member. The pastor, Rev. David Howard, conducted the services. The interment was in Parsons' Cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. L. W. Dorman, H. Lee Powell, Irving S. Powell, J. H. H. White, Thomas W. Seabrook and Marion V. Brewington.

The Wicomico Bar Association attended in a body and there was present from out of town, Judge Page, Mr. Edward McMaster, Mr. Charles H. Rider, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. D. Stanford, of Princess Anne; Hon. Edwin R. Goslin, of Federalburg; Mr. Granville R. Rider, of Jessups, Miss Webb, of Vienna.

Caught A Coon And Was Fined.

A belated report of an arrest and fine, in Pittsburg district, for violation of the Game law, came to Salisbury last Saturday. It seems that Gillis and Joshua Downaway were arrested and taken before Squire Truitt at Willards, by Deputy Game Warden Bishop, and were fined \$10 and costs for catching a coon on July 4th.

There was some difficulty in finding the exact law on catching coons and most people thought there was no protection for the varmints. It was dug out by the Justice, however, that a statute provided the fine imposed. Whether this is a belated enforcement of Ebenezer G's famous law, now that he is again a candidate for the Legislature and it is wished to show the real value of his activity as a Delegate, or some other law, was not stated. If the arrest was due to an effort to give a good live reason for voting for Ebenezer both the Game Warden and the Justice will be kept mighty busy for the next two months.

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—Mr. Eliza H. Parker and Miss Mary E. Elder were married last Tuesday at 8 p. m., by Rev. S. J. Smith.

—The Hebrew New Year will begin on Friday, September 29th, and will be followed by a ten day period of fasting.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leonard returned home from Ocean City, where they spent the summer, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Irving S. Powell gave a stich party Tuesday evening to a few friends in honor of Mrs. James A. Gordy, her guest.

—Andrew Lee, the popular steward on the steamer Virginia, is confined to his home in Salisbury with a dislocated knee.

—Miss Carrie Gayle has received the appointment as teacher in a school near Portmouth, Va. She left for Portmouth Sunday night.

—Governor Warfield on Thursday pardoned William T. Adams, convicted in Wicomico county of larceny and sentenced to 30 months in the penitentiary.

—The teacher and pupils of Friendship school will hold a festival on the grounds adjoining the school, Saturday evening September 23. Proceeds for benefit of school.

—The City Council has extended the North Division Street sewer so as to accommodate R. Lee Waller, Mr. Wimbrow and other residents who desire to connect their houses.

—Mrs. Harry Phillips entertained Miss Maria Ellegood and Miss Blanche Harmon, of Baltimore, Wednesday evening at a 7 o'clock course supper. An elaborate menu was served.

—Mr. D. J. Wheaton and family, of Chincoteague, Va., moved into the Birchhead property on Division Street this week. They expect to make Salisbury their home permanently.

—Joseph Dixon, colored, who was arrested at Easton last Sunday, having gone there on a camping excursion, charged with assault, was sentenced to 18 months in the House of Correction.

—Asbury M. E. Church will be reopened for the usual services tomorrow, Sunday, September 17. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7 30 p. m., Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. All will be welcome. C. A. Hill.

—The oyster season having begun, Bennett & White, near the Pivot bridge, have a fine stock of oysters for sale to private families. They also serve them in every style in their restaurant. Call up 'phone No. 335.

—The County Commissioners at their meeting last Tuesday decided to take up for ratification the report of the commission appointed to lay out the New Hope Tax Ditch on Tuesday, September 26.

—The Ladies of Mardela, M. E. Church will hold an oyster supper on Friday and Saturday evenings, September 22d and 23d, in the Grange Hall. Supper 35 cents. All are invited to come. For benefit of said church.

—Barlow & Wilson's Minstrels gave a performance in Ulman's Opera House Wednesday evening to a big crowd. The quartette singing was the feature of the entertainment. As minstrels Barlow & Wilson rank very high.

—There was a gathering of Democratic nominees in Salisbury on Tuesday to lay plans for the campaign. It is said that cash was the chief subject of their discussion. A large sum is needed this year and it is reported that funds are scarce.

—The crops of corn, buckwheat and cow peas in Wicomico this year are all very large. The weather conditions have been especially favorable to cow peas. In many instances they have grown waist high and higher, with large yield of forage and seed.

—Messrs. Graham Gunby, Fred. L. Smith and W. B. Miller have plans under consideration for a gasoline boat that will make 20 to 25 miles per hour. They expect to have the boat in commission at least by next spring and will then challenge any power boat in the State for contests of speed. The specifications of the boat have not yet been definitely decided upon, but she will be, approximately, 35 to 40 feet long, about 5 feet beam and have 35 to 40 h. p. engines.

—The county schools for white children opened on Monday. The enrollment of pupils in the Salisbury schools was very large and shows a considerable increase. With the handsome new Wicomico High School building on Upton street, the scholars are now all comfortably cared for.

—The many friends of Mr. John H. Waller will regret to learn that a breakdown of his health is again threatened and that he has concluded, upon advice from his physician, to leave Baltimore shortly for Denver, Colorado, where he hopes to be benefitted by the dry atmosphere.

—The first copy of the Cambridge Record, a tri-weekly paper started to further the interests of Senator Applegarth, of Dorchester, reached us Tuesday. It is mostly political and will no doubt fill a deeply felt want in the ranks of the Senator's adherents.

—General Church Rally at the M. P. Church next Sunday. Special exercises in the form of Recitations and music both in the Sunday school 9.30 and Christian Endeavor at 7.00 p. m. Rev. Eben N. Baldwin, of Claymont, Del., the speaker of the day. The pastor and superintendent want every member of the Sunday School to be present.

—Mr. Al. Wootten bought in Newport News, Va., this week, a gasoline boat to be used for towing purposes, that is 52 feet long and has 50 h. p. engines. The vessel will make about 12 miles per hour. She was used in Cuban waters during the Spanish war as a dispatch boat.

—William Wirt, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leonard, died Wednesday night at 11.30 o'clock, at their home in Salisbury, of cholera infantum. He was not quite 11 months old and was an only child. The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock, the remains being interred in Parsons' Cemetery.

—Asbury M. E. Church will be reopened on Sunday, after having been closed for several weeks undergoing extensive repairs. The new organ has not yet been installed and will not be until December, the manufacturers not being able to make an earlier delivery. The church has been greatly improved. The cost was about \$3.500.

—Mr. John Windsor has the contract to enlarge the Crystal Ice Co.'s plant, the work to be completed, it is stated, by January 1, 1906. The company will have a combined output of 50 tons daily it is understood, when the improvements are completed. Mr. Windsor also began work this week on a residence on Park street for Mr. A. F. Benjamin, also to be completed by the first of the year.

—Mr. Sewell McLaughlin, aged about 22 years, died Wednesday of consumption at the home of his grandfather, Mr. Levin Malone, below Shad Point. Mr. McLaughlin had clerked in several of the leading stores in Salisbury and was very popular with his associates. He was an orphan. The funeral service will be held at the Shad Point church Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

—A representative of a Bridgeton, N. J. glass manufacturer, spent two weeks in Salisbury recently, getting together a force of about 30 boys, white and colored, to go to New Jersey with him to work in the factory. He left Monday of this week, accompanied by the boys, who were, for the most part, about 12 to 14 years of age. It has developed that the majority of the boys did not tell their parents they were going and their disappearance has caused great anxiety and distress. They are mostly poor people, unable to go to look for their children and have appealed to the officers. One colored man reached the depot just in time to get his boy off the train. The inducement offered the boys was \$2 cash and expenses, with fair wages when they went to work.

Personal

—Mr. William Hartzog, of Baltimore, was in town part of this week.

—Miss Mary Wilcox left for Philadelphia last Saturday morning.

—Mr. Walter F. Dusch, of Norfolk, Va., was in town this week.

—Mrs. T. B. Whiteley is visiting relatives and friends in Easton, Md.

—Mr. Leon Ulman spent this week in New York City and at Coney Island.

—J. Walter Betts, of Salisbury, was in Easton this week.—Easton Gazette.

—Messrs. Mm. B. Tilghman, Jr., and G. William Phillips are at Atlantic City for a week.

—Lieut. and Mrs. T. M. Dick, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. McFadden Dick this week.

—Mr. Willie Wilson of Mt. Vernon, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in town.

—Mr. G. W. Tilghman, of the Birchhead-Shockley Co., is spending a week at Waltons' Switch.

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—Messrs. Ashland Malone and James Mitchell spent last Saturday to Tuesday at Coney Island and New York

—Mrs. S. C. Disharoon and daughter, Mrs. C. T. Downing are visiting relatives in Philadelphia and Wilmington.

—Miss Alma Lankford left Wednesday to resume her studies at the R. M. Womans' College Lynchburg Virginia.

—Miss Sally Melson, of Bishopville, Md., spent part of this week as the guest of Miss Lucy J. Brown, on Church street.

—Mr. Clarence J. Layfield and wife, of Philadelphia are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. George W. Latfield, at Maple Grove.

—Mr. Linwood Roberts of Philadelphia, accompanied by Mr. Wilson Bergey, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts.

—Mr. C. Lee Gillis, clerk to the Board of Election Supervisors, left Saturday for a ten-days' vacation in Harford county, Maryland where his wife has been spending several weeks.

—Miss Nannie R. Fulton, who spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. M. V. Brewington, in this city, returned to Baltimore Sunday to resume her work as teacher at the opening of the schools.

Raising Quail in Captivity.

Mr. Charles M. Mitchell accomplished a feat this summer which it has been said was impossible, namely, to so tame partidges or quail that they would hatch a brood of young in captivity.

Last winter Mr. Mitchell caught some young quail and in a short time had them so tame they were like chickens. This summer one of the hens laid two settings of eggs. The first were eaten by a pet squirrel. The quail were put out of the squirrel's reach and the hen laid 17 more eggs. Fifteen of them hatched. Unfortunately Mr. Mitchell was unable to complete his experiment, as the chicks inherited the characteristic wildness of their family and, a heavy rain washing a hole under the bottom of the coop, they got away. Their mother followed them, but the cock bird stayed in the enclosure.

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A Fellow Feeling.

It was early autumn and I was going through a city street, carrying a large and beautifully colored branch of leaves. A small, dirty street boy stopped me with:
"Oh, give me one!" The look on the little chap's face was unmistakably appreciative.
I picked out the very smallest leaf, feeling exceedingly shabby all the time, and gave it to the boy.
"I know I'm terribly stingy," I said.
"Never mind," replied the little fellow in a big, masculine sort of way. "I know just how you feel." — Atlantic Monthly.

Rear Children Like Plants

LUTHER BURBANK'S PLAN TO IMPROVE MANKIND

California's Horticultural Wizard Would Not Terrify Little Ones With the Fear of Hell, but Would Have Their Environment Healthy and Pleasant — Put the Best in Them by Contact With the Best Outside. Let Nature Teach Lesson of Good and Proper Living

Americans of the Future to Be "Morally Beautiful and Intellectually Fit" — Characteristics of Races That Make Up Our Nation Will Show in the Composite With Many Evil Traits Removed. Finished Product to Be Race of the Future

LUTHER BURBANK, the famous naturalist of Santa Rosa, Cal., whose extraordinary achievements in improving fruits, flowers, trees and vegetables have made him famous, recently made the following statement to the New York World's staff correspondent in San Francisco who had asked him if it was possible to cultivate the human race by methods similar to those with which he has transformed the plants:

In my work with flowers and plants and trees I have been led naturally to analogous problems. Man has always figured in my calculations, and as the human species is the highest type of life I could not escape the conclusion that as long as plant life could be controlled by human hands mankind might likewise be subjected to similar influences and the race similarly improved. I did not go out of the way to form these deductions. They came sharply and quickly and naturally and are as much a part of my study today as the production of rare fruits and flowers.

If we hope for an improvement of the human race we must begin with the child, as the child responds more readily to environment than any creature in existence. The change may come in the first generation, and it may not. It may not show at all for many generations, but patience and constant at-



LUTHER BURBANK'S HOME AT SANTA ROSA, CAL., WHERE HE WORKS WONDERS IN HORTICULTURE.

tention will finally reap the reward, and the fruit will be more than worth while. When the test has been made successfully and the product attained it will be a survival of the most beautiful, the most precious or the fittest, whichever you may wish to call it.

The two forces to be considered in reproduction are heredity and environment. A great force is necessary to change the aspect of metals. Great heat or electricity or some such powerful influence must be brought to bear upon them. A less potent influence will work a complete change in plant life. A minimized degree of heat, the sunshine, the atmosphere, all will directly affect the growth of plants and the production of fruits and flowers. And when we come to animal life we find that the force or influence necessary to effect a transformation is very slight. That is why environment plays such an important part in the development of man.

Environment and Heredity.

In child rearing environment is equally essential with heredity. Mind you, I do not say that heredity is of no consequence. It is a great factor and often makes environment almost useless. When the hereditary instincts are indelibly ingrained environment will have a hard battle to effect a change in the child, but that a change can be wrought by the surroundings we all know. The particular subject may be stubborn against the influences of environment, but repeated application to the same modifying forces in succeeding generations will accomplish the desired objects.

All animal life is sensitive to environment. You can change the oyster by gradually changing its environment, and you know the oyster is a very low type of life. Take an ox, a horse, a dog, a man, and that which often counts most in the development of each is environment. Of all animate things the child is the most sensitive. Surroundings act upon it as the outside work acts upon the plate in the camera. Every possible influence acting exteriorly will leave its impress on the

proper rearing and education of the child a race will evolve which will be the morally beautiful and the intellectually fit. I do not think that man today has attained the greatest that is in him. We have what are popularly known as five senses, but there are men of strong minds whose reasoning has rarely been at fault and who are coldly scientific in their methods, who attest to the possibility of yet developing a sixth sense. Who is he that can say man will not develop new senses as evolution advances? Psychology is studied in the public schools throughout the country, and that study will lead to new knowledge in psychology. The man of the future ages may prove a somewhat different order of being from that of the present. He may look upon us as we today look upon our forebears.

Sometimes I am appalled when I read of the increase of insanity, suicide, murder, the ills of the flesh. Statistics show many things to make us pause, but after all the proper point of view is that of the optimist. The time will come when insanity will be reduced, suicides and murders will be fewer and man will become a being of few ills and bodily troubles.

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Wherever you have a nation in which there is no variation there is comparatively little insanity or crime or exalted morality or genius. Here in America, where the variation is greatest, the statistics show a greater percentage of insanity and all other variations. As time goes on in its endless and ceaseless course environment will crystallize the American nation. Its varying elements will become unified, and the weeding out process will probably leave the finest human product ever known. The color, the perfume, the size, the shape, that were unumited in plants will have their analogies in the composite, the American of the future.

And now what will hasten this development most of all? The proper rearing of children. Don't feed the child on dogmatic religion; give him nature. Let his soul drink in all that is pure and sweet. Raise him amid pleasant surroundings. If he come into the



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world with a soul groping in darkness let him see and feel the light. Don't terrify him in early life with the fear of an after world. There never was a child that was made noble and good by the fear of a hell. Let nature teach him the lessons of good and proper living, combined with a well balanced nourishment. That child will grow to be the best man or woman. Put the best in him by a contact with the best outside. He or she will absorb it as a plant does the sunshine and the dew.

JAPAN'S FIVE ARMIES.

How Russia Estimates Her Foe's Strength in the Field.

According to the Russian Invalid, the Japanese armies in the field number from 550,000 to 600,000 men. That is the Russian official estimate. This force consists of nineteen divisions, six of which are newly formed, and twenty-two reserve brigades. The battalions number from 388 to 404, giving a total of from 430,000 to 450,000 bayonets. Leaving out the reserve and depot force, the cavalry numbers at least seventeen regiments.

General Kuroki of the First army has from 104 to 108 battalions, equal to 115,000 to 120,000 bayonets. General Oku of the Second army has 100 to 104 battalions, numbering 110,000 to 115,000 bayonets. General Nogai of the Third army has 76 to 80 battalions, composed of 85,000 to 90,000 bayonets. General Nodzu, Fourth army, occupies the center of the Japanese armies with 60 battalions and 45,000 bayonets. General Kawamura, Fifth army, closes the list with 60 to 70 battalions, comprising 73,000 to 80,000 bayonets.

All these five armies have telephonic connection and are so placed that they can act in quick conjunction with each other. In addition an army is mobilized for the maritime provinces.

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Excursion tickets, good for return passage on any regular train, exclusive of limited express trains, within ten days, will be sold at \$10.00 from Philadelphia and all points on the Delaware Division; \$11.25 from Atlantic City; \$9.60 from Lancaster; and at proportionate rates from other points, including Trenton, Bordentown, Mt. Holly, Cape May, Salem, Wilmington, West Chester, Reading, and principal intermediate stations. A stop-over will be allowed at Buffalo within the limit of ticket returning.

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Delmar.

Evangelistic meetings are being held in the Baptist Church (Delmar) September 14th to 22d, by Rev. R. C. Penney, Superintendent of Missions for the Delaware Baptist Union Association. Sunday, the 17th, meetings morning and evening at the usual hours. During the week, meetings commence at 7:30, with short opening song service. Mr. Penney will sing at all of these meetings. The public is cordially invited.

Green Hill.

Services at Green Hill M. P. Church Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 2 p. m.; Preaching, 3 p. m.

Revival meetings begin at Green Hill M. P. Church September 17th. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Thomas Darby and daughter, Miss Nellie, of Riverton, spent Sunday with Capt. and Mrs. W. J. Layfield and family.

Miss Lydia Layfield spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. G. W. F. Insley.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor and Mrs. W. J. Layfield spent Wednesday with Mrs. Layfield's daughter, Mrs. H. W. Hearn, at Hebron.

Mr. B. F. Waller, Jr. spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. F. Kent Cooper, at Salisbury.

Several of our young folks attended the revival at Tvaakin Sunday evening.

Mr. Steven Dolby and family, of White Haven, and Mr. George W. Robertson and family, of Nanticoke, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Layfield.

Mr. Charlie Holloway and family, of Rockawalkin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Layfield.

Willards.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley D. Truitt spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rniss, of New Hope.

Mr. Lee Moore, whose arm was dislocated a few weeks ago while in bathing at Ocean City, has resumed his work again.

School opened Monday to the delight of many children, with Miss Annie Brittingham, principal, and Miss Emma Caulk, assistant.

Mr. G. W. Nicholson and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson T. Moore.

Mrs. E. G. Davis and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. William Burbage, of near Libertytown.

For the necessity of providing a library, there will be held a festival in New Hope School House. All are cordially invited. Come!

Mr. Samuel Tighman and wife, of Powellville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Brambley.

Miss Mattie Raham visited Miss Lizzie Baker, of Whaleyville, last Saturday.

Revival services began last Sunday and were postponed on Tuesday evening until next Sunday, September 17th. Sunday School next Sunday, 9:30 a. m.; Class meeting, 10:30 a. m.; Preaching by Presiding Elder Adam Steagle, 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Elijah Lewis spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Evans.

Mr. Garretson Lewis and family spent Saturday with their parents near Twilley.

Another game of ball will be played Saturday by Willards No. 2 on their grounds with Pittville.

Allen.

Services at Allen M. E. Church next Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Preaching, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Miss Lou Leonard, of Arizona, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodell.

Miss Mary Nichols, of near Salisbury, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Nichols.

Misses Edna McLaughlin, of Fruitland, Florence Bounds, of Waterloo, and Emma Porter, of Loretto, are visiting Miss Ethel Malone.

Mrs. John P. Owens, of Salisbury, is spending this week with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Mary J. Price and Master Russell White, of Salisbury, spent part of this week with relatives here.

Mrs. Jno. E. White left Thursday for a three weeks visit to relatives in New York City.

Mrs. Nora Allen and Miss Amy Allen left Allen Wednesday last for Deudron, Va. If nothing prevents they will be gone until next spring.

Mr. Percy Allen has accepted a position in Washington, D. C., and left to take charge of same last week.

Mrs. Ella Leonard and daughter, Katherine, and Mrs. Mattie Mitchell and son, Deudron, spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Griffith.

Miss Maggie Phoebus is spending some time with relatives at Rock Hall, Kent county, Md.

Mrs. Margaret Simms spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Whayland, near Allen Wharf.

Mr. Price and Miss Benton, of Fruitland, spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Malone.

Miss Bessie Reed, of Baltimore, arrived here last Friday evening and entered upon her duties as principal of the public school in this place Monday morning.

Why is it that the Democratic party through the press, is trying their utmost seemingly to keep peace and harmony within the Republican ranks? Are they afraid that the Republican party will be disintegrated on election day? Not like the Poe Amendment, it is a great big bluff.

Long Ridge.

Mr. Alfred Lewis and family, of Snow Hill, spent several days with relatives and friends in Salisbury and Long Ridge this week.

Mr. Sylvester Shockley is very sick at this writing with typhoid fever; also Mrs. Henry Pusey's little child of the same disease.

Miss Daisy Ellis, of Snow Hill, took charge of her school again Monday for another term, and the children are all smiles.

boxes that have been approved by the Department, and that each box will be numbered, commencing with the first on the route. If the Department would have something done to the roads on the routes in this neighborhood we think the carriers would be greatly benefited.

It is understood that the Postoffice Department will request the patrons of rural routes to put up private mail

The farmers in this section are now busy sowing their peas and pea hay. This has been an excellent season for pea hay. The crop has been unusually large and the weather has been fine for sowing it. This has proved to be one of the best paying crops that the farmer grows.

