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CITY MAY STAND SUIT BY HUMPHREYS HEIRS.

Responsibility Disclaimed By Owners
Of Mill Dam—City To Build Frame
Structure In Order That Pond
May Fill With Water.

At a special meeting of the City Council Thursday evening a resolution was adopted providing for the construction of a jury-dam in the Humphreys mill pond at South Division street to be used until a permanent structure can be arranged for. This is considered a splendid move on the part of the city authorities, as it will allow the pond to fill with water and prevent the possible spreading of disease from the abundance of decayed vegetation now exposed on the bottom of the pond. The jury-dam will be built at once. It will be made of heavy planking in a semicircle on the North side of the street. The work will be done by Street Commissioner Serman under the supervision of the Mayor and Council.

Just what will be done with reference to the construction of a new permanent dam is at present a matter of conjecture. It is claimed by the heirs of the Humphreys estate that the bridge and dam which were swept away last Friday were damaged by the weight of the heavy steam roller which passed over it several times while the street paving was being done in Camden and for this reason they feel that the expense of the repairs should not fall upon them. On the other hand it is claimed by the city officials that the timbers supporting the dam had rotted and that they were in no way to blame for the breaking of the dam.

The heirs disclaim all responsibility in the matter because they went before the Council asking that they refrain from taking the steam roller over the bridge. The authorities, it is said, paid no attention to the request with the result that the roller was taken over the dam several times. The heirs claim that this caused a leak in the dam at that time and that the water had worked its way under the foundation causing the break last week. In any event this is a roadway which should be repaired at once and unless the work is done by the city, it is quite probable that suit will be brought by the heirs of the Humphreys estate to recover damages.

Elderlice—Adkins.

Wednesday at noon Miss Edna Adkins and Dr. John Elderlice were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father, Mr. E. S. Adkins. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. L. Elderlice, President of Western Maryland Theological Seminary, assisted by Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor of the M. P. Church, this city. No invitations were issued and the wedding was attended only by the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Wilkie Adkins as maid of honor, and the two little nieces, Eleanor and Bertha Adkins, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Adkins, were the flower girls. Music was rendered by Miss Brown, a cousin of the bride.

After the ceremony an elaborate wedding breakfast was served by Caterer R. Harry Phillips of the Peninsula Hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. Elderlice left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip. Their future home will be at Maryland Springs, where Dr. Elderlice has a fine practice. The wedding gifts were beautiful and in large numbers.

Miss Adkins is one of the most popular young ladies of Salisbury. She is a finished musician and has been a most ardent church worker. She will be missed in the Methodist Protestant Church here, where her efforts have been most successful in helping to build up a large congregation.

Notice!!

There will be services, (D. V.) in Saint Mary's Chapel, Tyaskin, on Sunday next, June 6th, at 8.30 in the afternoon. Everyone coming to these services will be cordially welcomed.
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COMMITTEE AND COUNSEL TALK TELEPHONE MATTERS.

Nothing Definite Has As Yet Been
Accomplished Toward Bringing
About A Settlement Of The
Rate Controversy.

A decisive step was taken in Salisbury's telephone war Monday night, when the Mayor and City Council passed an ordinance fixing the rates to be charged by the Diamond State Telephone Company for service in this city at \$15 per year for a residence telephone and \$25 per year for a telephone in a place of business. Saturday a letter was received in reply to the letter sent the company by the citizens committee as published last week, in which it was stated that the demands of the Salisbury subscribers would not be considered. When the committee read this letter to the members of the Council the ordinance was passed without a dissenting vote. It is claimed by the city authorities that under the provisions of the new city charter which was granted by the last session of the legislature, they have the right to control the rates to be charged by any public service corporation doing business in this city.

A local company has also been organized, and unless the company meets the demands of the people the work of building the new lines will be started.

The letter received by the committee reviews the conference between the Mayor and Council and the officials of the telephone company held some time ago and is concluded with the following paragraph: "In view of the facts stated in this letter, I hope you will withdraw your notice and arrange, either for a committee of experts to make the investigation suggested, or confer with us relative to the matter of leasing our plant and property to the new company when that company is organized. I will say, however, that your demand that the Company agree to establish and maintain the rates of \$15.00 per year for residence service and \$25.00 per year for business service during the life of the franchise, cannot be considered. No one can foresee what changes in conditions might at some future time make necessary changes in prices charged for any service or commodity."

A copy of the propositions submitted to the Mayor and Council is enclosed with the letter as follows: "First, that you appoint a committee of engineers and accountants to investigate the telephone conditions in the city of Salisbury and report to you as whether or not an increase in rates charged for telephone service would seem to be justified; Second, that, should you be of the opinion that a local company could furnish an adequate telephone service at the rates now charged in Salisbury, which are \$15.00 per year for residence service and \$25.00 per year for business service, our Company would lease to the new company its plant and property under reasonable terms and surrender its local business to the new company."

In response to the letter sent by the committee Fred L. Owens, Esq., general counsel of the Diamond State Telephone Company, with whom all of the papers relative to the telephone situation in Salisbury have been filed, came to this city yesterday afternoon to meet the citizen's committee.

A lengthy conference was held. He simply renewed the foregoing proposition either to appoint a committee of engineers and experts to find the value of the company's property in this city with the view of ascertaining whether or not the company is making money on this plant; or to lease the company's property to an independent company which would maintain the rates desired by Salisburyans. When asked upon what basis such a lease would be made, Mr. Owens stated that he had not been authorized to submit any definite proposition. He inferred, however, that the net rental would be about ten per cent. of the total valuation of the plant and equipment and that the valuation would approximate \$30,000.

It is believed by the men who were connected with the old Salisbury Telephone Company that a new plant could be built in Salisbury just as good as the one now in operation for \$20,000. For this reason it is believed that the local subscribers of Salisbury will not consider the leasing of the property and that a new Company will immediately ask for a franchise.

WICOMICO'S VALUATION NEARLY \$10,000,000.

New Assessment Shows An Increase
Of \$300,000 Over Last Year—County
Tax Rate Fixed By Com-
missioners At \$1.00.

The County Commissioners met Tuesday and struck the levy for 1909. The tax rate was fixed the same as at present, one dollar for county and sixteen cents for State, making a total of \$1.16 for State and county. During the past year there has been an enormous amount of work done in the county in the way of new roads, both stone and shell, the building of several miles of fine dirt road, the repairs to numerous bridges, and the building of several new ones, including the new bridge at the foot of Main street and the rebuilding of Camden Avenue bridge.

The Commissioners have also been liberal with the public schools and this year they appropriated \$25,000 for the maintenance of the schools, which is an increase of \$5,000 over last year. The Commissioners will also provide for the building of a new six-room school building beyond the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk railroad, a new building at Pittsville and one in Nutters district. The policy of a few years ago of letting the school buildings run down has been abandoned and a sufficient amount will be set aside each year for repairs.

The demands upon the Commissioners for roads and bridges have also been heavy, and they have spent about \$20,000.00 on these items during the year. During the year many substantial culverts have been built and old bridges dispensed with. The repairs to shell roads have been a very expensive item and several miles of new shell roads have been constructed. It is the intention to provide for permanent improvements in the way of culverts and drains rather than the flimsy makeshifts of former years. It is the intention of the Commissioners to use the proportion of the State money under the Shoemaker Act every year, which will entail a cost of about \$10,000.00 on the county for building new roads under the Act, outside of other road expenses.

The assessable basis of Wicomico county is gradually increasing every year and this year it has increased about \$800,000. This is new property placed on the books. The basis of the several districts are as follows:

Barren Creek.....	\$ 890,869.00
Quantico.....	414,645.00
Tyaskin.....	296,759.00
Pittsburg.....	387,666.00
Parsons.....	1,167,208.00
Dennis.....	174,819.00
Trappe.....	332,347.00
Nutters.....	215,588.00
Salisbury.....	1,383,780.00
Sharptown.....	255,288.00
Delmar.....	367,712.00
Nanticoke.....	326,917.00
Camden.....	713,692.00
Willard.....	134,824.00

Total.....\$9,521,064.00
Stock of Corporations..... 2,176,673.00
Bonds of Corporations..... 920,000.00

Total Basis.....\$9,634,737.00
Tax rate of \$1.00 on the hundred for county purposes will bring in a revenue of \$97,000.00.

Ellis—Cooke.

Mr. Ernest Hubert Ellis and Miss Mary Langley Cooke, daughter of Mrs. Salie B. Cooke, were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, corner Maryland Ave. and Smith St. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. T. M. Beale.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Sadie L. Cooke as maid of honor. Mr. Raymond K. Truitt was best man. Miss Cooke was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. M. Jackson. The wedding march was played by Mr. C. A. White.

The wedding was a quiet affair, only the immediate families being present. After the ceremony a reception was held. The bride and groom left on the night express for New York to be gone a week. On their return they will reside in Camden where Mr. Ellis has a handsome home on the Boulevard.

Mr. Ellis is a son of Mr. John T. Ellis and a member of the firm of J. T. Ellis & Son, marble workers of this city. He is a hustling young business man who has many friends in this community.

BENTON KELLY HELD UNDER \$5,000.00 BAIL.

Powellville Killing Case Will Now Be
Brought Before Next Session Of
Grand Jury—Contradictory
Evidence At Hearing.

Benton Kelly, the young man who was held by the coroner's jury for the killing of Hiram Truitt, at Powellville, this county, was held under bail in the sum of \$5,000 at a hearing Wednesday afternoon. Kelly was arrested on a writ of detention pending the verdict of the jury of inquisition and lodged in the county jail. Habeas corpus proceedings were at once instituted by his counsel, Messrs. Elmer H. Walton and Miles & Stanford, and he was given a hearing before Judge Holland. There was much contradictory evidence brought out at the hearing and in rendering his decision Judge Holland stated that he wished it distinctly understood that he was not passing upon the guilt or innocence of the prisoner. He stated that it was a matter that should be brought before the grand jury and fixed the bail at \$5,000.

Hiram Truitt, who died last Friday night, was the victim of a fight which occurred in Donoway's barber shop at Powellville about two weeks ago. During the encounter he was fatally cut with a knife in the abdomen. In his dying statement he implicated Kelly with the crime notwithstanding the fact that he had been exonerated at a previous hearing before Justice Marcellus Dennis, of Powellville.

State Accepts Home For Aged.

The Salisbury Home for the Aged was accepted by the State of Maryland Tuesday, with appropriate exercises at the new institution, under the auspices of the lady board of managers. The speakers were introduced by Mr. W. B. Miller, president of the board of directors. It was expected that the home would be accepted on the part of the state by Gov. Crothers, but word was received Tuesday morning to the effect that he would be unable to be present, and this honor fell to ex-Senator M. V. Brewington.

The program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D.; address, Mrs. Louisa Collier, president of the board of lady managers; address, C. E. Harper, mayor of Salisbury; address, James E. Ellegood, in which he formally tendered the institution to the State of Maryland; speech by M. V. Brewington, in which he accepted the institution on behalf of the state; address, Jesse D. Price, state senator from Wicomico county; remarks by Rev. S. W. Reigart, D. D.; Rev. T. B. Martindale, D. D., and Rev. W. A. Cooper. There were also musical selections by Mrs. M. A. Humphreys and a female quartette.

The Salisbury Home for the Aged was opened in a small way six years ago through the efforts of Mrs. Collier. Sufficient funds to start the work were donated by John Benjamin Parsons, president of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, who was born and raised in this city. The home was maintained by donations from the people of Salisbury. Mrs. Collier sought its enlargement, however, and last year through the efforts of Senators M. V. Brewington and Jesse D. Price, the state appropriated \$7,500 for the building of a new home. This is the first charitable institution of its kind accepted by the State of Maryland. The rooms are large and furnished with the view of making life pleasant for the inmates.

Among the donations are the following: Dining Room furnished completely by President of the Board of Trustees, W. B. Miller; one bed room furnished by the Young Men's Club of the Methodist Protestant Church; one by Miss Laura Brenizer; one by Mrs. W. H. Jackson; one by Pocomoke City. The total cost for the Home and repairs is estimated at \$15,000.

I. O. O. F. Officers Elected.

At the last regular meeting of Newton Lodge No. 50, I. O. O. F., the following officers were elected:
Noble grand, E. J. C. Parsons; vice-grand, Samuel F. Feldman; sec., Jno. G. Brittingham; treas., L. Thos. Parker; warden, J. Edward White; chaplain, Charles W. Bennett; marshal, Dr. J. F. Balokley; Trustees, Joseph Hooper for 2 years; D. G. Farlow, for 2 years; E. W. Windsor for 1 year.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Topic for Tomorrow, The Power of The Tongue. Discussed By A Local Writer.

GOLDEN TEXT:—[Who so keepeth his mouth and his tongue, keepeth his soul from trouble.]

Our golden text is taken from proverbs, and we cannot but think that James was well acquainted with the Proverbs and the entire Old Testament Scriptures, when we read his letter to the churches. This particular lesson was no doubt prompted by the dissections, caused by many teachers throughout the church, teaching their individual conception of the truth, and possibly prompted the thought in the mind of James, the one in authority at Jerusalem, that this manner of teaching might produce fractional strife as it had almost succeeded in doing before the first church council. So James advises, "be not many masters"; not many in authority or teaching, for in case of failure, the greater is the condemnation. And then he adds, "For in many things we offend all"; or all stumble, and in our teaching or example cause offence, not only falling ourselves, but causing others to fall, hence a greater condemnation. It is just the old proverb,—"assume position or prominence and responsibility follows, and the apostle turns in his argument to the tongue or speech."

Reason and speech is the great distinctive mark of man's superiority in creation. A reasoning soul, with the power of expression of thought in speech, is what God, our Creator, behead as good. "As a man thinketh, so is he," is true, for it is the thought, which flows out of our hearts in speech, that defileth. Some one has said, "Make speech, that I may know thee," for through the tongue we are known as to what manner of men we are. So James says that, if any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man; in other words, is a man's heart right, his reason sound, that his tongue does not give offence, then he is an ideal man. If a man speaks his thoughts, he portrays his character.

And then, James may have meant, knowing, and he did, God's rules for man's conduct, that by using our tongues in any other way than that expressed in that rule of conduct was to stumble and cause offence. The unbridled tongue, the deceiving tongue, the blaspheming tongue, he speaks of what would be a dual tongue of praise and blasphemy, the tongue as a fire, disseminating wickedness, thoughts of a wicked heart voiced through the tongue, even as an emissary of Satan doing his work as planned or "set on fire of hell," marks the opposite of this ideal man.

The tongue is a small member, but its office is great, and its power is even beyond the power of man. All animal creation has been controlled by man but this member, or part of man, spoken of by the apostle, has never been completely overcome by man alone. When James compared man with a ship, he must have considered man in the possibility of his greatness in his nature in the likeness of God, so great in the fullness of ideal humanity. So like a great ship, and yet all his faculties, through this small member by expression from his will power, could, as a rudder, turn him about hither and thither; thinking of the governor at the seat of this power, able to control our tongues, our thoughts, and knowledge, as a rudder for our own lives and the lives of others.

If we teach by precept or example we are to know that according to our success or failure, shall be our commendation or our condemnation. We have from James three points, as to the tongue. First, speech for good, for proper guidance, for assistance, the bridled tongue, that of the ideal man. Second, speech for destruction, disseminating wickedness, spreading sorrow, the unbridled tongue, the ungovernable tongue. Third, inconsistent speech, both good and bad. Out of the same mouth comes praise and power, also cursings and revilings, partaking of holy sacraments and breathing threatenings.

"The question comes, 'If the tongue is ungovernable, is man responsible?'" or "If man cannot change his inward nature, of which the tongue expresses the true character, why is man accountable?" James says that this should not be so. It is the result of sin, and man's sinful nature must be changed. The fountain from which all this expression of life flows must be pure, to send forth purity, and when we accept Christ, we have thrown off the old man, and taken on the new. We drink from our nature's regeneration from the fountain of purity, given by God, through Christ and the Holy Spirit, as James told us in our last lesson, show fruits of our faith in Christ, in good works and living.

We are not to fall in the use of our faculties for teaching, or hide our talents but we are to have a conscience void of offence, doing our whole duty. We are to seek leadership or teaching with care, and finding our responsibility, and seeking to strive to the utmost to govern our tongues, that our souls may be kept from trouble.

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Last Thursday evening Mr. Thomas A. Lankford, son of Mrs. Sallie Lankford, and Miss Mamie L. Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Shaw, both of Pocomoke City, were married at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage by Rev. W. L. S. Murray, D. D.

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The steam laundry in Pocomoke City was destroyed by fire Monday night of last week. The laundry was run by Mr. Sidney L. Maddox and his son, George Maddox. There was no insurance on the building but the damage to the machinery was covered by insurance.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

The Chestertown Bank of Maryland will be represented at the Bankers' Convention to be held at Blue Mountain House in June by Messrs. Curtis E. Crane, Sam'l. Vannort and Allan A. Harris. The Second National Bank elected H. W. Vickers, Esq. and Mr. W. B. Copper to represent that bank.

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The month of June will bring us two eclipses, one of the moon and the other of the sun, both of which will be visible in this country. On June 3, there will be a total eclipse of the moon. The moon rises at 7:19 on that day, and will be in eclipse when it first appears. Two weeks later on the 17th, the sun will be eclipsed, but the sun will be setting when this eclipse occurs, and we shall not have a very good view of it.

Foley's Honey and Tar is especially recommended for chronic throat and lung troubles and many sufferers from bronchitis, asthma and consumption have found comfort and relief, by using Foley's Honey and Tar. For sale by C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden Ave.

The decorators are at work in Cambridge putting up the decorations for the Firemen's Convention and there can be no question of the fact that these decorations add greatly to the appearance of the places decorated. Both firms of decorators there doing work state that the flags and bunting used are absolutely non-fading, which fact insures the decorations maintaining their good appearance in both sunshine and rain.

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Application has been made to the Town Council for a franchise to permit the running of street cars on certain streets of Cambridge, and unless there is some very strong reason for refusing it the franchise should be granted. The Eastern Shore of Maryland, like other sections of the country, will in time be threaded with a net work of electric lines, and Dorchester county and Cambridge should not be shut out from the benefits without good and sufficient reasons and the public has a right to know these reasons.

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Merritt's Bail Forfeited.

The case of Dr. James B. Merritt, indicted by the grand jury at the November term of the court for abortion, and who is out on \$5,000 bail was called in Easton Tuesday morning and the \$5,000 bail forfeited.

Col. James C. Mullikin and W. Mason Shehan, counsel for the prisoner, made a motion to quash the indictment on the grounds that the grand jury was not a legal body. The Court refused their motion. State's Attorney Turner then asked that his bail be forfeited, which the Court granted. On the bond are Mrs. J. B. Merritt, Alexander Fountain, James B. McNeal, Martin M. Higgins, Michael B. Nichols, Edward C. Stoops, and John S. Griffith.

Col. Mullikin made a motion that the bond be reduced one-half, giving as his reason that Mrs. Merritt had given up everything to make his bondsman secure, so that they would not lose a single cent, but that it would impoverish her if the Court insisted on the full amount. State's Attorney Turner objected to reducing the bond.

Judge Pearce said that the Court was in sympathy with Mrs. Merritt and her family, but could not in justice reduce the bond, as Judge Adkins, who fixed it, was prevented from being present, and they would hold that part of the defense as to reduction of the bond until they could confer with Judge Adkins.

The location of Dr. Merritt is unknown in Easton, except to his family, counsel and a few friends.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



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SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1909.

A Sentiment-Defying Politician.

Few men in public life in Mary-
land have so completely defied
public sentiment and the propie-
ties of the occasion as has State's
Attorney J. Frank Turner, of
Talbot County. Upon the resig-
nation of Hon. J. Harry Coving-
ton from that position at the
time he was elected to Congress,
Mr. Turner was selected for the
office thus made vacant and
while he was at that time chair-
man of the State Central Com-
mittee for Talbot County, it was
generally assumed, in view of the
fact that the two positions were in
direct conflict with each other
under the Primary Election Law
now in force in this State, that he
would resign from the committee.
His failure to do so, however, at-
tracted general attention upon the
Eastern Shore and even in other
portions of Maryland and he was
finally called upon for an explana-
tion by the Governor himself.
After a hearing of all the facts and
circumstances at which both the
State and Mr. Turner were repre-
sented by able counsel, the Gov-
ernor decided that the two posi-
tions were absolutely incompatible
and so informed the incumbent of
the office. Notwithstanding this
fact, Mr. Turner has just notified
the Governor that he refuses to
resign either position and at the
present time is standing by this
determination.

Whether any further attempt
will be made to oust him is not
known, but it is certain that if
there is any legal way of compel-
ling him to relinquish one position
or the other, the Governor is thor-
oughly determined that it shall be
done.

But apart from any legal duty
which may devolve upon Mr.
Turner to resign one place or the
other, his determined efforts to
retain both positions is now sub-
jecting him to the keenest possible
criticism within and without the
ranks of his own party.

Upon the chairman of this
committee under the primary
law, devolves the management
and control of the campaign, in-
cluding the expenditure of the
necessary funds for the prosecu-
tion of the work and it has been
very strongly hinted that his de-
termination to hold this office is
for the purpose of protecting cer-
tain political allies. His conduct
under the circumstances is all the
more reprehensible and it is in-
conceivable that anyone should
place himself in such a compro-
mising position, especially in view
of the wide publicity given to the
affair and the determination of
the Governor himself that he
should resign one office or the
other.

Fortunately for the sake of the
public service in Maryland ex-
amples of this kind are exceeding-
ly rare and it is no wonder that
the people of Talbot resent his
action by which they have been
so suddenly thrown in the lime-
light of an unfavorable notoriety.

The Present Telephone Situation.

The answer of the Diamond State
Telephone Company to the de-
mands of the subscribers as pre-
sented through the Citizens Com-
mittee appointed for that purpose,
is along precisely the same line
as their former negotiations with
the Mayor and Council.

They make no definite answer,
state no precise proposition, accede
to no specific demand, commit
themselves to no promises and in
an indifferent attitude, attempt to
shift the responsibility for the
raise of rates upon the people of
Salisbury by suggesting "a com-
mittee of accountants and engin-
eers to investigate the conditions
and report to the City Council the
results of its investigations."

Their answer is absolutely mean-
ingless and is intended for delay
only. The people here have al-
ready forcibly indicated that they
want no such committee as that
suggested in this letter. If the
subscribers should recede from the
action they have already taken
and consent to a plan of action of
this character, the battle would be
virtually won by the Company at
once, for their books are evidently
in prime condition at this time for
their own purposes, and their un-
due anxiety to exhibit them is a
sufficient warning that by them
they can prove absolutely any-
thing, which is necessary to sus-
tain their contention in the matter.

The subscribers of Salisbury
authorized the Committee to se-
cure an agreement and present the
ultimatum to the Company. This
was done in accordance with their
wishes and it is now up to the peo-
ple to sustain that action, and ei-
ther compel the Company to accede
to the demands which have been
made, or form a local Company.
This latter plan is now generally
believed to be the only solution of
the problem which will bring uni-
versal satisfaction to the local
public and guarantee the continu-
ance of equitable and reasonable
rates. At the same time if the
Diamond State will give the neces-
sary assurance as to the rates re-
quested, the matter of the new
Company will be undoubtedly dropped.

Make The Rates Uniform!

In connection with the efforts
which are now being made to se-
cure better shipping facilities for
our wholesale merchants, the ques-
tion of uniform rates should also
be taken up.

It is stated upon reliable author-
ity that there are a number of dif-
ferent freight rates being charged
by the roads upon consignments
to and from this point. It is al-
leged that the Companies have
made very decided concessions to
some of the larger concerns here,
while at the same time they are
compelling smaller companies in
the same line to pay greatly ad-
vanced rates for the same class of
shipments. It would seem that
this is a direct violation of the
Federal Statute in relation to In-
terstate Commerce which is in-
tended to guarantee uniform rates
and prevent the allowance of re-
bates.

It too frequently happens that
these higher rates are placed upon
concerns decidedly less able to
bear them than their larger com-
petitors, and if any favoritism
were shown at all certainly the
former should be the first ones
to secure the benefit of any reduc-
tion of rates, but the whole pur-
pose of the Railroad officials seem
to be to cater to the larger Com-
panies and more extensive plants,
and, little, if any, attention is paid
to the others.

The subject is an important one
to quite a number of our people
here and it would be a wise thing
for the Business Men's Associa-
tion to take the matter up and fully
investigate the rates which are
now being charged with a view
toward securing uniform and
proper charges.

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1100 jobs last year and
we are selling twice as
many this.