The farmers of the East have long ago realized the absolute necessity of good roads. What could be more disheartening and disgusting to the farmer than to have his wagon or cart sink to its hub in the mire when on his way to market with a load of produce, the prompt delivery of which means his daily subsistence. He loses time just when it is of the most value to him. It shortens the life of his team, is an unnecessary strain on his wagon, and to the man himself does incalculable injury. The Tri-State Farm Journal has the following to say about good roads in Maryland: "Maryland, although only a recent convert to the good roads measure, is forging ahead rapidly in the direction and in a few years there will be as good roads all over the Peninsula as can be found anywhere." I want to say right here that there is only one way to get good roads in Wicomico and Worcester counties and that is to get rid of the old foggy moss backs that call themselves Democrats and get new Republican blood in the field in their places, and we will show the country more good roads and improvement in five years than they have had in twenty-five. Why, today we would have had four miles of good road nearing completion in Wicomico county if we had a set of Commissioners in office like the nominees on the Republican ticket, that we expect without a doubt to elect this year. And with this ticket elected and backed by every farmer of the county we shall never cease until the last mile of muck and mire and sand is a good, solid road.

Melsons.

Miss Ethel Carmine, is spending some time with her sister, Miss Mary, in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maddox and Mr. and Mrs. George R. Riggs spent Sunday with Mr. Thomas Oliphant and family.

Walter, the little son of Mr. Alonzo Huntington, died Sunday about ten o'clock. He was two years and four months old. Funeral services were held Monday at one o'clock. The remains were interred at the old homestead beside its mother, who died last March.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Hitchens, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nichols, of near Zion; Mrs. Levenia Hitchens and Miss Pearl Nichols, of Delmar, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Nichols.

The four-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan was buried here Friday at the Modcox Cemetery.

Messrs. William Nichols and Arthur Hitchens purchased a fine pair of mules from D. Ward last week.

Riverton.

Mrs. O. N. Bennett and children left for Baltimore on Thursday.

Miss S. J. Taylor and Mrs. N. Bramhall have returned from Baltimore.

The Aid Society at B. F. Kennerly's was quite a success. This society has raised money and will paint the M. P. Church at this place.

Misses Lettie Bennett and Lena Wright have returned to the Normal School at Baltimore.

Mrs. O. P. Jackson and son spent some time in Salisbury as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Downing.

Miss Lula English and Mr. James Bennett left for Salisbury to take a course at the High School.

Schooner Walter, Capt. George Higgins, left for Wilmington this week.

Schooner T. J. Dail, Capt. J. R. Higgins, is loading wood at this place.

I. S. Bennett is quite busy loading boats with wood for down the river trade.

Mack Kennerly, who is employed at the Express office in Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here. Mack is a whole souled fellow and liked by all. Come again.

Our schools have started with quite a fair showing.

Golden Eagle Flour

35c a bag.

This is a good Family Flour, and will be found equal to many of the high-grade flours on the market.

Large Can Table Peaches, 15c

Good Santos Coffee, 15c pound

Cream Java Coffee, 25c pound

1 pound of Sugar Free with every pound.

Special Blend Coffee, 20c pound

Mocha & Java Coffee, 32c a lb.

2 pounds of Sugar Free with every pound.

60 Hardwood Clothes Pins, 5c

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Short Lengths of
DRESS GOODS for **\$1.98**

Includes 52-in. Broadcloth, All-Wool Home-Spun, 50-in. All-Wool Canvas Suiting, 44-in. All-Wool Tailor Suiting, All-Wool French-Voiles, Imported Etamines, Granites, Crepes, Mohairs, Cecilians, Nunsvellings, Serges, Cheviots, Etc. (Each piece contains from 3 to 7½ yds.) **\$1.98 for the entire piece.**

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Yard wide Soft Finish Peau de Soie, regular price \$1.50. Sale price \$1.19.

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24-in. Soft and Creaseless Peau de Cygne, all pure silk. Regular price \$1.25. Sale price 98c.

38-in. Silk Sublime, soft, creaseless, \$1 a yd.

Hosiery Bargains

CHILDREN'S—Sizes 6 to 10, full fashioned foot, double knee, regular price 15c. This sale 10c.

MEN'S—Sizes 9½ to 11½, full fashioned foot, lisle finish, stainless black. Regular 15c. This sale 10c.

LADIES'—Sizes 8½ to 10 full fashioned foot. Regular 15c. This sale 10c.

Opening Sale of Blankets and Comforts

At \$2.50 10-4 size Wool Blankets, red, blue and pink borders.

At \$3.00 10-4 size Wool Blankets, red and blue borders, fluffy & warm.

At \$5.00 11-4 extra heavy, red, blue and pink borders.

At \$7.00 11-4 size California extra heavy, pink and blue borders.

At \$1.00 White Wadding Filled Comfortables. Pretty designs.

At \$1.50 Silkoline Comforts, both sides alike, white wadding filled.

At \$2.50 Sateen Covered Comfortables, extra fine, pretty designs.

At \$3.00 French Sateen Covered, down filled Comfortables, full size.

Birckhead - Shockley Co.

A Letter From "Rover's Friend."

White Haven, September 15, 1905.

Messrs. EDITORS:—Not having heard anything from our little village for some time, we think it not amiss to again be heard from.

The editors of the News are almost breaking their necks over two certain Republicans not being more fairly treated by our late County Convention. Is it possible that the News man has really so much interest in the welfare of the Republicans that he fears we have made a very serious blunder? I am very sorry the Republican party is giving them so very much concern.

I don't think at the late Democrat convention that matters were so entirely satisfactory to some who were so ruthlessly pushed aside. Now if the kick is—which we know to be—only the News, and the two gentlemen who are referred to are not kicking, why should the senator?

The two gentlemen in question are well able to take care of themselves and do not wish any defense from the Wicomico News. It is their private affair and they do not thank the News for their hypocritical interference. We find many false interpretations of freedom, which make of it a license to invade the rights of others. But in no way is this more flagrantly illustrated than by a perverted press, especially in Wicomico. Why cannot the sentiment that deplors and abhors these piratical deceptions upon us be organized into something tangible that may do good and reach the evil?

Well, "Rover," from Tvaakin, appeared in the Wicomico News of last week. Another breed sprung up under some new name with some other object in view. Conspicuous among the mischief making Republicans of today, this one appears on the scene. There is no reason to fear, judging from their members; and at election day the same old majority may be expected, whether Rover votes with the Republicans or not, as it will not be the first time he has sinned. If you believe in the policies of the Republican party you will find it simply able to serve consistent views; but if you don't believe in its policies, then go straightway to the party that comes nearest to your ideas, but don't be a Mugwump. Remember, bolting the Republican party to try to procure Republican benefits is just about like a fisherman throwing away his seines and nets, and casting a pin hook in some duck puddle to catch herrings. A Republican retaining his politics and working with the Democratic party looks too much like a peacock with its tail pulled out among a drove of turkeys. Besides, the turkeys don't respect him any more than they would a buzzard, and his own tribe hate him worse than they do the meanest Democrat. Such a fellow is in what I would call a devil of a fix.

"Rover," if this is any consolation; will give you more next time and more so on.

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Our dinner pail is going stale. As sure as we are sinners.

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And will always treat you fair. Bennett and White, Proprietors.

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The Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company will run an excursion to Baltimore on September 28th at reduced rates, tickets limited to two days. See Posters for time and rate of fare from your station.

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Would you save your wife and family unnecessary labor and drudgery?

Could you employ any better or cheaper method than a telephone in your residence?

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VERDICT IN ONE TOMATO CASE.

Was Rendered By Judge Holland Wednesday For Defendants—Testimony In Other Cases Being Taken.

Judge Holland rendered a decision on Wednesday in the injunction case of the Farmers Canning Co. vs. Hubert and Herman Bounds wherein the plaintiffs were endeavoring to compel the delivery of tomatoes at their factory at Whayland, in the favor of the defendants and the preliminary injunction which was issued on September 2d. was dissolved, and the bill of complaint dismissed. The taking of testimony in this case, which was tried in chambers, occupied all last week and until Tuesday.

Judge Holland's opinion is a lengthy document and after reviewing the testimony, renders the decision in favor of the defendants on the ground that the contract that existed, if any, was not the contract alleged in the bill of complaint set up by the plaintiffs.

The two remaining cases, against James B. Bradley and Thomas A. and Orlando Bounds, were, by agreement of counsel, to have been disposed of by the case in which a decision was rendered on Wednesday. This agreement, however, was repudiated by the plaintiff's counsel after Wednesday's decision, they claiming that the cases were dissimilar. The taking of the testimony in the above complaints, against James B. Bradley and Thomas A. Bradley and Orlando Bounds, therefore, will begin today, Saturday.

The counsel in the proceedings are, for plaintiffs, Ellegood, Freeny & Wallis; for defendants, Jay Williams, Elmer H. Walton and Joseph L. Bailey.

THE LOCAL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

First Game Of Eastern Shore College Team Is On October 13th With Wilmington Conference Academy.

The prospect of a successful season for the Eastern Shore College Football team is very good at this time and a most interesting schedule of games is being arranged. In preparation for these events the Eastern Shore College team began practice this week.

In response to coach Jackson's call, twenty players reported Wednesday afternoon on the Athletic grounds in South Salisbury. The work for the first few days will be light and until the men "harden up," no hard work will be done. Coach Jackson expects by Monday to have his men in shape for a few minutes line up, but for the present the work consists of passing and falling on the ball and running down the field under kicks.

The first game is on Oct. 18 with the Wilmington Conference Academy, of Dover, in Salisbury. The Salisbury management expects a hard game and all efforts will be made to put the team in good shape. In Trussell, Wimbrow, Fields and Simms. Coach Jackson expects to be able to develop a pair of ends who will possess both speed and weight. The candidates for the tackle position are G. Hill and Hastings. At guard they are Wilkins and Taylor. Smith and Phillips are trying for centre. As yet the back field is unknown. It is probable however, that Toadvine will play at full and White and Robertson at right and left half. Richardson and C. Hill are candidates for quarter back and the other candidates for the team are Waller, Bethke, Parvin, Green, Frank and several others. While the make-up of the team is as yet incomplete, a fast, strong eleven is assured.

The schedule is incomplete but will include W. C. A., Oct. 13 at Salisbury; Delaware College Scrub Oct. 21 at Salisbury; Wilmington Friends School and Wilmington High School, place and date undecided. In addition to these several other games are under consideration.

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"Will the intended victim realize his own strength before it is too late?"

—Adapted from the Baltimore News.

CANNED TOMATOES SOAR.

Shortage Of Maryland Acreage And Crop Failure Causes Unprecedented Rise In Prices.

A sensational stage in the greatest boom in the canned tomato market known in Baltimore city in years was reached last week. As a result of a shortage of nearly 50 percent in acreage, supplemented by an almost total failure of the crop in the territory in which the packers of that city rely for their stock of raw material, a strong rising tendency for the canned product began about three weeks ago. A big gap in the supply of the canned vegetables confronted Baltimore packers, and the prices of the article in cans began to move upward at the rate of from two and a half to three cents at each step. This trend kept persistently on, until the prices in three weeks had made the stupendous advance from fifty cents to \$1.00 a dozen, with a strong demand.

In the meantime the raw material mounted to 60 and 75 cents a bushel in the Baltimore market, with packers fairly falling over themselves for every package of the vegetable in sight. The canneries were put in operation overtime whenever the stock could be had.

By a fortunate deal one packer said Saturday that he went on the market and will clear up 40,000 in the next sixty days, and is still doing business with chances in his favor. Another broker made a bid deal for canned stock, and without touching his purchase in the exchange of a cent, sold the goods back to the original owner at an advance of forty cents a dozen. These conditions have kept the canned goods market in the biggest kind of a flurry. A broker said that he is looking to see price move on to the \$1.50 mark before the present boom has reached the high water mark. Packers are scouring the country for the tinned product, and the raw stock with which to fill their orders. One of them said that there is little doubt that they will be able to fulfill every obligation in the matter of contracts. Packing circles are watching the situation with intense interest, and no one knows just where the present flight of canned tomatoes will end, or when the climax will be reached.

In sympathy with the soaring of the canned product, last week witnessed the record mark in the receipts of raw tomatoes. Baltimore city was the focal point for the product of the great tomato-producing country of Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey and Virginia, with the result that 360,000 packages, or an average of 60,000 baskets of the raw vegetable were received and processed at the packing houses during the week.

High Prices For Farm Property.

Mr. R. Frank Williams, real estate broker, this week sold the Affria Fooks farm at probably the highest price ever paid for farm property in this county.

This farm of 100 acres he sold to Miles J. Hotchkiss, of New Haven, Conn., a retired druggist, who is one of many seeking a location where he may avoid the severe winters of the North, at \$400 per acre, or \$40,000 for the entire farm. Mr. Hotchkiss expects to engage in the poultry, fruit and market gardening business. Mr. Williams also reports the sale of the following: The farm belonging to George R. Parker, in Nutters district, containing 10½ acres, to Joseph M. Holloway, consideration \$800.

Also lot on Camden avenue, belonging to Arthur R. Leonard, to T. R. Jones, of Quantico, who contemplates building on same. Consideration \$500.

SHIRT FACTORY STARTED UP.

Work Began Tuesday Of This Week And The Prospect Is Very Good.

Mr. George H. Weisbach, who recently consummated a deal whereby he became lessee of the Salisbury Shirt Factory, returned home from New York, where he had been completing his plans, last Saturday, and the factory was started up Tuesday of this week. About 50 to 75 hands were taken on to begin with and all the departments are being operated.

Mr. Weisbach stated that he had made very advantageous contracts and the outlook for the factory was very good indeed. He said that he would be able to give work to all the operators who would apply and at good wages. He is also offering good positions to men in the various departments, with plenty of places yet open.

The contracts made for the factory, Mr. Weisbach stated, would ensure its being run regularly and to its full capacity. This will mean a large increase of opportunity to wage earners in Salisbury and will be a big help to the retail merchants. The shutting down of the factory has been sorely felt and its reopening is hailed with delight by all concerned.

A Replevin Case.

On Thursday, the 21st, Wm. A. Trader, Justice of the Peace, rendered a decision in the replevin case of Miers B. Betts, a constable of Delaware, vs. John G. Pusey, that was of considerable interest. The facts in the case as developed at the trial were about as follows: Miers B. Betts, a constable of Delaware, having had placed in his hands an execution against John H. Outten, without looking up the property of John H. Outten, and without informing Outten of the execution, made a schedule and levy of property, which the said Miers B. Betts, from information received, believed Outten to possess. The property included in the levy and schedule was never really seized and taken in possession of by Betts. Without any knowledge of the said execution, a bay mare claimed to be included in the levy was sold to Charles Smith, a resident of this county, for valuable consideration, and Betts, through the execution creditor, in whose favor he held the execution against Outten, claimed to locate in this county the bay mare, which was supposed to be included in the levy and execution, in the possession of John G. Pusey, who likewise, without any knowledge of the Delaware execution had traded with Charles Smith for the mare in question. The Justice decided that the so-called levy and schedule was not only irregular, but absolutely null and void and that the replevin in this county could not be maintained, inasmuch as there had been no seizure of the property by the Constable in Delaware.

Notice!

There will be services [D. V.] on Sunday next, Sept. 24th as follows:
St. Mary's Chapel, Traskin, 10.30 a. m.
St. Phillips Chapel, Quantico, 7.30 p. m.
Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

Court Next Week.

The regular September Jury term of court convenes next Monday. The docket, at the time of writing, was as follows:
Appearances, 16; Appeals, 6; Trials, 57; Recognizances, 18; Criminal Appearances, 10; Criminal Continuances, 13.

Miss Ethel Tull, daughter of Mrs. Stella Tull of Tull's Corner, has gone to Salisbury to resume her studies at the High School.—Crisfield Times.

GOV. JACKSON TO HELP GORMAN.

Accepts Chairmanship of the State Committee In Behalf of Poe Amendment.

Very much to the surprise of the State politicians, when the committee which was appointed recently by Chairman Murray Vandiver to take active charge of the campaign in behalf of the Poe Amendment met in the Hotel Remont, Baltimore, on Wednesday, ex-Governor E. E. Jackson, of Wisconsin, was unanimously elected Chairman. Although Governor Jackson is nominally the head of the committee, most of the work will really be done by Mr. Frank A. Furr, the vice-chairman, and Mr. A. S. Goldsborough, the secretary, as Ex-Governor Jackson has many business matters on hand which require his attention.

"I did not want the place," he said, "but the committee, for some reason I can't understand insisted upon me having it. It will be necessary for me to leave the city, and I may not be back before the State Convention. Some one will say, I suppose, that I am running away, but I must go."

No matter who is ostensibly at the head, the campaign is recognized as Senator Gorman's and it is he who will manage it. The greater part of his work, however, will be behind the scenes. The fight is in his behalf, and it is he who will see to it that every step will be one of the most approved Gormanesque kind.

There is no doubt that those who are anxious to see the Poe Amendment passed, with Senator Gorman at their head, are seriously disturbed. They realize that unless some miracle happens the amendment is doomed to defeat. The serious thing from their point of view is the antagonism to the Amendment being met with all along the line. Rasin, it is known, has never been for it at heart, and after Monday's primaries he is apt to be still less inclined to help it along. Mr. Rayner is another leader who is doing nothing to help along the Amendment fight. It would not be much of a surprise if at any moment he should come out against the amendment. Add to all this unfriendly feeling the active opposition of Governor Warfield, Attorney General Bryan and the big host of independent Democrats who have openly declared their hostility to the amendment, and the plight of the pro-amendment forces can be seen.

Republican Committee Too

As an offset to the Democrat campaign committee to work for the suffrage amendment Chairman John B. Hanna has named, under the resolutions of the Republican State Central Committee, an advisory campaign committee, which will assist in the effort to defeat it and elect the Republican ticket.

The names of this committee were given out yesterday and are as follows: Mr. John B. Hanna, ex-officio chairman; Hon. Wm. H. Jackson; Hon. Phillips Lee Goldsborough; Hon. James A. Gary; Hon. Stevenson A. Williams; Hon. John C. Rose; Hon. William F. Stone; Hon. Lewis Putzel; Hon. George R. Gaither; Hon. Frank C. Watcher; Hon. Sydney E. Mudd; Hon. Thomas Payton; Hon. George A. Pearce; Hon. Robert A. Ravenscroft.

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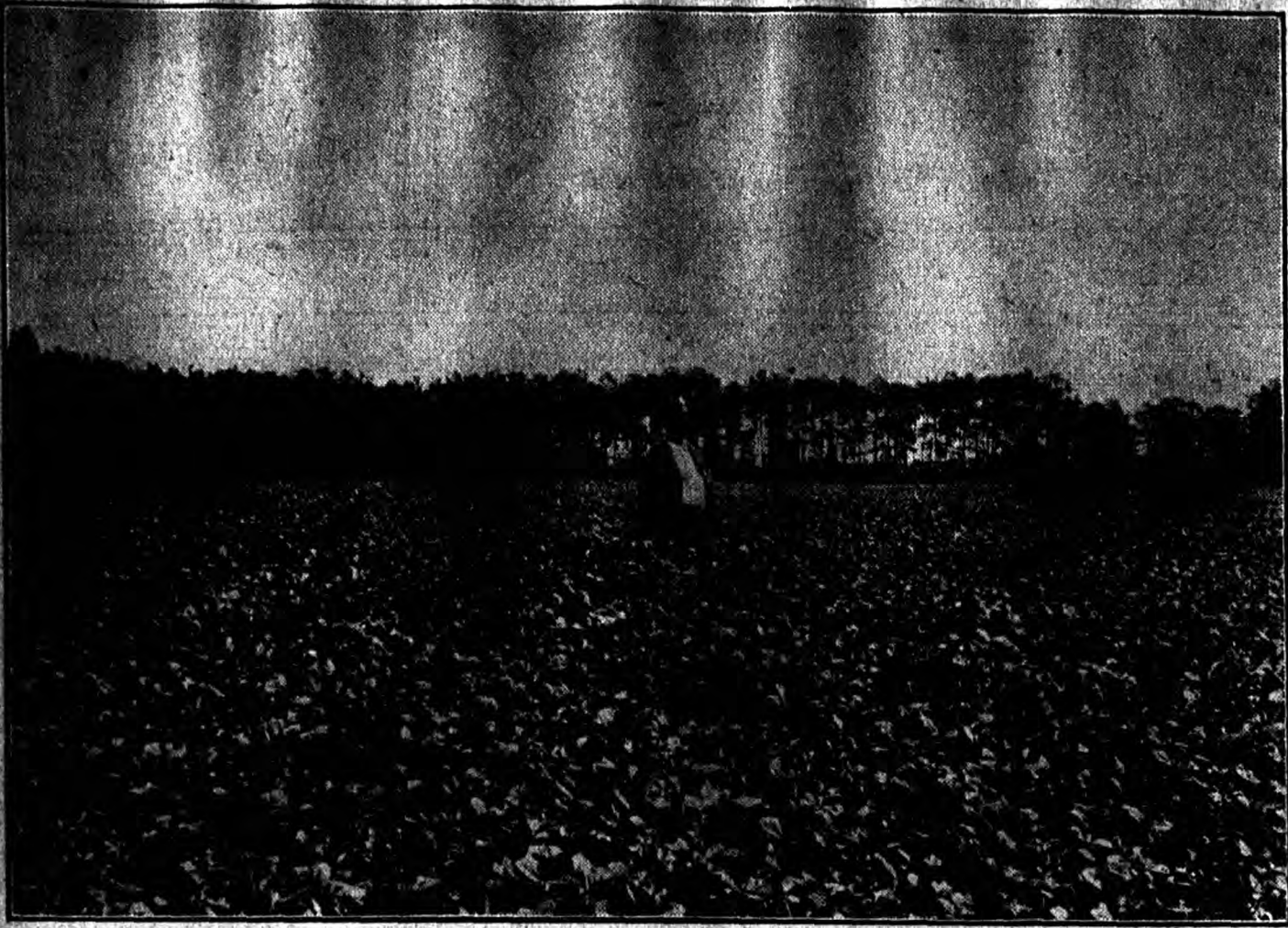
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GROWTH OF TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Has Been Marvelous in Salisbury During The Past Three Years.

That the Diamond State Telephone Company has greatly improved the telephone service since they assumed the management of the property of the old Salisbury Telephone Company is manifested by the marvelous growth of the system in the last three years.

The first movement of the new company was to rebuild all the pole lines in the city, giving every subscriber the advantage of a metallic circuit and in this manner greatly increasing the efficiency of the service. It was soon found, however, that the switch-board was not large enough to accommodate new subscribers, and in order to further increase the utility of the local service the switch-board, which was practically new and had only been installed a short time before by the old company, was torn out and a switch-board was installed which would accommodate 400 subscribers each with a single party line. At that time there were 212 subscribers in the Salisbury exchange a great many of them connected by a grounded circuit, and all of them were obliged to use a telephone which was of inferior quality.

Today, the books of the Company show that there are 360 subscribers in the Salisbury exchange. With two exceptions each subscriber is connected by a metallic circuit. In addition to this every business house and a great many residences are using a Bell Long Distance instrument, the Company having discontinued the use of the local telephones in order to give a uniform service to every subscriber of the Diamond State Telephone Company. It has become necessary, in order to accommodate those who are daily making applications for telephone service, for the Company to tear out the present switch-board and replace it by one that will accommodate 500 subscribers. This board has already been ordered and will be installed January first.

The foregoing facts and figures not only show the growth of the Diamond State Telephone Company, but they show that the people of Salisbury and vicinity are up-to-date in their business methods and that they grasp every opportunity to increase their business. The Company announce that they are prepared to install service on short notice and a postal card addressed to the Contract Department will bring any information regarding the service and the rates.

In A Tight Place.

A certain lawyer says that many years ago he went to a western state, but, as he got no clients and stood a good chance of starving to death, he decided to return eastward again. Without any money he got into a train for Nashville, Tenn., intending to seek employment as reporter on one of the daily newspapers. When the conductor called for his ticket he said: "I'm on the staff of—of Nashville I suppose you will pass me."

The conductor looked at him sharply. The editor of that paper is the smoker. Come with me. If he identifies you all right."

He followed the conductor into the smoker. The situation was explained. Mr. Editor said:

"Oh, yes, I recognize him as one of the staff. It is all right."

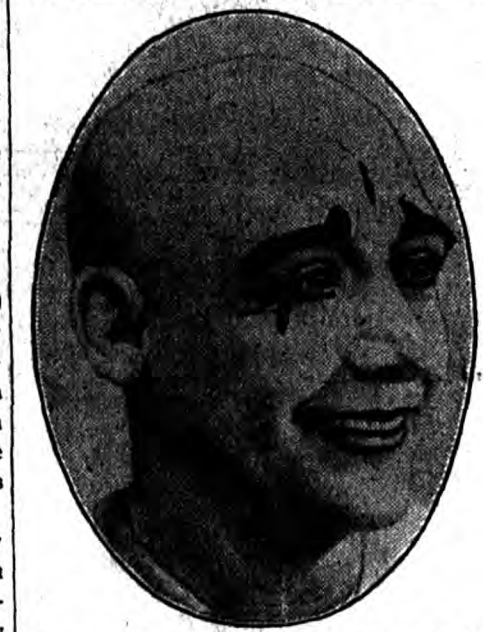
Before leaving the train the lawyer again sought the editor.

"Why did you say you recognized me? I'm not on your paper."

"I'm not the editor either. I'm traveling on his pass and was scared to death lest you should give me away."

"Humpty Dumpty" At Ullman's Opera House.

The stage of the Ullman's Grand Opera House will be occupied on the 25th of September by Manager Ernest Cooke's magnificent and up-to-date production of "Humpty Dumpty" with the great master of pantomime, George E. Adams, in the title role. This production is a combination of comedy, opera, vaudeville and pantomime, welded into a most harmonious whole, interspersed with the exquisite grand ballet divertissement executed by a corps of beautiful and clever show girls, all presenting a scene of voluptuous animation scarcely equalled and never excelled, and amid a



shower of splendor in which over 25 people take part.

The most noted of the vaudeville acts to be presented in that of "Eve," the wonderful mystery, delineating the birth of woman out of space and within the full view of the audience. This act is one of the most noted now before the American public and is a most marvelous performance in itself.

Manager Cooke, having the interest of the theatre-going public at heart, has not forgotten that a clean, efficient and up to date performance never fails to attract, and his present production of "Humpty Dumpty" has in its construction the very essentials of refinement of humor and artistic splendor. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Rev. A. J. Vanderbogart,
Salisbury, Md.

Rev Sir; In making pastoral visits, of course, you do not consider your pleasure or comfort or ease; you go where your people live. But you have two sets of feelings in going about—can't help it—we all have. But you especially have; for a part of your business is sympathy. Well-kept lawns and well-tended fields, nice homes and nice people, are cheerful to you, as they are to everyone. Tumbledown buildings, poor fences, men harassed by burdens too heavy for them, overworked women, and dirty-faced children, you may be strong to get on with; but you would be more than human to find inspiration in misery.

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The Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company will run an excursion to Baltimore on September 28th at reduced rates, tickets limited to two days. See Posters for time and rate of fare from your station.

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The desirable Residence Property at the northeast corner of Railroad avenue and Elizabeth St., in Salisbury, known as the "Booth Property," is offered at a bargain. Address C. O. Melvin, Pocomoke City, Md. 10-7

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For Sale.—One hundred acres of coal land in Pennsylvania. Has a six foot vein of Bituminous. Apply to D. C. Weatherhead, Salisbury, Md. 9-30

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About Forty Young Thoroughbred S. C. Brown Leghorn Roosters. Best layers. None better. W. S. WALKER, Mardela Springs, Md. 9-23

Boarding.

Those desiring Board should apply at No. 900 E. Church street until September 17th. After that date, No. 219 Camden avenue. THOS. P. FLETCHER. 9-23

Notice of Registration, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration for Wicomico county will sit at times and places hereinafter designated for the purpose of revising the general registry of voters of Wicomico county, for 1905, on

Tuesday, October 3,

Tuesday, October 10,
From 8 o'clock a. m., to 7 o'clock p. m. daily.

No. 1. Barren Creek—James E. Bacon and Samuel W. Bennett, Registrars, will sit at the election house, formerly Windsor's carpenter shop, in Mardela Springs.

No. 2. Quantico District—W. Frank Howard and W. Scott Disharoon, Registrars, will sit in the storehouse owned by Mary Crawford and formerly occupied by W. T. Phillips, in Quantico.

No. 3. Tvasin District—John W. Furbush and Wm. A. Conway, Registrars, will sit at vacant building near W. H. Bedworth's store.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—E. H. Hamblin and George E. Jackson, Registrars, will sit at the Freney Building in Pittsville.

No. 5. Parsons District—Naaman P. Turner and Robert D. Grier, Registrars, will sit at the voting house on Water street in Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—L. Lee Laws and D. J. Clark, Registrars, will sit at Lambert J. Powell's store in Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Columbus C. Fooks and Otho Bounds, Registrars, will sit at the new house of Wm. Smith, opposite Election House, in Trappe District.

No. 8. Nutter's District—Willie P. Ward and Oswald Tilghman, Registrars, will sit at house on public road nearly opposite the residence of W. P. Ward in Nutter's District.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Whitefield S. Lowe and Alan P. Benjamin, Registrars, will sit at Humphrey's shirt factory, Mill Grove, on Division street, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown—Clement J. Gravenor and Wm. D. Gravenor, Registrars, will sit in B. H. Phillips' building in Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—Edward E. Gordy and Daniel H. Foskey, Registrars, will sit at the Masonic Temple in Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—Arthur M. Rencher and Samuel M. White, Registrars, will sit at Knights of Pythias Hall Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—Elisha E. Twilley and Wm. Wirt Leonard, Registrars, will sit at Guthrie's old storehouse on Division street, South Salisbury.

The Registrars will also sit at their respective places on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17th, from 8 a. m., to 7 p. m., for the purpose only of correcting and revising the lists. Remember, that no new names will be registered on that day.

Registrars will appear before the Board of Supervisors on Saturday, September 30th, 1905, to receive registration supplies.

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Board of Election Supervisors.
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Election Judges and Clerks.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico County.

News Building,
Salisbury, Md., Sept. 5, 1905.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico county having appointed Judges and Clerks of Election for the several voting precincts of said county, in accordance with Section 12, Art. 33 of Code of Public General Laws hereby give notice of the name and residence of each, and also the political party to which each belongs and represents. The law makes it the duty of this Board "to examine promptly into any complaints which may be made to them in writing against the fitness or qualification of any person so appointed, and to remove such Judge or Clerk whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable." This Board expects to swear in the unopposed Judges or Clerks on or about September 30, 1905. The appointments are as follows:

No. 1. Barren Creek District—Benjamin S. Bradley, dem., judge, Riverdon. Peter Graham, rep., judge, Athol. Albert W. Bounds, dem., clerk, Mardela. George W. Riffin, rep., clerk, Hebron, Route 1.

No. 2. Quantico District—T. R. Jones, dem., judge, Quantico. B. S. Pusey, rep., judge, Salisbury. H. P. Pollitt, dem., clerk, Salisbury. W. B. Wilson, rep., clerk, Hebron.

No. 3. Tvasin District—A. J. White, dem., judge, White Haven. Rhuel S. Richardson, rep., judge, Wetpquin. Ware Hopkins, dem., clerk, Tvasin. Chas. H. Lamore, rep., clerk, Tvasin.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—M. A. Davis, dem., judge, Pittsville. G. Frank Williams, rep., judge, Pittsville. Ernest Adkins, dem., clerk, Parsonsburg. Fred. E. Hayman, rep., clerk, Parsonsburg.

No. 5. Parsons District—H. L. Brewington, dem., judge, Salisbury. John P. Owens, rep., judge, Salisbury. T. Ernest Holloway, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Fred. P. Adkins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—W. T. Henman, dem., judge, Powellville. Chas. R. Sayers, rep., judge, Powellville. Paul Powell, dem., clerk, Powellville. E. C. H. Adkins, rep., clerk, Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Wm. F. Messick, dem., judge, Allen. Wm. Goodell, rep., judge, Allen. P. A. Malone, dem., clerk, Allen. F. F. Price, rep., clerk, Allen.

No. 8. Nutter's District—Joshua L. Freney, dem., judge, Salisbury. W. Durand Fooks, rep., judge, Salisbury. J. D. Coulbourn, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Marion D. Collins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Jerome T. Hayman, dem., judge, Salisbury. Wm. A. Crew, rep., judge, Salisbury. Walter S. Sheppard, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Geo. H. Weisbach, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown District—Jno. A. Wright, dem., judge, Mardela. Geo. T. Owens, rep., judge, Sharptown. C. R. Knowles, dem., clerk, Sharptown. Ernest Robinson, rep., clerk, Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—L. B. Ker, dem., judge, Delmar. F. Frank Goslee, rep., judge, Delmar. J. G. W. Perdue, dem., clerk, Delmar. Jas. T. Wilson, rep., clerk, Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—H. J. Willing, dem., judge, Nanticoke. J. A. White, rep., judge, Nanticoke. Levin J. Walters, dem., clerk, Nanticoke. Thos. J. Walter, rep., clerk, Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—Harry W. Ruark, dem., judge, Salisbury. Morris A. Walton, rep., judge, Salisbury. C. L. Dickerson, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Frank Gunby, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

SAMUEL S. SMYTH,
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Board of Election Supervisors.
C. Lee Gillis, Clerk to Board.

Order Nisi.

Jay Williams versus James A. Moore

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county. In Equity No. 1575. September Term, 1905.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds of said sale as made, and reported by Jay Williams, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the tenth day of October next, provided, a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of September next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$50.00.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND,
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\$2.00 per month pays for a building lot in South Salisbury, size 80 by 150, best location, reasonable prices, no interest, no taxes, until paid for. If you should die before the lot is paid for it will be deeded at once to your wife, husband, mother, father or child without further payment. A few more on these easy terms and the opportunity will be closed.

A five room house $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from town with one acre, \$600; with 15 acres, \$1100.

A four room house adjoining above, one acre \$500, house nearly new.

A house and large lot in Camden, \$500.

A 14 acre truck lot in high state of cultivation, adjoining town, for \$2500. Will soon be worth double this amount for building purposes.

One 8 acre lot, Camden St. extended, \$1500. A very desirable location for a nice suburban home.

A nice little farm of 50 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Salisbury at \$30.00 per acre. No buildings. Will sell all or as little as 10 acres, same price.

Another farm adjoining above, 25 acres at \$40.00 per acre, no buildings.

One farm near Princess Anne, 70 acres in high state of cultivation, about 30 acres valuable meadow, no dwelling. \$4000. This is a bargain.

Another farm near Princess Anne. Adjoining above, about 280 acres, about 100 in cultivation, balance in thrifty young timber, would cut about 2000 cords wood now, no buildings, price only \$6000.

Any person interested in any of above and can pay 25 to 50 per cent. down can arrange easy terms for balance, for further information call on or write.

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STATE.

Easton is to have a night school beginning October 1st.

A mosquito is like a good advertiser— not satisfied with one insertion.

Farmers coming to town complain of bad roads on account of the recent heavy rains.

A new pipe organ has been put in the Presbyterian church in Lewis, Del., this week.

A chewing gum machine was stolen from in front of H. E. Aldrick's store at Easton Tuesday night.

Election day comes this year on Tuesday, November 7th, which is the latest for many years past.

Baltimore is pushing for enlarged post-office quarters, made necessary by the city's constant growth.

Children are divided into two general classes—our own sweet darlings and the dirty faced, ill-mannered brats of other people.

A new and fatal disease has attacked turkeys in Dorchester county. George R. Martin, of Church Creek district, has lost 110 out of a flock of 180.

The mind of Br'er Tyler, of the Easton Gazette, must run to matrimony and homely charms. No less than five of the paragraphs in his recent editorial columns are on this subject.

Frost is predicted soon. If you wish to continue to eat sliced tomatoes, pull up the vines that are well filled with good sized green fruit and hang up in a dark place. Well matured tomatoes ripen well under this plan.

The twentieth annual Talbot County Fair opened Monday under favorable conditions, and the farmers turned out in larger numbers for the opening day than they have done for several years. The fair lasted four days.

A gentleman whose wife has recently been operated upon for appendicitis, was asked what the ailment really is. "Appendicitis," he declared, "is a new disease that costs \$300 more than the old-fashioned stomach ache."

Rev. A. E. Whatham, formerly rector of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Cambridge, but more recently of Georgetown, Del., has accepted a call to St. Peter's Church, Louisville, Ky., and will leave for his new field on Sept. 28.

News comes from Illinois that a dog entered a newspaper office and chased the office cat. To escape, the cat jumped on the bed of the press while the machine was in motion; and it took two men two hours to get the cat picked out of the type.

Mrs. R. Hopper Smith of Centerville, has just completed a patch silk quilt which contains over 1,000 pieces. It is beautiful in design and the needle and crochet work is perfect. Mrs. Smith has been at work upon it for two years. She is 83 years of age.

"The Maryland Educational Journal" is the name of a new monthly publication established in Baltimore, the first number of which has been issued. Stephen Tongue will be the general manager. The Journal will be the official organ of the school authorities of Maryland, and will be devoted to educational matters.

There is a new song going the rounds of the press and it runs as follows: "We don't want to buy at your place, we don't want to trade there any more; you'll be sorry when you see us going in some other store. You can't sell us any stale goods, we have opened wide our eyes; we don't want to trade at your store, because you do not advertise."

The Kieffer pear crop in Kent county, Del., will be heavy this year. Growers have been receiving liberal offers for their crops. Those who have been shipping are realizing from 30 to 40 cents net per truck basket. Last season the prices ranged from 12 to 15 cents. Owing to the shortage in the peach and tomato crops there is a great demand for pears for city canners.

The Worcester Democrat, Pocomoke City says: "Mr. Everett D. Moore, formerly of Salisbury, has invented and patented a wood veneer barrel cover for fruit and truck baskets, and is forming a company to build a factory to manufacture the covers in Pocomoke City. The new device can be sold at \$5.00 per thousand and will take the place of the old burlap cover, thus supplying a long felt need of the farmer."

Rev. Ernest Wood, who became rector of Somerset Parish, which embraces St. Andrew's Church, Princess Anne, and All Saints' Church, Monticello, on the 4th of May last, recently sent his resignation to the vestry. He will leave on the 25th for Dorchester, Canada. A call extended by the vestry to Rev. Francis Van Rensselaer Moore, of West Virginia, to become rector of the parish has been accepted, and Rev. Mr. Moore will take charge on October 15.

The Republican County Convention, of Somerset reconvened Tuesday afternoon at Princess Anne, and named the following ticket: House of Delegates, Elmer H. Gandy, of Crisfield; P. O. Hudson, of Brinkley's district; and Granville P. Webster, of Tangier district; county commissioner, Herchel V. Maddox, of Westover district; sheriff, Joseph R. Reading, of Mount Vernon district; and surveyor, John T. Bedsworth, of Lawson's district.

Resolutions were passed denouncing the Proposed Poe Amendment, opposing the Haman Oyster Bill and commending the course of Governor Warfield in opposing the constitutional Amendment.

The heat Monday and Tuesday caused a decided weakening in the demand and a corresponding tumble in the prices of oysters. The bivalves dropped from 35 cents to \$1 a bushel, with a strong demand, Saturday, to 70 and 85 cents a bushel with virtually no demand.

American farms will produce bigger and better crops and return more millions in revenue to the farming interests this year than ever before in the history of the country. All kinds of crops have progressed to the stage where this prediction may be made with scarcely the slightest chance that the final official figures will disprove its correctness. Railroad officials and statisticians of agricultural departments in the various States of the grain producing region give their personal and official guarantee that the year 1905 is to be the banner year in farm prosperity.

The work of remodeling the Senate chamber in the old State House at Annapolis, the room of national historic interest as the scene of the resignation of General Washington's military commission, has been practically completed, and is one of the most accurate and interesting pieces of historical restoration ever achieved in this country. The work has been under the direction of the architect, Mr. Josias Pennington of Baltimore, aided by the State Building Commission and a specially appointed commission of architects and historians. After careful research, every important detail of the old chamber has been fixed upon with well nigh certainty, and reproduced minutely, and the work will be turned over to the painter this week. The foundation of the present State House containing the Senate chamber, was laid on March 28, 1773, by Governor Eden, and was completed the next year, though the present dome, said to be the largest wooden dome in the world, was not erected until after the War of the Revolution, in the year 1798. Many changes were made in the original building in order to obtain additional room, and all of these detracted from the uniformity and beauty of the original.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were received last week in the Clerk's office for record:

Stansbury W. Farlow admr. and Lucy E. Farlow to Stansbury W. Farlow, farm in Parson's district, \$5.

Raymond H. Dashiell and wife to Fountain C. Wallace, $\frac{3}{4}$ acres land near Hebron, \$850.

Emma Graham Robertson and others to George W. Graham land in Quantico district, \$200.67.

George A. Bounds and wife to Hebron Mfg. Co., lot in Hebron, \$700.

Elias J. Taylor and wife to George A. Bounds, lot in Hebron, \$50.

Amanda C. Smith and husband to Chas. E. Willet 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres land in Camden district, \$3,000.

Charlotte B. Twiford and husband to Geo. T. Kennerly, quit claim on land in Sharptown district, \$1.

Elijah Freemy and wife to Wm. A. Culver, lot in Delmar, \$150.

Gillis E. Bennett and wife to B. D. and T. E. Taylor, lot in Sharptown district, \$10.

Edw. A. S. Bowdoin and wife to Benj. F. Ward, lot in Salisbury, \$5.

Ella C. Williams and R. Frank Williams, to Vernon W. Robertson, lot on "Oak Hill," Salisbury, \$900.

George A. Bounds and wife to Elias J. Taylor, lot in Hebron, \$500.

Jno. T. Taylor, Jr., and wife to George H. Hayman lot on Delaware street Salisbury, \$40. Date of Deed, Sept. 2, 1901.

Phillip C. Hayman and wife to Frank A. Robertson, lot in Delmar, \$225.

E. S. Adkins & Co. and Wicomico H. & L. Assn. to Willard C. Hurley, 29 acres of land in Salisbury district, \$1.

Emma E. Jackson and others to Mary H. Green, tract in Barron Creek district, \$50.

Willie A. Darby and others to Mary H. Green two-fifths interest in tract in Barron Creek district, \$1.

Samuel J. Phillips and others to Mary H. Green, land in Barron Creek district, \$50.

Eliza Davis to John Wesley Parker, lot on East Church st., Salisbury, \$300.

Milbourn W. Heath to William W. Winder, lot in Nanticoke district, \$180.

James C. Davis and wife and Archer C. Holloway to Hooper J. Jones, farm in Nutters district, \$1700.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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Aug 5-3m Secretary.

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Every Republican new-comer to Wicomico county from another State should register at the County Clerk's office, at once, his affidavit of intention to become a citizen of the state of Maryland. Without making such affidavit one year in advance they cannot become a registered voter. Republicans who are already citizens and voters should make it their duty to inform all Republican new-comers to our county of this provision.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 23, 1905.

Republican Ticket.

For House of Delegates:
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ELMER H. WALTON.For County Commissioners:
ALONZO L. WILLIAMS,
FRANK A. WILLING,
AFFRIA FOOKS.For Sheriff:
LOUIS P. COULBOURN.For Surveyor:
THOMAS W. ENGLISH.

Power of the Legislature and Necessity for Careful Voting.

"The Legislature of Maryland, to all intents and purposes, in the state of Maryland today. The Governor has no rights at all corresponding to those of the President of the United States or the mayor of Baltimore. Saving only the privilege of veto he has no weapon for chastising an unruly Legislature or paralyzing a bad one."—From a recent editorial.