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**Duplex
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year were over \$100,000—
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best in the world for the
money. They are \$20.00
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make, same quality. I now
have 60 doctors using
Wrenn Buggies. I sell for
less profit than any dealer
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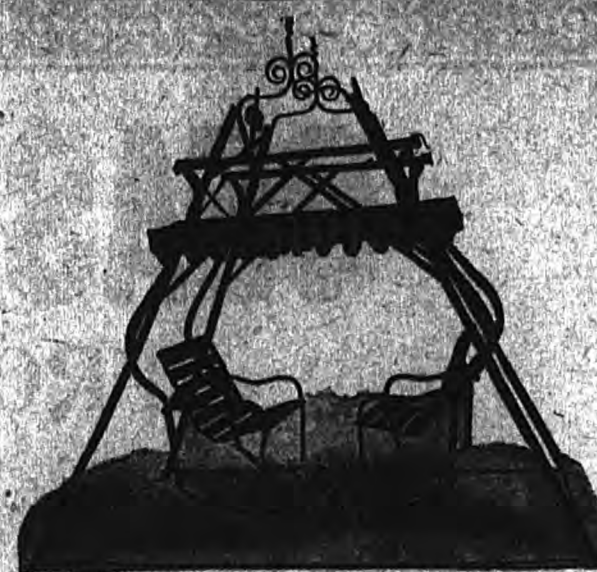
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Town Topics.

—For Porch Rockers and Hammocks see Ulman Sons.

—It will not be long before all the sidewalks on Main street will conform to the new grade.

—The Board of Lady Managers of the Hospital will meet at the City Hall Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

—For Rent—8 room house, wide porches, fine location. Maryland ave., near Camden ave. Apply to Kennerly & Mitchell, Main St.

—Now is the time to get B. V. D. and Balbriggan union underwear for men and boys. Higgins & Schuler have a large quantity on hand.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Lady Board of Managers of the Salisbury Home for the Aged will be held at the City Hall next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Short summer services will begin next Sunday at Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church. 11 A. M. Holy Communion. Short sermon by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Graham, at 8 P. M.

—Miss Mary T. Biddle, a respected resident of Rikton, died at her home in that city Monday, aged 78 years. Mr. Charles R. Alexander, formerly of this city, is a nephew of the deceased.

—The big candle which has been burning in Ulman Son west window and attracted so much attention has at last burned out, having burned 201 hours and 16 minutes. Over 1000 guesses were registered.

—The Jr. O. U. A. M. of Tyaskin will celebrate the 4th of July at their hall on Hill Hill by a festival and oyster supper, also merry-go-round and other amusements. Sister Councils and general public invited.

—Capt. Owens, of Company I, has been notified that the State Militia Board has recommended the selection of Westminster as the place for the State encampment of the Maryland National Guard, which will be held July 18 to 25.

—Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale returned this week from Denver, Col., where he attended the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, and will occupy the pulpit of Wicomico Church at the morning and evening services tomorrow.

—Mr. R. Dale Adkins is opening up his large tract of land on North Division Street Extended for building purposes and expects soon to see a building boom in that section. Mr. Adkins is laying 1,000 feet of concrete sidewalks in front. He has recently sold several lots.

—The members of Division Street Baptist Church have been fortunate in securing Rev. Charles T. Hewitt, who has accepted the pastorate of that church. Rev. Hewitt will take up the work immediately and will fill the pulpit morning and evening tomorrow. He is a graduate of the Crozer Theological Seminary, of Chester, Penna.

—AUCTION SALE—Friday June 11, at my residence, Poplar Hill Ave., of everything contained therein, consisting of handsome druggists, parlor, hall, bedroom, dining room and kitchen furniture, cherry and mahogany pieces. Sale begins at 9 a. m. In case of rain, sale will be held Monday, June 11th. Private sale now going on. W. J. Morris.

—With the view of obtaining the most up-to-date methods in the management of high schools, Prof. Dye, principal of Wicomico High School, will visit several of the better schools of the Western States during the next few weeks. Before his return he will take the Summer course at the University of Chicago. He will leave this city next week.

—At a special meeting of the State Roads Commission Tuesday the contract for the building of the State Road in Wicomico county from Salisbury to Maryland was awarded the County Commissioners at about \$10,000 per mile. Five and one half miles of the road are to be built. This was one of the four bids accepted the others being in Kent, Dorchester and Caroline counties. Bids were rejected in Cecil, Somerset, Worcester, St. Marys and Queen Anne counties.

—All previous records for heavy shipments of strawberries over the Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway and the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad were broken last Saturday, when 142 cars of berries were carried to northern and eastern city markets. These 142 carloads aggregated 1,420,000 quarts of berries. Of these 85 cars went from N. Y., P. & N. points, 24 going from Marion station alone, and 60 cars from B. & A. points. It is stated that about 100 cars went to Boston alone.

—See Ulman Sons add on page 5 for the prize winners in their Big Candle Contest.

—Chief Judge James A. Pearce of the Second Judicial Circuit, was a guest of Dr. John M. Toulson, of this city, several days last week.

—Mrs. Chas. W. Ralph has returned to her home in Crisfield, after a visit to her parents in Salisbury. She was accompanied home by her sister.

—There will be a lawn party Monday evening, June 7th, on the grove near Riverside church. If the weather isn't favorable, Tuesday evening. All are cordially invited.

—Sunday, June 13th, will be observed as Children's Day at Asbury M. E. Church. Special appropriate exercises have been arranged for each of the services during the day.

—Beginning with yesterday the daily boat service on the Wicomico river was discontinued. The steamer now leaves Salisbury Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 12 o'clock, noon.

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—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jackson will leave next week for Lawrenceville, N. J., to attend the commencement exercises at Lawrenceville Preparatory School where their son, Newton Jackson, is a student.

—Mr. J. William Slemons left Thursday morning for Hoboken, N. J., where he will join Capt. Johnson and take a trip with him on a tug boat from there to Maine. Mr. Slemons will be away about two weeks.

—Mr. Sewell Fields, who has been ill at his home in this city for several weeks, was taken to the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Wednesday for treatment. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

—The editor of THE COURIER is indebted to Mr. A. J. Allen for two quarts of strawberries which he brought to this office last week. They were of the Chesapeake variety, very large and of a delicious flavor.

—THE COURIER acknowledges receipt of an invitation from the trustees and faculty of the Maryland Agricultural College to the closing exercises which are to be held June 13th to 16th, at College Park, Maryland.

—The large barge, Victor Lynn, loaded with several thousand bricks from the Wicomico Brick Co's plant at White Haven, sank Saturday night at Gillis' wharf in Salisbury. It is supposed the barge was struck by some of the heavy wreckage from the mill dam last Friday, which knocked a hole in the bottom of the barge.

—The prizes awarded to those guessing nearest the number of hours a large candle would burn in Ulman Sons' window were distributed this week. The winners were Earl Bailey, rocker; Annie T. Wailes, lamp; Cathleen Nealey, rug; glass bowls were given to the following: Earl Connor, Cathryn Leonard, Martha Toadvine, Nellie Flemming and Wilmer Tilghman.

—Master James Edgar Harvey gave a party to a number of children Wednesday afternoon at the home of his parents, Newton street, in celebration of his sixth birthday. Those present were Albert Brotemarkle, Catherine Brewington, Catherine Todd, Jean Dashiell, Audrey Hostetter, Elizabeth Hostetter, Maud Fisher, Nellie Mitchell, Marion Dawson, Virginia Dawson, Dorothy Rounds, Althea Byrd, Helen Phoebus, William Phoebus, Frances Harvey and Mary Belle Higgins.

—Mr. Edwin H. Alberton, a representative of The Bankers Service Corporation of New York, is in Salisbury with a force of several assistants, Messrs. W. A. Roden, P. E. Doyle, C. A. Gaa and L. A. Tierney, and is engaged in installing a savings department in the Salisbury National Bank. A glance at the big advertisement on page 2 will give full particulars.

—Dr. John S. Fulton, well-known in this city, where he lived for many years, a brother of Mrs. M. V. Brewington of this city, has recently received a very fine Government appointment. He has been made Executive Secretary of the International Congress on Hygiene. This appointment is a great compliment to Dr. Fulton, as the Government demands a very high class technical expert to take charge of this work. Dr. Fulton will sail from New York this month on a special mission for the Government abroad and will make a tour of principal cities of England, France, Belgium Austria and Germany.

Don't Fail to Read Page 3 in this issue. If you are interested in the latest Fabrics for Summer wear, you will read something that will interest you.

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2	MRS. ANNIE T. WAILES,	" 200 "	Lamp
3	CATHEEN NEALEY,	" 200 "	Rug
4	EARL CONNOR,	" 200 "	Bowl
5	CATHRYN LEONARD	" 200 "	Bowl
6	MARTHA TOADVINE	" 200 "	Bowl
7	WILMER TILGHMAN	" 200 "	Bowl
8	NELLIE FLEMING	" 199 "	Bowl

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THE REJECTED DREAM MAN.

By AMELIA TRUESDALE.

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Roy Adams, paddling about among the water lilies with Ruby Lane, had just come near proposing to her and she to refusing him, this being their customary daily diversion. Now he was watching her sadly. That was what irritated her so—his inordinate laziness. He was large and blond, with placid blue eyes like a sleepy baby's. She was little and trim as waxwork, and her gray eyes were clear and keen.

"I don't know what kind of a fellow you want," he grumbled amiably, with an indolent movement of one ear.

"He's brisk," Ruby replied, "and energetic."

"Think I've got him in my mind's eye," Roy gave the other ear an easy touch. "Small and bustling and chipper, like the little cock sparrow that sat on a tree."

"He isn't like that in the least," Ruby sat up prim and stiff and rosy with indignation.

"Oh, isn't he? Beg his pardon. Where is he now?"

"At work," Ruby replied promptly, her tone implying a comparison between a man thus profitably employed and one who idled his time away at a summer hotel.

"Perhaps he has an object in view," Roy insinuated.

"Perhaps," Ruby admitted demurely. "And—um—is the object to be attained soon?"

Ruby let her eyes drop toward the top ruffle of her blue organdie.

"I don't know exactly, not before next spring." She was dabbling her hand in the lake, her eyelashes still slanting downward.

"Ah! Congratulate him and everything. Shall we row over to that bunch of willows or down to the little cove?"

For an instant Ruby wished she might tip the boat over, just to see if his exasperating equanimity would be disturbed by such an emergency.

"I don't believe it would," she decided in disgust. "He'd get us out if he could conveniently, and if he couldn't he'd drown with the contented smile on his face as serenely as if he were a wooden shem out of a toy Noah's ark."

Mrs. Albert Lloyd was peacefully crocheting when her sister Ruby whirled in upon her, cast herself into a rocking chair and rocked tempestuously for three minutes. Mrs. Albert viewed her quietly, suspending her crochet hook for a moment.

"Been fencing with Mr. Adams again?" she queried mildly.

"Yes," Ruby answered, "but I hardly think he'll care about fencing any more."

"No? Why not?"

"I practically told him I was engaged."

"Dear me! And to whom?"

"A person I invented."

"You unprincipled wretch! What did you do it for?"

"Just to see what effect it would have."

"And what effect did it have?"

"None at all. You couldn't stir him up to move an eyelash whatever you did. He's too sublimely lazy even to lose his temper."

Mrs. Albert shook her head gently.

"You're off the track," she commented, unwinding more scarlet wool. "He may perhaps be guilty of always keeping his temper, and let me tell you, a married woman would consider that a very good failing, but as for being lazy—Albert's friends say that, although he has that lazy way and looks as if he were letting things go to smash if they want to, he has his eye on everything and every move he makes counts. I shouldn't wonder if you've put your silly foot in it for once with your invented man."

Mrs. Lloyd ceased her lecture as she found herself talking to a dissolving view of blue organdie ruffles and a couple of whisking cash ends and returned to her crocheting.

Roy appeared before Ruby early the next day in his usual calm frame of mind and his boating rig.

"Think he'll object to your going out on the lake with me just once more?" he asked. "I'm going away early tomorrow morning."

"What for?" she asked.

"Have to," he responded. "Vacation comes to an end tonight. Can you go?"

She reflected dully that she must either confess her little romance of yesterday to be an unfounded one or bid goodby forever to this exasperating man, and she knew now that the latter was something she could not do and retain any shred of happiness.

She waited, however, until they were out on the blue, soothing bosom of the lake. Then she rushed into it.

"He couldn't object, you know," she said, reverting to his remark of some time before, "because he's only a fiction."

"A dream man?" he asked.

She nodded, blushing uncomfortably.

He hummed a bar of "When a Dream Came True" and settled back easily. Ruby looked down in silence.

She was waiting for him to say something else, and he was carelessly mov-

ing an oar now and then and apparently thinking of nothing at all. She noticed for the first time how strong his brown hands looked. They were not the hands of a lazy man.

"They drifted along aimlessly."

"It was a silly story to tell," Ruby said at last.

"Oh, I don't know," he answered indifferently. "I rather thought you were fabricating. But you might realize him yet, you know."

"I don't want to." Her voice was a little uneven.

"Poor dream man! I sympathize with him, I'm sure. Like to have that pond ily?"

"Thank you. I don't care for it. Let's go back."

He agreed amiably. "I ought to get back early," he said. "I promised Kingsland to go over and fish with him this afternoon, so we may not see each other again. Caesar, isn't this a day for fishing, though?"

Ruby's cheeks tingled as she walked silently beside him through the light, dry grass on the way to the hotel, while he stalked cheerfully along, making irritatingly pleasant remarks about the scenery.

They came to a standstill at the summer house on the lawn. It was empty, and Ruby did not want to walk into the crowd of people on the hotel porch.

"I'm tired," she said. "I'll rest awhile, and we can say goodby here."

He held out his sunburned hand and clasped hers closely for a minute.

"Goodby," he said. "If you should come to terms with the dream man don't forget to let me know."

She watched him going across an adjoining field as she fell into the big willow chair and began to rock. Then she looked off distantly toward the misty hills. They were dimmer than the light summer haze warranted.

"Only a summer flirtation—only a summer flirtation," creaked the chair maddeningly.

She turned her eyes to the field again. She could still see the tall form loitering along. When it should disappear the end of things would have come. He stooped, seemed to pick up something; then he turned slowly and began his easy stride back toward the summer house. It seemed ages before he reached the door and looked in, holding toward her a flower on a long stalk, just a fringe of pale lilac petals uncurling from a tawny golden center.

"See; I found the first aster and came back to bring it to you," he said.

She accepted it silently. He looked curiously at her eyes. The rims were decidedly pink. He folded his arms and leaned against the door casing.

"Sure you aren't going to marry the dream man?" he asked after a casual survey of the landscape.

"Didn't I tell you there wasn't any?"

"I thought you might be fibbing again. If there really isn't—"

"Well?"

"Couldn't you reconsider things and take me, after all?"

A Discovery by Chance.

Figuerra, the master of early engraving, delighted in doing deeds of kindness. One day a washerwoman in washing a piece of clothing in which a needle had been carelessly left had the misfortune to run it into her hand. The needle broke, and more than half of it was left imbedded in the flesh. It gave her much pain, and as soon as she could she went to Figuerre's studio, put down the bundle of damp clothes that she was carrying to their owner and asked the artist to help her. After much patient, careful manipulation with his fine tools he succeeded in extracting the broken needle.

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Caviare.

Caviare is the roe of the sturgeon prepared as a table delicacy. As a dish too rare to be known by the generality of people and the flavor of which would not be relished by an uneducated palate, Shakespeare makes Hamlet speak of it.

Meteors.

The meteors which fall upon the earth in vast numbers every year add their weight to the earth. Thus the earth is increasing a minute quantity in weight each year, but not enough to be perceptible in thousands of years.

Couldn't Remember the Shade.

Mrs. Benham—Whose hair was that I found on your coat last night?

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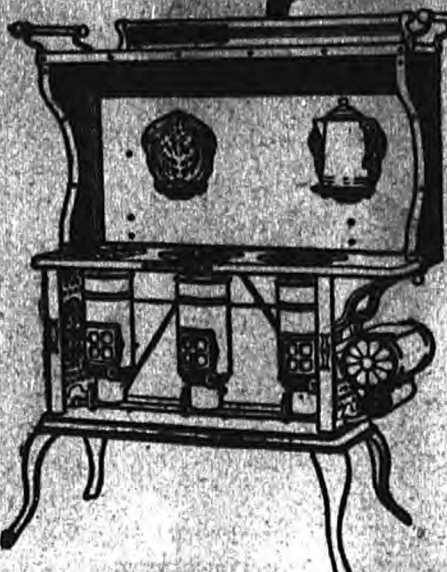
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Philadelphia	10:00	11:22	3:00	Cape Charles	10:05	9:15	4:00
Baltimore	9:00	7:52	3:25	Salisbury	11:50	12:30	7:25
Wilmington	10:44	12:05	3:44	Delmar	1:12	1:03	7:20
				Cape Charles	1:12	1:03	7:20
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25th, 1908, fully sets forth Mr. Stan-
ford's position in the judicial contest
in the First Circuit.

To the Editor of Cambridge Record

Dear Sir:—In your issue of the
24th inst., you published, under color
of an editorial, a purported despatch
from Snow Hill, Maryland, to the
Philadelphia Record, headed "Dis-
trust in Worcester County," which
undertakes to say my law partner,
Joshua W. Miles, "has a candidate for
Associate Judgeship in the person
of Henry L. D. Stanford, whom he
is pushing to the fore with all the
power at his command." In view of
the use of my name, as stated, in
your columns, I take the liberty of
requesting that you give equal pub-
licity to this communication, espe-
cially as the public will understand,
coming directly from me, that it is fully
authorized and is not open to sus-
picion as is the purported despatch
from Snow Hill, which never could
have been written or authorized by
any reputable person in that town
or Worcester county, and bears the
ear-marks of inspiration and con-
struction elsewhere. It is somewhat
surprising to me you should think
it worthy of production, especially
in your editorial column, because on
its face it indicates an amazing as-
sumption that the credulity of the
public, or at least that part of it
interested in the judicial contest in
this district, could be imposed upon
by the vagaries and misstatements
of the writer of the article in ques-
tion, designed, evidently, for effect
upon the judicial contest. It is suf-
ficient, perhaps, for me to say with
reference to the use of my name in
said article, that at the time of the
questionable passage by the Legisla-
ture of the act retiring Judges Lloyd
and Page, when it will be remem-
bered my name was mentioned as a
probable candidate for Associate
Judge, I took occasion to state pub-
licly in the press, that I was not a
candidate either for Chief Judge or
Associate Judge. Since then I have
had no occasion to become a candi-
date and this fact is well-known to
Mr. Miles, my law partner, who ac-
cordingly has made, and is making
no effort whatever to push me to the
fore as a candidate; and further I
would state that on the contrary, I
have made known to Judge Jones
and others that I would not be candi-
date and that, in my opinion, he would
have no opposition to his nomination
from Somerset county. I would also
state, with equal candor that long
before Judge Henry's appointment as
Chief Judge, I had given by endorse-
ment to the candidacy of Mr. John
R. Pattison for the Judgeship at the
expiration of Judge Lloyd's tenure,
and in this expression the full bench
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and substantially all resident mem-
bers of the bar, in the Circuit, out-
side of Dorchester county, appeared
to fully agree, and it may not be
amiss to state, without disparage-
ment to the other members of your
excellent local bar, that Mr. Pattison
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logical candidate by reason of his
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stones in the presence of those "serene
creators of immortal things" who have
enriched our literature with gifts be-
yond all price. This "glorious company
of papers," as they have been termed,
says a writer in Great Thoughts, have
won a fame in the glow of which that
of statesmen and warriors wanes and
perishes, "touched to death by divine
eyes." Drawn together, as it were, by
the spell of Chaucer, "our first war-
bler," what Spenser calls "black ob-
lition's rust" has failed to tarnish their
golden record. We move entranced
amid the memorials of Dryden, Ben
Jonson, Spenser, Shakespeare, Ben-
mont, Milton, Gray, Addison and many
more, including the impassioned peas-
ant singer, Robert Burns, and the great
Victorians, Robert Browning and Al-
fred Tennyson.—London Standard.

THE PROFESSOR REMEMBERS.

Professor (as the company is break-
ing up, missing one of his rubbers).
Has any of you gentlemen put on
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Blatter.

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Becomes lame, weak or aching;
When urinary troubles set in;
Your kidneys are "in a bad way."
Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you.
Here is local evidence to prove it:

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Kidney Pills according to directions
will find relief from kidney trouble.
For at least thirty years my kidneys
were disordered and as I am obliged to
work in a draught and do much heavy
lifting, it was hard for me to escape kid-
ney ills. My back often became very
weak and lame and the kidney secre-
tions annoyed me on account of their ir-
regularity in passage. It was finally my
good fortune to hear of Doan's Kidney
Pills and I procured a supply at White &
Lequard's drug store. They brought me
great relief and I have used them off
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take no other.

An Inventive Genius.

There is a student in the University
of Pennsylvania whose inventive gen-
ius, if directed in the right direction,
is likely to bring him fame in after
life. This youth was called before one
of the professors, charged with being
absent from more than the permitted
number of classes. After lecturing
him thoroughly and telling him the
penalties that would have to be im-
posed, the professor asked the youth
if he had any excuses to offer for his
continued absences. "This hour comes
from 9 to 10," said the youth, "and I
am so peculiarly constituted that I can
never get up for a 9 o'clock hour."
"That is no excuse," replied the pro-
fessor indignantly. "Why don't you
get an alarm clock?" "I did try that,"
answered the student, "but it was no
use. I never could hear the alarm go
off. I have a weak heart and as a re-
sult am forced to sleep all the time on
my right side, and I am totally deaf in
my left ear." The professor knew full
well that this statement was not con-
fined to the strict truth, yet he thought
one who could invent such a tale was
deserving of better things and decided
to give him another chance.—Philadel-
phia Record.

Men Past Fifty In Danger

Men past middle life have found com-
fort and relief in Foley's Kidney Rem-
edy, especially for enlarged prostate
gland which is very common among el-
derly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky.,
writes: "Up to a year ago my father
suffered from kidney and bladder trouble
and several physicians pronounced it
enlargement of the prostate gland and
advised an operation. On account of his
age we were afraid he could not stand
it and I recommended Foley's Kidney
Remedy, and the first bottle relieved
him, and after taking the second bottle
he was no longer troubled with this
complaint." C. M. Brewington 310
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Easy Cure.

"There is a man who is always look-
ing for trouble."
"Well, it's easy enough to cure him
of that habit."
"How?"
"Get him put on the police force."—
Exchange.

Sarcastic.

"Do you sleep with your mouth
open?" inquired a doctor.
"I've never noticed," was the sarcas-
tic reply, "but I'll look tonight when
I'm asleep."

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COUNTY.

Jesterville.

Mrs. Susie Robertson is visiting friends in Salisbury.

We are sorry to report so many on the sick list this week.

Mr. Clarence Heath spent Saturday and Sunday with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young, Jr., and little Ethel Elliott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horsman.

Rev. and Mrs. Hastings and daughter, Ruth, and Rev. Zepp were the guests of Mr. George P. Heath Sunday.

The berry growers of this neighborhood have met with a great loss this season on account of the berries selling at such low prices.

Parsonsburg.

When we are going to have our Children's Day.

The berry season is nearly over in this section.

Many of the berry pickers left for their homes this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hearn, of Zion, were in town this week.

Mr. Frank Bond, of Baltimore, spent the first of the week with his sister, Mrs. S. P. Parsons.

Mr. Virgil Parsons, of Pittsville, spent the first of this week with his father, Mr. B. F. Parsons.

Mrs. W. B. Hayman, of Ocean City, was the guest of Mrs. Rebecca Hayman, on Main Street, this week.

Mrs. W. J. Laws and children, of Berlin, were the guests of Mr. S. P. Parsons and family this week.

Rev. V. E. Hills killed a large snake Thursday. It was 6 feet and 2 inches long. Later in the day one of the berry pickers from Wilmington killed another one almost as long as the first one at the same place.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following parties remain uncalled for at the Salisbury Post Office and will be sent to the Dead Letter Office two weeks from today. When inquiring please state that these letters have been advertised:

Mr. T. N. Adkins.
Mr. John Bodkin.
Mr. William Brittingham.
Dr. George N. Belsom, Jr.
Mrs. S. N. Culver.
Mr. C. E. Dennis.
Mr. W. D. S. Drummond.
Rev. W. H. Douglass.
Mrs. Clara Dorman.
Mr. Horace Foskey.
Mrs. Ellen Gray.
Miss Mollie Gray.
Miss Elizabeth Smith.
Mrs. Thomas Humphreys.
Miss Elizabeth Smith.
Miss Lula Smith.
Mr. A. C. Short.
Mr. W. J. Taylor.
Charlotte Tomison Co.
Mr. Mornau Venaples.
John D. Waters.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class Meeting at 9:30; Short sermon and administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 o'clock; Sunday School at 2:30; Epworth League at 7:00 o'clock; preaching at 8 o'clock by the pastor.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; preaching at 11:00 by the pastor; Epworth League at 7:00; Evening services at 8:00.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00; Christian Endeavor at 7:00; Evening sermon at 8:00.

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; preaching and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock; Class Meeting at 3:30; Christian Endeavor at 7:00 o'clock; evening sermon at 8:00.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Early celebration at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 9:30; Morning prayer at 11:00; Evening prayer and sermon at 8:00.

Riverside M. E. Church, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock; Class services at 3 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.; preaching at 7:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 6:30; Preaching at 8:00 o'clock.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South Salisbury. Sunday School at 2:30 o'clock; Preaching at 8:30.

Personal.

—Mr. Richard Jackson is visiting in Birmingham, Ala.

—Miss Mary Dennis is visiting relatives in Arkansas.

—Mr. D. J. Elliott was in Baltimore several days this week.

—Miss Miriam Dickinson, of Pocomoke, spent Tuesday in town.

—Mrs. Mc Burney, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. E. W. Smith, Main St.

—Mrs. James E. Ellegood is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Wooten, in Laurel, Del.

—Mr. Howard T. Moore, of New York City, was in Salisbury several days this week.

—Mrs. W. T. Brumley and daughter, Marie, are visiting relatives in Princess Anne.

—Mrs. Levin D. Collier entertained Wednesday afternoon at her home on Camden Ave.

—Miss Lucy Martindale, of Boston, is visiting her father, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D.

—The Misses Houston gave a bridge party Monday afternoon at their home on Camden Ave.

—Miss Katherine Toadvin, who is a student at Ogontz School, returned home Wednesday.

—Mrs. Katherine McMackin spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Rawlins, in Seaford.

—Miss Mary Cooper Smith, who has been visiting friends in Baltimore, returned home Sunday.

—Miss Laura Elliott, who has been spending several months in Florida, returned home Thursday.

—Miss Belle Jackson, who was graduated from Ogontz School Tuesday, returned home Wednesday.

—Mrs. J. W. Dobbin, of Castleton-on-the-Hudson, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Weisbach.

—Mr. Wallace White, is spending his Summer vacation in town and is connected with the Advertiser.

—Mrs. Alice Durham left Monday for Ocean Grove, N. J., where she will spend her Summer vacation.

—Mrs. John Greene returned home Saturday after spending two weeks with relatives in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

—Mrs. M. A. Humphreys and Miss Maria Ellegood were guests of their sister, Mrs. Harry Mayer, in Dover, last week.

—Mrs. Mary Worcester and Master Chas. Howard, who has been visiting relatives in Crisfield, returned home Wednesday.

—Miss Carrie Peters who has been teaching in Snow Hill, returned to her home "Fairfield" Saturday where she will spend the Summer.

—Misses Ada Cannon and Ida Prettyman, of Laurel, Del., were guests of relatives and friends in this city during the latter part of this week.

—Mrs. Herbert Austey, who has been a resident of Salisbury for the past two years, left Tuesday for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will join her husband and they will make that city their future home. Since Mr. and Mrs. Austey have been in this city they have made many friends who are loath to have them leave.

Three Employees Held.

The jury of inquest which was summoned to investigate the cause of the wreck in which Engineer West lost his life returned a verdict Saturday night after deliberating about 5 hours in which three employees are charged with criminal negligence. They are John Byrd, train despatcher at Cape Charles, James S. Taylor, station agent at Fruitland and George H. Cordrey, conductor of freight train No. 6.

Cordrey is held guilty because of his failure to acquaint his flagman, William O'Neal with the order, and by his failure in sending him back when train No. 6, of which he was conductor, left Fruitland station and pulled in on the sidetrack. In failing to do this, he violated one of the most rigid rules of the company. Taylor is held because he allowed the passenger train to pass his station less than five minutes after the freight train had passed. Train Despatcher Byrd is found guilty for not superseding his previous orders when he was notified by Taylor that train No. 6 had not yet left the station.

Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the three men and it is expected that they will be called upon to furnish bail. They will probably be held for the action of the grand jury.

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MEMORIAL TO THE INDIAN.

Giant Statue Planned For New York Harbor by Rodman Wanamaker.

In the grand ballroom at Sherry's, in New York, the other night Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker, tendered a dinner to Colonel William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) which will be long remembered by those who attended. It was suggested during the evening that a statue of an American Indian, with arms outstretched in welcome to the world and matching in size the Liberty statue, be placed in New York harbor at the Hudson's mouth. The memorial will be erected by Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker. Colonel Cody voiced the proposition, and it was endorsed by General Nelson A. Miles, General Leonard Wood and General Horace Porter.

It was a distinguished company that listened to Colonel Cody after he was presented by the toastmaster, John B. Hedges. They applauded the colonel, who, with a bow to Sioux Chief Ironshell and his son Henry, dressed in their war togs and feathers, first paid tribute to the great service rendered by Mr. Wanamaker in sending expeditions to the far west for the collection of historical material so that the vanishing red man should not go down in history with the real virtues of his great race unknown and unappreciated.

"Mr. Wanamaker has not told me what he intends to do for the Indian," said Colonel Cody. "I know the value of his expeditions, but I believe he has in mind some further way of perpetuating the character of the race. I have an idea that the work now begun means a monument in the harbor as big as Liberty or bigger of an Indian with hands extended in welcome."

"I have known the red man since I was a baby. I have known him on the warpath and in peace, and I have known him to be always honorable in peace or war. He has been driven back over the country of which he once was lord. I have seen the bones of white men on Indian land, but never have I seen the bones of Indians on white men's land."

General Miles, old Indian fighter and friend of Buffalo Bill, praised his scout and told stories of the plains. General Porter, who crossed the continent before the days of the first transcontinental railroad, said he had found Buffalo Bill the most reliable scout in the country, and Cody always knew where the best grass, water and whiskey could be had.

His Bad Handwriting.

Dean Farrar in his "Reminiscences" says that the first proofs of Dean Stanley's "Sinal and Palestine" informed the reader that from the monastery of Sinal was visible "the horn of the burning beast!" This was a fearfully apocalyptic nightmare of the printer's devil for "the horizon of the burning bush." The original proof sheets also stated that on turning the shoulder of Mount Olivet in the walk from Bethany "there suddenly burst upon the spectator a magnificent view of—Jones!" In this startling sentence "Jones" was a transmutation of "Jerusalem," the dean's abbreviated way of writing "Jerusalem." When the dean answered an invitation to dinner his hostess has been known to write back and inquire whether his note was an acceptance or a refusal, and when he most kindly replied to the question of some workman the recipient of his letter thanked him, but ventured to request that the tenor of the answer might be written out by some one else, as he was "not familiar with the handwriting of the aristocracy."

The Reason.

"Sad about the church organ being burned down, wasn't it?"
"Why couldn't they put it out?"
"Because none of the firemen could play on it!"—Punch.

J. GABRIEL ULMAN, Attorney

ELMER H. WALTON, Attorney

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County and State of Maryland, at the instance of John Birkmeyer, Louis Birkmeyer and John F. Birkmeyer, Jr., partners trading as John F. Birkmeyer and Sons against the goods, and chattels, lands and tenements of Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett, I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett in and to all the following property, to wit:

All that lot of land in the town of Sharpton, in Sharpton Election District, in Wicomico County, Maryland, on the South side of Water street, and having a frontage of fifty feet on said Water street, and adjoining properties of Annie Knowles, Thos. Russell and Josephus Phillips, and having a depth of ten perches and ten feet and being the same property conveyed to the said Major H. Bennett by John H. Smith and wife, by deed dated the 29th day of June, 1889, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County, in Liber F. M. S., No. 5, Folio 208.

And I hereby give notice that on

Saturday, June 9, 1909,

at two o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Court House, Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the above described lot of land, with the improvements thereon, to satisfy said writ and costs.

WM. W. LARMORE, Sheriff said Wicomico County.

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The Annual Teachers and Scholarship Examinations will be held in the Wicomico High School, Salisbury, Md., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 15th, 16th and 17th, 1909, beginning at 9 a. m. each day.

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FOUR NEW BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Salisbury Gets Additional School Beyond N. Y. P. & N. Depot—Work To Be Pushed So They Can Be Ready For Winter Term.

Four additional public school buildings are to be built in Wicomico county during the Summer months and will be ready for occupancy at the time set for the opening of the Fall term. This was the decision made by the Board of School Commissioners at its meeting yesterday afternoon. It was ordered that plans and specifications be advertised for at once and the building of the schools will be started at once provided the bids are within the limits of the appropriation of the County Commissioners.

The schools to be built are as follows:

A six-room building beyond the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad, in this city; a five-room building at Pittsville and one-room building in Nutters district.

The building to be located beyond the railroad in this city will accommodate over 140 children in the primary and grammar grades who are now obliged to attend the school on Upton street in South Salisbury. It will not only save these children the long walk but will relieve the crowded condition at the latter building. A delegation from Hebron was also before the Board asking that an additional room be built to the Hebron school to accommodate the large number of children who are now crowded into one building.

The Board considered plans for the one room district schools which would be an improvement over the present buildings being used in the outlying districts. The plans provide for a teacher's room and cloak room in addition to the school room and also provides for better sanitary conditions. The plans were submitted by the teachers and it is probable that some plan will be adopted at the meeting next week.

The balance of yesterday's session was taken up in considering the appointments for next year. In nearly every instance the same teachers were appointed, but several of the appointments for the Wicomico High School have been held up for further consideration. Among the new teachers for next year are Misses Eva Taylor, of Hebron, and Marian Davis, of Pittsville, both graduates of the Maryland State Normal School, of Baltimore.

To Grade Newton Street.

A committee of citizens representing the residents of Newton street appeared before the City Council Thursday night in reference to the grading of that thoroughfare. At present the street is not properly graded and all the surface water remains in the gutters and on the highway, causing the street to be almost constantly covered with mud. The Council advised the citizens that the City Surveyor would immediately establish a proper grade and that the surface water from Newton, Smith and Light streets would be carried into wells to be located by the surveyor. It was also suggested by the Council that the trees on Newton street be cut down as it would be impossible to keep the street dry with such thick foliage. This suggestion seemed to meet with the approval of the citizens and it is probable that this will be done when the proper grade is established.

Society Officers Elected.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church held its June meeting at the home of Mrs. Stanford Toadvin, Maryland Avenue, Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance. A delightful musical programme was rendered and refreshments served by the hostesses.

The meeting adjourned until October. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Wilbur F. Massey; first vice-president, Mrs. Wm. H. Jackson; and vice-president, Mrs. Thos. E. Martindale; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Venable; secretary, Mrs. Wm. E. Howard; treasurer, Dr. Annie F. Colley; corresponding sec., Mrs. Thos. H. Williams; sec. of missionary literature, Miss Alice Humphreys.

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ORDINANCE PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL LIMITING CHARGES BY TELEPHONE CO.

After July First The Diamond State Telephone Company Will Violate A City Ordinance If It Charges More Than \$15.00 and \$25.00 For Service—Citizens' Telephone Co. Meeting Wednesday Evening.

At an adjourned meeting of the City Council Thursday night an ordinance fixing the charge to be made by The Diamond State Telephone Company in the city of Salisbury was passed to become effective July 1. The ordinance provides that the rates to be charged for telephone service shall not exceed \$15.00 per year for residence and \$25.00 per year for a telephone in a place of business. This important ordinance was passed under the provisions of the new city charter which was granted Salisbury last year by an act of the Legislature. By a clause in this charter the Council has the right to control the charges of any public service corporation doing business in the City of Salisbury. The ordinance provides that to charge more than the rates specified shall be a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$5.00 and more than \$50.00 for each offence.

The Citizens' Telephone Company was organized on Tuesday as the result of the refusal of the Bell Telephone Company to accede to the demands of its local subscribers to establish and maintain the rates of \$15.00 and \$25.00. The incorporators of the new company were the members of the citizens' committee which was appointed at the public meeting of the subscribers nearly a month ago. This is simply a temporary organization. A franchise will be granted as soon as the proper acknowledgement is received from the State officials that the papers of incorporation have been accepted. A meeting will be held in the Court House Wednesday evening June 16 for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization and electing officers and directors.

This meeting is to be public and it is the desire of the city officials and those who have taken such an active part in the rate controversy that every telephone subscriber in Salisbury be present. The civic pride of the people of Salisbury is far-famed and it is to be hoped that that same spirit will prompt every subscriber to be present at this meeting and lend his aid in this movement to either force an arbitrary corporation to establish and maintain equitable rates in Salisbury or assist in organizing a home company that will do so.

While everything is being done to

perfect the organization of the new company and most of its capital stock of \$25,000 has already been subscribed it is not generally believed that it will become necessary for it to begin operations. This is so because of the fact that the ordinance passed Thursday night fixes the limit of charges that can be made by any telephone company. This is one reason why it is believed that the Diamond State Telephone Company will now acquiesce in the matter and reestablish the old schedule of rates in this municipality. Another reason which is advanced along this line is that the Diamond State Company was not in a position to accede to the demands of the subscribers here because of the effect it would have on the other towns in its territory, every one of which would immediately demand the same rates. The passing of the ordinance, however, relieves the company of that situation and gives it the opportunity to maintain the old rates here without effecting the rates in any other town or city because there are few, if any, towns governed by a charter giving the Council the right to control the charges of public service corporations.

If the Diamond State Company does not fix the rates here at \$15.00 and \$25.00 and do so at once, then the proposition to lease the plant and equipment of that company will probably be taken up by the Citizens' Telephone Company. Mr. Fred L. Owens, general counsel, who was in Salisbury this week stated that the company would lease its property here at ten per cent, of the valuation which he said was about \$38,000. A peculiar incident in this connection is the fact that on file at the City Hall is the sworn statement of the president of the company fixing the total valuation of property within the city limits at \$16,497.48. Another sworn statement on file in the office of the County Tax Collector shows that the total valuation of property of the Company in Wicomico county at \$25,941.51. These figures show a vast difference in the valuation now and at the time when the company was being assessed for taxation. They also show clearly that the company's property throughout the county does not equal the amount at which that company would value its town property when it came to leasing it to the Citizens' Telephone Company.

Should Keep Bank Account.

Farmers as a rule keep no bank account. A bank book affords a complete record of cash receipts, while the stubs are a perfect record of expenses and payment. Paying your help with a check is by far the safest way. The person receiving the check must endorse it before he can get the money and you will have the check as a receipt.

Farmer, try the experiment of an account with the Salisbury National Bank, and see if it does not pay you. The Salisbury National Bank has installed a saving department which is advertised on another page. Their new plan is meeting with wonderful success. Many farmers throughout the country surrounding Salisbury should take advantage of this liberal offer. Deposits are accepted in any amounts from one dollar up. The Salisbury National is the pioneer bank of Wicomico county and has a surplus of \$60,000.00. A force of representatives of this institution are now calling on the people of Salisbury and surrounding countryside, soliciting business.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the dates named.

June 30, 1909.—Poultry Laborer (male), Bureau of Animal Industry, Poultry plant, Bethesda, Md. Chemical assistant in Dairying, Department of Agriculture.

July 8, 1909.—Guard, United States Penitentiary.

July 8-9, 1909.—Clerk-Translator, Assistant Classifier, Geological Survey.

State Firemen Meet.

The State Firemen's Convention which has been in session this week at Cambridge adjourned Thursday after the election of officers. The following were elected: President, G. Walter Wright, of Cambridge; secretary, J. E. Holler, of Sparrows Point; treasurer, W. W. Winnick, of Frostburg; senior vice-president, Robert K. Webster, of Baltimore. The new president is secretary of Rescue Fire Company, of Cambridge, and it was largely due to his efforts that the convention went to Cambridge.

The Salisbury Company was given a conspicuous position in the street parade Thursday afternoon and made a splendid showing.

The second and last business session of the convention was called in the courthouse at 10 o'clock, the president of the association, Peter J. McFarland, of Lonaconing, in the chair. Upon motion of Philip E. Porter, of Annapolis, it was decided that each active volunteer fire company of the state should pay an annual fee of \$13 instead of \$8.

The members of the Salisbury Company who attended the convention were: W. W. White, John Lank, A. R. Lohner, Peter Mitchell, Isaac Mesick, Harry Turner, T. C. Disharoon, G. E. Serman, Jr., Ray Hearn, Harry Moore, Severn Dawson, Edward Mills, J. W. Brittingham, Marion C. Tindle, C. W. Bennett, Charles Wilkins, G. E. Richardson, and Woodland C. Richardson.

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NEW CITY SOLICITOR APPOINTED BY MAYOR.

Hon. E. Stanley Toadvin Succeeds Mr. L. Atwood Bennett—Appointments Of Policemen Held Up Pending Investigation.

Only one change was made in the personnel of the city officials last Monday night when the Mayor's green bag was opened by the members of the City Council. The change was an important one. In the place of L. Atwood Bennett, Esq., Hon. E. Stanley Toadvin was appointed City Solicitor and the appointment was approved by the Council. It is said that Mr. Bennett was not aware that a change was to be made until a few minutes before the appointments were read. As soon as he learned that he was not to be appointed, however, he tendered his resignation to take effect at once.

His resignation was accepted by the Council but it was not accepted unanimously as would be inferred by the minutes of the meeting. There were two members of that body at least who could see no apparent reason for such an unexpected change and voted against its acceptance. They were Councilmen H. H. Hitch and Charles E. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett has efficiently served the city and the Mayor and Council in the capacity of city solicitor for a number of years and it was fully expected by all those who keep in touch with municipal affairs that he would be re-appointed for another year.

The other appointments of the Mayor were as follows:

City Solicitor, E. Stanley Toadvin.
Chief of Police, Woodland C. Disharoon.

Assistant Police, Jas. W. Kennerly.
Night Police, James Crouch.
Police Justice, W. A. Trader.
Street Commissioner, G. Edward Serman.

With the exception of the three policemen the appointments were approved by the Council. The appointments in the police department were held up pending an investigation regarding the enforcement of several city ordinances. The Council is of the opinion that some of the ordinances are not being properly enforced and an investigation is to be made with the view of ascertaining the reason for the alleged indifference on the part of the police.

The new City Solicitor goes into office with a full knowledge of his legal duties. Senator Toadvin is one of the oldest members of the Wicomico bar and his experience as a practitioner will undoubtedly prove to be of great value to the city authorities.

One Killed—Two Injured.

A washout due to the heavy rains of the last two weeks caused the tracks to spread on the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad, one mile south of Painter, Va., at 3.30 o'clock Thursday morning. A fast freight, running north as extra No. 24, in charge of Conductor J. R. Carman and Engineer J. M. Holloway was wrecked and 17 cars of perishable freight were thrown into a culvert.

The cars were splintered and the wreckage piled high in the air, while the freight was strewn about on the grounds. The engine and seven cars had passed over the culvert in safety, when the track started spreading for about 30 feet.

None of the train crew is known to have been injured, but a tramp stealing a ride was killed and two other tramps were seriously injured.

Notice!!

There will be services, (D. V.) in Spring Hill Parish on Sunday next, June 13th, as follows:

Quantico, Sunday School, 9.00 a. m.; Sermon and Holy Communion, 10.30 a. m.

Spring Hill, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8 p. m.

Mardela Springs, 8 p. m.

Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

—Mr. Gordon D. Hastings and Miss Edith E. Ruark were quietly married Tuesday evening, June 8, at the parsonage of Riverside M. E. Church by Rev. J. W. Hardesty. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Emma Ruark and the groom by his brother, Mr. Paul Hastings. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was served by Mrs. George Ruark, sister of the groom. No invitations were issued and the supper was attended by only the relatives of the bride and groom.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Topic For Tomorrow, Heroes Of Faith.
Discussed By A Local
Writer.

GOLDEN TEXT:—Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Our present lesson from Hebrews is no doubt chosen because of its very close connection with the church at Jerusalem, and the converts to the faith from among the Hebrews, of whom we have been studying in our last two lessons. This epistle was written to show them what faith had done for others, their fore-fathers, and to explain what it could do for them, and, in the same way, it applies to us. The opposition to Christianity throughout Palestine was so bitter, that there was great danger of the churches relapsing or drifting back to Judaism. The teachings of the epistle is directed against this, furnishing argument in behalf of Christianity as being the completion of the old dispensation, and just such argument as would have a tendency to strengthen the convert to the faith.

The relation of faith and works had been thoroughly gone over from a doctrinal standpoint, and reports upon these important factors in the teachings of the doctrine of Christianity had been made to the churches, and still the apostles find it necessary to add constantly to their former counseling upon this point. The writer, in Hebrews, tells us what faith is, "The substance of things hoped for." It is not hope, but the assurance that is back of hope; that which underlies hope, upon which hope is built. One may hope for a thing, but faith is the underlying assurance that it will be. It is that proof to our minds, that leads us, without seeing, to believe. By faith, as thus understood, the elders, or men of prominence, throughout the ages, obtained good report through the scriptures, and a grand array of these grand men is given for our example.

It is by faith that we step forward beyond the ordinary accomplishment of man, and do those things that bring fame. Columbus was a man of faith. It was his faith in an unseen, unheard of, new world that led him to America. Luther, Calvin, Knox, and Wesley were all children of faith. The Pilgrim Fathers had faith in a free church in a new world, a church yet unknown.

Faith sees God, and behold his acts, (Verse 3) in every step of creation. God was in the beginning, and by his word were all things made, and not by things, as now seen in a material way, but by his power brought forth, and this display of infinite intelligence displayed in created nature, and his dealings with man, makes us children of faith in his majestic wisdom, power and goodness. The heroes of faith, as related by the writer of our lesson, had faith in God's promises, and through faith bore good report.

Great armies of heroes of faith have passed, and their faith has been their anchor. What anchorage has a man who is without faith in God? When the end comes, upon what can he rely? Nothing; he is utterly void of any hope. He has no faith upon which to rest, no assurance of anything. He is without hope, for he has nothing upon which to base any expectancy of anything; just nothing, a failure.

Why does the writer produce such an array of heroes to us? As witnesses to the faith in which we are so vitally interested. Their faith was in the promises of God concerning the Messiah who should come, and through faith they beheld him afar. We have seen him through the preached word, and the witness of his apostles and others, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, so that "We also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses", and should give heed to the standard of our faith. We can behold the "Author and Finisher of our faith." How do we regard him? How great is our faith? Does it compare with the faith of the cloud of witnessing heroes?

In time past, all things were overcome by faith, and life, truth, and righteousness were always, and ever will be drawn from the same fountain, and faith is the process by which we draw. If our faith fail us? But our heroes of faith assure us that our faith grows stronger and brighter until we see more clearly, and eventually, growing into the clearness of day, that we, if faithful, will attain unto a perfect knowledge, and a full understanding of what is now brought nigh by faith. Then shall we be numbered with the heroes of faith.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Lottie Kent MacNichol, of Laurel, Del., to Mr. Michael Dale Conbourn, of Seaford, Del. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday evening, June 16th, 1909. Miss MacNichol is the eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. MacNichol and is well known in Cambridge. Dr. MacNichol having been pastor of Zion M. E. Church, this city, for ten years.

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Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Mrs. Florence Alfonza Waters, of Oriole, to Mr. Loney Fielder Austin, of Baltimore. The ceremony will take place at St. Peter's Methodist Episcopal Church, Tuesday evening, June 15th, 1909.

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Mr. William E. Wheatley died at his home in the Neck district, near James. Thursday, aged 63. He is survived by four sisters, Misses Mary E. and Julia Wheatley, Mrs. Joseph Hubbard and Mrs. Edward Hubbard, all of the Neck district. The funeral was held at Spedden's Church Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

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The annual readjustment of the salaries of postmasters has been announced at the Post Office Department. Among the increases are: Crisfield, from \$2,000 to \$2,200; Pocomoke City, from \$1,800 to \$1,900; Berlin, from \$2,000 to \$2,200.

Capt. R. J. Shores died suddenly at his home at Dames Quarter, Friday morning, aged 76 years. He had been fixing some screens and was found dead with a screwdriver clutched in his hand. He is survived by the following children: William R. Edward and Isaac Shores and Mrs. Leah Shores, all of Somerset county, and Sidney Shores, of Annapolis. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Dames Quarter, on Saturday and the interment was made in the Kelly burying ground.

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Maryland Guard Encampment.

Official announcement was made Tuesday by Adjutant-General Warfield that the encampment of the troops of the Maryland National Guard will be held near Westminster, Md., from July 18 to 25. The site selected is the large almshouse farm, a location splendidly adapted for the purpose, and just outside of Westminster.