The above comment on the power of the Legislature of the State of Maryland, was made by a Baltimore city paper. It is true. The government of the State rests with the House of Delegates and the Senate, almost absolutely. This being a fact, must not a voter exercise especial care in casting his ballot for these nominees? He must. And he should look carefully into the merits and qualifications of the candidates who are before him seeking his vote.

The three Republican candidates for the House of Delegates this year, Lemuel B. Duncan, Samuel A. Langrall and Elmer H. Walton, are well known in Wicomico county. They have been prominent in their several walks in life, since early manhood. Their record is as clear as the noonday sun. They belong to no man or set of men. Everybody knows what they will do, if elected, on the matters that will come before them and that effect the people of this county.

Are the Democratic candidates in the same position as the Republican nominees? Are they as free and independent of "influences" that will expect to dominate the next Legislature? How do they stand on the Oyster question, for instance? Have they declared themselves?

The Democratic County Convention was silent on this important issue. The Democratic nominees know nothing about the oyster business and are bound to nothing. Any oysterman who votes for the Democratic nominees does so with his eyes shut.

The history of past Democratic Legislatures as controlled by Gorman and the "State Crowd" of Democratic politicians is familiar to the voters of this county. If they want the same government,

they should vote for the Democratic nominees for the House of Delegates. If they want a change, an independent, untrammelled representation at Annapolis, they should vote for Lemuel B. Duncan, Samuel A. Langrall and Elmer H. Walton.

A Peculiar Possibility.

There is a peculiar possibility in the provisions of the Poe Amendment which we have an idea has occurred to but few people. It is a possibility that, however, we are assured by legal authority exists, and, if the Amendment becomes a law, will unquestionably come up to embarrass a good many persons.

It is this: The provision known as the "grandfather" clause admits voters whose father or grandfather voted prior to 1869. Now, under this provision, what is to prevent a colored man who can trace his ancestry back to a white man from voting?

There are a large number of colored men in the State of Maryland who had a white father or grandfather. Just what percentage of the colored men are quadroons or octoroons there are no figures to show. But there are a good many of them.

In many instances the facts can be established. Will the negroes take advantage of the situation? There is nothing to hinder them.

We cite the above to show the absurdity of the Poe Amendment—of an avowed endeavor to secure direct results from indirect methods—and the necessity of voting against such measures.

A Blow To The Amendment.

The result of the primary election held in Baltimore on Monday is held to be a blow to the Poe Amendment and to pre-empt its defeat. In commenting on this aspect of the primary, the Baltimore News says:

"The bearing of yesterday's [Monday's] results on the amendment campaign was much discussed today, and the friends of the Poe measure were exceedingly depressed. Garland's victory was undoubtedly due to the stand he took against the amendment in the last days of the campaign. He incurred the ill will of the regulars by his attitude, but the event shows that he knew just how the people of his ward stand on this proposition to require a man to produce a grandfather in order to vindicate his right to vote. The effect of the popular disapproval of the amendment on all organization candidates, moreover, cannot be overestimated. The voters showed their intention to trust nothing to the gentlemen engaged at present in the laudable effort to steal the election machinery under pretense of disfranchising the negro, and they showed it most effectually."

Obituary.

G. NORMAN BALL.

Mr. G. Norman Ball, aged 23 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ball, died Monday night last at 8 o'clock, of typhoid fever, after an illness of about 10 weeks. Strong hopes of his recovery were entertained in the early stages of his illness, and everything possible was done to save him, but he gradually grew weaker until he passed away.

This is one of the saddest deaths that has occurred in Salisbury in recent years and the sympathy of the entire community goes out to his bereaved relatives. Mr. Ball was a young man of exemplary habits and was very popular. He had been for several years a salesman for Lacy Thoroughgood and enjoyed the regard of both his employer and the public to a marked degree. The store was closed the day of his funeral in respect to his memory.

The funeral service took place Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in Wicomico Presbyterian Church and was largely attended. Revs. S. J. Smith and R. H. Potts officiated. The interment was in the Presbyterian Church-yard. The pallbearers were Bernard Ulman, Houston Ruark, Arley Catey, James A. V. Thoroughgood, James Mitchell and C. Edgar Laws.

GEORGE B. RECORDS.

Mr. George B. Records, aged 47, died suddenly Saturday afternoon in the court house, whither he had gone to transact some business. He was stricken in the corridor and removed to the sheriff's office, where Dr. G. W. Todd was summoned, but medical skill was unavailing. Deceased was a son of the late Wm. B. Records, and is survived by a brother who resides in Kansas City, Mo. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Holloway and prepared for burial. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. Frank Booth, Isabella Street, where Mr. Records had boarded. Elder Francis Ottoliano and the interment was in a Parsons Cemetery.

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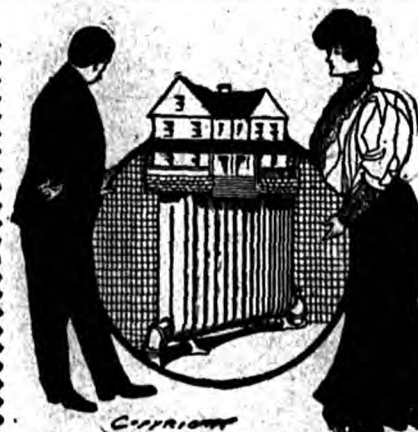
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Town Topics.

—Mr. D. J. Elliott began work this week on his residence on Park Street.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor leaves this week to attend the retail millinery openings in New York and Philadelphia.

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—Humpty Dumpty at Ulman's Grand Opera House September 25th. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents. See reader on 2d page.

—Rev. B. G. Parker will preach on Sunday night at 7.30 in the old Presbyterian Church at Mardela Springs. Special subject.

—Yorkville Vaudeville Comedy Co. will appear at Ulman's Grand Opera House September 27th and 28th. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

—The "Elks" held a social session Wednesday evening which was greatly enjoyed. A full membership was present and several visiting brothers.

—Don't forget the great Vaudeville bill which the Yorkville Vaudeville Co. will present at Ulman's Grand Opera House. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

—The Four Pickerts attracted good sized audiences this week at Ulman's Opera House. The company played four nights, beginning with Monday.

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—Mr. W. J. Downing is improving his home on Park Street by several changes to the interior plan and by putting in hardwood floors. The house will also be newly decorated.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Quantico M. E. Church will hold an ice cream festival in K. of P. Hall Saturday evening, September 30th, 1905. All are cordially invited to attend.

—During his stay of two days in Nanticoke and Tussock Districts last week, Clerk Toadvine issued 312 oyster tonger licenses. Mr. Toadvine has issued so far this season 438 licenses.

—FOR SALE.—A collection of handsome and choice house plants, consisting of palms and other foliage plants. Apply to, Mrs. Gustavus White, 114 William street, Salisbury, Md.

—At Riverside Parsonage on Tuesday evening, the 19th, Mr. Randolph S. Truman, of Salisbury, and Miss Etta E. King, of Silom, were united in marriage by the Rev. W. F. Atkinson.

—The Blue Ridge Lodge, No. 50, Independent Order of Mechanics, will attend services next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at Riverside Church. Rev. W. F. Atkinson will preach the sermon.

—Mrs. C. W. Bradley has sold her boarding house on Main Street to Mrs. Belle Disharoon, who ran a boarding house on Camden Avenue. Mrs. Bradley has moved to her residence on Bush Street.

—There was a large crowd at Easton Fair Thursday, the largest crowd for many years. Among those from Salisbury who were there were Messrs. E. B. Bradley, James E. Lowe and Leonard Higgins.

—The teacher and pupils of Smith's School will hold a picnic and oyster supper on the school ground on Saturday, October 7th. Proceeds for School Library. Everybody cordially invited. Clara M. Culver, Teacher.

—Mr. J. W. Smith, of J, has received from a fellow rural mail carrier, R. B. Carson, of Middleport, Ohio, a basket of paw paw's. They are peculiar fruit. Mr. Carson contemplates removing to Wicomico county to reside.

—Mr. Dean W. Perdue is making extensive improvements to his residence on Division Street. Several interior changes will be made and the house will be newly decorated and painted. Heating apparatus will also be put in.

—Messrs. H. Winter Owens, F. A. Grier, Jr., Harry Ruark and Wade T. Porter returned from their two weeks automobile trip last Saturday. They visited, while on the trip, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York and Coney Island.

—Messrs. Elisha E. Twilley and G. J. Hearn this week bought from Elisha C. and Daniel C. Holloway 25 acres of land in Parsons district, adjoining the park, on Humphreys' lake. They expect to improve the property with buildings at once.

—Mr. D. C. Armstrong, of Salisbury, had his mare "Nellie M." entered in the 2.40 pacing race at Easton on Wednesday of this week and also in the 2.35 pace for Friday. She started on Wednesday and finished fifth. The time was 2.26 1/4.

—Mr. G. W. Chatham, of Salisbury, who is in the United States regular army and who has been stationed at Manila, Philippine Islands, has been ordered back to the United States with his regiment. He is now at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

—The pastor expects to preach in the M. P. Church next Sunday upon the following subjects: 11 a. m., "Blocking the Power of God." 7.45 p. m., "The Gate That Will Not Widen." Miss Edna Windsor leads the C. E. Society at 7 p. m.

—The Eastern Shore Poultry Farm Co. has quit business, sold its stock of chickens and the farm is for sale. Claude Powell, Manager of the company, has gone to Royal Oak, Md., to manage the poultry farm of Mr. Ormond Hammond.

—The dog net, for the use of the city policemen in catching unlicensed dogs, has arrived and is being used. A number of dogs have been placed in the pound this week. It is the intention, it is stated, that the town is to be cleared of stray dogs as fast as possible.

—The following from Salisbury left last Tuesday to enter Western Maryland College: Messrs. Harry Adkins, Frank Adams, William Sheppard and Miss Willie Adkins. Misses Nina Venables and Lulu Coughlin will also attend Western Maryland College this year.

—Much interest was awakened in the Rally in the M. P. Church last Sunday. The recitations and music both in the Sunday School and Christian Endeavor meetings were much enjoyed. The good congregations enjoyed the addresses and sermons by Rev. Eben N. Baldwin.

—The members and congregation of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church are requested to attend the Sunday School Rally Day services to be held in that church on Sunday, September 24th at 11.00 a. m. Sunday School at 9.30 a. m., as usual. Hope to have a full attendance.

—Rev. H. S. Dalany, who held a one-third interest in the mercantile business of J. H. A. Dalany & Sons, Fruitland, has bought the interest in the business of his father, lately deceased, and his brother, A. J. Dalany, and is now sole proprietor. Mr. John H. Dalany is manager of the business.

—Samuel T. Henry, colored, of Salisbury, formerly Sergeant in Capt. Albert Laws' regiment, U. S. regular troops, was married at Delaware City, Delaware, on Wednesday of this week, to Miss Laura Ennis. "Sam" made a fine record in the army with Capt. Laws and is doing well at Delaware City.

—The Diamond State Telephone Company has ordered a new switch board for the Salisbury exchange that will accommodate 500 subscribers, and it will be installed by January 1st, next. The company now has 360 subscribers and the demand for new phones exceeds the capacity of the switchboard now in use.

—Dr. Louis W. Morris went to Baltimore on Tuesday and accompanied home that night via the B. C. & A. Ry. Harry Ellis, who was injured recently on the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. at Cape Charles. Mr. Ellis is paralyzed from his waist down. He received no benefit from his treatment at the hospital in Baltimore.

—The marriage of Miss E. May Truitt, daughter of Mr. E. S. Truitt, to Mr. J. Hammond Perdue took place early Monday morning at the home of the bride's parents on East Church Street. Elder Poulson officiated. The happy couple left for the mountains of Western Maryland to spend the honeymoon.

—The Commission appointed by the City Council to widen and straighten Camden Avenue, failed to meet Wednesday on account of the sickness of Mr. W. B. Miller, one of the Commission. The Commission will meet Wednesday morning next, September 27th, at 10.00 o'clock, in front of the property of Mr. William Jeff. Staton.

—The body of Mr. Johnson Lewis, a former resident of Salisbury, was found in the Pocomoke River, a few miles below Snow Hill, about 5 o'clock Monday evening. Lewis had resided in Snow Hill for the past three or four years. He had been missing about ten days. There were no marks of violence on the body, and it is supposed he accidentally fell into the river and was drowned. He leaves a wife and one child.

—"Romeo," the monster performing lion with the John H. Sparks Shows, is the largest and heaviest in captivity, with a mane that drags the ground. He has been taught to do acts illustrating the marvelous agility of this animal in his native jungle, leaping thirty feet to his prey. This is something never before seen under canvas, and is the most startling animal act ever presented.

—G. A. Bounds & Co., of Hebron, began canning sweet potatoes this week and will be kept busy with these until the latter part of October. The firm is receiving three car loads of potatoes each week from Virginia. They expect to pack 15,000 cases of potatoes. The Messrs. Bounds last week tried the experiment of canning apples, procuring 1000 baskets of fine fruit from ex-Register of Willis L. Gale.

—Mr. C. W. Bradley, who has been for a year or so employed by Mr. James E. Lowe at the Palace Livery Stables, has accepted a position with I. Ulman & Sons, liquor dealers, of Baltimore. Mr. Bradley was formerly employed for a number of years by S. Ulman & Bro., Salisbury, in the liquor business and he is very popular with the trade. Mr. Bradley left Salisbury for Baltimore on Monday to assume the duties of his new place.

—Mrs. Charles R. Day entertained a number of her friends and neighbors Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served at 10.30 o'clock as follows: Salad and biscuit; ices, cake and coffee. Present were: Mesdames. U. W. Dickerson, F. A. Grier, T. H. Mitchell, W. J. Johnson, Frank Mitchell, V. S. Gory, Harold Fitch, Thomas Waller, E. J. C. Parsons, F. P. Adkins, I. G. Short, Geo. Waller, John Waller, E. S. Adkins, Mrs. Hardesty and Mrs. Scott, of Philadelphia, Pa.

—There was an unusually large attendance at the funeral service of Mr. Sewell McLaughlin, which took place last Sunday afternoon at the Shad Point Church, a great many of the young friends of Mr. McLaughlin from Salisbury being present to pay their last respects to his memory. The pallbearers were six cousins of the deceased, as follows: Capt. R. B. White, Messrs. George S. White, Thos. W. H. White, Jr., Funnell T. White, Stanford White and Raymond E. Truitt. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. J. E. White, of Cape Charles, Va.

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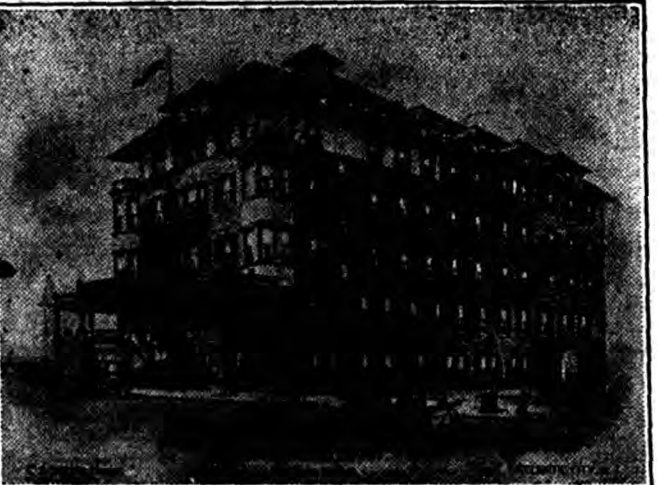
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By J. A. EDGERTON

THE United States government is doing many big things these days—maintaining the integrity of China, keeping the "open door" in the Orient, protecting the smaller republics of the whole western hemisphere and acting as a mediator in securing peace in the far east. But withal she is doing nothing larger than the attempt to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans by a waterway through the isthmus of Panama. This is admitted to be the most gigantic engineering feat ever undertaken by man. Longer canals have been made. The Suez ditch, for example. But none of them has presented the difficulties that are encountered at Panama. Digging through a mountain range is a new proposition. De Lesseps was successful in making the Suez waterway. Yet he fell down on Panama. It remains for Uncle Sam to do what France failed to do. Will he succeed? Who, knowing his history and spirit, can doubt it? If faith, grit and determination can overcome the passive resistance of nature he will overcome. He has conquered a continent, won in five wars and for the first time in history has made representative government a shining success. What is the mere constructing of a canal fifty miles long to compare with these larger accomplishments? Of course he will win. The American people are a unit on this undertaking, and when the American people unite opposition might as well get out of the way. This is not boasting; it is simply the will and the consciousness of ability to perform. The Panama canal will be built. The nation is pledged to reach that goal. It has set its hand to the task, and every American should have too much pride in his country to see it fail.

World's Great Highway.

Almost since the discovery of the new world men have dreamed of uniting the two oceans. The scheme was definitely broached in the early part of the sixteenth century. Now, in the beginning of the twentieth, the thing is to be done. A problem large enough to engross the attention of men for 400 years is large enough for a great nation to undertake. A result that will benefit all affect the commerce of the entire earth is sufficiently important that no possible effort should be neglected for its accomplishment. Prophetic minds have foreseen that some day, and no very distant day at that, the greatest civilization the world has known is to fringe the shores of the Pacific. That ocean, rather than the Atlantic, is to be the world's great highway. The Panama canal will be the gate to the Pacific, and with its completion it will open the door to a new era.

These are the larger aspects of the case, and a thing is never really seen until it is seen at its best. It is from this higher viewpoint that the American people should behold the undertaking. The vexatious details of sanitation, engineering, shaping of rivers and digging the waterway must of course be encountered. But these should never obscure from our sight the final goal. This is really a great thing we have set out to do. It will benefit all mankind. It will be a mile post in history. It will make for the

future. What are a few comparatively small obstacles that they should stand in the way of this larger good?

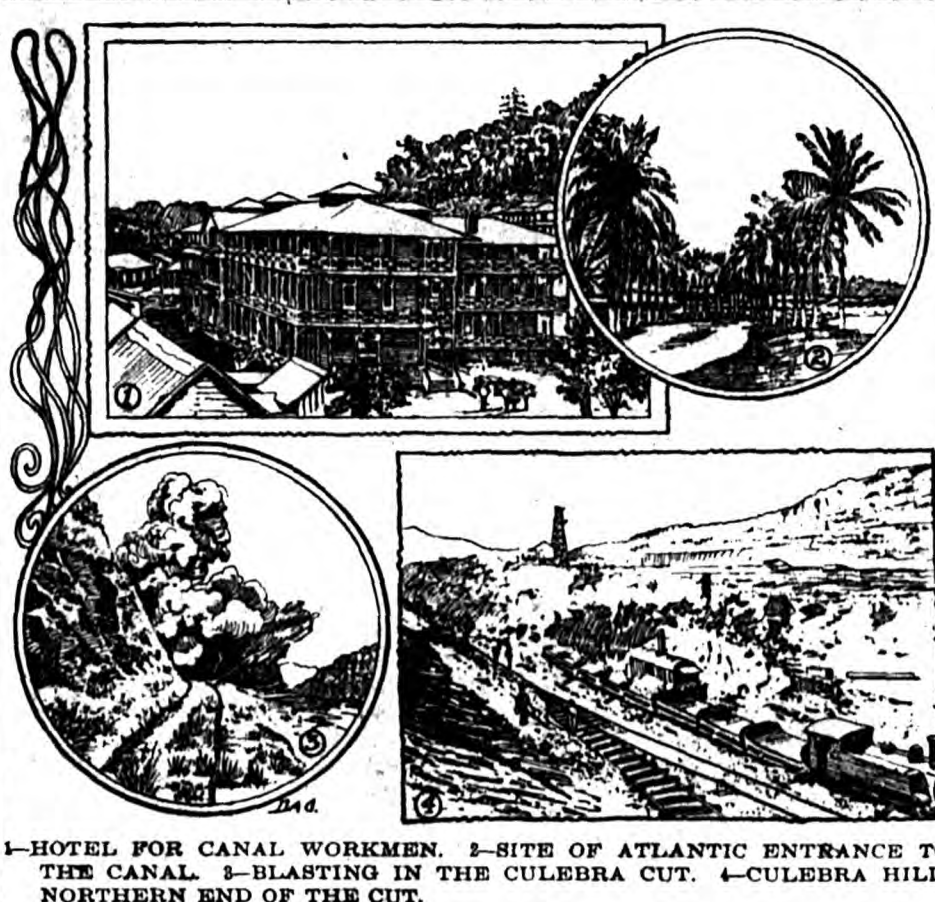
Pacific Civilization.

It is not without interest that much of American history for the last decade has had to do with this future Pacific civilization. Our part in the Philippines, in Hawaii, in China, in settling the Russo-Japanese war and in the Panama canal all looks in this direction. The opening of Alaska, the Lewis and Clark expedition, the building up of our Pacific ports, what are all these but parts of the same general scheme? Walt Whitman, with his cosmic vision, saw much of this thing that is now shaping. Perhaps John Hay, with his far-sighted statesmanship, had the same object in view. At any rate, it is plainly coming, and in bringing it about no one step will be more important than the construction of the Panama canal.

Passing from the general to the particular, the present status of the work on the canal can be simply told. There are about 10,000 men now employed, most of whom are engaged in the actual digging of the big ditch. The largest force of these is at work on what is known as the Culebra cut, which was started by the French under De Lesseps. This cut is across the mountains, where the largest amount of excavating must be done. The canal crosses the range at its lowest point, but even at this the hills are in the neighborhood of 300 feet above the level of the sea. The French cut down about half of the way, and the Americans have taken up the work where they left off. Now all this may look easy on paper, but that first 150 feet exhausted the French nation—or that and the climate and the grafting altogether did it—and that was the least difficult end of the work. Digging out the bottom of a mountain range is a harder proposition than digging out the top of it, and it is the bottom half of the contract that we have on our hands.