All of the troops of the guard will participate in the encampment with the exception of the First Company, Coast Artillery, which organization will, instead, take part in the joint army and militia exercise and maneuvers to be held at Fort Howard, Baltimore, September 4 to 14.

It has been decided to name the camp "Camp Crothers," after the Governor of the State. Adjutant General Warfield has not yet been advised as to what troops of the regular army will be designated to attend the camp and assist in the regular instruction of the militiamen.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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To the Honorable City Council of Salisbury, Maryland:
Gentlemen:—
In compliance with the provisions of the Charter of Salisbury, I beg leave, in the capacity of Mayor, to submit to you for your consideration a brief report of the conditions of our city, and at the same time offer a few suggestions and recommendations, that if embodied into law, would be to the benefit of the citizens of Salisbury in advancing their interests, as well as promoting the sanitary conditions of the city.

I recognize that the increase in inhabitants and improvements mean a corresponding increase in responsibility, and as our citizens are rapidly increasing in number, and public improvements are keeping pace with the needs of the hour, I realize the responsibility placed upon me as Mayor of Salisbury, and you as its law-making body. The questions that arise for solution should be approached with deliberation and conservatism, in order to bring about the best results for our city and its inhabitants.

In the beginning I desire to express my approval and commendation to your Honorable Body for the conservative and business-like manner in which you have conducted the affairs of the city for the past year, and in extending to you my congratulations for your past labors, I bespeak for you all an equally successful year in administering the affairs of our city.

I also desire to express at this time my sincere thanks for your hearty co-operation with me as Mayor, in all that has been undertaken in the way of improvements and advancing the interests of our city, for this co-operation is necessary on the part of both branches in order to bring about the best results, and I therefore urge your co-operation during this year.

In my last message to your Honorable Body I recommended the extension of permanent street improvements, and I am glad to say that this suggestion was followed, and the North and South Division Streets, Main Street, Extended and Camden Avenue have been improved with bitulithic pavement much to the improvement of our city. While the bringing about of this much needed improvement has caused some sacrifice on the part of some of our citizens in sacrificing their shade trees, but I appreciate the spirit of co-operation in which they were willing to make the sacrifice, and also the speedy response on the part of the abutting property owners on the streets so improved, in putting down cement sidewalks. This speaks well for the public spirit of our citizens, and is also the secret of our city's progress and advancement, for unless the citizens co-operate with the city officials little can be accomplished. This spirit of co-operation is exemplified in the laying of cement sidewalks of which I have just spoken, and in consequence thereof, we have had laid by the abutting property owners this year at least five miles of cement sidewalks. Both sides of Division Street from the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad to the Humphreys Mill pond; both sides of Main and Dock streets and both sides of Camden Avenue to the city limits are improved by a continuous stretch of cement pavement. This not only beautifies the respective properties in front of which it is laid, but makes travel for the pedestrian easier and gives the city prestige as one of progress and improvement.

Besides the permanent improvement there has been considerable improvement in the way of shelling several principal residence streets, and also shelling some streets in the suburban section of city that had not before been shelled, and because of these permanent improvements some sections of our city have not received the attention that they should possibly. These improvements have kept our street force very busy, and I desire to commend Street Commissioner George E. Strawn for his faithful services in improving our streets. The grass being taken from a number of our streets would greatly enhance their appearance and I believe our Street Commissioner will take up these matters as early as possible, as his attention has been engrossed in larger improvements.

I would state at this juncture, that because of the grade of our streets having been raised and lowered in different places to conform to the newly established grades by the permanent street improvements, and because of this fact the intersecting streets cannot be properly drained and therefore cannot be properly kept until the grades of the said streets are made to conform. This matter should be taken up at once, and as it appears that our Street Commissioner has about all that he can do, because of the extra responsibility and work brought about by the taking in and improvement of new streets, I recommend the appointment of a city engineer to co-operate with our Street Commissioner for the purpose of establishing said grades to all the principal streets at least in the city, and have a permanent curb laid along said streets upon the grades so established.

This appears to me as necessary from a sanitary standpoint and will also beautify the streets, and encourage the property owners to lay cement pavements in front of their respective properties. I also recommend

the appointment of a city engineer who in conjunction with the Street Commissioner can look after the streets, so that it may not be necessary to call upon the Mayor, or some member of the Council every time something needs doing to the streets, but this branch of the work should be conducted by this Department. As I recommended in my last message the necessity of establishing a system of brick and cement gutters so that the streets could be properly drained, it would now seem to be an opportune time in conjunction with the establishment of grades and curbs as aforesaid, to establish this system of gutters in order to properly drain our streets. As all the principal streets are provided with ample sewers it would be advisable, in my judgment, and I so recommend, that wells, or manholes be established wherever necessary to accomplish a proper draining of our streets, and with this work to be accomplished, it seems to me that it would be an economical proposition to employ the services of an engineer.

Law and order seem to prevail in our city and this is brought about by the vigilance of the Police Department. I realize that our Police Force should be increased to bring about effective results, but will not make this recommendation at this time. While our police seem to be vigilant as to violations of law relating to liquor selling, and craps shooting, there seems to be some laxness on the part of the police in seeing that our local ordinances are enforced, especially the violation of the ordinance regulating operation of automobiles, while it is hard for a few policemen to apprehend the guilty parties in the violation of this ordinance, but a close observation and sharp lookout on the part of the police can effectively break up this practice of fast driving. Because of the attendant danger I trust that the police will apprehend all violators of this and all other ordinances; especially the one pertaining to street obstructions.

I desire to commend also for your consideration our very efficient volunteer fire department, and whatever can be done for its advancement and welfare, showing due appreciation on the part of the Council for this organization that sacrifices its time and pleasure for the protection of the lives and property of our citizens be done by your Honorable Body.

The maintenance of the organization and the effective work done by them means much for the financial interests of our citizens in the way of decrease in fire insurance rates, yet our citizens possibly overlook this very important matter, and I therefore commend them to you for your favorable consideration.

I also desire to commend our City Solicitor for his interest and co-operation in the public affairs of our city, and for his services in advising and looking after the legal work in the city, so as to avoid litigation and in case of litigation to bring about successful results.

I have also noted with some degree of pride the large amount of building going on in our city irrespective of the price of lumber. Here a greater number of building permits have been granted this year than last, and in the residential section of the city a number of big improvements are being made.

I desire to recommend the passage of proper ordinances along these lines with such regulations as may be deemed wise by your Honorable Body. An ordinance preventing the excavation on sidewalks and street crossings; this appears to me to be very important in benefiting the sanitary condition of our city; An ordinance providing that all teams drive on the right side of the street; this will be quite a benefit to our public thoroughfares that have been recently improved; An ordinance preventing any sewerage other than surface waters in the mill ponds of lakes of the city.

Because of the accident to Humphreys mill dam, it occurs to me that now would be an opportune time for the widening of this thoroughfare, and I therefore recommend to your Honorable Body that an ordinance be passed to this end, of the same to be accomplished in whatever manner may be best to the Council.

The telephone situation seems to be one engrossing our attention at this time, and as our citizens are being treated unfairly by one of our public service corporations, because of the fact of not only violating the trust reposed in the Telephone Company officials for fair treatment in the matter of telephone rates, but also in violating expressed promises, in raising the rates for phone rentals in the case of new subscribers, and especially so because of the inequity and partiality shown to the various subscribers in maintaining so many different rates, I recommend the speedy passage of an ordinance regulating the charge of telephone rentals in our city.

I desire to express my appreciation for the hearty co-operation of the Business Mens Association with the Mayor and Council of Salisbury in trying to bring about an adjustment of the telephone question, as well as many acceptable and timely suggestions on their part for the progress, advancement and beautifying of the city and for the financial interests of its citizens.

In consideration of the health and sanitary conditions of our city it appears to me to be wise that a health officer be appointed for the purpose of looking after this matter, and I therefore recommend that the services of a proper person be secured for this work.

I also recommend the appointment of a building inspector, whose duties shall be prescribed by your Honorable Body. Because of a number of

buildings in a bad condition and because of the large amount of building in progress, these matters should be properly looked after by the officers of the city, and in order to protect the property of the city from the dangers of fire, etc., it seems advisable that a person be appointed whose duty it shall be to see that proper building regulations are enforced.

Along with our street improvement, rise new problems in the way of keeping same clean and as clear of dust as possible. I therefore recommend some up-to-date system be established whereby the streets can be sprinkled, and immediately after the sprinkler, be swept, thus aiding the sanitary condition, as well as making same more pleasant to the eye. With these recommendations which I beg leave to submit, I bespeak for you a successful term of office, and tender you my co-operation in all matters pertaining to the advancement and betterment of our city's welfare, and I hope and believe that this same spirit of co-operation will be extended to me on your part in seeing that the affairs of the city are properly managed and its laws and ordinances are properly enforced.

CHARLES E. HARPER.
Mayor.

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Baby's Body In Stone Wall.

Workmen engaged in constructing a road at Blue Ridge Summit near Chestertown, came across the headless corpse of a white girl babe, about 6 weeks old, wrapped in some old rags, as they were tearing down the corner of an old stone wall. It is thought the child had been dead for probably a week. There is no clue to the parents of the child, how the baby was killed or by whom it was buried in the wall. The body was buried nearby and the officials notified.

Men Past Fifty In Danger

Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy, especially for enlarged prostate gland which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostate gland and advised an operation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." C. M. Brewington 310 Camden Ave.

Land Sales In Kent.

Mr. Wilbur W. Hubbard has bought from Mrs. Mary E. Brown, of Chestertown, the old building on Chester river known as the Custom House for \$2,500. This is a historic building. In 1707 the location at Grey's Inn for the town and port was ordered deserted, and the town, with Courthouse, was ordered built at Chestertown, which was established as a port of entry for all towns, rivers creeks and coves in Cecil, Kent and Queen Anne's, except Kent Island. Fifty acres were purchased at Chester Berry, and the large brick house just sold was erected for the Custom House. Its vaults and tremendous rooms are in excellent condition. It will be improved and used as a tenement house. Cedar Vale, a farm of 173 acres, two and a half miles from Chestertown, belonging to Thomas G. Wroth, has been sold to Harry Nichols for \$12,500. This farm a few years ago was purchased by Mr. Wroth from W. B. Ustion for \$6,000.

The Gaither heirs in Baltimore have sold to Capt. S. T. H. Pfeiffer the residence on Water street occupied by ex-State's Attorney John D. Urie for \$2,500. Mr. Urie has lived in this house for 20 years.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 1909.

The Mayor's Message.

The message of Mayor Charles H. Harper which was sent to the City Council on Monday evening contains many most excellent recommendations and calls attention to several interesting facts in connection with Salisbury's advancement during the past year. The statement that at least five miles of cement sidewalks had been laid by the property holders here is a remarkable one and shows that the spirit of progress which has been so marked in recent years is still the dominant note in the city's commercial life. Few towns anywhere of this size have shown more determined effort and brought about more substantial results than has Salisbury, and with its civic pride thoroughly aroused and with the splendid results already attained, it is comparatively easy to continue the fight for greater municipal improvements.

Among the many good suggestions which were made, probably none will appeal with greater force to the people than those in relation to improved conditions of sanitation and the appointment of a competent officer to take charge of this work. While there is a County official of this character the financial limitations which are thrown around the position are of such a nature as to prevent any real prosecution of work of this kind. It is a recognized fact that there are many opportunities where such an official would be able to render incalculable service to the citizens of the town and prevent to a large extent typhoid fever which has been so prevalent in Salisbury for several years.

It is impossible for the officials with their other duties to look after all the vacant lots and other places which need attention in a place of this size and the designation of one whose duty it would be to perform this work would undoubtedly bring about good results. The disagreeable and unhealthy odors which have been emanating from so many of the manholes recently could be looked after more satisfactorily under a plan of this kind than by the present method, and from assurances given by members of the Council on Monday evening this recommendation will be carried into effect if it is found that the finances of the city will justify the expenditure.

Many who followed the reading of the message with a great deal of interest expressed some disappointment that nothing had been said in regard to a garbage system, especially as this subject is so naturally connected with proper sanitation, upon which matter the Mayor was so emphatic in his recommendations and in which he displayed so much interest. He personally explained, however, to the Council and to the large number present that his failure to make a formal recommendation along that line was not due to any lack of interest upon his part, but

to the large expense which would be attached to the system, and he did not think that at the present time the city was in a position to attempt it. It was not generally thought, however, that the cost would be anything like the amount which he suggested and that a system could be installed for all practical purposes at a much lower figure. It is not at all improbable, therefore, in view of his interest and the expressed wish of the Council to do it, if possible, that the matter will be thoroughly investigated and if it can be shown that the system could be maintained at a reasonable figure the attempt will probably be made before long by the officials.

Realizing that the matter is one of considerable local importance, and one which should interest all our readers who are interested in the general welfare of the city, we take pleasure in publishing the message in full on the third page of this issue.

The Vigorous Action Of The City In The Telephone Situation.

The passage on Thursday evening last of the ordinance regulating the rates for telephone service in this city is the most important step so far in the rate controversy, and while it temporarily complicates the situation, will undoubtedly be one of the most important factors in the eventual settlement of the troublesome question. In taking this action, the officials have unquestionably made a most popular move and one which will give the higher officers of the Diamond State a definite idea of the overwhelming sentiment against the company, because of its failure up to this time to accede to the demands of the subscribers. From the time the company attempted to raise the rates last Fall up to the present, the situation has been growing more acute and their trifling and unsatisfactory answers to the demands of the subscribers, as embodied in the letter to the Citizens' Committee, has naturally widened the breach between the people and the company and made the feeling more intense now than at any time during the entire controversy. With the passage of this ordinance, however, and the formation of a new company, the eventual victory of the people is assured, and it is now absolutely certain that the uniform rates which have been demanded, \$15.00 and \$25.00, will be maintained. This situation will undoubtedly be brought about by one of the following methods:

First: By the voluntary act of the Diamond State Telephone Company in conceding the power of the officials in fixing the rates and complying on the first of July with the terms of the ordinance without a contest; or

Second: By a final decision in favor of the city upholding its power to pass the ordinance regulating the schedule of charges after a test case has been properly brought before the Courts; or

Third: By a leasing of the lines of the Diamond State Telephone Company, by the new concern which will be formed on Wednesday evening at the Court House; or

Fourth: By the construction and operation of an independent plant to be owned and controlled by the citizens as organized next week.

Just what method will be the one which will eventually solve the difficulty may depend largely upon the attitude of the citizens on Wednesday evening next at the meeting in the Court House and in view of that fact, every subscriber and every person who is interested in the situation should be present at that time, and by vote and voice aid in the speedy settlement of the matter in a manner which will be entirely satisfactory to all concerned.

Personal.

—Mr. Joseph Graham was in town a few days this week.

—Mrs. J. Ryland Taylor is visiting relatives at Vienna.

—Mr. M. A. Humphreys was in Philadelphia this week.

—Mrs. Cannon T. Downing is visiting her mother on Main St.

—Master Wilmer Gallett is visiting relatives in Federalburg, Md.

—Miss Edna Parsons is spending some time with friends in Parkley, Va.

—Mr. S. P. Woodcock spent several days in Philadelphia this week.

—Mr. Everett Williams, of St. John's College, is home for the Summer.

—Miss Jean Leonard attended the Naval Ball in Annapolis last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ellis returned from their wedding trip Monday night.

—Mrs. M. V. Brewington and sons are spending several weeks at Ocean City.

—Mrs. Alice D. Durham is at "The Beverly," Asbury Park, N. J., for the Summer.

—Miss Elizabeth Woodcock spent several days in Baltimore and Annapolis this week.

—Mr. Jack Gunby, student of Augusta Military Academy, returned home Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Diggs, of Baltimore, spent the week with Mrs. Oliver Hearn on William St.

—Mrs. George W. Burke, of Smyrna, Del., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James E. Ellegood.

—Mr. Newton Jackson, who has been attending the Lawrenceville School, is home for his vacation.

—Miss Helen Graham left Wednesday for a visit to friends and relatives in North Carolina.

—The Misses Houston gave a "tea" Tuesday afternoon last from 5 to 7 at their home on Camden Ave.

—Dr. and Mrs. Eldridge returned from their wedding trip Saturday and spent Sunday in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Wroten, daughter and son, are visiting relatives in Cambridge this week.

—Mrs. Harry Applewhite, of Baltimore, was the guest of the Misses Toadvine, Camden Ave., Monday.

—Mrs. Thos. C. Disharoon and Master James Richard returned home after spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

—Prof. W. F. Massey left the first of the week for Raleigh and other points in North Carolina on professional business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Costen, of Hampton, Va., spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howard.

—Mr. James Lowe, Jr., who has been a student at St. John's College, returned home Friday night for his Summer vacation.

—Miss Vaughn Jacobs, who has been attending the Randolph Macon College, in Lynchburg, is home for the Summer vacation.

—Mrs. Katherine McMackin left last Monday for a several weeks visit to her friends and relatives in Baltimore and Atlantic City.

—Mr. Thomas Griffin and daughter, Mrs. James Sturgis, of Girdlestone, visited friends at Salisbury the early part of the week.

—Mr. John Downing, who has been attending school in Washington, D. C., has returned home where he will spend the Summer vacation.

—The Misses Nellie and Alma Lankford, instructors at the Blackstone Female Institute, of Blackstone, Virginia, have returned to this city for the summer.

—Dr. Frank L. Grier and family, his sister and Mrs. Jas. P. Pierce and daughter of Millford, came over in his car and spent the week's end with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Grier.

Fear of Premature Burial.

The fear of premature burial, which prompted the late Lord Burton to direct by his will that his heart should be removed from his body, has caused many well known men and women to order a surgical operation to be performed upon their bodies. Harriet Martineau left her doctor £10 to amputate her head, and Lady Burton directed that her heart should be pierced with a needle. The late Edmund Yates left instructions that his jugular vein should be severed, with a provision that a fee of 20 guineas should be paid for the purpose. Literary persons appear to have been particularly afraid of premature burial. Bishop Berkeley, Lord Lytton, Hans Andersen and Wilkie Collins all took measures to protect themselves from it—Westminster Gazette.

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Town Topics.

—Beautiful matings can be seen at Ulman Sons.

—The Mite Society of Asbury M. E. Church met at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

—Mr. George M. Webb, of Girdlestone, moved to this city this week and will engage in the blacksmith business.

—Rev. B. G. Parker, will preach in the Presbyterian Church of Mardela Springs, on Sunday afternoon at 3.30.

—For Rent—8 room house, wide porch, fine location. Maryland ave, near Camden ave. Apply to Kennerly & Mitchell, Main St.

—The editor of THE COURIER acknowledges receipt of an invitation to be present at the annual graduating exercises of Goldy College, Wilmington.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church met at the home of Miss Minnie Nelson, Tuesday evening. A fine musical programme was rendered and refreshments served.

—WANTED—Two reliable men who can give good references to canvass with manager for reliable house. No experience necessary. Address H. K. PFALTZGRAFF, William St., Salisbury, Md.

—A new counterfeit \$5 silver certificate of the series of 1899 has come to the attention of the Secret Service Bureau. It is an excellent imitation and banks are warned to be on the lookout for it.

—Most favorable reports are being received almost daily from Messrs. Clyde and Presgrave whose horses are now running at Montreal, Canada. Several horses from the Tonybank stables have been winners.

—At Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church, the pastor, Rev. Dr. Graham, will preach on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School 9.30 A. M. Christian Endeavor 7 P. M. Mid-week service Wednesday evening 8 o'clock.

—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rochester, of Baltimore, died Sunday at the home of Mrs. Rochester's parents, Prof. and Mrs. W. T. Dashiell. The funeral services were held Tuesday with interment in Parsons cemetery.

—Mr. Ernest Malone, of Salisbury, has leased "Seacrest Inn," at Ocean City, for the summer, and will conduct it as a hotel. This house is located near the board walk and has always been one of the popular hostleries at Ocean City.

—Mrs. C. W. Bradley has leased the Funnell cottage at Ocean City for the summer and will conduct it as a hotel. The "Lunmar", as it will be known, will be opened next Saturday. Mrs. Bradley successfully conducted the "Rideau" last summer.

—Miss Nellie Lankford left yesterday for Irvington, Va., to be present at the marriage of Miss Ida Joe Haydon and Mr. Irving R. Messick, which will take place next Wednesday in that town. She also expects to visit friends in Richmond before her return.

—The recent failure of the Sharptown Marine Railway Company means a great loss to the people of that bustling town and it is to be hoped that the plant will resume operations promptly. It is stated that the liabilities of the concern were \$18,000.

—The Salisbury College of Business wishes to have listed with it at once homes for its out of town students. So far as is consistent, preference will be given to those first registering their home. The college office, second floor Masonic Temple, will be open every day.

—An examination for the positions of Storekeeper—Gauger and Deputy Collector and Clerk will be held at the post-office in this city on Sept. 1, 1909. For application blanks, and for full information relative to the examination, qualifications, duties, salaries, etc., address Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Post-Office, City.

—After going over the proposed project of dredging the Wicomico river North of the pivot bridge for which an appropriation was secured last year through the efforts of ex-Congressman W. H. Jackson, Major Craighill, of the United States Government, stated to Mayor Harper that he would recommend the survey and that the work would be started as quickly as possible.

—Mrs. Laura Beauchamp died at her home in this city early Sunday morning. She was the widow of late Capt. James A. Beauchamp, a civil war veteran. Mrs. Beauchamp is survived by three children—Mrs. M. E. Thiele, Miss Jennie Beauchamp, and Mr. Sewell Beauchamp. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Cooper Tuesday afternoon. The interment was in Parsons cemetery.

—Porch rockers at low prices at Ulman Sons.

—Automobile soap, oil, polish and carbide at Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co's.

—A pretty line of Hammocks and Lawn Furniture at Ulman Sons.

—Mr. John H. Farlow has sold his handsome bay mare to Lowe & Kent, of the Palace Stables.

—Just received a car of Green Mountain Seed White Potatoes. Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co.

—Children's Day Services will be held at the Southern Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11.00 o'clock.

—Are you interested in the telephone rate controversy? Then be present at the public meeting at the Court House Wednesday night.

—The people of Royal Oak will hold a festival on Saturday, June 19th, for Benefit of the M. P. Church. All are invited to help the good cause.

—There will be services in the Catholic Church here Sunday, June 13th. Mass and Sermon at 10.30 a.m. Benediction and Sermon at 7.30 p.m.

—The Postoffice Department is distributing a new postage stamp of special design to commemorate the development of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific territory.

—The work of excavating for Green's new theatre was started this week and contracts were awarded for the erection of the building. The work will be rushed as fast as possible.

—LOST—Between Quantico and Salisbury or in City of Salisbury a black leather pocket book containing considerable currency. A very liberal reward for its return to THE COURIER office. Can be identified.

—Children's Day services will be held at the Asbury M. E. Church next Sunday. Special sermon in the morning by the pastor; the children's program will be rendered in the evening at 8 o'clock. The offering will be for education.

—Several most excellent suggestions are embodied in the annual message of Mayor Harper to the City Council which was read at the regular meeting Monday night. The message in full is published on page three of this issue.

—Mr. Joseph H. Elliott brought to this office this week a quart of "Gandy" strawberries. They were extra large, sweet, solid and of an exceptionally fine flavor. They were grown on the old Ljova property near Spring Hill.

—Peter Kraft, aged 27 years, a German who had been in this country only a short time, died at the Peninsula General Hospital Monday of peritonitis. His body was cared for by relatives in Dorchester county where it was shipped for interment.

—LOST—A small gold stone with gold setting, an old fashioned earring set upon a stick pin. Lost on Sunday evening in Parsons Cemetery or on Poplar Hill Ave., Elizabeth St., Main St., or Division St. Reward if returned to the COURIER office.

—In a head on collision on the N. Y. P. & N. Railroad near Loretto yesterday afternoon, two freight engines were badly damaged. The engineer and fireman of each engine saved themselves by jumping. It was some time before the tracks were cleared.

—Dr. F. M. Slemmons, who has been ill at his home in this city, left yesterday for Baltimore where he will spend several weeks visiting his son, Dr. J. Morris Slemmons. Dr. Slemmons was taken on the steamer Virginia and was accompanied by Mrs. Slemmons and his son.

—The Eastern District Baptist Association will meet in its 27th annual session at the First Baptist Church, Cambridge, Maryland, June 22nd to 24th, inclusive. Several delegates representing Division Street Baptist Church of this city will attend the meetings.

—Mr. John L. Morris, who has been attending St. John's College, Annapolis, was operated upon for appendicitis Wednesday evening at the Peninsula General Hospital by Drs. Dick, Potter and Todd immediately upon his return to Salisbury. The operation was successful and he is getting along nicely.

—Regular service at the Division Street Baptist Church Sunday, June 13. Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, the pastor, will preach both morning and evening. At 11 a.m. "All these things are against me"; 8 p.m. "Why and How." Young People's meeting at 7.15 p.m. Sunday School meets at 9.45 a.m. All welcome.

—A new business college is being opened in Salisbury by Mr. W. H. Beacom, President of the Wilmington Business School, Wilmington, Del. It is known as the Salisbury College of Business, and Mr. J. W. Hiron is its Principal and Manager. These gentlemen have secured the Assembly Hall in Masonic Temple, and this fine hall is being arranged into class rooms as rapidly as possible.

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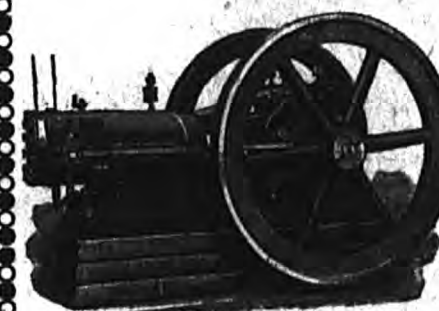
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TIT FOR TAT.

By CLARA M. HOLMES.

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The train from the west pulled into the station, puffing breathlessly from its long race, and Ben Hildreth dropped off the rear car and looked about expectantly.

"Hilda!" he ejaculated joyfully, stooping to kiss the slender young lady who approached him with extended hand.

Her haughty withdrawal and very indignant look surprised him, and her critical glance made him painfully aware of his forty-three years and his dusty and very ordinary dress.

Her glance said plainly, "Mercy, how old he is, and look at his clothes!"

After five years' betrothal their cherished love dream became at once intangible by reason of a misfit coat and a plainly shown girlish contempt for an accumulation of years.

But when Ben clasped hands with Hilda's mother he forgot the bitter tang of disappointment. She was unchanged. Her face wore the same contented look, and the welcome he received might have been a leaf torn from the book of past happenings.

Even the hot biscuit at supper time had the well remembered relish of former days. And the thoughtful manner of saying, "Now go and take your smoke, Ben; I know you are wanting it badly," seemed like the picking up of the raveled threads from the tangled skein of time.

Somewhat of Hilda's aloofness wore off after the first few days—whenever she could forget the humiliation of being kissed in public.

"The very ideal! Any one would know he was from the west!" she concluded wrathfully when telling it to her mother.

Mrs. Stevens laughed heartily. "Are people so different in the west? I had supposed that they were merely energetic persons who needed elbow room."

"Oh, you can laugh, but just look at his clothes!"

"Yes; clothing does make a difference in the favor of a kiss."

"Whether it does or not, I am not going out there to live with a man old enough to be my father," was the angry reply.

"Tell him so, not me. You knew where he lived and his age, didn't you, when you gave him your promise?"

"I suppose so, but I didn't have sense enough to know what it meant," she grumbled, "and besides, he's so much older than he was then. Why, it's five years!"

"Yes, he is five years older, and so are you. Excuses are so easy to find if you seek them."

"I don't care; he isn't one bit as he used to be!"

"When people say they don't care they acknowledge that they are in fault and know it. I think that the change is in you, Hilda."

As the days went by Hilda's dislike seemed to increase. She would frequently go out and let her mother entertain Ben for a while afternoon without the courtesy of an apology.

Ben did not appear to be annoyed in the least. Instead he chatted merrily with Mrs. Stevens and easily fell into the old time habit of calling her Lottie. Occasionally he would regard Hilda as teasingly that she would grow restive under his gaze and fly out of the room, storming to her mother: "I hate him! I hate him!"

"Well, why not tell him so and end the engagement? You are in a happy frame of mind for a prospective bride."

To this Hilda made no reply.

The wedding day drew near. Ben had been out of town one afternoon, and, being delayed by business, it was late when he returned.

"Do you know where Hilda is?" he questioned of her mother.

"Why, yes," she replied. "She said that she was going over to her cousin Nettie's."

"Oh, she did, did she?" answered Ben so guilefully that Mrs. Stevens said nervously, "What is wrong?"

"There's nothing wrong," he replied with a light laugh and settled himself for a smoke. His laugh was too light to be reassuring. Mrs. Stevens drummed on the table restlessly.

"It's all right, Lottie," he assured her, laying his hand over her fingers to still their restless movement. After a moment he remarked, "How home-like you make every place, Lottie! I have been thinking of the hills all day, and it makes me homesick. I wish you and I were there," he finished wistfully.

"It would be nice. I'd like to see the mountains. When you and Hilda have been married a year or so, I'll visit you perhaps," a doubting hesitation in her tone.

He regarded her with wrinkled eyes for a minute. Then he asked with seeming irrelevance, "Do you know Charlie Dupont?"

"Why, yes. Why do you ask that?" "Just curiosity, I suppose," with another laugh.

"Ben, what is the trouble between you and Hilda?" in a tone of exasperation. "She isn't happy, and you are tormenting. I do not believe she will be at all happy out there. She hates the west," Mrs. Stevens remonstrated rather incoherently.

"She'd hate any place with me. I'm the difficult problem, Lottie," replied

Ben calmly. "You two are laying up an abundance of unhappiness for yourselves," was the grave reply.

"Don't you fret over us little children, Lottie," said he, rubbing his hand significantly over the very apparent bald spot on the top of his head. "Sit down here and let me talk to you," he said, pointing to a chair beside his own.

For fully an hour they conversed in low tones, he persuading, she half remonstrating, occasionally both laughing, until at last she said in a tone of yielding, "I suppose it is all right, but it does look ridiculous for—"

"Sh-sh! Here comes Hilda," cautioned he.

Her mother was sewing busily and Ben was smoking very contentedly when she entered. As neither made a remark of any kind, she seemed to feel the urgent need of an explanation of something within her own mind and commenced in the most voluble manner: "Did you think I was going to stay all night, mother? We had such a lot of things to talk about, Nettie and I!"

"Who?" interrupted Ben. The tone was so derisive that Hilda cried out angrily.

"Perhaps you do not believe me! You are always laughing at me, and I think it's awful mean of you."

Ben smoked placidly and made no reply, which angered Hilda all the more. She looked toward her mother as if craving support, but as she appeared absorbed in her occupation the enraged girl flounced out of the room, slamming the door vigorously.

It lacked only a week to the date set for the wedding. The evening was coldly clear, but gusty, and the few remaining leaves were blown from the bushes and scurried down the street like droves of frightened furies. Hilda stood in the embrasure of the window drumming restlessly on the window pane.

An automobile halted by the curb, but well in the shadow of the trees. She turned, as if tired of her amusement, and sauntered up to her room. It was but a very few minutes until a soft frow-frow through the hall and the cautious opening and closing of the front door betrayed her departure.

Ben came from an adjoining room laughing gleefully. "Hurry up, Lottie! If they get there before us it will spoil all the fun."

"You are sure that it is an elopement, Ben?"

"Certainly. I heard them planning it. Come on, come on," he urged, taking her by the arm. They hurried out by the rear entrance, and before the others were under way they were flying down a side street to the parsonage.

When the elopers arrived they were conducted at once to the study by the parson himself. As they placed themselves in readiness for the marriage ceremony the parson remarked: "You must excuse me, but the law requires two witnesses. I suppose you do not object?" And without waiting for a reply, he opened a side door and admitted Hilda's mother and Ben.

"Oh!" breathed Hilda, frightened. But Ben said nothing. The minister went on with the ceremony, and Hilda, having caught sight of Ben's derisive smile, did not lift her eyes again till the final words were spoken.

The ceremony concluded, her mother congratulated her calmly. Ben's eyes twinkled mockingly as he held out his hand to Hilda.

"Receive my hearty congratulations, Mrs. Dupont. You rushed things a bit, and yet we were ahead of you. I came here to marry; I thought you were to be my bride, but you were a little cheat. I overheard you planning with the man who wore a better coat than I, and, listening to your very amusing comments on my personal peculiarities, I acknowledged to myself that the union would not be very satisfactory on either side. But the situation was not as unpleasant as it might have been. I had been mistaken as well as you, and the more I saw of your mother the better satisfied I was with the way things were coming. I really wanted you to be honest enough to speak out, but when you wouldn't, we made first landing and were married less than five minutes before your arrival here."

Hilda's look of astonishment changed to one of demure mockery. "I trust, papa, dear, that you enjoyed my summary of your very mature charms," she said.

"It didn't hurt my feelings a little bit, daughter. I knew my age to a day and all about the 'skating rink,' and as to my coat, if Mr. Charlie had worn it, you wouldn't have known it from broadcloth."

Hilda laughed easily and gave her newly made husband an adoring look. "So, you see, it wasn't the coat; 'twas the man in the coat," philosophized Ben.

"It was just a little game of tit for tat, in which we are all winners," remarked Mrs. Hildreth happily.

An Anti-treating Saloon.

The first anti-treating saloon in the United States will be opened at Des Moines, Ia., on May 22. Permit to open was granted the other night to A. S. Kirkhart of Des Moines, who controls fifteen saloons and declares that if the venture proves a success he will install the same system in all of the others. Kirkhart's plan goes that of Bishop Potter one better in that treating will not be tolerated.

Even Hedin's Experience.

Dr. Sven Hedin, the famous traveler and explorer, had some terrible experiences during a journey through Tibet. He told how, owing to the high altitude at which he and his party traveled, that to unbutton one's coat meant acute pain and tension to an overwrought heart, which literally was at the point of breaking. His only safety lay in the fact that he never left the saddle for a single moment from morning till evening. Had he done so his heart would have given way. At one time they were nine days without water, and when at last he saw a small pool Dr. Hedin drank five pints without stopping.

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Ground was recently broken at Mount Wilson for the construction of the telescope tower which is being constructed by an observatory company. It will be the largest of its kind in the world and will cost \$50,000. The dome will be 175 feet above the ground and will be composed of two towers, one inside the other. This is to eliminate vibration. The towers will be built three inches apart and will not be connected in any place except at the foundation.

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In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1774, May Term, to-wit: May 11, 1909.

Ordered, by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, this 11th day of May, 1909; that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Elmer H. Walton assignee of Walter B. Miller for the purpose of foreclosure, assignee of Olin S. Walton from H. Clay Robertson and Fannie V. Robertson, his wife, dated May 3rd, 1906, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County in Liber E. A. T. No. 51 be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some weekly newspaper printed in said Wicomico County, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of June next.

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Philadelphia	10.00	11.22	7.45	Old Point Comfort	7.30	7.00	4.00
Baltimore	9.00	7.32	1.25	Cape Charles	10.05	9.15	7.25
Wilmington	10.44	12.05	3.44	Salisbury	12.50	7.00	7.45
				Delmar	1.12	1.03	7.20
					p.m.	a.m.	p.m.

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Delmar	1.30	3.03	7.00	Wilmington	3.49	4.10	10.17
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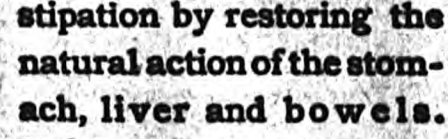
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THE PETROSINO CASE

W. H. Bishop Tells Why the Detective's Slayers Will Escape.

LIPS OF SICILIANS SEALED.

"Betray Me One, Not Even a Murderer," a Cry of the Race, Says American Consul at Palermo—How Petrosino Scorned Protection—A Change in Passports Suggested.

William H. Bishop, American consul at Palermo, Sicily, who was threatened with death just after the assassination of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino in the streets of Palermo, recently arrived in New York city. He is not telling his abiding place, for it seems desirable on more than one account that members of the Black Hand in New York should not learn of his whereabouts.

Mr. Bishop has received two letters warning him that unless he ceases lending a hand in the search for Lieutenant Petrosino's assassins and in the deportation of several of the notorious Italian blackmailers now in the United States he will meet the fate which befell Commissioner Bingham's special agent. From the time the first warning letter was received until he was safely on his way to the United States Mr. Bishop was under the constant surveillance of two Italian detectives. They even went on board the Cunard liner Carpathia with the consul and his wife and remained until the vessel had cleared Palermo.

Mr. Bishop says that, although the danger of assassination by Black Hand agents in the United States is not so great as in Sicily, he is not taking any chances. He expects to remain two months in the United States. During that time he will lay before the state department at Washington a plan which he believes will lead to the material lessening of the number of Italian criminals who land in New York and other Atlantic ports and also will provide a means of deporting many already in the United States who have been troubling the police of New York and other cities in the last few years. Mr. Bishop will meet Police Commissioner Bingham in the near future to place certain information in his hands concerning the Petrosino case.

Mr. Bishop's recent experiences in Palermo have been so far the most trying period of his life. His coming to the United States had nothing to do directly with the Petrosino case, this being his annual leave of absence. While in America he has some important matters to communicate.

Mr. Bishop said frankly that he did not believe that the murderers of Lieutenant Petrosino would ever be caught. The Sicilian police have been hampered from the start, he says, by the fact that nearly every Sicilian is averse to telling anything he knows to the police.

"There is a dogma which has come down from the middle ages and is still in full force in Sicily which makes it well nigh impossible for the police to catch some criminals," said Mr. Bishop. "This is the belief that it is unmanly to tell anything about a fellow countryman which could get him into trouble. It is called 'omerta' in the Sicilian tongue, which means manliness. They believe it is dishonorable to inform on any one even in a case of murder."

Mr. Bishop said that Petrosino did not seem to realize the danger of his mission. He even went about the streets unarmed and had no revolver with him when he was murdered. The dispatches from Palermo at the time said that Petrosino did have a revolver and fired back at his assassins.

"I frequently spoke to Lieutenant Petrosino about his danger," said Mr. Bishop, "but he made light of it. I asked him if the Black Hand agents in New York had never tried to kill him. He said he had been threatened many times, but was never afraid."

"All the stories about his wearing a coat of mail were untrue. When he was shot his revolver was in his room at the hotel. When he first came to Palermo the authorities asked him if he didn't want a guard to accompany him. They told him it was dangerous to go about on such a mission alone, but he refused any escort."

"One day he was going into a very dangerous locality infested with men known to be desperate. He asked me what he had better do. I told him to take along some of the carabinieri, but he finally decided to go alone. That was just before he was shot down."

"Lieutenant Petrosino did not even disguise himself. True, he registered under an assumed name at the hotel and let his beard grow, but it changed him very little. He was of a distinctive type, easily recognized. I told him one day that he looked like Napoleon, and he said 'Yes' and that in New York they called him a second McKinley, as he looked not unlike the former president."

"The people of Palermo were inclined to look upon Lieutenant Petrosino as an intruder, and after his murder many would say that he got what he deserved. I only tell this to show what a difficult proposition the authorities have been up against in trying to locate his murderers."

for many years. He said that under the present passport system there is no means of identifying the holder of a passport other than the general description given.

"Every passport should have the photograph of the man for whom it is issued," he said. "The present system is a farce."

MONUMENT TO ADAM.

Builder Says First Man Should Have Homage Paid to Other Pioneers.

Believing that it is better late than never, John P. Brady, of Baltimore, contractor and builder, has had erected at his country house, Hickory Grounds, near Gardenville, Md., a monument to the memory of Adam, the first man.

After spending much thought upon designs for the monument Mr. Brady came to the conclusion that nothing could be more fitting than a plain square shaft of concrete surrounded by a sundial.

Without saying that women will not be admitted, Mr. Brady wishes the occasion of the dedication to be distinctly masculine. He has no intention at any time to erect a memorial to Eve.

The monument bears two opposite panels, which read:

THIS, THE FIRST SHAFT IN AMERICA, IS DEDICATED TO ADAM, THE FIRST MAN.

In the circular form surrounding the sundial is the Latin quotation:

"Sic transit gloria mundi" (So passes the glory of the world).

"After all, there is no serious reason why there should not have been thousands of memorials to Adam," said Mr. Brady the other day. "Some of us may blame him for the misfortunes which we get in this world, but few of us wish that we had not been brought here. It was kind of Adam to come first. He paved the way and should receive the homage which we pay to pioneers in all fields. There seems to be glory enough to go around for every one who ever did anything, and many monuments and other tributes have honored men who never did anything."

"If it is so easy to get one's name carved in stone I thought it was high time Adam had something to show for having been here. Adam had a pretty hard time of it. He was something of a hero, after all. Just think of it, to be here on this big earth, not a soul until Eve came, and then!"

FAMOUS BRITISH STATESMAN.

Incidents in the Career of Joseph E. Chamberlain, Great Unionist Leader.

Joseph E. Chamberlain was until his retirement a great Unionist leader in British politics. He early became known for his radical opinions and was in turn councilman and mayor of Birmingham and on the return of the Liberals in 1886 was made president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet.

Mr. Chamberlain achieved great prominence by his schemes for the regeneration of the masses, which included the "restitution" of land and the "ransom" of property. He succeeded in passing the bankruptcy bill; he advocated the readjustment of taxation, free schools and creation of allotments by compulsory purchase.

He resigned from the office of president of the government board in March, 1888, one month after he had taken the office, as outcome of his opposition to the Gladstone party and particularly the Gladstone home rule policy for Ireland.

Lord Salisbury, as prime minister, sent him to the United States as commissioner in the Canadian fisheries disputes, and later he was made colonial minister. His chief ambition during the period he held this office was to bind closer, if possible, the colonies to England. He succeeded in many instances.

In 1888 he married Mary Endicott, daughter of William G. Endicott, secretary of war in Cleveland's first term. He resigned as secretary of state for the colonies in 1903 because of his pro-triff views.

Today in Africa.

There's moaning in the jungle; there's a wailing on the plain. From all across the continent there's an awful cry of pain. "He is coming!" shrieks the parrot, and the ostrich hides its head. Is a huge rig through a sand pile and wishes it was dead. The huge gorilla climbs a tree and trembles in the top. The springbok springs and springs again, as though 'twould never stop. The lion roars reverberate throughout the tropic night. The wild hyena laughs no more, but sobs and weeps in fright.

Instead of frolicking all night beneath the glowing moon, See, bathed in tears, the chimpanzee and hunkier baboon. In cruel sleep the elephant wakes up to fancied shots.

The leopard, seeking a disguise, attempts to change his spots. The white rhinoceros feels blue and seeks an ebony dye. The hippo leaves the river bed and sleeps where it is dry. Thegnu, all nude, flees madly north, nor halts to eat or drink. The long giraffe, to hide its head, twists its neck in many a kink.

The crocodile sheds heartfelt tears; the stand seeks the Konga; The rhino blows his horn no more, but cowers with the bongo; The cheetah cheats no more the deer, but spends his time repenting; The tiger pauses in his spring, his frightened heart relenting. Old Africa, the darkest land, the land of blood and tears, Never beheld such shivering, such rum-pus and such fears!

NOTED SOUTHERN AUTHORESS

Reminiscences of Mrs. Augusta E. Wilson, Writer of "St. Elmo."

Mrs. Augusta Jane Evans Wilson, as far as selling power goes, was one of the most successful novelists in America. The most famous books of the well known southern authoress, who recently died at her home in Mobile, Ala., are probably "St. Elmo," which was published in 1880, and "Vashti," published in 1883. She was not a prolific writer, like other novelists of her school, and her books, commencing with "Inez" in 1856, number only nine. Her other works are "Gaulah," "Macaria," "Intellect," "As the Mercy of Tiberias," "A Speckled Bird" and "Devotion," the last work from her pen, which appeared in 1907.

"Macaria" was popular among the soldiers of the civil war, and it is said that a copy of the book once saved the life of one of them. "He took it from his shirt one day and was surprised to find a bullet imbedded in its pages." When Mrs. Wilson was eleven years old her family moved from Columbus, Ga., to San Antonio, Tex., which soon afterward became the headquarters of the troops sent to assist General Taylor. Their glittering uniforms, the stirring martial music and exciting events of the war, combined with the exquisite scenery about the place, strongly impressed her and furnished the theme for "Inez, a Tale of the Alamo." The story, written when she was fifteen and presented to her father as a Christmas gift, was brought out by the Harpers in 1855.

It was not until she published "Gaulah," however, that she tasted the fruits of substantial success. That work ran through edition after edition. "St. Elmo," of course, was Mrs. Evans' great success. Its sale was tremendous, and hamlets, hotels, steamboats and country seats were named in its honor. It contains a description of the Taj Mahal, and a traveler visiting the spot records the fact that he discovered a Parsee boy in the shadow of the tomb reading the London edition of one of Mrs. Wilson's books.

For "Vashti" which followed, the author received in a single check, while it was still in manuscript, \$15,000. Mrs. Wilson never wrote a magazine or a newspaper article, although she had frequently been imported for both. One editor offered to allow her to fix her own price on a serial story, and a publisher agreed to pay her \$25,000 if she would permit him to bring her novels out in a cheap paper back form, so as not to interfere with the library edition, but both propositions were rejected.

UNIQUE PLEA FOR PARDON.

"Kick Me Out or I'll Corrupt Prison Morale," Convict Wrote Governor.

Governor Walter R. Stubbs of Kansas recently received a peculiar letter from a prisoner in the Kansas penitentiary. Usually the letters the governor receives are that the prisoner is not guilty at all, or if guilty he did not mean to do it and just forgot himself or let his temper get away with him. But there is one prisoner who offered a different reason for the governor letting him out of the prison. Here it is:

Judging from what I have read and from conversations held with prisoners in this penitentiary, I have arrived at the conclusion that I am about the only guilty scamp in this place. I cannot plead innocence. I can't write a classical poem and I have no "flowers blooming in the conservatory of my soul." You have no idea how lonesome this leaves me. Better kick me out of here, lest I corrupt the morals of the institution.

Every man in the penitentiary who believes himself wronged or innocent is convinced that he would be able to do society much good if turned out by the governor. But a long time ago the governors learned that some of the prisoners had a mistaken idea of their innocence or usefulness, so it is seldom that a governor pays much attention to this kind of letters. Somehow or other it has become noised about that Governor Stubbs would encourage frankness in prisoners and that he expected at least some evidence of reform to convince him that some of the criminals were worthy of executive clemency.

The governor receives all sorts of letters from prisoners, both in the prison and in the reformatory, every day, but the one received the other day was the most novel one of which there is any record in the governor's office. The letter contains much other matter referring to this prisoner's case, and that quoted is only a part of the letter. The governor declined to give out the name of the prisoner. Governor Stubbs is considerably interested in the man who wrote the letter, and it is possible that some action may be taken in regard to his case.

And He Did.

"I believe we are all ready," said the young man who was about to officiate as the bridegroom.

"All right. I will join you in a moment," replied the clergyman, rising.—Chicago Tribune.

Answering a Foolish Question.

Lecturer—Mr. Committeeman, I want a glass of water placed on a small table on the stage tonight. Committeeman—To drink? Lecturer—No! I make a high dive in the second paragraph.—Chicago News.

COUNTY.

Parsonsburg.

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The people of this section did not get rich this berry season, and they are about to find that the berry business is not a get-rich-quick scheme.

Mrs. Wm. White and daughters, Mildred, of Salisbury, who have been the guests of Mr. A. J. Tighman and family returned home this week.

The M. E. Church people here have decided to celebrate July 3rd as the 4th of July at the Parsonsburg camp ground. They intend to make the celebration a great event, and invite the public to be present. The affair will begin at 1 o'clock, p.m., and the camping privileges will be sold to the highest bidder at 4 o'clock. Refreshments of all kinds will be served.

Jesterville.

Our farmers are busy putting out tomato plants.

We are glad to report Mr. Clarence Reunshaw is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heath, Misses Namora and Ruth Heath spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Jackson.

Mrs. Sue Robertson and Mr. Lazareth Messick, of Trinity, were quietly married Wednesday. They will make their home in Trinity.

Nanticoke.

Prof. W. L. Mayo, of Annapolis, spent Saturday and Sunday in Nanticoke.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Elliott, were guests of Mr. Albert Elliott Sunday.

Mrs. Edith M. Toadine and daughter, Miss Alice spent Tuesday in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Walter were guests of Mr. Emory Messick, at Trinity, Sunday.

Children's Day service will be held in Nanticoke M. E. Church, Sunday evening, June 13th.

Mrs. Sarah Hyder, of Baltimore, is spending sometime with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel M. White.

Mr. Ware Robertson, quarter-master of steamer Tangier, spent last week with his uncle, Mr. J. W. Willing.

Mr. Herman S. Turner, of Baltimore, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. S. Turner.