No Time Being Lost.

The sinking of that other 150 feet is not all that will have to be done, however, for the ditch itself must be at least forty feet in depth. This is supposing of course that the canal is to be a sea level affair, a point that is by no means settled. Most of the engineers favor that plan, but congress must make the decision. It is estimated that it would take \$80,000,000 more to build a sea level canal than one with locks at the sixty foot level, and it is practically certain that it will not go above the sixty foot level. It will also require at least two years' additional time. The work that is now being done is such that would have to be done whatever the level. Thus no time



1—HOTEL FOR CANAL WORKMEN. 2—SITE OF ATLANTIC ENTRANCE TO THE CANAL. 3—BLASTING IN THE CULEBRA CUT. 4—CULEBRA HILL.

is being lost, and Uncle Sam can hear the evidence and arguments of the engineers, after which he can render his verdict.

Many Dams to Be Built.

The cut through the mountains is only a small part of the work. In addition, many dams have to be made, and one river that occasionally goes on a rampage will either have to be domesticated or persuaded to go in some other direction. One proposition is to dig a tunnel through the mountains and make this river run into the other ocean. But, then, turning an adult river from one ocean to another is only a trifling proposition for your Uncle Sam to tackle. As for the dams, the contemplated one at Bohio is to be abandoned for the simple reason that bedrock is a couple of hundred feet farther down than was imagined, and a dam that is not founded on the eternal rock is like the house built on the sand. It would fall, and great would be the fall of it.

One of the chief difficulties with which the French had to contend was the climate. Panama is hot, malarial, damp, discouraging and generally a tough proposition for civilized white men to run up against. As for the natives, they are used to it, and they are so generally no account that it does not much matter, as to them, they are too lazy to dig a ditch even for sewage, much less a ship canal. So it is

absolutely necessary for Anglo-Saxons to do the work or at least to oversee it. As before stated, it was the climate and grafting that queered the French. But what is climate to a Yankee? If it does not suit him he makes it over. This is what he has been engaged in doing at Panama. True, the sun is as hot as ever, but it is not the sun that kills. It is the bad water, the unsanitary conditions, the failure to take precautions in safeguarding health. These things the Americans are in a fair way of overcoming. First, they have done what it never seems to occur to a tropical native to do, and that is to provide for proper sewers in the towns and cities; second, they have got pure, fresh water from the mountains; third, they have provided proper rules and regulations for protecting the physical wellbeing of employees; fourth, they have provided suitable hospitals and medical attendance. The result is that the death rate is only an infinitesimal part of what it was under the French regime.

Immense Progress Made.

Another great work done by the American commissions has been in looking after the proper housing and feeding of the men. This has been a gigantic task in itself, but is now well under way. Then there is a railroad to run, which belongs to Uncle Sam, as well as a steamship line from Colon to New York. The railway proper is only about forty-five miles long, but it has numerous spurs and sidetracks amounting to about 200 miles in all. Then there has been all the French machinery, much of which had been allowed to rust and go to ruin, to renovate or throw into the scrap heap, as the case seemed to warrant. In addition to all of this, there has been an immense amount of surveying to do. All these different departments of the work are organized, and immense progress has been made under each head. Taken all in all, there is nothing discouraging in the situation, up to date. The only things that can defeat the work or very materially retard it are red tape and grafting, and the president has shown a very vigorous tendency to discourage both. He seems to think that the only way to dig a canal is to dig it, and as he is the boss of the whole job it may reasonably be expected that the dirt will fly.

About Fifty Miles Long.

The canal winds somewhat and is forty-five miles in length. With the dredging in the sea it will be about fifty miles all told. So far as the plans have been perfected, it will probably be 150 feet wide at the bottom and at least forty feet deep. If built at the sixty foot level several locks will be necessary. If at sea level one lock only will be required. This one

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What's in McClure's.

The October McClure's is devoted peculiarly to American life and activities. Not a story in it, nor a special article, but concerns the real and immediate things that move this country at large. Pastor Charles Wagner, the French clergyman, author of "The Simple Life," writes of his visit at the White House, and with simple directness tells of the children and the household life of the President as he saw them. He writes an interesting and important estimate of President Roosevelt as a man. "What Kansas Did to Standard Oil" concludes Miss Tarbell's story of the oil war in Kansas, and tells excitingly of how the Kansans rushed in and won. "Pioneer Transportation in America" is the truthful romance of traffic, an absorbingly interesting story full of curious information. In this first paper Charles F. Lummis, foremost authority on the subject, carries traffic through America's heroic age up to the beginnings of the great days on the plains. Eugene Wood contributes "The County Fair," the best of his reminiscences of "Back Home."

Mrs. Mary Stewart Cutting appears again with another "little story of married life." Lloyd Osbourne, Jean Webster, Guy Wetmore Carryl, Henry C. Rowland, Albert Kinsora and F. H. Lancaster are among the other contributors of fiction.

Not the least interesting feature of the magazine is the editorial announcement of a great historical series, to begin in November, Carl Schurz's "Reminiscences of a Long Life" and Ray Stannard Baker's investigation of the Railroad Problem, of which publication will begin before Congress meets.

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White Haven.

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A very elaborate supper was held at White Haven last Saturday by the ladies of this place, while only a few manifested much interest, never-the-less was one of the grandest ever held at the place, and some certain ladies are to be complimented for manifesting such interest as it was for a very charitable cause. The amount received clear of expenses was considerable. But few of the Christian people helped, sorry to say.

Miss Pearl Young, of Nanticoke is the welcome guest of Mrs. W. A. Anderson.

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Monday Oct. 2nd, will be a day of excitement, fun, music and joy for the children John H. Sparks' Famous Railroad Shows will pitch its acres of canvas in Salisbury and give performances afternoon and evening. This is an old-time, established and popular institution and gives a clean high class performance, with many costly features of exceptional interest. In the grand arena such artists as the justly celebrated Werntz Family, eight in number, appear in a great aerial act. The Dillworths, the French Troupe Du Bell-Non-doza, comedy acrobats and grotesques, the Erskine Sisters, the Milanese Brothers, and others will also be seen. There are wonderfully educated elephants, lions, tigers and other wild brutes, schools of beautiful trained horses, ponies, dogs and monkeys. There are funny clowns, the comedy mule "Cyclone," and hundreds of other acts and features to startle the mind and brighten the eye.

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Personal

—Miss Irma Graham is visiting Baltimore relatives.

—Miss Hanna Ulman is visiting relatives in New York city.

—Miss Minnie Bailey, of Philadelphia is visiting Miss Edna Adkins.

—Mr. J. W. Tucker, of the Berlin Advance, was in town Thursday.

—Misses Bessie and Alice Slemmons are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

—Mr. and Mrs. Noah J. Tilghman left Tuesday for their home at Palatka, Florida.

—Miss Norah M. Whiteley and Miss Eva G. Trice attended the Fair at Boston this week.

—Miss Alauda Pilchard, of Pocomoke City, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

—Mr. George H. Toadvine, of Williamsport, Pa., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Dean Perdue.

—Miss Mamie Price, of Cambridge, is visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Adams on East Church street.

—Mr. A. W. Woodcock, Jr., went to Annapolis Tuesday to resume his professorship at St. John's College.

—Mr. W. A. Graham, of Hartford, Conn., was the guest this week of his mother, Mrs. Louisa Graham.

—Mrs. Gardiner Spring and Mrs. J. D. Wallop are visiting friends in Bayonne, N. J., and New York city.

—Mrs. Margaret Jones, of Oxford, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Riall White, returned home Tuesday.

—Mr. Gordon Truitt, of Cumberland, is spending a two weeks vacation in Salisbury with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Truitt.

—Miss Louise Trader, of Oak Hall, Va., and Miss Ina Trader, of Oklahoma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trader on Walnut street.

—Miss Bessie Kent, of Parkley, Va., who has been visiting Miss Anna Hayman for the past two weeks returned home last Monday.

—Mrs. Mary Hamilton and two sons, of Shreveport, La., are spending some time here as the guests of the Misses Fish on Isabella street.

—Miss Florence Grier has entered Irving College, Mechanicsburg, for the winter's term. She was accompanied to the college by Mrs. Grier.

—Mr. E. E. Jackson, Jr., returned to Salisbury on Tuesday from Riderville, Alabama. He left Thursday morning for a ten-day's trip through the State of Mississippi.

—Mr. Dale Venables left Monday for his home in Washington accompanied by his sister, Miss Nina, who has gone to Westminster to attend Western Maryland College.

COUNTY.

Willards.

The farmers feel spirited after being relieved from the strenuous labor called for in the fodder fields.

Killing squirrels seems to demand the attention of some around here as they appear to ignore the Sabbath when it comes, by gunning.

The festival held at New-Hope school house last Saturday evening was largely attended.

Misses Blanche Wilkins and Beulah Wilkins visited their aunt near Pittsville last Saturday.

Mr. James Phillips is having a fine two-story building erected on his lot purchased from William Brumby.

The end of the tomato season is approaching and those who are engaged in the industry are trying to get all out of them possible.

Revival Services began Sunday evening. Pastor Howard Davis was summoned home last Tuesday to attend the burial of his father in Baltimore and the meeting is in charge of Rev. G. W. Nicholson.

Soon the new factory of the Willard Manufacturing Company will be completed. It will be a great help to the commerce of our little town, besides providing labor for a large number of both sexes.

Quantico.

Mr. David Meredith, of Lansdown, Pa., who has been spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Dr. Dashiell returned home last Monday.

Miss Lillian Boston left Wednesday for Baltimore where she will spend some time after which she will leave for Chatham, Virginia to resume her duty as milliner for the firm of I. W. Whitehead & Son.

Mr. George Bailey who has been quite sick with typhoid fever is slowly improving.

Mrs. L. T. Ackworth who has been confined to her room for two weeks with bilious fever is much improved at this time.

Mr. Charley Ward, of Crisfield, representing the firm of Snow, Knox & Co., was in town Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Wallace, of York, Pa., who accepted the position as assistant teacher at this place has taken charge of same and is progressing finely.

Mr. E. T. Disharoon has just returned from Baltimore with a full line of ready made clothing, dry goods and groceries and most respectfully solicits the patronage of the public in general.

Mrs. Isaac T. Phillips and her sister, Mrs. Fannie Bounds, are spending this week in Baltimore.

Miss Kate Taylor is spending this week in Baltimore after which she expects to take a position as trimmer.

Mrs. M. C. Mitchell, of Tyaskin, and daughter, Mrs. Howard England, of Berlin, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Boston.

Miss Lillie Bounds left last Monday for Chestertown where she will attend college.

Mr. Walter Bailey left for Annapolis Wednesday to resume his studies at St. John College.

Fruitland.

Our pastor, the Rev. W. W. White, who has been suffering with rheumatism, is improving and was able to fill his pulpit on Sunday last.

The following are some of the improvements that are being made in our village: The Rev. H. S. Dulaney, successor to I. H. A. Dulaney & Sons in the mercantile business, is having the interior of his store house changed, having counters and other things differently arranged, which promises to be a decided improvement when completed. Mr. Jno. H. Dulaney is enlarging his dwelling house by adding thereto a two-story building, 14x14 feet.

Mr. S. E. Hayman has laid in a fine stock of fall and winter goods.

Mrs. T. C. Brewington has built a new house out of old lumber.

To all who may be concerned we give the following advice: When you hear our weather prophet say the coming winter is going to be very cold, look out for a warm one, for it will surely come to pass. To the fellow who thinks there is something wrong with his blood because his head itches, we would say if he has no fine tooth comb convenient, scratching will give temporary relief. To our industrious man we recommend that he spend more of his time during the day rubbing window panes and take less bicycle rides at night. He will find his food digests better.

Nanticoke.

Services at Nanticoke M. E. Church Sunday, September 24th, as follows: Sunday School, 10.00 a. m.; Preaching by pastor, 3.00 p. m.

—Miss Bessie White, of Dame's Quarter, is the guest of Miss Nellie Neese.

Miss Belle Lansdale, who has been visiting friends here for the past few weeks, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

We are glad to see Miss Blanche Travers out again.

Misses Adah Travers, Lottie, Myrtle and Giron White are spending a few days with Mrs. Charley White, of Westpique.

Dr. J. K. Bishop is in Baltimore this week.

Allen.

Services at Allen M. E. Church next Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 9.30 a. m.; Preaching, 7.30 p. m.

Mrs. Jennie Malone, of Salisbury, Misses Mamie Brown, of Deane Island, and Tressie Mister, of Baltimore, spent part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Messick.

Messrs. Twilley Malone and Norman Richardson are spending this week in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Bounds and three children spent last Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. T. Preston Morris, of Loretto, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Porter.

Messrs. W. J. Bounds, Chas. Cathell and Otho Bounds started on a fishing trip down the river last Thursday. They expect to be gone two or three days.

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—The Democratic State Convention
named the following State Central Com-
mittee for Wicomico: E. E. Jackson,
James T. Truitt and L. J. Gale.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

**September Session Convenes On Monday
And Will Probably Last Into
Next Week**

The September, jury term, of the Circuit Court, convened Monday last, at 10 a. m. with Judge Holland on the bench. He was joined at noon on the same day by Judge Lloyd and Tuesday morning by Judge Page. Judge Holland charged the Grand Jury in a brief address Monday morning. The docket was as follows: Trials, 57; Appearances, 22; Appeals, 7; Criminal Continuances, 18; Criminal Appearances.

The Grand and Petit Jurors were drawn as follows: Petit Jurors—Samuel P. Parsons, Isaac S. Bennett, William H. H. Coulbourn, Edward Tindal, Geo. Walston, Levin J. Gale, Jas. B. Harris, Wm. T. Brumby, Wm. J. Phipps, Irving S. Powell, Wm. K. Leatherbury, Lee Johnson, Chas. M. Mitchell, Thos. R. Bounds, Branch H. Phillips, George H. Riall, Wm. H. Robert, James H. West, Greensbury W. Waller, David J. Ward, Frank Smith, Carlton Robertson, Thos. J. Walter, D. James Davis, Thos. E. Taylor.

Grand Jurors—William E. Sheppard, foreman, Eliza A. Powell, Dean W. Perdue, John Holloway, Benjamin F. Messick, Wm. H. Travers, Harvey Hearn, David Pryor, Joshua J. Parsons, Wm. S. Pardue, David G. Holloway, Thomas H. Timmons, Arthur Rencher, R. Barton Williams, Wm. Beauchamp, John H. Wilson, John E. Taylor, Jacob Taylor, Levin R. Wilson, Charles R. Hayman, DeWitt Rounds, Oliver Catlin, Stewart Graham.

The following cases were tried and settled up to going to press:

Monday:—No. 2, Appearances, James A. Turner vs. Wm. Banks and others. Renewal of judgment by Scire facias, Toadvin & Bell for Turner.

No. 6:—Appearances, Wm. C. Bennett vs. Wm. Turner and E. I. J. Stewart, attachment on judgment. Settled out of Court. L. Atwood Bennett for plaintiff. No. 2:—Appeals: Appeal from docket of Justice Wm. A. Trader, Geo. W. Wilson, garnishee of E. W. Whagland, vs. G. M. Lamb & Bro. Judgment affirmed by consent. Walton & Waller for appellant; Toadvin & Bell for appellee.

No. 8:—Appeals: Appeal from docket of Wm. A. C. Williams, N. Y. P. & N. Railroad Co. vs. Commissioners of Delaware, suit for taxes. Motion to quash proceedings. Proceedings quashed and judgment for railroad; Ellegood, Freeny & Waller for appellee.

No. 4:—Appeals: Aylmer J. Tilghman vs. R. Frank Williams. Appeal from docket of Justice Thos. J. Turpin. Suit by Williams for balance on commission for sale of farm. Judgment below for \$60.00. Settled without trial by Tilghman paying \$30.00 and each party paying their own costs. Toadvin & Bell for Tilghman and Bennett for appellee.

No. 7:—Appeals: State vs. Eugene Taylor, Jr. Appeal from Justice Fred L. Denison. Taylor, a small boy, was charged with assault and battery. Plead guilty and fined 25 cents and costs. Bailey for State and Joshua W. Miles for Taylor.

No. 4, 5 and 6:—Criminal continuances: State vs. Clarence Davis. Three indictments for selling liquor without license. Plead guilty and fined \$50 and costs. Not guilty in other two cases. Bailey for State, S. R. Douglass for Davis.

No. 7:—Criminal continuances: State vs. Jesse Hillary Brattan, charged with assault with intent to murder. Tried before a jury, verdict not guilty.

No. 8:—State vs. same. Charged with assault. State declined to prosecute, this case depending on No. 7.

No. 9:—State vs. same. Indictment for carrying concealed deadly weapons. Tried before a jury. Verdict of guilty. Sentence of court to pay a fine of \$250 and costs. Bailey for State, E. H. Walton and Geo. W. D. Waller for Brattan.

Tuesday:—No. 13, Criminal Continuances: State vs. Alonzo Johnson, colored. Indictment for carrying concealed deadly weapons. Tried before court. Found guilty and sentenced to 60 days in jail. Bailey for State, George W. D. Waller for Johnson. In No. 11, Assault with intent to kill the States Attorney accepted the plea of not guilty.

No. 2:—Criminal continuances: State vs. Louis Haze Jones, colored, and Henry Jackson, colored. Verdict for larceny of a card tub and lord, the property of the B. & A. R. R. Co. Jones on a severance, was tried alone before a jury. On the night of Dec. 23, 1904 the articles alleged to have been stolen were taken from the warehouse of the Railroad Co. at Tyaskin. The next day several cans of lard were found burned in the lot of Jones some distance from his house. There being no evidence connecting Jones with the larceny, the jury found him not guilty. No. 11 being for receiving stolen goods, indictments against same party, the State accepted the plea of not guilty and prisoner was discharged, and the two cases against Jackson were settled. Bailey for State Walton, Toadvin and Bell for Jones and Jackson.

Wednesday:—No. 4, Trials: Victor Packing Co. vs. Mr. James Denson. Suit on contract for growing and furnishing topnotes by Denson to the plaintiff Co. Case has been standing open since

(Continued on Page 8.)

GROUNDS IN GOOD SHAPE.

**In Preparation For Football Games, South
Salisbury Field Will Be Put In Fine
Condition.**

The Athletic grounds in South Salisbury will be put in good condition for the line of foot ball games to be played in Salisbury. The stands will be thoroughly overhauled and repaired, the field graded off and training quarters will be procured nearby for the comfort of the players and visiting teams. The South stand will be devoted to the use of the ladies and all efforts will be made for their comfort.

Several new men have reported, and the list of candidates for the team now numbers twenty five. In preparation for the first game, with Conference Academy team, on October 18th, the Salisbury eleven is working hard. Wednesday coach Jackson lined up the regulars and scrub teams for a few minutes of hard practice. The boys showed up very well for the amount of training they have had.

The practice now consists of instruction along elementary lines for the first half hour, but later in the afternoon the two teams line up for the short snappy halves. The practice is now public and will be so for a week or so but later on the coach expects to hold secret practice for the first 30 or 35 minutes. Through the generosity of the business men of Salisbury the team has been thoroughly equipped and now presents a very fine appearance in their new uniforms.

The following comment on the coming game on Oct. 18th is from the Dover Index.

The Wilmington Conference Academy foot ball team under the efficient management of Coach Clarke is progressing very rapidly. The boys are working hard in preparation for their first game Oct. 18, when they meet the Eastern Shore College team, at Salisbury, at Salisbury. Coach Clarke expects to have the men in the pink of condition by the 18th and as they are a very husky lot, a very hard game is expected. The W. C. A. boys expect to take a large crowd of rooters to Salisbury and they are very confident that they can rub it in good and hard on the Eastern Shore boys.

TO ENGAGE IN SQUAB RAISING.

**Mr. H. Lee Powell Will Enter Into The Busi-
ness On A Large Scale.**

Mr. H. Lee Powell, who has been experimenting with squab raising from Homer pigeons during the past year, will engage in the business on a large scale this winter and is fitting up coops and fly-ways at his home on Division street for 500 pairs, which he intends to secure at once. He now has 100 pairs of these birds. He began last spring with 50 pairs, sold squabs until the middle of June and has doubled his flock with young birds he raised since that time. He expects ultimately to increase his flock to 500 pairs. When increased to this amount he will move the business to his farm.

Mr. Powell has been successful in the business in a small way and is enthusiastic over the possibilities and probabilities of profit. He says that all the birds need is the proper care and attention. He expects to raise large quantities of grain, such as Kaffir corn, wheat etc., on his farm, with which to feed his pigeons.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

**Will Reassemble Next Wednesday to Nomi-
nate Comptroller.**

Hon. Charles J. Bonaparte, Chairman, has called the adjourned meeting of the Republican State Convention, to meet in Germania Maennerchor Hall, 410 W. Lombard street, Baltimore, on Wednesday, October 4th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

The purpose of the meeting being to ratify the proceedings of the previous Convention only, with the exception of the nomination of a candidate for Comptroller, the intention is to have a "Republican Rally," to which all Republicans are invited. A number of prominent members of the party will speak and it is expected that a large concourse of people will attend.

The nominee for Comptroller will likely be chosen from Western Maryland, though a candidate or two from Baltimore city is spoken of, as is Mr. Walter B. Miller, of Wicomico county. The list of speakers and details of the meeting have not yet been announced.

Bonneville—Phillips.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris on Isabelle street was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Wednesday September 27th at 1.15 o'clock, when Miss Mary Ellegood Phillips, the beautiful daughter of Mrs. Morris, and Mr. William Edward Bonneville, son of Mrs. Selby Bonneville, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bride wore a plum colored traveling suit with hat to match and carried brides roses. The groom wore a black broadcloth suit. The maid of honor, Miss Mamie Phillips, wore white Persian lawn and carried La France roses. The best man was Mr. Herman W. Carty. He wore a suit of black broadcloth.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. J. Smith D. D. and Miss Bertie Downing played the wedding march from Lo-pengrin. The parlor, in which the ceremony was performed, was decorated with potted plants. The happy couple left on the 2 o'clock express for a ten days honeymoon in the Northern cities.