Rev. F. B. Adkins, of Boston, and Mr. Albert Jones, of Quantico, were guests of Mr. John W. Willing, Sunday.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Ada Travers, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Travers, to Mr. Levin L. Walter. The ceremony will take place at Nanticoke, M. E. Church Wednesday, June 16th and will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Special Children's Day services with sermon in the morning appropriate to the occasion. Sunday School at 2:30. No Epworth League services. The regular Children's Day program will be rendered at 8 o'clock.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 annual Children's Day services at 11:00 o'clock; Epworth League at 7:00; Evening services at 8:00.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00; Christian Endeavor at 7:00; Evening sermon at 8:00.

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; preaching at 11 o'clock; Class Meeting at 8:30; Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock; evening sermon at 8:00.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Early celebration at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 9:30; Morning prayer at 11:00; Evening prayer and sermon at 8:00.

Riverside M. E. Church, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9 o'clock; Class services at 3 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.; preaching at 7:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 7:15; Preaching at 8:00 o'clock.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South Salisbury. Sunday School at 2:30 o'clock.

Off For Europe.

A number of Salisburyans will leave next week for a trip across the sea.

The trip—

A score of us or more of us

Are off across the sea

With foreign skies to greet our eyes

We'll be in ecstasy.

Our sea-sick hopes will soar.

To view the mystic shore,

With Basdecker to set us right.

And books and maps to guide our flight

We'll make the trip without a slip

View everything in sight.

Our wobbly feet with joy disorient

The gang plank will descend;

And from the quay we'll speed away

O'er mountain, moor and fen,

With "credit" well supplied,

We shall not be denied.

So to our boat we'll bid adieu

Its homeward journey 'twill pursue

But we must on our way skiddoo

The rickety antiquity

Of Britain we would view.

All beauties smile on Erin's Isle

By fair Lake Killarney;

With risk of bone we kiss the stone

Of far famed Castle Blarney.

And now the land we view

Of Burns—Carnegie, too—

Ye cannie Scots we wish ye weel,

(One spun his rhymes right off the reel

The other fortunes from his steel)

No time to joke, in London smoke

We'll to King Eddie kneel.

We dash along and flash along

The ancient Roman ways,

In Florence, Venice, Naples too

We make our little stays,

It fills us with delight,

A city in a night—

Away again the Alps to climb

We scale them, then on up the Rhine

To Holland-land o'erwhelmed with brine

But for the dike—then on we hike

To Frankfort-on-the-Main.

But still we must not shed the dust

Of Europe till we see,

Though last of all the best of all

The brilliant gay Paris.

Our nights we'll turn to day,

Our fashions we'll display,

And gowns and hats and gloves and

spats

And furbelows and new cravats

We'll pack into our portmanteau

Then homeward-bound to stay.

—Herbert Riffe.

Children's Day Program.

The annual Children's Day exercises of the Sabbath School will be held in the Wicomico Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. A special program of great interest will be rendered by both the senior and primary departments of the school and the public is cordially invited to be present.

The address this year will be made by the pastor, Mr. Beale. Special music is to be given by the church choir.

The program is as follows:

Organ Voluntary.

Singing by the School—"The Children's King."

Prayer, followed by the Lord's prayer.

Scripture reading—Selection.

Singing—"Come and join the New Crusaders."

Recitation of the twenty-third Psalm.

Exercises by the Primary Department.

Singing—"Pure as the Breath of the Morning."

Recitations.

Singing—"When the Heart is Young"

Responsive exercises.

Address.

Offering to Presbyterian Sabbath School Missions.

Singing—"This Happy Day."

The exercises of the Primary department around which much interest usually centers is as follows:

Recitations, "Our Children's Day"

—Albert Brotemarkle, Emma Lohner, Nellie Adams, Mildred Larret and Frances Harvey.

Chorus, "For Children's Day"

—Motion song by the Primary department.

Recitation, "Roses"—Mildred Higgins, Ruth Higgins and Lydia Grier.

Solo—Katharine Todd.

Recitations, "Glad Children's Day"

—Chas. Adams, Mary Belle Higgins and Katharine Todd.

Chorus, "June Song"—Primary department.

Recitations, Miscellaneous—Katharine Brewington, Robert Brewington, Edith Givins, Carl McHain and Clyde Fitch.

Solo—Mary Belle Higgins.

Recitations, Miscellaneous—Edgar Harvey, Eugenia Graham, Clyde Cantwell and William Morgan.

Chorus Prayer—Primary School

Chorus and March.

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Mr. Charles McKeegan.
Mrs. Gracie Lihdsey.
Miss. Clare Lawse.
Mr. Sam Morris.
Mrs. L. J. Mills.
Mr. J. C. Millier.
Mr. Thomas H. Rock.
Mr. Daniel Tingle.
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Mr. Clippel William.
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Mrs. J. L. Waller.
Mrs. Chas. Warner.

Very Nicely English.

This curious Bengali English was used to advertise a circus in India: "Some horse will make very good tricks. The clown will come and talk with that horses therefore audience will laugh itself very much. The lady will walk on horses back and horse is jumping very much also. The clown will make a joking words and lady will become to angry therefore clown will run himself away. One man will make so tricks of trapeze audience will afraid himself very much. One lady will make himself so bend, then everybody he will think, he is the rubber lady. This is the very grand display. This is the very better gymnastics. One man will walk on wire tight, he is doing very nicely because he is professor of that."

The Secret.

"I say," said Berkeley to his wife yesterday at dinner, "you didn't say anything to any one about what I was telling you the night before last, did you? That's a secret."

"A secret! Why, I didn't know it was a secret," she replied regretfully.

"Well, did you tell it? I want to know."

"Why, no; I never thought of it since. I didn't know it was a secret."

—Boston Globe.

A Lunatic's Repartee.

Some visitors were being shown through Kew Lunatic asylum, Victoria, one day, and coming opposite the clock in the corridor, one of them, looking quickly at his watch, said, "Is that clock right?"

"No, you idiot," said a patient standing by. "It wouldn't be in here if it were right."

A Queer Eye.

An orator stated that "the worst enemy any cause can have is a double lie in the shape of half a truth," and the newspaper reported it "a double eye in the shape of half a tooth."

An Exception.

She—Do you suppose a man ever spoke the truth when he told a woman she was the only one he ever kissed?

He—Well, I don't believe Adam lied about it to Eve.—Boston Transcript.

Hopeless.

"He ought to turn over a new leaf."

"Geo, that wouldn't do much good. He could turn over a whole library and not have a good start toward being decent."—Exchange.

A 'CROSS COUNTER TALK



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"Accused of begging!" exclaimed the magistrate. "Why, you are the very man who was begging at my door yesterday!"

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Marches and Marches.

A schoolteacher in a small town saw some of George Eliot's works displayed in the window of the "general store" and went in to inquire if they had "Middlemarch."

"No, we haven't that," said the red cheeked girl who served as clerk, "but we have lots of others. Will one of yours do?"

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Teachers and Scholarship Examinations.

The Annual Teachers and Scholarship Examinations will be held in the Wicomico High School, Salisbury, Md., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 15th, 16th and 17th, 1909, beginning at 9 a. m. each day.

By order of the Board,
WM. J. HOLLOWAY, Sec.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

J. GABRIEL ULMAN, Attorney

ELMER H. WALTON, Attorney

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County and State of Maryland, at the instance of John Birkmeyer, Lewis Birkmeyer and John F. Birkmeyer, Jr., partners trading as John F. Birkmeyer and Sons against the goods, and chattels, lands and tenements of Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett, I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim, and demand at law and in equity of the said Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett in and to all the following property, to wit:

All that lot of land in the town of Sharptown, in Sharptown Election District, in Wicomico County, Maryland, on the South side of Water street, and having a frontage of fifty feet on said Water Street, and adjoining properties of Annie Knowles, Thos. Russell and Josephus Phillips, and having a depth of ten perches and ten feet and being the same property conveyed to the said Major H. Bennett by John H. Smith and wife, by deed dated the 28th day of June, 1888, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County, in Liber F. M. S., No. 5, Folio 208.

And I hereby give notice that on

Saturday, July 3, 1909,

at two o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Court House, Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the above described lot of land, with the improvements thereon, to satisfy said writ and costs.

WM. W. LARMORE,
Sheriff said Wicomico County.

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HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS APPOINTED BY BOARD.

Salisbury and Delmar Principals Are Reappointed And A New Instructor Is Assigned To Sharptown—The Free Scholarships Awarded.

The appointment of the principal for the Wicomico High School was again taken up for consideration at yesterday's meeting of the School Board and after some discussion Prof. C. H. Dye was reappointed by the unanimous vote of the Board. The appointment of a principal for the Delmar High School was also held up at last week's meeting, but yesterday it was decided to reappoint Mr. J. Frank McBee, who succeeded Mr. Shingle when the latter was transferred to the Wicomico High School last year. The principalship at the Sharptown High School was open and Prof. J. Henry White was appointed to the position. Mr. White was formerly a resident of this State, but is now teaching at Evansville, Indiana. He is a graduate of Bowdoin and Harvard Colleges and will come to his new field of labor exceedingly well fitted for the work. It is expected that the Sharptown High School will go on the list of accredited high schools this year. If this is accomplished the school will be entitled to an appropriation from the State for the establishment of a commercial department.

It was decided to close Truitt's school in Willards district which has never been attended by the required number of pupils. The children who have been attending this building will be accommodated at Willards and at the Deep Branch School.

Only two appointments to free scholarships were made in accordance with the offers of the different institutes of learning in Maryland. Mr. Richard Waller secured a scholarship in the Maryland Institute of Art and Design, of Baltimore, and Miss Ruby L. Cooper, of Riverton, was given a scholarship at the Maryland State Normal School, Baltimore.

The rest of yesterday's session was spent in considering the plans and specifications which have been submitted for the new school buildings which are to be built during the Summer. The new building for Salisbury is to be located on East William street near the McLain property on the East side of the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad tracks.

Big Carnival Next Week.

The members of Company I, Maryland National Guard, of this city, have arranged with the Osterling Amusement Company to give a big carnival in Salisbury every day and evening next week for the benefit of the company. The arrangements were made through Captain H. Winter Owens. The performers of the carnival will give two big free acts daily and an Italian band will give two free concerts each day. There are six special attractions with the show in addition to the usual exhibits, Ferris wheel and merry-go-round. The carnival will be given on the wharf property on Lake Street, near the Salisbury Wood-Working Factory.

THRIFT COMES BY SAVING.

A Bank Account Is A Fine Asset Either Large Or Small.

According to statistics there are 6,770,887 men, women and children in the United States who own deposits in savings institutions amounting to \$2,772,888,257.00. This vast sum has been made up the little savings of thirty middle classes. The average balance of each depositor is \$409.23. How much of this is yours?

The Salisbury National Bank has inaugurated a plan whereby everyone can commence to save a share of this world's goods. Success in saving cannot be obtained by waiting to start a bank account with a large amount. The start is the whole thing. Start now and watch the account grow.

Gentlemanly solicitors are calling on the people on behalf of the Salisbury National Bank. These men receive initial deposits in any amount from \$1 upwards, issue a receipt for anything you care to deposit and give you a bank as advertised in another part of this issue. Read the large advertisement in THE COURIER and get full particulars.

YOUNG BUSINESS MAN SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS.

Mr. Sewell R. Fields, One Of This City's Most Promising Younger Merchants, Died Tuesday At Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Mr. Sewell Robbins Fields, son of Capt. James E. B. Fields, died Tuesday evening at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where he had been taken two weeks ago for treatment. His remains were brought to the home of his parents in this city and the funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 8 o'clock at Trinity M. E. Church, South, by Rev. W. A. Cooper, assisted by Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale. The remains were interred at Shad Point. Deceased was an active member of the E. E. Jackson Barons class of the Trinity M. E. Sunday School and six of the members of the class acted as pall-bearers as follows: Messrs. Gordy Culver, Augustus Hayman, H. M. Clarke, Charles Bethke, Lee Fields and Harold Ingersoll.

The unexpected death of Mr. Fields removes one of the most promising of the younger residents. Although he was only 24 years old he has been actively engaged in the retail grocery business for over two years, being a member of the firm of Fields & Bounds.

About ten weeks ago he was taken ill, gradually growing worse until it was recommended by his physicians that he be taken to the Johns Hopkins Hospital where it was thought a proper diagnosis could be made.

He is survived by his father, two brothers, Ray and Carol, and one sister, Mrs. Ralph Murphy, all of this city.

Citizen's Meeting Postponed.

It was expected that the telephone situation would again be carefully considered at the public meeting which was called for last Wednesday evening, but it was necessary to postpone the meeting because of the delay of the City Council which met in special session the same evening to consider the granting of the franchise to the new company. The incorporators of the Citizens' Telephone Company had asked for a franchise at a previous meeting, but the matter was deferred for various and sundry reasons. It was the impression of the incorporators, however, that the City Solicitor had been instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for the franchise and that it would be granted Wednesday night. It developed at this meeting that there had been a misunderstanding as to the instructions that had been given to former City Solicitor L. Atwood Bennett and before he had had time to prepare the ordinance he had been succeeded in office by Senator Toadvin and the latter had not received any instructions as to the franchise.

The franchise prepared by the incorporators of the new company and which had been previously read before the Council was presented. The whole matter was referred to the City Solicitor with instructions to prepare an ordinance which he said he would have ready by Friday night, at which time it would be passed.

The Council meeting was called for 7.30 in order to allow ample time to secure the franchise so that the matter could be presented to the people at the public meeting which was called for 8.00 o'clock. The members of the Council were late in arriving at the City Hall, and it was 8.30 before the Council made known its decision to delay action on the franchise. By this time many of the people who had assembled at the Court House to attend the public meeting had left and because of the action of the officials the meeting was postponed.

An Unprofitable Season.

Shipments aggregating over 80,000,000 quarts of strawberries have been shipped over the N. Y. P. & N. Railroad and the B. C. & A. Railroad this season. These berries were shipped in 1800 cars, over 900 of which were refrigerator cars which were used in this city. Notwithstanding these figures thousands of quarts of berries rotted in the fields on account of the extremely wet weather and many of the shipments made arrived in the Northern markets in such a soft condition that they brought a very low price. The crop this year, as a whole, was anything but a profitable one to the growers.

NANTICOKE THE SCENE OF A PRETTY WEDDING.

Mr. Levin L. Walter And Miss Adah Travers United In Marriage Wednesday Night In The Presence Of Many Friends And Relatives.

A pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening when Miss Adah Travers, eldest daughter of Mr. Frank Travers, became the bride of Mr. Levin L. Walter. The wedding took place at the Nanticoke Methodist Episcopal Church, which was prettily decorated with palms, potted plants and daisies. The couple stood under a floral arch from which hung a wedding bell of ferns and daisies. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. W. Hastings and Mrs. W. S. Travers, the bride's aunt, played the wedding march. The bride wore a beautiful white Princess gown and carried white carnations. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Grace Messick, as maid of honor, and Misses Sue Noel, of Baltimore, and Myrtle White, as bridesmaids, who were all attired in white and carried pink carnations. The best man was Mr. Norman Williams, of Rockawalkin, and Messrs. Harry Willing and Raleigh Douglass were the ushers. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride to which a large number of friends were invited.

The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Walter, of Baltimore, Mrs. Martha Taylor and Master Raymond Taylor, of Green Hill, Mrs. Edmund Humphreys and daughter, Louise, Misses Eva Catlin and Susie Walter and Mr. Marvin Evans, of Salisbury, Miss Augusta Humphreys and Mr. Norman Williams, of Rockawalkin, and Miss Helen Wilson, of Hebron.

The bride received a large number of handsome presents, consisting of silver, cut glass, china, etc. On Thursday a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, where Mr. and Mrs. Walter will reside for the present.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9.30; sermon at 11.00; Sunday School at 2.30; Epworth League at 7.00; Evening sermon at 8 o'clock.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor. Sunday School at 9.30; preaching by the pastor at 11.00 o'clock; Epworth League at 7.00; Evening services at 8.00.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9.30; sermon at 11.00; Christian Endeavor at 7.00; Evening sermon at 8.00.

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor. Sunday School at 9.30; preaching at 11 o'clock; Class Meeting at 8.30; Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock; evening sermon at 8.00.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Early celebration at 7.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 9.30; Morning prayer at 11.00; Evening prayer and sermon at 8.00.

Riverside M. E. Church, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 2 o'clock; Class services at 3 o'clock; Epworth League at 6.45 p. m.; preaching at 7.30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9.30; sermon at 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9.45; Young People's Meeting at 7.15; Preaching at 8.00 o'clock.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South Salisbury. Sunday School at 2.30 o'clock.

Jury-Dam Not Completed.

Under the supervision of Street Commissioner Serman, the work of constructing the jury-dam at the Division Street crossing of Lake Humphreys is progressing as rapidly as possible with a small force of men. It will be some time yet before the lake can be filled with water and in the meantime there is the constant danger of disease from the decayed vegetation in the bottom of the lake, which has been dry since the dam was washed away several weeks ago.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB MEETS AND ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS.

Drivers Of Machines Would Eliminate Danger At Crossings And Corners By Slowing Down To Six Miles An Hour In City Limits.

With the view of breaking up the reckless driving of automobiles within the city limits of Salisbury the Automobile Club adopted splendid resolutions at its meeting Saturday night. The resolutions follow:

Whereas, The Automobile Club of Wicomico County stands pledged to the support of the highest interests and welfare of all the people, and for the preservation of the safety of travel on the public highways, whether in town or country, and

Whereas, The Club is opposed to driving automobiles at a speed beyond safety, and

Whereas, There has been some complaint made that some of the automobiles have been driven in Salisbury at a dangerous speed, now therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Automobile Club of Wicomico County, that we as a whole do most solemnly pledge ourselves to uphold the law and ordinances of this State and City, and to do all in our power to put an end to any reckless driving of automobiles, and to assist the officers of the law in the prosecution of anyone violating the law pertaining to motor vehicles. And be it further

Resolved, That we are opposed to reckless speeding, not only because it is dangerous to the general public, but also because it is not so enjoyable and safe to the autoist. To this end we therefore pledge ourselves to use reasonable care and prudence in driving our cars, and to respect the rights and protect the safety of all others using vehicles of any sort on the public highways, whether in town or country. To this end also, be it further

Resolved, that a speed not exceeding six miles an hour shall be maintained at the intersection of Dock and Main Streets, Main and Division streets and Division and Church streets, in the city of Salisbury.

Mr. Jay Williams acted as chairman of the meeting and Mr. Walter Disharoon secretary.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the dates named.

July 8, 1908.—Trained Nurse (Male). Examination for Panama Canal.

July 8-9, 1909.—Computer. Supervising Architect's Office.

July 8-9, 1909.—Ald. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

July 14, 1909.—Pathologist (Male). Freedmen's Hospital.

July 14, 1909.—Laboratory Helper. Department of Agriculture.

July 14-15, 1909. Architectural Draftsman.

July 14-15, 1909.—Topographic Draftsman. Copyist Topographic Draftsman.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following parties remain uncalled for at the Salisbury Post Office and will be sent to the Dead Letter Office two weeks from today. When inquiring please state that these letters have been advertised:

Adkins, The Rev. F. B.
Bryan, Mr. Guy L.
Burbage, Mr. George L.
Brewington, Mrs. H. C.
Carey, Mrs. Samuel.
Conay, Mrs. Martha.
Cook, Mrs. C. A.
Dishell, Miss Martha E.
Edger, Mr. W. J.
Gaskill, Mr. R. S.
Gibson, Mr. H. W.
Gravenor, Mr. Ernest.
Hart, Mr. Budey.
Hazel, Mr. Martin.
Jones, Mrs. Sallie.
Jenkins, Mr. John W.
Jaymes, Mr. E. R.
Keeler, Mr. William V. A.
McColgin, Mr. Frank T.
Mitchell, Miss Ida.
Schmidt, Mr. Curtis A.
Shockey, Mrs. Annie.
Scott, Mrs. Charlotte.
Smith, Miss Hattie.
Turner, Mr. W. F.
Warham, Mr. L. G.
Williams, Mrs. Thomas H.

TO IMPROVE HARBOR.

Major Craighill Pays Compliment To Citizens Of Salisbury For Existing Prosperous Conditions.

The visit of Major Craighill of the United States Army to Salisbury last week and his declaration that he will recommend the survey of the river above the bridge comes with great delight to the business men and citizens generally. Major Craighill came at the invitation of Mayor Harper to personally inspect the conditions here. He was taken in charge by the Mayor and several of our citizens and shown the town and the harbor. He was greatly impressed with the importance of Salisbury as a business centre. In conversation with Major Craighill, said that the improvement asked for by our citizens struck him very favorably. He said that Salisbury had made great strides in recent years. He recognized that we are suffering from a lack of wharfage front and said that he would recommend the survey with the idea of getting an appropriation for the dredging of the river for its entire width from the bridge to the head of the stream. He thought the small islands near the head should be dredged out so as to make an anchorage basin there for big boats, giving us at least nine feet of water at mean low water. He was very complimentary about the growth of Salisbury.

Major Craighill has been identified with all the river and harbor improvements in Salisbury for the past thirty-five years. He had charge of the first work done here, when the first channel was dug to allow vessels to come up to the wharves here. Prior to his recommendation for river improvements in Salisbury all the vessels had to stop at the "Cotton Patch" and the freight brought to and carried from town in lighters. He is therefore very familiar with all our conditions and is in a position to note the vast growth and improvement in Salisbury during the past twenty-five or thirty years. It was Major Craighill who suggested the building of the dykes down the river to hold back the dirt which came from the river bed and he has always been willing to give us a helping hand.

The getting of the survey and the recommendation of Major Craighill however is not all that is necessary in order to get the appropriation for this work. After the survey is made and the recommendations sent to Congress it will be necessary for our business men to get a handle on them and have a committee appointed to confer with Congressman Covington and the two senators from Maryland to help along this work of getting the appropriation. Congressman Jackson will also be a big factor in helping secure this appropriation. Both he and his son, National Committeeman William P. Jackson can do much to help us get the necessary appropriation bill through Congress for this work. There is nothing which will contribute more to the commercial growth of Salisbury than the dredging of this river above the bridge and the building of the wharves along the stream. The dredging of the basin will be a big thing for Salisbury. It will give a fine anchorage for vessels unloading above the bridge and will also bring in a large wharve frontage. We believe that all the property owners along the stream will build their wharves and help along the improvement in every way possible.

Treachery, Says Turner.

Frank Turner, state's attorney for Talbot county and chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee for that county, does not believe that his faction was so badly beaten in the primaries last Saturday.

"We are not so badly beaten," said Mr. Turner today. "Collier, nominated for the House of Delegates, and put down as an independent, is not at all an independent, but is my strong personal friend. Two of the nominees for county commissioner belong to our side. We nominated our candidate for sheriff and all the candidates for the House of Delegates. The defeat of Charles B. Lloyd for clerk of the Circuit Court was due to treachery. Lloyd lost by only 26 votes.

"There were many Republicans who cast their votes in the primaries, and these all voted for the Wrightson faction."

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of our Dear Son Ulie J. Hastings, who departed this life June 20, 1908, age 25 years.

A precious one from us has gone
A voice we loved is still,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God in his wisdom has recalled
The boon his love has given,
And though the body moulders here
The soul is safe in Heaven.

—Written by his parents.

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To Abolish The Fly.

It happens every day, and so one pays very little attention. Maybe it is the butter, or perhaps the slice of bread along side one's plate. Or else, quite possibly, it is the milk in the pitcher. But whatever it is that attracts the omnipresent fly, its appearance, as it crawls over the food on the table, is unappetizing.

The health authorities of New York City estimate that about one-half of the deaths from typhoid in the metropolis annually are attributable to the distribution of the germs by flies. But, serious as this matter is, it is of vastly less importance than the destruction of human life particularly that of young children, by the bowel complaints which these insects are chiefly instrumental in spreading. It is reckoned that deaths from these latter maladies in New York would be reduced from 7,000 to about 2,000 a year if proper precautions were taken to prevent the breeding of flies.

The insects will breed in fermenting vegetable or animal material of almost any kind. Garbage suits them first rate. The maggots and chrysalids have been found in great numbers in rotten straw mattresses, among old cotton garments, and even in waste paper that had been exposed to wet.

Now, so far as stables are concerned, which are accountable for ninety-five per cent of the fly output in cities, the hatching of the insects can be absolutely prevented by the simple device of putting all manure into a covered receptacle, and removing the contents once a week. This receptacle should be a water-tight bin or pit provided with a cover, so as to prevent the ingress and egress of flies.

The additional methods demand are the following: Abolish all insanitary outhouses. Allow no accumulation of filth of any kind. Compel people to put all their garbage in covered cans, and remove the contents at least once a week. Compel owners of abattoirs to keep all refuse in covered receptacles; and remove such waste at least once a week. —From "Poisoner a Table Guest," in July Technical World Magazine.