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Young Women Of Small Towns And Country Districts To Be Favored.

By the terms of a fund to be administered in connection with the Philadelphia school for Nurses, Witherspoon Building, Philadelphia, a number of young women from every county will receive free training in Nursing. It is planned to ultimately reach and help in this way every village and township.

The young women will be provided with room, board, nurse uniforms and all the refinements of a well-appointed Christian home. At graduation the diploma of the School and the Order of the Red Cross will be conferred, qualifying for practice in any State or country; the railroad fare will then be paid back home.

Those applying and chosen to receive the benefits of this fund will be given two years' training, with a rich experience in nursing the sick poor of the city under skilled leaders. The term may be shortened to eighteen months by taking a preliminary course of six months' reading and study at home. A special short course enables young women to quickly qualify themselves for self support and a substantial income.

In addition to regular nursing, the young women are taught how to preserve their own health; how to recognize, avoid and destroy contagion; how to establish and maintain perfect sanitary conditions about the home; they are prepared for positions as office nurse and physician's assistant; they get a practical knowledge of City Mission movements, Deaconess training, College settlement work, and are trained for special positions of trust in institutions.

The School is ten years old and is endorsed by physicians, leading educators and prominent men throughout the country.

Worcester Democrats

Snow Hill, Md., September 25.—The county convention of the Democratic party of Worcester county met in the courthouse here today and nominated the following ticket:

Senator—John P. Moore.
House of Delegates—W. Lee Carey, Orlando Harrison, L. Taylor Ewell.
Sheriff—Henry J. Anderson.
County Commissioners—Edward H. Taylor, John I. Robbins.

Surveyor—Samuel M. Quinlan, Jr.
Wreck Master—Littleton H. Birch.
The following gentlemen here elected delegates to the state convention: R. W. McMaster, Francis Henry Purnell, Levin L. Dickinson, Jr., Clarence L. Vincent, D. Frank Fooks, Samuel M. Crockett, Daniel J. Holloway, Thomas M. Collman, Francis Henry Purnell was chairman of the convention, with Frank Houston and William D. Pitts secretaries.

The Poe disfranchising Amendment was indorsed.

Locomotive Firemen Organize.

A Lodge of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, No. 473, was instituted in Delmar, Del., by C. A. Wilson, vice-grand master, with 19 charter members. Officers elected and installed as follows: Master, Charles Terry; Vice Master, H. W. Kirk; Past Master, H. W. Hussey; Chaplain, S. Harrell; Secretary, Floyd Samis; Collector, Carroll Barr; Treasurer, G. P. Jones; Wardens, C. T. Messick, Conductor, Horace Loras; Inside Guard, Willie Clark; Outside Guard, Frank Bryan.

Meetings will be held on the second and fourth Sundays at 1:30 p. m. in Elliott's Hall.

Attention, Republicans!

Registration days this year are Tuesday, October 3d, and Tuesday, October 10th. See that your name is on the books.

CONVENIENCE OF THE TELEPHONE.

Does Away With Unnecessary Labor And Places Merchant In Close Touch With His Patrons.

The first impulse of a man who has been successful in business is to put out the increment in an equally profitable investment. It is this same impulse that impels the business man to avail himself of every opportunity to bring more customers to his store; to spend large sums for advertising; and to do every thing in his power for the convenience of his patrons.

It is obvious, therefore, that every firm or business house in Salisbury that is using a telephone for business purposes has found that it offers a greater convenience to customers than any means that could be employed at the same cost. It also proves definitely, that a telephone in a business house does away with unnecessary labor, that it places the merchant in immediate touch with his patrons; that it is a most powerful agent in producing new customers, and that it saves time in the transaction of business.

The local telephone company will install an American Bell Telephone in your place of business and serve you night and day for 365 days for twenty five dollars. A residence telephone with the same service costs fifteen dollars a year. Make your application to-day to the Contract Department, Diamond State Telephone Company, Salisbury, Md., and your instrument will be installed and connected for service before the beginning of a new month.

To a residence or farm house a telephone is an absolute necessity. To a business house on a business basis it is indispensable.

REGISTER

Next Week

If your name is not on the registration books you must register if you want to vote at the coming election.

The registration offices will be open next Tuesday from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

You'll have but one other chance.

Letter to H. N. Fitch.

Salisbury, Md.

Dear Sir: Why don't we make paint, as many others do, to go three-quarters as far, or two-thirds, or half, or a third, or a quarter?

Mr Aaron Higgins, Plainfield, N. J. always used 15 gallons of paint for his house: Devco took 11.

There are two sorts of paint: all paint, true paint, strong paint, full measure; and paint, false paint, weak paint, short-measure.

The paint-manufacturers are two sorts: Devco and the rest. Yours truly, F. W. DEVCO & Co.

P. S.—L. W. Gunby Co sell our paint.

Mr. Edgar H. Gans, the distinguished Democratic lawyer, says that 64,000 white men will be affected by the examination in Constitutional law provided for in the Poe Amendment.

CHEATED UNCLE SAM.

John M. Boulden Of Elkton Held For Federal Grand Jury.

John M. Boulden, colored, of Elkton, was given a hearing before United States Commissioner Rogers, in Baltimore, on Wednesday, on the charge of drawing a fraudulent pension of \$6 per month for fifteen years past and was held for the United States Grand Jury. Two members of the Company of the Thirtieth Regiment in which he claimed to have served swore that he never was a member of it, and that they knew the true Boulden, who had served with them. Boulden claimed that his discharge was stolen from him. The true Boulden was never discharged but died while absent on sick leave. Former P. M. Groves, who had taken Boulden's statement when applying for an increase of pension, was a witness at the hearing. Boulden simply personated the rightful claimant to the pension and fleeced Uncle Sam for upwards of \$1,000, and was probably put on to the scheme.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were received last week in the Clerk's office for record:

Jas. W. Webster, Mary J. Webster and Salisbury B. & L. Assn. to Horace H. Cox, lot in Nanticoke district, \$200.

Jas. L. Powell to Chas. G. Klein, one and one-quarter acres in Camden district, \$1200.

Lillie B. Bowden and husband to Thomas M. Truitt, lot in Pittsville, \$450.

Samuel A. Langrall and wife to Martha G. Vickers, land in Jestersville, \$500.

Sarah M. Hopkins and husband to Harry S. and Geo. Bradley, 6 1/2 acres in Barren Creek district, \$325.

Wm. Cooper and wife to L. R. Wilson, one and one-half acres of land in Barren Creek district, \$15.

Edward Jones, of Baltimore, to James A. Waller, lot at Hebron, 4 acres, \$1.

E. H. Walton and Calvin B. Taylor, Trustee to Raymond H. Burbage, lot in Powellville, \$675.

Sallie Ann Thomas and husband to Amanda C. Smith, lot in "California" Salisbury, \$350.

W. G. Smith, E. W. Smith and wife, to E. W. Windsor, lot on Smith at., Salisbury, \$250.

Eva L. Catlin, Emma V. Evans, A. Blanche Williams and Alice C. Bennett, lot in Parsons Cemetery.

Thomas M. Siemons, lot in Parsons Cemetery deed dated April 1896.

Katherine M. McMakin and William Rounds, lot in Parsons Cemetery, deed dated Jan. 29 1900.

Major L. Phillips and wife to Mervin B. Phillips, 40 acres in Parsons' district \$1.

Major L. Phillips and wife to Major Lee Phillips, 24 acres in Parsons' district \$1.

Major L. Phillips and wife to Maude L. P. Drayden, wife of Walter J. Drayden, 20 acres in Parsons district \$1.

James M. Mitchell from Ida Toadvine, lot in Camden district, \$400.

Covington Campbell and Alice E. Campbell to Mimos A. Davis, farm in Pittsburg district, \$1.

Wm. Malchow and wife to Mrs. Annie E. Erdlen, of Pennsylvania, farm in Salisbury district, \$3000.

Mary V. Pollitt to Fred A. Pollitt and Andrew L. Pollitt, farm in Trappe district, \$5.

S. J. Taylor and J. E. Taylor to J. Edmund Russell, 55 sq. perches, lot in Sharptown, \$44.

Fred P. Adkins and wife to Elijah P. Shockley lot in Salisbury on Ward at., \$600.

Edw. L. Austin and wife to Nataniel O. Austin, one-half undivided interest in farm in Barren Creek \$800.

D. C. Holloway and Ellish C. Holloway to E. E. Twilley and G. J. Hearn, 3 lots in Salisbury, \$750.

Notice of Registration, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the Officers of Registration for Wicomico county will sit at times and places hereinafter designated for the purpose of revising the general registry of voters of Wicomico county, for 1905, on

Tuesday, October 3,

Tuesday, October 10,

From 8 o'clock a. m., to 7 o'clock p. m., daily.

No. 1. Barren Creek—James B. Bacon and Samuel W. Bennett, Registrars, will sit at the election house, formerly Windsor's carpenter shop, in Mardela Springs.

No. 2. Quantico District—W. Frank Howard and W. Scott Disharoon, Registrars, will sit in the storehouse owned by Mary Crawford and formerly occupied by W. T. Phillips, in Quantico.

No. 3. Trappe District—John W. Furbush and Wm. A. Conway, Registrars, will sit at vacant building near W. H. Bedworth's store.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—B. H. Hamblin and George E. Jackson, Registrars, will sit at the Freney Building in Pittsville.

No. 5. Parsons District—Naaman P. Turner and Robert D. Grier, Registrars, will sit at the voting house on Water street in Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—L. Lee Laws and D. J. Clark, Registrars, will sit at Lambert J. Powell's store in Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Columbus C. Fooks and Otho Bounds, Registrars, will sit at the new house of Wm. Smith, opposite Election House, in Trappe District.

No. 8. Nutter's District—Willie P. Ward and Oswald Tilghman, Registrars, will sit at house on public road nearly opposite the residence of W. P. Ward in Nutter's District.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Whitefield S. Lowe and Alan P. Benjamin, Registrars, will sit at Humphrey's shirt factory, Mill Grove, on Division street, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown—Clement J. Gravenor and Wm. D. Gravenor, Registrars, will sit in B. H. Phillips' building in Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—Edward E. Gordy and Daniel H. Foskey, Registrars, will sit at the Masonic Temple in Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—Arthur M. Rencher and Samuel M. White, Registrars, will sit at Knights of Pythias Hall Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—Elisha E. Twilley and Wm. Wirt Leonard, Registrars, will sit at Guthrie's old storehouse on Division street, South Salisbury.

The Registrars will also sit at their respective places on **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17th**, from 8 a. m., to 7 p. m., for the purpose only of correcting and revising the lists. Remember, that no new names will be registered on that day.

Registrars will appear before the Board of Supervisors on Saturday, September 30th, 1905, to receive registration supplies.

SAMUEL S. SMYTH,

GEO. A. BOUNDS,

A. J. BENJAMIN,

Board of Election Supervisors.

C. Lee Gillis, Clerk to Board.

Notice to Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court of Wicomico County letters of administration on the personal estate of Major C. Williams, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit same, with the vouchers thereon, on or before the 30 day of March, 1906, or they may be excluded from all the benefit of said estate. Given under my hand and seal this 30 day of September 1905.

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For Rent.

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Election Judges and Clerks.

Office of the Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico County, News Building.

Salisbury, Md., Sept. 5, 1905.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico county having appointed Judges and Clerks of Election for the several voting precincts of said county, in accordance with Section 12, Art. 33 of Code of Public General Laws hereby give notice of the name and residence of each, and also the political party to which each belongs and represents. The law makes it the duty of this Board "to examine promptly into any complaints which may be made to them in writing against the fitness or qualification of any person so appointed, and to remove such Judge or Clerk whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable." This Board expects to swear in the unopposed Judges or Clerks on or about September 30, 1905. The appointments are as follows:

No. 1. Barren Creek District—Benjamin S. Bradley, dem., judge, River-ton. Peter Graham, rep., judge, Athol. Albert W. Bounds, dem., clerk, Mardela. George W. Riggan, rep., clerk, Hebron, Route 1.

No. 2. Quantico District—T. R. Jones, dem., judge, Quantico. B. S. Passey, rep., judge, Salisbury. H. F. Pollitt, dem., clerk, Salisbury. W. B. Wilson, rep., clerk, Hebron.

No. 3. Trappe District—A. J. White, dem., judge, White Haven. Rhuel S. Richardson, rep., judge, Wetpquin. Ware Hopkins, dem., clerk, Trappe. Chas. H. Larmore, rep., clerk, Trappe.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—M. A. Davis, dem., judge, Pittsville. G. Frank Williams, rep., judge, Pittsville. Ernest Adkins, dem., clerk, Parsonburg. Fred. E. Hayman, rep., clerk, Parsonburg.

No. 5. Parsons District—H. L. Brewington, dem., judge, Salisbury. John P. Owens, rep., judge, Salisbury. T. Ernest Holloway, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Fred. P. Adkins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—W. T. Henman, dem., judge, Powellville. Chas. R. Sayers, rep., judge, Powellville. Paul Powell, dem., clerk, Powellville. E. C. H. Adkins, rep., clerk, Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—Wm. F. Messick, dem., judge, Allen. Wm. Goodell, rep., judge, Allen. P. A. Malone, dem., clerk, Allen. F. F. Price, rep., clerk, Allen.

No. 8. Nutter's District—Joshua L. Freney, dem., judge, Salisbury. W. Durand Fooks, rep., judge, Salisbury. J. D. Coulbourn, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Marion D. Collins, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 9. Salisbury District—Jerome T. Hayman, dem., judge, Salisbury. Wm. A. Crew, rep., judge, Salisbury. Walter S. Sheppard, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Geo. H. Welsbach, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown District—Jno. A. Wright, dem., judge, Mardela. Geo. T. Owens, rep., judge, Sharptown. C. E. Knowles, dem., clerk, Sharptown. Ernest Robinson, rep., clerk, Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—L. B. Ker, dem., judge, Delmar. F. Frank Goslee, rep., judge, Delmar. J. G. W. Perdue, dem., clerk, Delmar. Jas. T. Wilson, rep., clerk, Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—H. J. Willing, dem., judge, Nanticoke. J. A. White, rep., judge, Nanticoke. Levin J. Walters, dem., clerk, Nanticoke. Thos. J. Walter, rep., clerk, Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—Harry W. Ruark, dem., judge, Salisbury. Morris A. Walton, rep., judge, Salisbury. C. L. Dickerson, dem., clerk, Salisbury. Frank Gunby, rep., clerk, Salisbury.

SAMUEL S. SMYTH, GEO. A. BOUNDS, A. J. BENJAMIN,

Board of Election Supervisors.

C. Lee Gillis, Clerk to Board.

Order Nisi.

Jay Williams versus James A. Moore

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county. In Equity No. 1575. September Term, 1905.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the proceeds of said sale as made, and reported by Jay Williams, Attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the tenth day of October next, provided, a copy of this Order be, inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of September next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be \$50.00.

True Copy Test: CHAS. F. HOLLAND, ERNEST A. TOADVINE, Clerk.

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A four room house adjoining above, one acre \$500, house nearly new.

A house and large lot in Camden, \$500.

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One 8 acre lot, Camden St. extended, \$1500. A very desirable location for a nice suburban home.

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Another farm adjoining above, 25 acres at \$40.00 per acre, no buildings.

One farm near Princess Anne, 70 acres in high state of cultivation, about 30 acres valuable meadow, no dwelling, \$4000. This is a bargain.

Another farm near Princess Anne. Adjoining above, about 280 acres, about 100 in cultivation, balance in timber young timber, would cut about 2000 cords wood now, no buildings, price only \$8000.

Any person interested in any of above and can pay 25 to 50 per cent. down can arrange easy terms for balance, for further information call on or write.

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STATE.

A man's hair turns gray five years sooner than a woman's.

Buzzards and vultures can scent their food at a distance of 40 miles.

Some insects are born, grow old, and die in the space of 24 hours.

It's the most difficult thing in the world to forget what you want to forget.

Sixty thousand elephants are annually slaughtered to give the world its ivory.

Twenty-six thousand barrels of sweet potatoes were shipped from Parkley during the month of August.

Justice Henry of Cambridge is determined to break up the "rascals" carrying habitation of the Dorchester colored gentry.

Over 2,500 voters of Alleghany county have signed a petition asking for a repeal of the good roads law passed by the last legislature.

As the new Court House in Somerset will not be completed for some weeks hence Judge Page has concluded to postpone the October session of Court until November.

There are thirty-five prisoners confined in the Eikon, Md., jail, the largest number in many years. The oldest is James Andrews, who is now serving his thirty-fifth year behind the prison bars.

A Catholic church is being erected at Westover. Mr. Augustus Ritzel has charge of the construction. When completed this will be the first and only church of this denomination in Somerset county.

James L. Burke, of Havre de Grace, has in his possession a German Bible 883 years old. The printing, done by the old block system, was commenced 1523, and completed in 1524. It was not bound until 1765.

Orisfield is not only the largest shipping point for soft crabs in the United States, but is also the largest shipping point for hard crabs and crab meat. On Tuesday last one firm, Messrs. J. J. Tull & Co., shipped a whole carload of crab meat to Philadelphia, for distribution through the northern and western cities.

Fruit growers in the upper section of Baltimore county and York county Pa., are very much alarmed over the appearance of a worm about the size of the ordinary apple worm on the apple trees. The worm has a hard back and its bite, which is exceedingly painful, is frequently poisonous. The worm is said to multiply very rapidly. This is the same worm which caused great damage to the orchards of New England a few years ago.

The Commissioners for Somerset County last Tuesday, opened the bids for the Court House Bonds. There were eleven bidders. The highest bid was \$112 and twenty-seven one hundredths. This bid was made by E. C. Stanwood & Co. of Boston Mass., and secured the entire issue amounting to \$30,000. These bonds pay four and one-half per cent. The first one will be due in 1925 and the last in 1984. The premium amounted to \$3,881.

Delmar, Sept. 25.—L. R. O'Neal, yard brakeman here, was instantly killed Saturday night while shifting cars, by falling on the track in front of some cars, his body being cut in two. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker W. W. Ellis. A coroner inquest was held yesterday and a verdict of accidental death rendered. He was unmarried and about 25 years of age. His home was at Felton, to which place the body was forwarded.

A western farmer came to the pastor of his congregation and asked that his name be taken off the church list. "What is the trouble, Brother Jones?" asked the surprised pastor. "I supposed you were a faithful follower of the Lamb." Well I sorter believed that myself, but there is no use talking, a man can't serve the Lord when he has to milk four cows in fly time. After the first heavy frost I'll try this church business again, but just now I either have to sell the cows, give up the church, or be a damned hypocrite."

Julius G. Graves, of Edwardsville, Kas., is the most notable negro farmer in the United States—probably in the world. He is known as "the potato king," his right to that title resting on the fact that two years ago he sold 72,150 bushels of potatoes from his farm, 12,150 bushels more than ever were produced by any individual farmer. In addition he bought from white farmers and sold at a profit twenty-two car loads of potatoes. Graves was born a slave in Kentucky but has been in Kansas since 1879.

The body of a man whose name is unknown was found in the Pocomoke river at Pocomoke, Tuesday. He went to Pocomoke last winter and lived by doing odd jobs. He said his name was Sparrow. He left after a few weeks and only returned last Wednesday, when he was refused board at a house owing to an unpaid bill left on his previous visit. After working two days at shipyard he apparently spent his money on intoxicants. Mayor Tull considered an inquest unnecessary, deciding it a case of suicide. The body was buried at the town's expense.

A dispatch from Snow Hill says: Never before since the establishment of the canning industry in this section has there been such an immense crop of tomatoes. The average yield of tomatoes in this section per acre is three tons. This year the average is far in excess of this figure. Some farmers will probably have a yield of five tons to the acre. Robert Brothers canning factory is overrun. Thursday afternoon they had piled on the platform 5,000 baskets waiting to be weighed. The steamer Maryland loaded for Baltimore 3,000 baskets which Robert Brothers shipped to their Baltimore cannery.

Nicks' Forecasts for October.

A storm period is central on the 2nd extending from the 1st to the 5th. Change to warmer with falling barometer and growing cloudiness will appear in eastern parts as early as the 1st and 2nd. During Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 3rd, 4th and 5th, these conditions will advance eastwardly across the country, causing rains and autumnal storminess over most parts lying along and near the paths of storm centers.

As a rule a series of active if not severe boreal storms from the northeast over the great lakes and from the northwest over the central and northern Atlantic, set in during the first storm periods in October.

Such results should not be unexpected from the 2nd to the 5th of this month. Northwestern gales, rapid rise of the barometer, clearing weather with frosts, and some freezing northward, will follow close upon the rear of these storms.

Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the 7th, 8th and 9th, are reactionary storm dates. On these days there will be a decided return of storm conditions. Let it be clearly understood what is meant by storm conditions. Anti-storm conditions are a rising and high barometer, westerly to northerly winds, clearing and colder weather. Storm conditions are, falling and low barometer, easterly to southerly wind, rising temperature and growing cloudiness. The reactionary storm conditions on the 7th 8th and 9th, will result in more rain and storminess, moving in storm-centers from west to east over the country. Change to much cooler will follow these disturbances.

The next regular storm period is central on the 14th, covering the 13th to the 17th. Marked depressions of the barometer, and other evidences of gathering storms, will appear to the westward as early as the 13th, and during the days next following up to the 16th or 17th very decided autumnal storms will visit most parts of this and other continents. The great lakes, the Atlantic ocean, and high seas generally along northern latitudes, will have a touch of storms, especially at the wind-up of this period. Autumnal lightning and thunder may come with the first stages of these storms, but gales out of the north, with severe dashes of sleet and snow northward, may reasonably be counted on at this time. We predict that a sweeping high barometer and cold northerly gales followed by frosts will come out of the north and reach far southward at the close of this period.

About the 20th and 21st, we should expect increased storm tendencies, followed very promptly by revulsions to rising barometer, westerly winds and change to much colder.

The last storm period for October extends from the 24th to the 28th being central on the 26th. The Moon will be an active factor in the disturbances of this period. It passes across the celestial equator going southward on the 26th, while on the 28th it is at its conjunction with Earth and Sun, or at new Moon, being on the same day at its perigee, or nearest point to the Earth. Change to much warmer, with a decided fall of the barometer, will be noted in western sections by the 24th and 25th. These conditions will be quickly followed by cloudiness, storm and precipitation. By Thursday the 30, the decided storms, attended by heavy rain and autumnal lightning and thunder, will be developed and on their eastward march and across the country. These storms will reach their crisis and culminate in much force on and touching the 28th. Long and careful watching has proven to us that a change to high barometer, cooler, anti-storm conditions rarely ever comes with the new Moon in perigee and near the celestial equator only a day or two ahead. Hence, warm autumnal rains will almost be natural from about the 26th to the 28th. A sudden and severe change to much colder will almost certainly rush out of the west and north within twenty four hours of sun down on the 28th. Dangerous gales and tidal waves along the Atlantic, and gulf coasts should be no surprise to any student of our forecasts, on and about October the 28th. The new Moon in perigee, so near the celestial equator and passing to south declination, will add greatly to atmospheric and oceanic perturbations, the atmospheric tides will be drawn southward, and a dash of early winter will drift far to the southward as a consequence. As the month goes out a reactionary storm period will be falling in the west, with change to warmer and gathering clouds. This period will express itself in more or less storms and disturbed weather conditions during the opening days of November.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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Beginners may enter at these two periods—the first two weeks when school opens in September and the first two weeks in January, and

At No Other Time

By order of the Board:
H. CRAWFORD BOUNDS,
Aug5-3m Secretary.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICANS

Every Republican new-comer to Wicomico county from another State should register at the County Clerk's office, at once, his affidavit of intention to become a citizen of the state of Maryland. Without making such affidavit one year in advance they cannot become a registered voter. Republicans who are already citizens and voters should make it their duty to inform all Republican new-comers to our county of this provision.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 30, 1905.

Republican Ticket.

For House of Delegates:
LEMUEL B. DUNCAN,
SAMUEL A. LANGRALL,
ELMER H. WALTON.

For County Commissioners:
ALONZO L. WILLIAMS,
FRANK A. WILLING,
AFFRIA FOOKS.

For Sheriff:
LOUIS P. COULBOURN.

For Surveyor:
THOMAS W. ENGLISH.

Major Venable On The Poe Amendment.

Major Richard M. Venable, of
Baltimore the well-known Consti-
tutional lawyer and President of
the Park Board, is opposed to the
Poe disfranchising amendment.
In discussing this piece of Gorman
legislation, he said:

"It is a horrible thing to think
of living under a law which gives
the power to one set of men to
disfranchise other men on the
ground that they belong to a par-
ticular class or race, or have or
have not grandfathers, or can or
cannot construe the Constitution,
or on any other ground. Such a
power is often fraught with disas-
trous results to the very people
who seek it.

"I remember well that some years
ago, in response to the demands
of some of the Southern Maryland
counties, laws were passed giv-
ing the power to the Governor of
the State to appoint certain offi-
cials theretofore elective. The
reason for this was that the Dem-
ocrats wanted the offices, profes-
sedly to prevent negroes getting
them, and were not numerous
enough to always carry those
counties. This law worked very
well until the Republicans got
into power, and then Governor
Lowndes proceeded to appoint
Republicans. Immediately there
was a big howl from Southern
Maryland. Somewhat the same
condition may exist under the
proposed disfranchising amend-
ment.

"As long as the Democrats are
in power the negro may be dis-
franchised. The amendment is
aimed at him, and if the amend-
ment is approved it will be ad-
ministered to his disadvantage.
But suppose by some change of
public sentiment, the Republican
party should come into power
after the amendment is adopted.
Does anyone question for a mo-
ment that the Republicans would
use the amendment to their ad-
vantage, and cannot every sen-
sible Democrat see that if they did
so use it the Democratic party
would suffer?"

Major Venable has reached a
vital spot in the Amendment
scheme. The Democratic organi-
zation promised to disfranchise
the negro, but they do not pro-
pose to do so unless they, at the
same time, secure control of the
State. Under the Poe Amend-
ment law, the negro would be the
issue every year for all time to
come. Gorman and his people
want the loaves and fishes and
their intention is, if possible, to
do away with free government, in
order to secure them. The negro
means nothing to them, except a
means toward securing this end.

An Important Duty.

Every Republican in every elec-
tion district of Wicomico County
should bear in mind that, unless
he is already registered, he must
attend to this important duty on
either Tuesday, the 3rd day of
October, or on Tuesday, the 10th
day of October, 1905. If an un-
registered voter is not registered
on one or the other of the days
named, he cannot vote. The 17th
day of October is for revision on-
ly, and not for registration of vot-
ers. Every Republican who has
an interest in his party, will see
that every other Republican en-
titled to vote in his election dis-
trict, is properly registered, and
that no wrong is done to any qual-
ified voter of his party on the day
of revision. Let every Republican
in the county consider himself a
committee of one and especially
appointed to attend to these im-
portant duties.

DEMOCRATS RE-NOMINATE ATKINSON.

State Convention Held in Baltimore Wed-
nesday.

The Democrats held their State Con-
vention in Baltimore Wednesday
of this week and renominated Comptroller
Gordon T. Atkinson, of Somerset coun-
ty. Notwithstanding the opposition to
the Poe Amendment by a large section
of the party, all possibility of any dem-
onstration in protest was carefully el-
minated and the amendment was the
keynote of the speeches and resolutions
Gorman ruled the roost. Hon. Joshua
W. Miles, of Somerset, made the prin-
ciple speech of the convention. Ex-
Governor Jackson was also present and
made a short address. The absence of
such prominent partymen as Governor
Warfield, Senator Raynor, former gov-
ernor William Plunkney Whyte and At-
torney General Bryan, was particularly
noticeable.

The Baltimore News says that "Ex-
Gov. Jackson must have been pleased
at the ovation extended to him, and he
had every right to be gratified, because
the applause was spontaneous, and had
the genuine, sincere ring to it. The
old Governor came late, and was es-
corted to a front seat on the stage while
Mr. Miles was speaking. Occupants of
the first floor and galleries burst into
applause when they saw him. Governor
Jackson, regardless of political
affiliations or opinions, has held the re-
spect of the people of this State, who
demonstrate the fact on such occasions."

Resolutions Of Respect.

HON. THOMAS F. J. RIDER.

Court adjourned Wednesday after-
noon out of respect to the memory of
Hon. Thomas F. J. Rider, after address-
es by James E. Ellegood, John H.
Handy and Joseph J. Bailey, and
eulogy delivered by Judge Henry Page.
The following resolutions, which were
ordered spread upon the Court records,
were offered by a committee, composed
of N. T. Fitch, chairman, James E.
Ellegood and Harry B. Freeny, appoint-
ed by the Wicomico Bar Association:

Whereas, An All-wise Providence has
seen fit, by the hand of death, to with-
draw from our membership our late
brother, the Hon. Thomas F. J. Rider;
And whereas, The nearly fifty years
of his public service in the several
capacities of a member of our State
Legislature; as a member of the Con-
stitutional Convention of 1867; after-
wards as Clerk of the Circuit Court of
this county, and later, as State's At-
torney for three successive terms—in
all which he discharged his duties with
such fidelity and ability to command
the confidence and approval of his fel-
low citizens and his successive re-
elections to office has already empha-
sized their appreciation of the character
and ability of our deceased brother;
nevertheless we, the surviving members
of the Wicomico Bar Association desire
to add our further tribute to his mem-
ory.

Therefore Resolved, That this Asso-
ciation hereby asks to place on record
its recognition of the loss it has sus-
tained in the death of Brother Rider,
and its members to express their in-
dividual appreciation of his virtues and
of the uniform courtesy which were
characteristic of him in all his relations
with his brethren at the bar.

N. T. Fitch,
Chairman.

James E. Ellegood,
Harry B. Freeny,
Committee.

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organized, the New York Clipper spoke
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and that description may be extended to
that stupendously sensational feature
which involves the introduction in one
arena in simultaneous performance of
almost every species of wild and domes-
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in the open before an audience and with
enough brains to learn every trick possible
to the imitations of quadrupedal anatomy.
This cosmopolitan menagerie of
wise mammoth and cute and cunning crea-
tures includes elephants, zebras, water
buffalo, camels, dogs, goats, horses, llamas,
ponies, donkeys, dromedaries, mules,
bears, monkeys and sacred cattle, and has
cost its originator, Manager Robbins, a
big lot of both "the long green" and
trouble, but the years of expenditure,
experiment and patient training have
at length found ample reward in most
impressive, surprising and amusing re-
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the other wild beasts circus and hippo-
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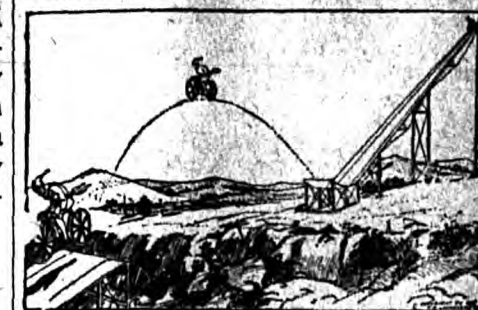
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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor announces her fall opening of Millinery on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 5, 6, 7.

—S. Lowenthal announces his fall opening of millinery and dress goods on Thursday and Friday, October 5th and 6th.

—September 29th, at 6 p. m., is the beginning of the Hebrew New Year. The Hebrew stores will be closed Saturday 30th.

—There will be a meeting of the King's Daughters at the residence of Mrs. L. D. Collier next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—There will be a meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the Hospital at the City Hall, Monday, October 2nd, at 4 o'clock afternoon.

—Mr. Edw. Mitchell is building a house on the corner of Newton and Vine Streets to be occupied in November by Mr. F. Kent Cooper.

—A musical will be given at Saint Peter's Rectory Tuesday evening October 12th, from 8 to 11 o'clock under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild.

—Messrs. R. E. Powell & Co. announce their fall opening of millinery, dress goods, silks, etc., on Thursday and Friday, October 5th and 6th.

—The pastor will preach in the M. P. Church next Sunday at 7.45 p. m. on "The Judgement to Come." All the other services at the usual hours.

—C. W. Stuart's Golden Sheaf Seed Wheat for sale. A wheat that produces more bushels per acre by actual test than any other. H. D. Spence, 10-8.

—NOTICE:—A lot of new furniture at private sale. Call and get bargains, at my residence A. W. Rogers, 316 2nd street, "California," Salisbury, Maryland. 9-30

—The Junior Societies of the Presbyterian and M. P. Churches are making joint preparation for the excursion to the C. E. Convention at Mardela next Friday afternoon.

—Rev. W. H. Logan, of Wilmington, Del., will preach in the Wicomico Presbyterian Church Sunday, October 1st, in the morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7.30 o'clock.

—News was received from Dr. Reigart this week to the effect that he is slowly recovering from the injury to his leg and is expected to return to Salisbury about the middle of October.

—Rev. H. S. Dulaney, pastor of Academy Methodist Episcopal Church, at Lawsons, Somerset county, denies the report that he is to leave the ministry to engage in the mercantile business.

—Messrs. Charles R. Disharoon and Fred P. Adkins on Monday bought from Charles Herman the cranberry bog in "California," price \$750. They will drain, fill up the land and reclaim it.

—Gordy, Graham and Humphreys will give a lot on their Boulevard property in Camden to a desirable person who will build a \$3000 house on same. Apply to either of the above named gentlemen for particulars.

—An all day meeting will be held at Union M. P. Church next Sunday, October 1st. Rev S. J. Smith, of Salisbury, will preach in the afternoon. Revival services will be continued during the following week.

—The Division Street Bible School meets at 9.30 Sunday forenoon. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The morning theme will be "God's Expectancy." In the evening, "One Harvest that is Sure."

—Mr. C. C. Waller, Jr., of Queens-town, Md., was in town this week. Mr. Waller was a witness in the suit brought by E. W. Whayland to recover damages from an insurance company for a fire at Mr. Whayland's residence last winter.

—"Humpty Dumpty" attracted a tremendous audience at Uman's Opera House Monday night, the management being compelled to cease selling tickets for even standing room. The spectators were delighted with the performance.

—Rev. W. W. White, pastor of Fruitland Charge M. E. Church, will preach on Sunday October 1st, as follows: Fruitland, 10.30 a. m., Zion, 7.30 p. m. At the last named place protracted services will begin and continue through the week.

—Several cages containing wild animals belonging to Frank Robbins circus were scraped off a car by a projecting platform when the train was approaching Hagerstown this week and two deer and a kangaroo escaped. None of the larger beasts got away.

—A large number of Republican leaders met in Parsons' Opera House last Monday morning and perfected an organization to look after this year's registration. A resolution was adopted asking every Republican in the county to aid in getting out the vote.

—There will be an oyster supper at Bethel M. P. Church on Friday night, October 6th. If not fair will be held Saturday night. Also one at Royal Oaks on Saturday, October 7th. If not fair will be held Monday night. For benefit of church. C. J. Burdette, pastor.

—The following from Wicomico county are studying this year at Washington College, Chestertown, Md.: Messrs. Curtis Long, Cecil Goslee, Howard Langral, and Misses Viola Goslee, Pauline Goslee, Ida McGrath, Hilda Howard, Lillie Bounds and Margaret Whayland.

—It is reported that there is great dissatisfaction among the Democrats in Worcester county over the ticket nominated the first of this week. An Independent Democratic ticket, headed by Robert Showell, Esq., of Berlin, for the State Senate, will be nominated.

—The B. C. & A. Ry. Co. wound up their season on Thursday with a big excursion to Baltimore. There was also a cheap excursion on the same day from the M. D. & W. Ry. to Baltimore. This ends the season and there will be no more excursions this year.

—Miss Edna Adkins and Miss Bertha Sheppard have been chosen by the C. E. Society of the M. P. Church of Salisbury, as delegates to the Christian Endeavor Convention at Mardela next week. Mrs. Chas. Booth and Mr. Charlie Bennett were elected alternates.

—By advertisement in the Baltimore papers 161 Democratic lawyers—all the most prominent Democratic members of the bar of that city except John P. Rose—are opposing the Pro Amendment. Their opposition is based on their opinion in a legal sense of the operations of the law, it passed.

—Capt. L. P. Coulbourn is converting half of his large storeroom on the corner of East Church and William Streets into a cold storage plant. He will install a complete refrigerating plant and expects to enter largely into the handling of fresh beef, pork, bananas, etc. The refrigerating plant will cost about \$2,000.

—A meeting of the directors of the Salisbury Hardware Company will be held on Saturday for the purpose of organization. Mr. Thomas M. Livingston, of Ocala, Florida, will be connected with the company and will make Salisbury his future home. The new company will be ready for business about November 1st.

—Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Bertha Stengle, daughter of Rev. Adam Stengle, Presiding Elder of Salisbury District, Wilmington M. E. Conference, to Rev. James W. Colona, pastor of Antioch M. E. Church, Princess Anne. The ceremony will take place Wednesday, October 5th, in the Salisbury M. E. Church at 12 o'clock noon.

—Attorney Robert P. Graham, of Baltimore, was in Salisbury several days this week, appearing for the B. C. & A. Railroad Company in the tax suits. Mr. Graham stated that he and Mr. John C. Rose, attorneys for Hon. W. H. Jackson, in his contested election case, had the strongest possible hopes of winning the case for Mr. Jackson.

—Captain James A. Turner placed the steamer "Gov. Thomas" in commission on Thursday and left Salisbury for the oyster grounds. The "McLane" which has been undergoing repairs in Baltimore left that city for Cambridge. Depredations of dredgers on the oysters have caused the steamers to go into commission this year earlier than usual.

—Mr. Thomas Goslee, near Allen, planted a new variety of yellow corn this year, paying \$2.00 per peck for the seed. He did not put any fertilizer on the land, nor give it any special preparation, but he expects a yield of 75 bushels per acre. Mr. S. P. Woodcock at some of the ears on exhibition at his office that are 15 inches long, with heavy grains.

—The commission on widening and straightening Camden avenue met on Wednesday and made the necessary survey. A report will be made the Council at its next meeting. The committee will recommend that the street be widened and straightened from Miss Laura Brenizer's property to the corporate limits, the increased width to average 5 feet.

—The County Commissioners on Tuesday took up the report of the commission on the New Hope tax ditch for ratification. Objection being filed, the ratification was, by agreement of council, postponed to October 6th. The Commissioners also ordered a medical examination made of Caroline Dorman, an inmate of the Alms House, for sanity. If declared insane she will be sent the asylum.

—The Yorkville Vaudeville Company of New York, composed of 6 women and 6 men, which was to have played in Salisbury evening of September 27th, stranded at Easton. The company went to Easton on Monday to give performances in Music Hall for two nights. The performance was well attended Monday evening, but Manager Higgins, of Music Hall, canceled their second night's engagement.

—Sunday last was "Rally Day" at St. Johns A. M. E. Zion Church, Rev. G. Melville Oliver, pastor. The congregation raised \$300.00 and have one-third of their contributions yet to come in. It is expected that the amount, therefore, will be brought up to \$500 by this coming Sunday. It is hoped that work can be begun on the new church this fall. The plans call for a modern, brick building, and what is called a "basement" church. This means that the main auditorium will be on the second floor, with the Sunday School room in the basement.

—Rev. W. L. S. Murray, D. D., pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, Wilmington is very much improved and is rapidly regaining his former health and strength. The trustees of the church recently granted Dr. Murray three months rest, and he is now recuperating in the mountains. His congregation, as well as his many friends in the Conference, will be glad to learn that he will be able to take up his work by the time his vacation expires, and possibly before.

—Recently representatives of Pittsburgh iron manufacturers were prospecting in Sussex county, Del. They visited Seaford and investigated the deposits at the old Collins furnace, eight miles east of Georgetown, and at Stone Branch, or Deep Creek, two miles east of Seaford. When spoken to relative to the value of the specimens found they ventured the opinion that the tensile strength of the iron that could be produced from the ore would be very great and in quality like unto Swedish or Russian iron. They stated that if the deposits were extensive enough to justify their working the low percentage of the ore would be in a large measure discounted by the small expense necessary in mining. The party spent several days on their prospecting tour and visited several points in Delaware and near Salisbury, Md.

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Personal
—Miss Laura White was in Baltimore this week.
—Mr. Al. Howard, of Berlin, was in town Wednesday.
—Miss Edith Brewington is visiting relatives in Baltimore.
—Mr. Elmer C. Williams made a business trip to Baltimore this week.
—Messrs. William M. Cooper and Mark Cooper were in Philadelphia this week.
—Mrs. Roland Perry and children will spend some time with friends in Baltimore.
—Miss Julia Wright of Vienna spent part of this week with Miss Ruth Smith Broad street.
—Misses Ruth and Louise Gunby left Friday to enter Fairmount Seminary, Washington, D. C.
—Mrs. D. B. Cannon, Mrs. A. F. Benjamin and Mrs. E. E. Jackson, Jr., spent this week in Philadelphia.
—Mr. and Mrs. William J. Thoroughgood, of Philadelphia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Thoroughgood Saturday last until Monday.
—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Luhn, of Baltimore, who were visiting Mrs. Luhn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Layfield, at Maple Grove, have returned to their home.
—Miss Mary T. Collins returned to her home in Philadelphia Wednesday after spending several weeks with friends in town.
—Mr. R. Harlan Robertson and bride, of Dendron, Va., were in Salisbury Tuesday on their way home. Mr. Robertson is a son of Mr. Robert G. Robertson, Deputy County Treasurer. He was married about a month ago and he and Mrs. Robertson have been visiting relatives at Mardela.
—Mr. Everett Jackson returned from his trip to Mississippi on Friday.
—Dr. and Mrs. F. Marion Slemmons went to Baltimore on Friday. Mrs. Slemmons expects to remain for a ten days or two weeks visit to her son, Dr. J. Morris Slemmons.
—Capt. James W. Johnson, of Norfolk, Va., spent part of this week with relatives in Salisbury. Capt. Johnson is commander of the sea going tug "Ascher J. Hudson."
—Mr. Avimer J. Tilghman and family, of Philadelphia, accompanied by Miss Cataline Joffe have been spending the week in Salisbury. They returned to Philadelphia this morning.
—Mr. Lafayette P. Humphreys returned from the Church Home, in Baltimore, where he had been on account of ill health, this week. He is confined to his rooms on Main street, but is considered slightly better.
—Miss Beulah Williams, of Snow Hill, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Louisa C. Brown, on Church street, for the past two weeks returned home today accompanied by Mrs. Louisa C. Brown and her daughter.

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PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, at the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four, two bills were passed, one proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State, and the other proposing an amendment to Section 2 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State, which said bills are in the words following, to wit:

CHAPTER 38.

AN ACT to amend Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland (three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring), that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 1 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as herein provided, it shall supersede and stand in place and stead of Section 1 of said Constitution.