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Doings In The Counties—News Items Of Interest To The People All Over The State.

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July 31st has been designated by Hon. Murray Vandiver, Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee as the date for State and Judicial Primaries in Somerset county.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulents relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

Miss Myra Long, of Westover, Miss Miriam Dickinson and Miss Perry Belle Hall, of Pocomoke City, left on Tuesday for a trip through the south and west which will include a visit to Memphis, Tenn., Texas, New Orleans and the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific visit her uncle Mr. Chas. J. Broughton, at Dayton, Wash.

Many of our citizens are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure. C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden, Ave.

The horse which Mr. Charlton C. Taylor, of Habnab, was driving last Wednesday became frightened by the breaking of some the harness and threw him against a telephone pole breaking several ribs. Mr. C. W. Tyler, who was driving in the same carriage, probably saved Mr. Taylor's life by pulling him, in an unconscious condition, from a ditch full of water. He would probably have drowned had not help been so close at hand. Dr. C. T. Fisher rendered surgical aid.

Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Urino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Urino Laxative today? C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden, Ave.

The wheat crop in Maryland this year is said to be one of the best in years. Reports show that wheat is in a most flourishing condition. With the present high prices Maryland's income from wheat is expected to break all records. According to figures furnished by the Chamber of Commerce the crop produced by the farmers of Maryland is normally about 16,000,000 bushels, but that the indications this year are that the crop will reach nearly 20,000,000 bushels.

Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuse to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with untried remedies as delay may result in your cold setting on your lungs. C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden, Ave.

A resolution of congratulation to the guards at the Maryland House of Correction was passed Monday of last week at the annual meeting of the board of managers, which was attended by Governor Crothers. The guards were thanked for their efforts in stamping out the recent epidemic of smallpox. The board re-elected Superintendent William H. Lankford and all the guards of the institution except Richard Moore, of Washington, county, who was succeeded by William J. Powell, of Allegany county.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Topic For Tomorrow, "Second Quarterly Review" Discussed By A Local Writer.

GOLDEN TEXT:—With great power gave the apostles, witness of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The book of the Acts is a book on missions, and all of our lessons during the past three months touch upon missions, to whom the message of salvation should be taught, the essence of the message, and how it should be taught. Those of the Jewish people who accepted Christianity were of the opinion that they still were, as formerly the custodians of the plan of salvation, but God taught the early church through Peter that now, as the plan of salvation was complete through Christ, it was unto the whole world.

There were many, outside of the Jews, who were seeking the light. They had learned much of God through the teaching of the Jews, and their minds seeking the highest good, were drawn toward the true God, and the Gentile, or heathen world, was ready to receive Christ. The nations of that day, although called heathen and gentile, were by no means heathen as we use the name today. They were by no means inferior to the Jewish people for the Jewish people were, at this time, subject to the Roman power, which held sway over almost the known world of that day. To this thinking, reasoning, gentile world Christ crucified was to be taught. These people were not without religious ideas. Their theologies have passed into mythologies, but, at that day, it was a part and parcel of their national nature to subplant it, something offering assurance of great advantage had to be offered, and made to appeal to them strong men of the nations, who had been drawn to the light, accepted Christ, and we have, in our lessons, learned how God prepared teachers for this work, and also the character of the work done, and how it was received.

We have learned much of Paul, and of his fitness to become an ambassador for Christ. We have learned what it meant to Paul to leave home and friends, a position of affluence among a people, whose patronage he might have enjoyed to the fullest had he remained with them, casting his lot in a social and political way with them, for when we see what Paul accomplished in the church, we can estimate what his life, and its successors would in all probability have been, had he remained a peer among his people, as a Roman citizen at that day. We thus estimate what a missionary foregoes in a worldly way.

But what one foregoes is not the most serious obstacle in a mission, but what one undergoes on, as we followed the first missionaries, Barnabas, Paul, and John Mark, on that first missionary journey, we had a glimpse of what the undergoings were. Barnabas and John Mark, had cast their lots in with the Christian Church, and had, as Paul, gone out gladly, but after passing through Cyprus, and landing on the north coast of the sea facing the rough mountain country to the north, where "perils by land" faced them, John Mark failed, and turned back, not to what he had originally foregone for the cause, but we are led to think, on account of what he must undergo, if he continued on with Barnabas and Paul. John Mark afterward took up the duties of mission work with success.

The experiences of Paul and Barnabas were certainly thrilling. How after they were called upon to put self and all personal considerations out of the way, and stand forth boldly under very dangerous circumstances. As we read the narrative of their works, it seems worse than mission work among fanatical savages today. Their lives were certainly strenuous. We cannot help but think that every day was full to its limit with trying circumstances, or hard teaching and preaching. Every day was a day demanding all of their abilities.

Many complain that life is hum-drum, just so routine that it becomes tiresome, and they long to get to the front rank of march of mankind, and to be engaged in thrilling things of life. Well, the front ranks at home are a little crowded, and the class for thrilling deeds exclusive, but there is a noble work for mankind which elicits much praise and commendation—try missions. If you have had a good position in the community, and respected and looked up to, and have the promise of pleasures and friends throughout life, forsake that for Christ and your brother, and assume what missionaries have always assumed, and you can have a thrilling life even to the very end. For we will yet learn from our missionaries what a great life they lead, and of its great fascination, its joys, and rewards.

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SALISBURY BOY NOW JUDGE.

Daniel O. Hastings Appointed Resident Associate Judge For New Castle County Of Delaware.

Dover, Del. June 14.—The Delaware State Senate convened here in special session at noon today, in accordance with the constitution of the state and the proclamation issued by Governor Pennell on May 25 last to confirm any appointments which he might have to present to that body. Lieutenant Governor John M. Mendinhal presided over the Senate. The Governor was informed that the Senate was ready for any business he might have. Secretary of State D. O. Hastings shortly appeared in the Senate and presented the following minor appointments:

Gardner W. Joseph, justice of the peace for Kent county for four years; Charles W. Nickerson, justice of the peace for Kent county for four years; Charles W. Hancock, justice of the peace for New Castle county for four years; Cornelius B. Hope, of Dover, state highway commissioner for Kent county for the unexpired term of William A. Willis, deceased.

The Secretary of state then announced the appointment of the judge, as follows:

Chancellor—Charles M. Curtis, for 12 years.

Chief Justice—James Pennell, for 12 years.

William H. Boyce, resident associate judge for Kent county for 12 years.

Victor B. Wooley, judge-at-large, for 12 years.

Henry C. Conard, resident associate judge for Sussex county, for 12 years.

Daniel O. Hastings, resident associate judge for New Castle county, for 12 years.

William T. Smithers, secretary of state, during the pleasure of the governor.

Secretary of State Hastings then withdrew from the Senate, and on motion of Senator Spark the appointments presented were referred to Senators Sparks Conner and Monaghan. In less than five minutes the committee reported the appointment back to the Senate favorably. On motion of Senator Corbitt, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10:30, when it will reconvene to confirm the appointment presented today.

From present indications there will be no opposition to any of the appointments made by the Governor, especially those of the judiciary.

After the judges are confirmed tomorrow, they will be sworn in publicly in the Kent county court house after which the first session of a court by the new bench will be held, that of the semi-annual session of the Supreme Court of Delaware.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75 cents.

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To Manufacture Powder.

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Men Past Fifty In Danger

Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy, especially for enlarged prostate gland which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostate gland and advised an operation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." C. M. Brewington 310 Camden Ave.

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"Look at me," he exclaimed—"never a day's sickness in my life, and all due to simple food! Why, gentlemen, from the time I was twenty to when I reached forty years I lived a regular life. None of these effeminate delicacies for me, no late hours! Every day, summer and winter, I went to bed at 8; got up at 6; lived principally on corned beef and corn bread; worked hard, gentle, worked hard, from 8 to 1; then dinner, plain dinner, then an hour's exercise and then—"

"Excuse me, Bill," interrupted a stranger who had up to this refrained from entering the discussion, "but what was you in for?"—Minneapolis Journal.

Locations of Promotion.

Elizena, aged four, revealed in kindergarten lore and each day imparted to her young mother the many interesting things that the sweet faced teacher had told them. Among the vicissitudes of school life to be encountered was that of vaccination, which was new to the little one. After much explaining and reassuring this difficulty was safely passed. A few weeks later she returned one day from kindergarten in a whirl of excitement, exclaiming: "Mother, mother, I'm going to be promoted! Mother, will I be promoted on my arm or my leg?"—New York Times.

German Way of Serving Asparagus.

When living in Germany we noticed that the asparagus served there was unusually tender and of a much more delicate flavor than that which we got in America. We learned that the Germans do not consider asparagus fit to eat unless the outside skin is scraped from each stalk before cooking. This sounds like slow work, but if a sharp knife is used it can be done quite rapidly and in well worth the trouble.—Good Housekeeping.

Making a Bolt For It.

The monotony of crime in the police stations is relieved often times by a generally supposed by an infusion of unexpected humor. This happy faculty of tickling the magistrate's sense of humor won a prisoner in a police station his liberty the other day.

The prisoner had told the magistrate that he was a locksmith by trade, and the magistrate asked:

"Well, were you on business in this gambling house at 2 o'clock in the morning?"

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The Bridge At The Dam Should Be Promptly Rebuilt.

The disagreement between the Humphreys heirs and the city authorities as to whose duty it is to replace the bridge at the dam, which was recently swept away, is decidedly unfortunate not only for the citizens of South Salisbury in particular, but for all the residents in general. The officials were undoubtedly right in taking prompt steps to build a jury dam as a sanitary precaution, and it would be well to follow this by the immediate construction of the bridge so that travel could be resumed by this route to the Southern portion of the town. The absolute stoppage of all kinds of vehicle travel has resulted in great damage to various tradesmen on both sides of the Lake, and the present condition is unfair to them and entails a loss which should, if possible, be stopped just as soon as practicable.

In addition to this, the long trip required for all drivers having business in that section of the town means a great loss of time in the course of a few days. As compared with the direct way across the dam, the circuitous route through Newton Street makes an unavoidably long and tedious method of reaching a large portion of South Salisbury and it is unjust to require those compelled to take it to do so a single day longer than is absolutely necessary.

If the matter is to be finally tested in the Courts, it would seem that an agreement could be entered into by which the city could proceed immediately with the work, with the understanding that if the final outcome should be favorable to their contention, the Humphreys heirs would reimburse them for the amount expended. This would relieve the situation promptly and at the same time neither party to the controversy would waive any legal rights which they may now have in the premises. In justice to the people, however, action of some character should certainly be taken.

The Latest Phase Of The Tele- phone Trouble.

To the uninitiated the move of the Mayor and Council to postpone action on the proposed franchise for the new telephone company was in the nature of a decided surprise but as they have committed themselves unequivocally in the presence of any number of people to its passage within a few days, the explanation given to the public will be received for what it is worth, and its ultimate value will depend upon the final action. The absence of Senator Toadvin from town for several days was assigned as the cause for the delay, and he was instructed to prepare a franchise which would fully meet the requirements of the occasion, and absolutely satisfy not only the city officials but those who have been promi-

nently identified with the recent movement to secure uniform rates and also satisfy the subscribers and citizens in general. This has been the sole end sought by the Citizens' Committee and they have the right on the part of the people to demand of the officials complete cooperation toward the accomplishment of this end.

It may be stated in this connection that there has been no desire on the part of the promoters of the new company to have actually started another concern in Salisbury. The Diamond State Telephone Company was given a definite time in which to comply with the terms of the subscribers, as embodied in the letter of the Citizens' Committee, and immediately after the expiration of the time named in that communication, the members of that Committee appeared before the city officials and told them the result of the negotiations. Upon that report the Mayor and Council acted promptly and well. The officials immediately informed the members that if they would as soon as possible incorporate a new company for telephone purposes and appear before them again with a legal status the franchise would be granted and this was then generally recognized as being a step in the right direction and one which would be an important factor in the final adjustment of the situation. Acting upon the request, the incorporation was duly formed, as is publicly known, and the mere absence from town of the newly appointed City Solicitor should not have operated to postpone action upon so important a matter. Councilman Hitch could see no reason for any delay and so stated in rather forcible language, and while he was unquestionably right, there can be no relaxation of effort to bring about an absolutely satisfactory and proper solution of the difficulty before the first of July.

The River Improvement.

The visit of Major William E. Craighill to Salisbury during the past week was the first tangible result of this resolution introduced by Congressman William H. Jackson into the Sixtieth Congress and passed shortly before the fourth of March last. This was an authorization for the necessary preliminary surveys, and when they shall have been made, if favorably reported upon by the War Department, they will be included in the estimates sent to Congress at the next regular session.

The favorable comments which were made by him during the time of his visit here are extremely gratifying as the Department is largely influenced in its own decision by the original reports which are received from the Engineer in charge of the preliminary work. It is for this reason that his view of the matter and his ideas upon the subject after he has had ample opportunity of inspecting the proposed improvements are of so much importance, and pretty accurately gauge the attitude which will be assumed later by the Washington officials.

The people here have been for years very much interested in the project and nothing should be left undone to obtain a favorable recommendation on the part of the Department officials. With a recommendation of this kind the battle will largely have been won, and the cooperation of Congressman J. Harry Covington with Mr. Jackson and other citizens here will be able to bring about the final result—the appropriation of sufficient funds for the actual work.

Editorial Jottings.

Dorchester seems to be the storm centre of the Judicial fight. As goes that County so goes the Circuit!

And now for the annual rush to the seashore.

The people of South Salisbury are still waiting for the bridge.

Who slipped up in the Downs case? If he is not guilty, who is?

The greater the harbor facilities, the larger increase there will be in the river trade.

It is only fair to the Fair that the fair should fare well at the hands of the Fair.

Other places may have their business difficulties but Salisbury continues its forward march.

The Governor's suggestion that a State Auditing Department should be created is all right, but who will audit the Auditing Department.

There is one crop which has not been injured by the excessive amount of rain, and that is the crop of candidates for places on the Democratic ticket. The more the merrier!

The fight for good roads continues. In every community it is becoming one of the most important issues and as the value of improved highways becomes more fully recognized the greater the effort to secure them.

The baseball temperature in Salisbury is beginning to rise, and if it continues long enough, a genuine fever will result. The difficulty ordinarily, however, is that it never reaches its height until about the close of the season.

The prolific pea patch which has been an annual feature of the Court House grounds for several years has given way this Summer to a nicely kept lawn, to the beautification of Division Street and the credit of the County Commissioners.

The action of the local automobile Club in pledging itself to prevent, if possible, the reckless driving of cars through the streets is a step in the right direction. With the large number now in town, the utmost caution and prudence is absolutely essential.

The Constitutional Amendment is losing ground every day, and it is certain it can never become a part of fundamental law of this State. The principle embodied in it has already been overwhelmingly repudiated by the people of Maryland and its defeat this year will be greater than before.

From all accounts there will be no dearth of candidates for the various offices in Wicomico this Fall. In fact there seems to be no limit to the ever increasing number and already the plates around the pie counter are more than sufficient to exhaust the supply of juicy sweetmeats upon the political table.

The defeat of the Turner faction in Talbot is largely attributable to the compromising position occupied by the State's Attorney of that county. It is impossible to defy public opinion and all ideas of propriety and decency and yet retain the confidence of the people.

Salisbury has had few more noticeable improvements in recent years than the one now about being completed—the relaying of the sidewalks on Main Street to conform to the new grade. The awning poles where they have been left standing have been placed at the edge of the sidewalk, thus giving considerably more room for pedestrians. In other instances the poles have been removed entirely, the awnings being supported from the side of the building, making greater improvement by far than the other method.

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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—G. M. Fisher has added to his store a 10 foot wall case for the display of cut glass and hand painted china.

—The ladies of Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church will hold a rummage sale in the armory, beginning next Tuesday.

—LOST—New purse with name "I. Ulman" upon it containing notes and silver. Reward if returned to W. BYRD TRADER, Salisbury Md.

—Miss Lola M. Nelson, instructress in Shorthand and Typewriting for the past year in the Wicomico High School, is attending the Baltimore Business College.

—Miss May Coughlin attended the commencement at Western Maryland College. Miss Coughlin's class, '04, had its reunion. Quite a number of the class were present.

—LOST—Large gold stick pin with oval brown setting, probably lost in Parsons Cemetery or on Poplar Hill Ave., Elizabeth, William or Division Streets. Reward if returned to Courier office.

—According to the *Northampton Times* the farmers of the lower Peninsula began digging their potato crop this week. Thousands of barrels will come up the N. Y., P. & N. road within the next month.

—The pastor will preach at the Division St. Baptist Church at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday June 20th. "Confession of a Preacher" will be the evening theme. S. S. at 9:30 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 7:15 P. M.

—Mr. Joshua Levering, of Baltimore, will give an address Monday evening at the Baptist Church, North Division St. Everybody is cordially invited. Mr. Levering is noted as being a splendid talker and has traveled extensively.

—Miss Annie H. Peters has been appointed Principal of the Shorthand Department of the Salisbury College of Business. Miss Peters is one of the daughters of Mr. Charles M. Peters of "Fairfield," and is eminently fitted for the position.

—Mr. Wm. P. Jackson has sold his Thomas runabout to Jackson Bros. Co. for use in the South. The car will be shipped to Georgia this week consigned to Mr. Phillips, manager of Company's timber lands. Mr. Jackson expects to purchase a new car in the Fall.

—Mrs. Granville R. Rider, who has been ill at her home on William street for the last two weeks, was removed to the Peninsula General Hospital for treatment Monday night. It was reported late yesterday afternoon that Mrs. Rider's condition was slightly improved.

—Elijah Bell, of Berlin, who has charge of the Methodist Protestant, of Baltimore, Md., will preach on Sunday, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., in Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church. Sabbath School 9:30 A. M. Christian Endeavor 7 P. M. Mid-week services Wednesday evening 8 o'clock.

—The engagement is announced in Baltimore of Miss Ethelyn W. Wilson, daughter of the late United States Senator E. K. Wilson, of Snow Hill, to Mr. Franklyn Upshur. Mr. Upshur is the son of Col. George Upshur, formerly president of the Police Board of Baltimore, but who now lives at Snow Hill.

—The members and friends of Washington M. E. Church South, will hold their annual picnic and basket supper on the afternoon and evening of July 1 in the grove at Shad Point. Prominent speakers will make addresses during the evening. Come and spend a pleasant time on the banks of the Wicomico. Committee.

—Two alarms of fire were turned in Wednesday evening. The first blaze was in the cellar of Toulson's drug store and was promptly extinguished without the aid of the department. The second alarm called the local fire fighters to the L. P. Coulbourne ware-house on Church st. The fire was slight and no damage resulted.

—Miss Lilly Foswell and Prof. Emory A. Coughlin were very quietly and unexpectedly married at the M. E. Parsonage, Crapo, by Rev. J. Pretymann June 8th. Miss Foswell is the daughter of Mr. Thomas Foswell, Crapo. Prof. Coughlin is a son of Mrs. Herbert Hitch of this city. Mr. Coughlin held the Principalship of Crapo High School the past two years.

—Mr. Julian Carey, of S. J. C. is home for the Summer.

—Mr. J. Waller Williams made a business trip to Philadelphia Wednesday and Thursday.

—Mrs. Irving Blount, of Brooklyn, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Phillips, Camden Ave.

—Mr. Walter Dismaroon, attended the commencement and dance at Washington College, Chestertown.

—Mrs. William L. Wilson, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. F. Kent Cooper on Newton St.

—Miss Isabel Carey, who has been attending Mt. St. Agnes, Mt. Washington, is home for the Summer vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Diggs, who have been the guests of Mrs. Diggs' mother, Mrs. Thorington, returned to their home in Baltimore Monday.

—The Young Peoples' Society of Riverside M. E. Church will hold a lawn party Monday evening in the grove near the church.

—A picnic and basket supper will be given at Charity Church, on the evening of June 26th, for the benefit of the church. All are invited to be present.

—The Wesley Brotherhood of As. M. E. Church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. E. E. Twilley, Newton Street, Wednesday.

—The remains of Palmer, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wray, were brought down from Baltimore to White Haven last Friday and interred in the burying ground at old Green Hill Church.

—A meeting of the standing committee of the Diocese of Easton was held at Easton last Tuesday to confirm the election of Dr. Murray, Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Western Maryland.

—Rev. John C. Rosser filled the pulpit of the Allen M. E. Church last Sunday for the pastor, Rev. S. E. Lucas, and preached to a very large congregation. Rev. Mr. Rosser was a former pastor of Allen Church.

—Miss Annie Dashiell went to Ocean City this week to superintend the opening of her mother's cottage, "The Linmar." Miss Dashiell was accompanied by Mrs. J. D. Williamson, of Baltimore, who will remain with her until Mrs. Bradley goes down.

—Mr. Thomas Parker, aged 82 years, died at the home of Mr. George W. Farlow, in Nutters district early Saturday morning. The funeral services were conducted at the Rockawalking Church Sunday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Williams, of Fruitland. Interment was made in the adjoining burying grounds.

—Prof. W. F. Massey left Wednesday morning to inspect and plan the improvements of a farm in New Jersey, near Camden, the property of a city professional man who feels the need of expert advice. This visiting and advising owners has become a large part of Prof. Massey's business as well as helping edit four farm papers.

—"Mothers of Bible History" will be the theme of a series of sermons which Rev. W. T. M. Beale, pastor of the Wicomico Presbyterian church, will deliver to his congregation on the next several Sabbath evenings. This theme invites the presentation of many of the most interesting characters of Bible times. The first mother to be considered, tomorrow evening, will be "Hannah, the Mother who prayed."

—A pretty wedding was solemnized June 9, 1909, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, near Hebron, when their only daughter, Miss Ethel May, was united in marriage to Mr. Herman C. Cordry. The wedding march was played by Miss Cora E. Cordry, sister of groom. Refreshments were served after the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. C. N. Williams, pastor M. E. Church, Hebron. Mr. and Mrs. Cordry will reside near Hebron.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams and son, Everett, left Tuesday morning in their Pope Hartford car for a tour of several days in New England. They will stop en route to visit relatives and friends in Philadelphia and New York. They will spend some time in New Haven and Hartford, Conn. Mr. Everett Williams came home from St. John's College last Friday night in order to join his parents on the tour. Later in the Summer they expect to make a tour to Montreal and other Canadian points of interest.

—Mr. William P. Jackson's large Darracq touring car was shipped from Philadelphia last Friday for London where it will await the arrival of Mr. Jackson and family, who will sail from New York today on the America, of Hamburg-American Line for a three months tour of Europe. They will take charge of their car in London, where an experienced chauffeur has been engaged to handle the car during the entire trip. Mr. Jackson and family expect to reach home about the 26th of August.

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BOWSER AS A PAINTER

Old Philosopher Decides to Do Some Spring Cleaning.

WIFE'S PROTEST OF NO AVAIL

Troubles at Every Step—Begins by Row With Paint Man and Curses His Labors After a Battle With Tramp. Ignores Mrs. B's Call.

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WHEN Mr. Bowser came down to breakfast the other morning Mrs. Bowser at once noticed that he had an old suit of clothes on, and she queried:

"Didn't you make a mistake in dressing this morning?"

"No mistake, my dear."

"Aren't you going to the office?"

"Not today."

"But—what is it? You are not going fishing?"

"Mrs. Bowser, spring is here, isn't it?—glorious, longed for spring?"

"Yes."

"Well, springtime is the season when folks clean house, do a little painting and slick up generally. I shall do some painting today. I have been arranging for it for a week past."

"I wish you wouldn't, Mr. Bowser," she said after a moment. "A man with a large family and out of work was



HE SAW A WOMAN ABOVE HIM ABOUT TO RING THE BELL.

here the other day, and he said if he wanted any painting done he would do it at half price. It would be nice to give him the work, and then you would have getting all muddled up."

"The man with a large family and out of work will have to hunt a job somewhere else. I not only want a day off as a sort of vacation, but if I do my own painting I shall know that it's well done. Get a man here and what will he do? Mix up whitening and kerosene oil and call it paint."

Mrs. Bowser would have continued the argument, but she knew that it was useless. There were sure to be things happening, but she must face them as best she could. Nothing more was said on the subject, and when the morning meal had been dispatched Mr. Bowser began looking around for paint pots and brushes. There was a row on at once. Nothing of the kind could be found.

"When I got through with them last spring I put them down cellar in a corner, and now they are gone," he said. "Mrs. Bowser, is this a dwelling house or a sawmill? Are you the housekeeper or a visitor? Have I got to stay home from business to keep track of things?"