SECTION 2. All elections by the people shall be by ballot. Every male citizen of the United States, whether native born or naturalized, of the age of twenty-one years, who has resided in this State for one year and in the Legislative district of Baltimore city or in the county in which he resides for six months next preceding the election, and who moreover is next registered as a qualified voter, as provided in this article, shall be entitled to vote at any election held in this State, whether by ballot or by vote, and shall be entitled to vote in the election district from which he removed until he shall have accepted of the office of a member of the county or city to which he has removed. Every such male citizen of the United States, being the above-described qualifications of age and residence shall be entitled to be registered as to become a qualified voter if he is a person who is next registered as a qualified voter in any section of the Constitution of this State submitted to him by the officers of registration and to give a reasonable explanation of the same, and if unable to read such section is able to understand and give a reasonable explanation thereof, when read to him by the registration officers or

Second—A person who on the first day of January, 1906, or prior thereto, was entitled to vote under the Constitution of this State or other State of the United States wherein he then resided; or

Third—Any male lineal descendant of such last-mentioned person who may be twenty-one (21) years of age or over in the year 1906.

No person not thus qualified by coming under some one of the above descriptions shall be entitled to be registered as a qualified voter, nor be entitled to vote.

SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State shall be at the next general election for members of the General Assembly, and shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of the direction contained in Article 2 of the Constitution of the State, and at said election the vote on said proposed amendment shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment," or "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as the voters shall elect, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote on said proposed amendment as directed by the said XIVth Article of the Constitution.

This is to certify that this engrossed document proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Maryland, the original of which was passed by the House of Delegates by yeas and nays, more than three-fifths of all the members elected voting in the affirmative, on March 10, 1905.

SPENCER C. JONES,

Secretary of the Senate.

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Secretary of the House of Delegates.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON I, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 1.

Text of the Lesson, Dan. vi, 17-30. Memory Verses, 23, 26—Golden Text, Ps. xxiv, 16—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1905, by American Press Association.] Dr. Weston says that we have in the Scriptures the account of the conflict between Christ and Satan for man and man's inheritance, the earth. It is true also that everywhere in the book we see God working or the devil. In this book of Daniel we see God working in and through Daniel and his companions and also by holy angels. On the side of the devil we see such as Belshazzar and his companions and evil angels who hindered Gabriel when on his way to Daniel. I do not wonder that the wisdom of this world would like to get rid of this special book, for in three instances it sets forth the inability of learned men to understand the things of God. In chapter iv they could not tell the dream, in chapter v they could not interpret a dream, and in this lesson they could neither read nor interpret four words plainly written on the wall.

Before Daniel interpreted the words he had a little sermon for this wicked king, the last he would ever hear, for in that night he was slain (verse 30) and went to his own place (Luke xvi, 22, 23). The name "Most High God" (verses 18, 21) is first used in Gen. xiv, 18, 19, in connection with this other title, "the possessor of heaven and earth." As such God rules in the kingdom of men and giveth it to whomsoever he will (Dan. iv, 17, 25, 32, 34). Daniel reminded Belshazzar that this Most High God had given his father all the power and dominion that he possessed, but that because of his great pride, boasting that he had built Babylon by his own power and might (iv, 30), God had by very severe measures humbled him and taught him to know the true God.

Belshazzar knew all this, but instead of profiting by his father's experience and humbling himself before God he lifted up himself against the Lord of Heaven and contemptuously blasphemed God. He did not believe that "a man's pride shall bring him low" (Prov. xix, 23), perhaps did not know it, nor that God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble (Jas. iv, 6). How apt we all are to fall to glorify Him in whose hand our breath is, and whose are all our ways, in whom we live and move and have our being, to direct our steps (verse 23; Acts xvii, 28; Jer. x, 23; Prov. xvi, 9). The word to Israel is a good word for us: "Thou shalt remember all the way which the Lord thy God led thee. . . . Beware that thou forget not the Lord thy God" (Deut. vi, 2, 11). We are here to honor and exalt Christ, but never self nor humanity.

The person who wrote these words upon the wall was not visible nor even the hand that wrote, but a part of the hand—the fingers (verses 5, 24). It was not the messenger, but the words, that God wanted seen. It is not the preacher, but the word of God, that does the work of God. The writing upon the tablets of testimony given to Moses was done by the finger of God (Ex. xxxi, 18; xxxii, 16; Deut. ix, 10), and the same finger wrote on the ground when He was as God manifest in the flesh (John viii, 6).

The time of the duration of all the kingdoms of this world is fixed by God, and the time that the Babylonian kingdom should rule was made known to Jeremiah before Judah was carried captive (Jer. xxvii, 4-7). It is only when the kingdoms of this world shall have become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ that the world shall see a kingdom without end (Rev. xi, 15). The Lord weighs our actions, our paths, our spirits (I Sam. ii, 3; Isa. xxvi, 7; Prov. xvi, 2), and estimates all things at their true value in His sight. The widow's two mites were of more value, according to His valuation, than all the gifts of the rich that day. It is possible that the seemingly good works of His redeemed people may be only as hay, wood and stubble in His sight, fit only to be burned up (I Cor. iii, 14, 15). When it is God who worketh in us, both to will and to do of His good pleasure (Phil. ii, 13), then the works will stand; all else must perish.

The visions of the second and the seventh chapters, the one given to a man of this world and the other to Daniel, a man of God, are identical and set forth clearly the succession of these kingdoms. In chapter ii Babylon is the head of gold and Medo-Persia the breast and arms of silver. In chapter vii the same two are represented by the lion with eagle's wings and the bear with the three ribs in its mouth. In chapter viii the second of these two is represented by a ram with two horns, a harmless, domestic animal, suggesting the friendliness of the Medes and Persians to Daniel's people. Note from chapters vii, i, viii, i, that these two chapters precede the one of our lesson in the order of time. Note also that to a man of the world like the king of Babylon power is something precious as gold or silver, but to a man of God waiting for the kingdom of God the present governments of earth are like devouring wild beasts, which the nations themselves acknowledge by displaying upon their banners the lion, the bear, the dragon, the eagle.

Daniel was honored before men because he honored God (I Sam. ii, 30; John xii, 20), but Daniel sought the

honor that cometh from God only (John v, 44) and still awaits (Dan. xii, 13). Poor indeed is he who, like Belshazzar, has a kingdom, but no Saviour. But how indescribably rich is he who, like Daniel, waits for the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

A Double Bull.

A double bull in a single sentence was perpetrated by the late John Hollingshead, an Englishman. He wrote, "When Lord Mohun was killed he was lying in Macclesfield house, Gerrard street, Soho, at the back of Leicester house, a site now occupied by the defunct Pelican club."

Vindicated.

"I congratulate you. I understand you have been vindicated." "Triumphantly, Johnson. At the first trial the jury disagreed; at the second trial my lawyers found a flaw in the indictment, and the case was thrown out of court."—Chicago Tribune.

Accommodating.

The Landlady—Will you have coffee, tea or cocoa, Mr. Slopaz? Mr. Slopaz—Anything you wish to call it, ma'am!—Puck.

Executing a Monster Elephant.

The Indian elephant named Fritz in the zoological gardens of Berlin was Europe's largest animal until it finally had to be killed for distemper. Dr. Schilling was appointed hangman. First he tried strangulation by means of ropes and pulleys, but the ropes broke and the elephant remained intact. Next he tried poisoning. The animal was given fodder of fresh bananas, which was devoured with a relish. Then a few bananas were dipped in carbolic acid, but no amount of coaxing could make Fritz "go" them. Finally shooting was tried. The heaviest big game rifle was procured and a shot was fired into the left armpit. The elephant merely looked around in surprise, the bullet having fattened against the shoulder blade. Then a Maxim gun was pulled up. A fusillade of projectiles was pumped into the beast under the right armpit. The elephant went down like a house. In its death struggle, which was studied by many scientists, it broke all its chains and reduced part of the iron fence in the paddock to scrap iron.

Wojensky's Opinion of the Chinese.

It was Lord Wolseley who regarded the Chinese as the greatest race in the world. His opinion was formed about 1860, when he was in China, and he never renounced it. He said to a representative of the Strand Magazine, "The Chinese people possess all the elements of being a great people. They have courage, physical power and absolute contempt for death. Today in that country soldiering is looked down upon. Only the 'failures in life' enter the army. Let a Bismarck or a Napoleon rise up among them, and in two generations they would be the greatest nation and conquering power in the world. They only need a leader. Give them progress, and they will conquer. Three hundred years ago they were the head of the world, but their growth was stunted. China wants a modern man with modern ambitions. Let their leader come, and they must revive again."

The Mace.

The mace was originally a potent weapon of offense, originating doubtless in that earliest and most common weapon, the wooden club. It was an essential part of a knight's accoutrement, being useful at close quarters. For ready convenience it was hung at his saddlebow. Says an ancient poem: And with his heavy mace of steel Then he gave the kingly deile. The besague and baston were varied forms of the mace. The mace used on horseback was a small weapon, usually of steel. That used on foot was much longer and commonly of wood, with head armed with iron rings and spikes. It was carried by the escort of magistrates and others as a ready protection against violence. As society quieted down and its original use fell into abeyance the thing assumed the ornamental appearance it now has, it now being carried in a mere honorary form.—Notes and Queries.

Some Words.

"Spider" is a less attractive word than "spinner," but it is really the same. "Spither," the earlier form of the word, stood for "spither," meaning spinner—the disappearance of the "n" before the "th" being compensated for by the lengthening of the vowel, just as "tooth" really represents "tonth." There was once in use another word for the creature, that was ugly enough in meaning—"attercop," which appears in Wyclif's Bible. It signifies "poison bunch" and is still used in the north of England and in Antrim, Ireland, as an uncomplimentary term for a shrewish person. From "attercop" or from a similar use of "cop" or "cob," a bunch, to mean a spider, comes "cobweb."

A Green Old Age.

"A green old age" is a phrase often grossly abused. It is a literal translation of Virgil's description of Charon, the ferryman of the nether regions. The poet speaks of him as "Jam senior, sed cruda deo viridique senectus" (somewhat aged, but his godship's old age was still fresh and green). This we might say of a hale sexagenarian, but to talk, as we do, of the green old age of a nonagenarian, however hale, is sheer nonsense.

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Delmar	Lv.	11 08		12 10	12 12			12 12	12 33
Laurel		1 20		7 20	8 12			2 22	3 46
Sesford		1 33		7 31	8 27			2 32	4 03
Ross				7 34					
Cannon				7 39	8 35				4 11
Bridgeville		1 46		7 45	8 41			2 44	4 16
Greenwood				7 53	8 49			2 52	4 24
Farmington				8 00	8 56				4 31
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Berlin				6 56				12 59	
Georgetown				7 16	8 05			2 09	
Harrington	Ar.			7 59	8 52			2 55	
Harrington		2 18	6 32	8 12	9 11	12 29	3 08	4 45	
Felton		2 28	6 41	8 21	9 20	12 38	3 17	4 54	
Viola			6 55	8 25	9 24	12 42		5 02	
Woodside			7 00	8 29	9 28	12 46		5 06	
Wyoming		2 43	6 57	8 36	9 36	12 52	3 29	5 09	
Dover		2 50	7 04	8 42	9 43	12 59	3 35	5 16	
DuPont			7 09			11 04			
Cheswood			7 14		9 52	1 08		5 24	
Frederick			7 19		9 57	1 13		5 29	
Smyma	Lv.		7 25	8 37	9 53		3 42	5 35	
Clayton		3 08	7 25	9 00	10 03		3 52	5 45	
Green Spring			7 29			11 22		5 49	
Blackbird			7 34		11 10	1 27		5 54	
Towson			7 39	9 13	10 16	1 32	4 05	5 51	
Middletown		3 29	7 48	9 22	10 24	1 40	4 14	6 01	
Armstrong			7 52			1 44		6 05	
Mt. Pleasant			7 56		10 31	1 48		6 09	
Canal			8 01			1 52		6 13	
Kirkwood			8 06		10 39	1 56		6 17	
Porter			8 11	9 39	11 04	2 01	4 31	6 22	
Bear			8 16		11 09	2 06		6 27	
State Road			8 21		11 14	2 11		6 31	
New Castle			8 27	9 51	11 19	2 16		6 36	
Farmhurst			8 32	9 55	11 23	2 20		6 40	
Wilmington		4 15	8 42	10 05	11 13	2 30	4 55	6 50	
Baltimore		4 27	10 11	11 23	12 43	6 00	7 10	8 40	
Washington			7 20	11 32	1 01	6 10	8 05	9 44	
Philadelphia			5 10	9 34	10 52	12 00	3 32	5 39	7 42
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Pottsville, Pa.—The first human imprint ever found in anthracite coal, was uncovered by Michael Sincavage, a miner at Eagle Hill Colliery, the fossil being a man's footprint. Fossils of snakes, ferns, etc., have been plentiful, but this is the first evidence that prehistoric man was in existence in this country during the formation of the coal beds. The imprint, it is estimated, must have been made 10,000 years ago.

Hagerstown, Sept. 23.—The famous bell buzzard which has been seen in different sections of the country for several years was captured in a steel trap on Thursday by James Shives, a farmer, three miles from Hancock, and afterward released without being injured. Shives removed the bell from around the bird's neck. On the bell was inscribed "B. Allen, Ala., 1903" showing when and where the bird was released. Shives captured the buzzard by placing the trap inside an opening in a bush inclosure he had built about the carcass of a horse, first having wrapped the jaws with rags so as not to injure the bird if it should get into the trap. The big bird has traveled thousands of miles since it was released, wearing the bell, and has frequently been seen and heard.

The defeat of the Poe Amendment will not be a Republican victory it will be the triumph of Democracy and Republicanism over Autocracy.

Civil Service Examinations.

The following examinations for positions in the Civil Service are announced for the dates named. For further information apply to J. William Siemons, Secretary, at the postoffice: Marine Fireman—October 25, 1905. Laboratory Assistant—October 25, 1905.

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Long Ridge.

Mrs. Annie Betts, of Fruitland, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Riggen.

The dwelling formerly owned by Jno. Hooks and occupied by Mrs. Caroline Givens was burned Wednesday about one o'clock. Mrs. Givens lost all of her furniture. She did not carry any insurance.

The O. S. Baptists held their yearly meeting at Nassawong Wednesday and Thursday, which was largely attended. These meetings are largely attended every year by almost all classes of people for all kinds of purposes; some for the purpose of getting a square meal which they very seldom fail to get as that is the Baptist belief to feed the hungry. In former years the tax collector made his appearance on these days; as almost every tax payer in the southern part of the county attended, he generally made a good haul. The politicians never fail to put in appearance, as it is a very good place to get the sentiment of the county. The writer was present both days at this meeting, and if the Poe Amendment isn't doomed to defeat you may shoot me for a fool.

We understand that some of our candidates in Wicomico county on the Democratic ticket have dropped the Poe Amendment altogether, and declare they know nothing about it and care less. They seem to think that it is better to cut off an arm and cast it aside than the whole body should burn.

We notice in the Wicomico News in an item from Kelley that a crack shot from that place has killed 95 squirrels this season. He ought to come out where the squirrels grow and have some fun, for one of our sports has 340 tails hanging in his meat house. Come out Marion we would be glad to show you around.

Tuesday October the 3rd, and Tuesday October 10th, are registration days. Get the Bible out and see how many boys you got will be 21 before election day, which is on November 7th. He does not have to be 21 years old before he can register, just so he is 21 by election day.

Melons.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, of near Zion, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brittingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Parsons, of Delmar, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. John M. Gordy and Mrs. Levenia Hitchens. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Baker, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Long, of Delmar, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Adkins and Master Johnnie were the guests of Mr. Thomas Oliphant and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Harvey and children, Lawrence and Lloyd, of Parsonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lecates spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. James Hitchens and family.

Friendship.

Misses Virginia and Bessey Johnson, of Berlin, have been spending the past week with Miss Annie Davis.

Miss Annie Massey, of Mt. Pleasant, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Edna Parker.

Miss Sadie Sturgis, of Powellsville, spent several days this week her cousin, Miss Lelia Jackson.

Mr. Norman Jackson has accepted a position at Perryville, Md., and left one day last week to take the same.

Mrs. A. S. Dennis was called to Claiborne last Saturday to the bedside of her son, Clarence, who is very sick of typhoid fever.

Miss Ethel Campbell, of Pittsville, gave a small party last Monday evening in honor of Misses Virginia and Bessey Johnson, who are visiting Miss Annie Dennis.

Misses Annie Parker and Annie Lewis spent last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lizzie Hammond.

The festival held on the school ground last Saturday was very largely attended.

White Haven.

It is as amusing as Artemus Ward's Kangaroo, to hear the editors of the News how they yell over Sid Mudd and Charles J. Bonaparte as reformers, as he says "there is plenty of room for reformations." We wonder if a little reforming to the editors of the News would do them much harm. Next the Democrats will be calling for a Constitutional clause disfranchising people who can read and giving ballots only to the illiterates, as the editors of the News think it costs so much to educate the colored pupils, something must be done. They first cry illiterate, and it now seems they are afraid the poor things will get a little education. From a political standpoint, the average newspapers of this county are the greatest humbugs this side of Hepsidam, the people are hoodwinked and bamboozled by some of the papers they read until they see nothing but distorted views. This is all wrong. What we need is a press that will tell the truth though the heavens fall. How to the line, let the chips fall where they may. In this age the slogan of every paper should be "let no guilty man escape." It is all right to firmly adhere to principles of your party, be that Democratic or Republican, but if there are rascals in any party ranks, give them the devil.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Parks, of Nanticoke, are visiting Mrs. G. H. Larmore at this place.

Miss Hattie Dashiell, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Wray, at Baltimore, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Young, of Nanticoke, who spent several days with relatives here, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Alex. Murrell, Mrs. Lillie Abbott, of Salisbury, and Mrs. Isaac Mezick, of Fruitland, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives at this place.

Messrs. W. W. Larmore, F. L. Denson and John F. Phillips were in Baltimore this week.

Hot coffee and sandwiches have been served free at W. W. Culver, Jr., & Co.'s this week. They have on exhibition the Majestic Range and have sold quite a good many.

Riverton.

I. S. Bennett is attending court in Salisbury.

Schooner T. J. Dall, Capt. J. R. Higgins, has arrived.

Our steamer is not getting in on time now owing to heavy freights.

Mrs. C. H. Cooper and Mrs. W. T. English spent the day with Mrs. B. J. Shockley.

Our shirt factory has resumed operations.

The gasoline boat "Nettie M." loaded here with lumber for Laurel this week.

The Riverton M. P. Church is looking quite fine in its new coat of paint, paper, etc.

Mrs. O. P. Jackson visited her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Downing, of Salisbury, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Marine, called on friends in town one evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor has returned from a visit to her son in Baltimore.

We were visited with a light frost on Tuesday night.

Fodder saving being now over 'tis now time to fill up the wood pile.

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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

(Continued From Page 1.)

January, 1903. On a plea that the Victor incorporated Co. had not paid its bonus tax to the State, the plaintiffs took a judgment of non pros. A judgment given for defendants costs. Ellegood for plaintiff, Fitch, Toadvin and Bell for Denson.

No. 4.—Trials: Dulaney & Dulaney vs. Matilda M. Butler. Ejectment for land in Fruitland. Was settled by judgment being entered for the land named in the declaration as per agreement. Walton for plaintiffs and Waller for Mrs. Butler.

No. 10.—Trials: Elijah Freney vs. Diamond State Telephone Co. removed to another county on suggestion of defendants. Suit is for damages for trespass by erection of telephone poles on the land of Mr. Freney. Ellegood, Freney & Waller for Freney, Walton for defendants.

The cases of the fruit growers of Pittsville vs. the P. R. R. Co. were continued on motion to take testimony of non-residents witnesses under a commission.

No. 25.—Trials: Thos. W. H. White vs. Josiah Clayton Kelley. Tried before the court and judgment of the court for the defendant Kelley. Suit was for the alleged wrongful taking and selling of a horse and buggy belonging to Capt. White, by Kelley as constable, under an executor of the Howard Grocery Co. against Taylor. The facts showed that in January, Taylor while at the residence of Capt. White sold the property to White and White did not notify the horse to Kelley, the next week it was hatched, went into his house with Taylor and in writing, hired the property to Taylor for \$1.00 per month and Taylor went away with the property. Afterwards Kelley levied on the same in the possession of Taylor and afterwards sold it on the judgment against Taylor of the Grocery Co. The court held there was not a sufficient delivery to White by Taylor to change the property out of Taylor and take it out of the Statute requiring a Bill of Sale. Toadvin & Bell for Capt. White, Ellegood, Freney & Waller for Kelley.

No. 33.—Trials: Frederick W. Savage vs. James E. Lowe, suit for damages. Settled out of court. Douglas & Handy for Savage. Toadvin & Bell for Lowe.

No. 34.—Trials: Levin Rickerts vs. Wm. T. Banks, suit for damages for assault and battery. Settled out of court. A. M. Jackson for Plaintiff, Toadvin & Bell for Banks.

No. 40.—Albert F. Jones vs. Mayor and Council of Salisbury. Suit for damages for obstruction on Division Street Salisbury, and Jones being injured by same in the night time. Removed to Worcester county. Toadvin & Bell for Jones, Hensett for City. Jones vs. Jones removed from Worcester County continuing.

Thursday.—No. 52. Trials: Julian Seball Co. vs. Mayor and Council of Snow Hill. Tried before jury. Claim by Seball & Co. for purchase money of a street roller valued at \$1,900. Seball & Co. took a judgment of non pros and removed to this county. Oliver D. Collins and Ellegood, Freney & Waller for Seball & Co. and Robley D. Jones and Toadvin & Bell for City.

No. 53.—Trials: Will case of Jones vs. Jones, removed from Worcester Co. set for next Wednesday. About 40 witnesses are summoned and will likely take balance of week to try.

Friday.—No. 3. criminal continuances: State vs. Granville Handy, colored, carrying concealed deadly weapons, tried before the court. Guilty and fined \$10.00 and committed till fine is paid. Bailey for State, Toadvin & Bell for prisoner. Judgment entered up Pettit Jury discharged till 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

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