"Mr. Bowser," she replied, "last November, when you got the coal in, you hired an Italian to clean out the cellar. You told him to take all the rubbish out. He very likely took the paint pots."

"And very likely I'll break his neck if he ever comes around here again. A wife with her husband's interests at heart would have kept an eye on him. By John, but I can see now why so many men turn to drink and become maniacs and murderers!"

Quarrel With Paint Man.

The paint store was visited and pots, brushes and paint secured. Things rankled with Mr. Bowser, and he was looking for trouble. He found it when the paint store man said:

"If you are going to do the work yourself and haven't had much experience don't make the mistake an old fellow named Bowser did last spring. He ran out of oil before he had quite finished his painting, and he used kerosene instead. Ha, ha, ha!"

"Sir, you are an infernal liar!" shouted Mr. Bowser as he squared off.

"Why, what do you know about it? Was it camphor he used?"

"I am that old fellow Bowser, and I repeat that you are a liar!"

The paint store man attempted to apologize, but it was no go. Mr. Bowser had a few things more to say and then took his departure. Half an hour after reaching home he was ready to begin work on the front steps. They were to receive a fresh coat of the same pea green. A painter would have begun at the top and worked down. Mr. Bowser was Mr. Bowser, and so he began at the bottom to work up. He had painted one step and one

riser and was slowly recovering from his indignation under the feeling of a true artist when Mrs. Bowser appeared at the front door and said:

"Mr. Bowser, don't you see that you have begun wrong?"

"Are you doing this job?" he demanded.

"No, of course. But don't you see?"

"Woman, I see nothing! When I want you I'll send for you."

He had painted half the steps when he saw his mistake. He must now go around through the house and work backward in order to work upward, and he would have to do it on his knees at that. After figuring for five minutes and seeing that there was no other way he took it. He was five minutes getting around, and when he opened the front door it was to find himself face to face with a man who had left tracks on the freshly painted first steps.

"Excuse me, but am I speaking to Mr. Hammersmith?" queried the caller.

"No—never! Look at your infernal tracks in my fresh paint! Haven't you got the sense of a jackass?"

"I thought I smelled fresh paint, but was not quite sure of it. I called to say—"

"Don't say it! Get out! Begone!"

The man tracked down the steps and went away. His feelings had been hurt, and he didn't look back. Mr. Bowser had to go back around to get to the bottom of the steps and repair damages, and Mrs. Bowser was wise enough to hide behind a door and remain unseen. He had looked all around before starting through the house, and nothing was in sight, and yet when he arrived at the foot of the steps he saw a woman above him about to ring the bell.

"Oh—ah!" she said as she heard him and turned about. "Can you tell me if a lady named Jimmerson is stopping here?"

"Tracks! Tracks!" shouted Mr. Bowser as he pointed an accusing finger.

"Why, you have been painting?"

"Of course I've been painting! Haven't you got eyes? Haven't you got a nose? A wooden Indian would know that I had just painted these steps."

"I'm so sorry, you know, but if you had had a sign of 'Paint' I quite think I should have observed it. The lady I'm looking for is tall and slim and has a cast in the left eye."

"Blast her left eye and her right eye and both her eyes! Come down and go away!"

Visited by Newfoundland Dog.

The caller came down, leaving other tracks, as many tracks as she could, and she went out of the gate without even calling Mr. Bowser a rude man. She was too busy wondering if the lady named Jimmerson was in some other house near by. At the end of fifteen minutes Mr. Bowser had repaired damages, and then he made his way back through the house. The steps were vacant when he reached them again, but something was coming. He was brushing away on hands and knees and head down when an object passed him and banged against the front door. It was a big Newfoundland dog. He was a playful dog residing across the street. He had seen Mr. Bowser at work and came over to play with him. He was cuffed. He was booted. He was taken by the neck and banged against the railing, but he did not take life seriously until he had been thrown over the fence.

There was most of the work to be done over again, and as he labored at it Mr. Bowser recalled numerous murder cases he had read and the names of numerous men that had been found dead, and had the big tramp coming slowly down the street had the least idea of what sort of man he was going to tackle he would have sheered off in a hurry. In his ignorance and innocence he didn't sheer. Mr. Bowser was on hands and knees again to use the brush, headed for the bottom step, when the tramp opened the gate and walked in and jovially said:

"Say, old pard, I like your industry. There was a time before I hurt my back by trying to hoe five acres of corn in one day."

Mr. Bowser looked up. He also tried to get up, but in the trying he lost his balance and rolled down the seven pea green steps to the sidewalk.

"And I like your agility," said the tramp as he reached a hand to help him up. "You wouldn't think to look at me now that ten years ago I won—"

The reader will never know what he won. Mr. Bowser was up and at him. He was thumped, he was chugged, he was booted, and he was walloped, and he called upon heaven to save him and fled afar. Then the pea green painter looked for the family ax with which to demolish the steps, and, not being able to find it, he threw his paint pot into the street and walked away. Mrs. Bowser called to him from an upper window, but he never looked back, just bunched up his shoulders and strode on. His appetite for gore had been whetted, and he was looking for trouble.

M. QUAD.

Told You So.

"It's the unexpected that always happens."

"Oh, I don't know. Somebody always claims to have predicted it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Poor Doctor.

Hawkins—So you sent for a doctor? Does he think you will be out soon? Robbins—I imagine so. He said he wished I had sent for him sooner.—Pack.

WOULD LABEL ALL THE BIRDS.

Illinois Audubon Society's Plan to Shed Light on Their Habits.

If a plan the Illinois Audubon society has in mind goes through it will not be long before one will be able to capture any bird whatsoever, glance at his right leg and see thereon a neatly tabulated history of the bird's career, telling his winter and summer quarters and where he was last seen.

At a business meeting of the society the other afternoon in Fullerton Hall Art Institute, Chicago, a remark was made of the fact that there were a number of birds in existence of whom little was known, not even their migratory courses.

"A scheme has been tried out which might be successful in this case," remarked Ruthven Deane, president of the society, "and which would help us in learning where these birds winter. Whenever one of them is captured alive let a small bit of aluminum be put on his right leg, upon which shall be the place and date he was last seen. When he is again found, in some other clime, his identity will be known."

The suggestion was enthusiastically received, and the Audubon society requested that funds with which to purchase the "tags" or labels, be sent to headquarters; also any individual desiring to lend personal effort to the work would please answer.

NATIONS IN MIMIC SEA BATTLE

San Francisco's Embassy to European Capitals Will Arrange Such Event.

A firewell luncheon, attended by men widely known in California, was given the other day to C. G. Moore, who recently left San Francisco for Washington, whence he will go to European capitals to interest foreign governments in the Portola festival, to be held in San Francisco next October to commemorate the discovery of San Francisco bay and the rehabilitation of the city of San Francisco.

Mr. Moore will try to induce foreign nations to send warships to San Francisco to participate in a mimic international sea battle, which it is planned to have fought in San Francisco bay in Portola week.

Courting in Cordova.

At night Cordova sleeps early. A few central streets are still busy with people, but the rest are all deserted; the houses look empty; there is an almost oppressive silence. Only here and there as one passes heedlessly along a quiet street one comes suddenly upon a cloaked figure with a broad brimmed hat leaning against the bars of a window, and one may catch through the bars a glimpse of a vivid face, dark hair and a rose (an artificial rose) in the hair.

Not in any part of Spain have I seen the traditional Spanish lovestaking, the cloak and hat at the barred window, so frankly and so delightfully on view. It brings a touch of genuine romance which is almost difficult for those who know comic opera better than the countries in which life is still in its way a serious travesty to take quite seriously. Lovers' faces on each side of the bars of a window at night in a narrow street of white houses—that, after all, and not even the miraculous mosque, may perhaps be the most vivid recollection that one brings away with one from Cordova.—London Saturday Review.

Oh, Castro, You Hike!

Oh, Castro went to Paris, and he also tried Berlin. They gave him but the coolest nod, and neither said "Come in."

Though he brought lots of bullion, too, with which to pay his way. The coppers watched so closely that he never could get gay.

But everywhere he ventured people treated him alike. The burden of their message was, "Oh, Castro, take a hike!"

He thought of Venezuela, and he said: "No place beats home."

I'll hasten there by steamer, for it costs too much to roam. But Gomez wouldn't let him, so he struck for Trinidad.

Which seemed the one and only chance for landing that he had.

But at a nearer port he reached there galloped down the pike a courier, calling out aloud, "Skip Trinidad and hike!"

Oh, Castro he was angry, and his talk was something fierce. He placed to grasp a shining sword, his enemies to pierce.

"I'd like to know," he thundered, "if they think that I can fly."

I'll summon all my cohorts. We'll knock Uncle Sam to bits."

But Uncle Sam and Johnny Bull said, "Castro, take a hike, but, anyhow, you hike!" —Philadelphia Ledger.

Fellows who have no tongues are often all eyes and ears.—Halliburton

Payson, the Walker.

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Payson Weston. —Kansas City Times.

German Prizes For Operas.

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Trains No. 7 and 12 will begin running Saturday, June 26th. Trains Nos. 19 and 20 will begin running Sunday, June 27th, 1909.

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Nanticoke.

Miss Bernice Walter was in Trinity Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Tippet, of Charles Co., is visiting Mrs. J. W. Messick.

Mr. Horace Messick and little daughter, May, spent Tuesday in Baltimore.

Miss Mabel Webster, of Mt. Vernon, is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Thos. W. Young.

Misses Annie and Rachel Jester, of Jestersville, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Carl Messick.

Miss Sue Noel, of Baltimore, is a guest of Mrs. Frank Travers and was one of the bridesmaids at the Walter-Travers wedding.

Mrs. S. J. Conway, Master Harold and Miss Esther, of Wetpkins, were guests of her sister, Mrs. E. S. S. Turner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Walter and little daughters, Margaret and Zenette, of Baltimore, are spending several days with Mr. Walter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Walter.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Mary Pearl Young, to Mr. Hyland Dashiell of Green Hill, to take place Wednesday evening, June 23rd, at Nanticoke M. E. Church.

Parsonsburg.

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Mr. Clayton Hastings was the guest of his friends at Philadelphia this week.

A large number of the people here were in Salisbury doing their shopping this week.

The camp meeting takes place August 6th, 1909, and the privileges of same will be sold July 3rd, 1909 at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. J. D. Lewis and daughter, Miss May, and Miss Edna Dennis, of Wilkards, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shockley this week.

The person who has been interfering with the mail box belonging to Mr. E. C. Arvey, had better be good, or Uncle Sam will take care of him.

The change in the train Monday was unexpected to some, as they walked up to the station two hours late, and the old song is, "did you ever get left."

Parsonsburg Council No. 134 J. O. U. A. M., request their members to meet at the New Hall next Monday night at 8 o'clock. Business of importance at hand.

The Parsonsburg M. E. Sunday School will run their annual excursion to Ocean City Tuesday, July 20, 1909, leaving Parsonsburg at 9:37 a. m., leaving Ocean City at 4:59 and 10:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to join the ranks and enjoy themselves on the above date.

Jestersville.

Mr. Ira Heath spent Saturday in Salisbury.

Captain Clarence Heath spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. Luther Heath is spending a few days in Baltimore.

Mr. Columbus Heath, who has been in New Jersey since February, returned home Saturday.

Miss Edith Jackson, who has been visiting her sister in Salisbury, returned home Tuesday.

Messrs. Shellie and Paul Robertson left for Baltimore Wednesday where they will look for employment.

Little Myrtle Jester, daughter of Mr. W. R. Jester is spending the remainder of the summer with relatives in Baltimore.

Services at Oak Grove Church, preaching will be dispensed with Sunday on account of the Children's Day Services, which will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

Hebron Camp-Meeting.

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Personal.

—Miss May Humphreys was in New York this week.

—Mr. W. B. Tighman Jr., is in New York for a few days.

—Mrs. T. E. Martindale spent several days in Philadelphia this week.

—Mrs. D. B. Potter left Wednesday for a visit to the Northern cities.

—Miss Louise Veasey is visiting Miss Mary Adams in Princess Anne.

—Master Chas. Howard is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Samuel Costen, in Hampton, Va.

—Miss Irma Boardis who has been visiting in Baltimore returned home Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horsey, of Laurel, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. D. Collier, this week.

—Mrs. L. Wood Wingate, of Clarksville, W. Va., is visiting Mrs. Otis Lloyd, Camden, Ave.

—Mrs. G. S. Williams and little daughter, of Oenocock, Va., are guests of Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvin.

—Mr. James F. Leonard of Pittsburgh, is spending a few days with his sisters, Misses Jean and Mary Leonard.

—Mr. L. Franklin Woodcock, of St. John's College returned home Tuesday, where he will spend his vacation.

—Prof. A. W. Woodcock, teacher at St. John's College, will spend the summer with his mother on Main St.

—Miss Irma Graham entertained Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. G. S. Williams, of Oenocock, Va.

—Mrs. Geo. W. Burke, who has been visiting Mrs. James E. Ellegood, returned to her home in Smyrna Monday.

—Mrs. J. McFadden Dick and children, who have been visiting in Somerset county returned home Wednesday.

—Mrs. N. T. Fitch and Miss Mabel, who have been in Harrisburg, Pa., for the past year, returned home Tuesday night.

—Rev. Dr. Graham and family have moved from Camden, Ave., and are now occupying the new Methodist Parsonage on Division St.

—Misses Louise, Mary and Clara Tighman sail from New York today. They are to go with the Esger Tourists. Miss Ellegood is one of the party.

—Miss Maria Ellegood, who will sail today from New York for the old country, left Monday for Dover, where she spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Harry Meyer.

—Miss Maryvin Peters entertained the following young ladies at her home for several days last week: Misses Margaret Smith, Alice Higgins, Margaret Gullett and Mamie Woodcock.

What's in McClure's.

William Archer, the great English critic, in an article in the July McClure's tells the truth for the first time about the negro problem in the South; Mrs. Fremont Older in "The Story of a Reformer's Wife" has written a fact story about San Francisco's graft prosecutions, which is fully as absorbing as many notable pieces of fiction; Burton J. Hendrick shows that more has been learned about cancer in the last six years than in the preceding six thousand; Albertus McCreary describes the Battle of Gettysburg as he saw it when a boy, and George F. Parker concludes his Cleveland papers with the story of the event leading up to the President's famous Venezuela message. The fiction includes: "Outposts of Empire," by Eleanor Stuart, the story of a religious war, full of the lure of savage Africa, "Brutality," a strong sea story by Lincoln Colcord; "Little," by Harris Merton Lyon, and "The Little Harmonizer of His Threefold Nature," by Marton Hamilton Carter.

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Teachers and Scholarship Examinations.

The Annual Teachers and Scholarship Examinations will be held in the Wicomico High School, Salisbury, Md., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 15th, 16th and 17th, 1909, beginning at 9 a. m. each day.

By order of the Board,
WM. J. HOLLOWAY, Sec.

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SHERIFF'S SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County and State of Maryland, at the instance of John Birkmeyer, Louis Birkmeyer and John F. Birkmeyer, Jr., partners trading as John F. Birkmeyer and Sons against the goods, and chattels, lands and tenements of Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett, I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett in and to all the following property, to wit:

All that lot of land in the town of Sharpton, in Sharpton Election District, in Wicomico County, Maryland, on the South side of Water street, and having a frontage of fifty feet on said Water Street, and adjoining properties of Annie Knowles, Thos. Russell and Josephus Phillips, and having a depth of ten perches and ten feet and being the same property conveyed to the said Major H. Bennett by John H. Smith and wife, by deed dated the 29th day of June, 1889, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County, in Liber P. M. S., No. 6, Folio 208.

And I hereby give notice that on

Saturday, July 3, 1909,

at two o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Court House, Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the above described lot of land, with the improvements thereon, to satisfy said writ and costs.

WM. W. LARMORE,
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SUICIDE USED RAZOR TO CUT HIS THROAT.

Samuel C. Whitney, Said To Have Been Of An Impaired Mind, Was Found To His Struggle And Was Discovered Dead.

The lifeless body of Samuel C. Whitney, aged about 60 years, was found on the farm belonging to his brother, near Mt. Vernon at an early hour Thursday morning. His throat was cut nearly from ear to ear and in his hand he clutched a razor. There is every evidence of suicide. It is said that for some time he has shown signs of an impaired mind. He left his home in this city Wednesday evening and walked to Mt. Vernon. As soon as his disappearance became known a search was at once started by his family but it was not until Thursday morning that friends of the deceased telephoned his family that his body had been found.

Mr. Whitney was reared upon the land where he took his life. For a number of years he has been employed as a night watchman for the W. B. Nightman Company. He leaves his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Stella Booth, of Virginia. The funeral services were conducted from his home on Pearl St. yesterday.

Fiftieth Anniversary.

An invitation has been received from Rev. W. S. Phillips to attend the Fiftieth Anniversary of the First Methodist Protestant Church of Newark, N. J., to be held from June 30 to the 27. Several former pastors of the church will be present to take part in the interesting exercises.

At the annual conference in 1909 the following items were officially reported from this church: Membership, 320; Sabbath school scholars, 453; value of property, \$13,500, with a debt of \$15,000; contributed for all purposes during the year, \$7,185, \$604 of which was for benevolent purposes.

CANDIDATES GALORE FOR DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Way For Filing Declarations Closes With Numerous Aspirants In The Contest For Political Glory To Be Held July Tenth.

The aspiration of Wicomico democrats apparently knows no bounds and were it not for the fact that yesterday was the last day for filing declarations it is possible that a large number of additional candidates would have announced themselves in their apparently insatiable desire to secure political influence.

With eight men who would be delegates to the General Assembly, ten stalwart democrats seeking the coveted nomination for County Commissioner and two candidates for sheriff, the result on July 10th, the day set for the primaries, is, at this early date, pretty much of an enigma. But there will be some sifting (that's a good word),—there will be some tail sifting, that date and the result will be something more or less than a survival of the fittest.

The following democrats have filed their declarations with the State Central Committee as candidates:

For House of Delegates: Roscoe Jones, Trappe; P. Taylor Baker, Pittsville; Elijah T. Shockley, Pittsville; John F. Phillips, Nanticoke; Ellisha Twilley, Camden; John W. Winick, Tyaskin; John E. Taylor, Sharpstown.

County Commissioners: William M. Cooper, Parsons; Orlando W. Taylor, Quantico; Henry J. Seabreeze, Barren Creek; Willie J. Ward, Parsons; A. S. Venable, Barren Creek; Geo. W. Fooks, Nutter, A. W. Reddish, Nutter; A. B. Howard, Sharpstown; Manly K. Morris, Pittsville; Walter C. Mann, Sharpstown.

Sheriff: William C. Brady, Quantico; Clayton J. Kelly, Salisbury. Register of Wills: John W. Dashiell, Trappe.

YOUTH OWES HIS LIFE TO SALISBURY HERO.

Herman Downing Saves Life Of Boy At Ocean City After Terrible Battle With Waves—Risked His Life For A Stranger.

Few more daring rescues have ever been made than that accomplished Sunday at Ocean City by Herman Downing, of this city, when he saved the life of Frank E. Clapsaddle, son of Frank E. Clapsaddle, of Baltimore. Such heroism is seldom witnessed, and when after a fearful battle with the huge breakers and the desperate struggles of the drowning man, Downing succeeded in reaching one of the piles of the pier, holding firmly on to the apparently lifeless body of the man, a great shout went up from the throng on the pier which had witnessed the daring rescue. Strangers to young Downing crowded around him and praised him for his heroism.

Swimming near the pier, Clapsaddle was caught in an eddy formed by the recoil of the waves against the piles. The current proved too strong and he became exhausted, crying for help as he felt himself powerless in the water. Mr. Downing, who is the same age, was nearest to him and went to his assistance.

Clapsaddle was unable to assist Downing and his struggles in the water finally exhausted Downing, who however, pluckily kept hold of Clapsaddle. In the meantime the attention of people on the pier was attracted to the two men. Mr. L. L. Dirickson, of Berlin, threw off his outer clothes and plunged in.

Mr. B. Frank Wagaman and others on the pier got a rope and a ladder, one man sliding down a pile and throwing the rope to the two struggling men in the water. The line was seized by Dirickson, who succeeded in getting it around Downing and Clapsaddle and they were hoisted to the pier.

Surveyor: Peter S. Shockley.

MANY JUNE BRIDES IN WICOMICO COUNTY.

Pretty Weddings Reported From All Sections—Prominent Young Couples Among Those Who Have United In Marriage.

Nanticoke M. E. Church was the scene of another pretty wedding Wednesday evening, when Miss Mary Pearl Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young was united in marriage to Mr. J. Hyland Dashiell, of Green Hill, by Rev. G. W. Hastings.

Promptly at eight o'clock to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. W. S. Travers, the bridal party entered the church, which was prettily decorated for the occasion.

Misses Lottie Robertson, of Salisbury, and Sadie Turner were the bridesmaids and were attired in white Princess gowns with pink sashes and carried pink carnations. Little Misses Adah Parks, cousin of the bride and Louise Toddvine in dainty white dresses and blue ribbons, and carrying baskets of flowers, made attractive flower girls. The ushers were Messrs. William Lammore, Jr., of White Haven, a cousin of the bride, and Grover Layfield, of Green Hill. The bride wore a beautiful white batiste Princess gown and carried white carnations. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Dashiell left for Green Hill, where they will reside. Many pretty and useful presents were received.

Windsor—Wilson.

A wedding of much interest throughout the county took place at noon Wednesday, June 23, 1909, at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Spring Hill, when Miss Bettie A. Wilson and Mr. Joseph B. Windsor were married. The bride, who wore a dress of old rose tulle, entered the church with the groom, preceded by the ushers. Rev. Franklin B. Adkins officiated. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. William M. Cooper, of Salisbury, and the ushers were Messrs. Herman Robertson, Ralph Bounds, Charles Cooper, of Mardela, and Mr. Mark Cooper, of Salisbury. Directly after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Windsor left for Old Point Comfort. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Wilson, of Mardela, and the groom is a well known merchant of that town.

Will Take Long Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dulany, of Fruitland, will leave next Wednesday to attend the eighth international convention of the New Jersey Conference of the Epworth League which will be held at Seattle, Washington, July 7th to 12th. The train is known as the Epworth League Special and is composed of three Pullman cars. The trip will be made via the Pennsylvania and Canadian Pacific R. R., stopping over Sunday at Bauff, B. C., the train being side tracked for that purpose. The train will also stop at Glacier, B. C., allowing four hours to view the scenery there. The trip will then be continued through the Canadian Rockies. The party will return via the Mt. Shasta route 1450 miles to Los Angeles with stops at Portland, Oregon, San Francisco and Santa Cruz. Leaving Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Dulany will visit Salt Lake City, several places of interest in Colorado, and the Yellow Stone Park. They will then visit Mr. Dulany's sister at Kansas City for a few days, returning to Salisbury via St. Louis, Mo. The total mileage of the trip will be over 8,000 miles.

Mrs. Sallie J. Nelson Dead.

After an illness covering a period of several months, Mrs. S. J. Nelson, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Hebron, died at her home in that village Wednesday, aged 78 years, of general debility. The funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon from her late residence by Rev. C. H. Williams. The interment was made in the Hebron cemetery. Mrs. Nelson was the widow of Mr. Horatio Nelson, who died about 24 years ago. She survived by four sons and four daughters. They are Messrs. James D. Gordy, Joseph L. Nelson, Olin A. Nelson and Marion N. Nelson, all of Hebron, Mrs. W. R. Wilson and Mrs. Isaac T. Wimbrow, of Hebron, Mrs. Levin M. Nelson, of Rockawalking and Mrs. George W. Byrd, of Salisbury.

Narrowly Escaped Death.

A team of mules belonging to the C. B. Disharoon Company was so badly injured in an accident at Fulton Station Tuesday morning that both of them had to be killed. The team was driven by Mr. Jackson and was run down by a shifting engine as he was crossing the tracks. Both the driver and the mules were thrown under the cars and a serious accident was narrowly averted.

Notice!!

There will be services, (D. V.) in Spring Hill Parish on Sunday next, June 27th, as follows: Quince, Sunday School, 9.00 a. m.; Spring Hill, Sermon and Holy Communion, 10.30 a. m.; Quince, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8 p. m. Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

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Statement Of Condition, June 23, 1909

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$226,026.81	Capital Stock paid in	\$ 65,000.00
Overdrafts, secure and unsecure	1,322.06	Surplus Fund	28,000.00
Stocks, Securities, etc.	58,752.67	Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes	4,701.28
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	17,000.00	Due to National Banks	7,710.36
Due from National Banks	42,926.77	Due to State Banks	316.63
Due from State Banks	10,693.62	Individual Deposits	208,412.05
Cash in Bank	20,555.51	Certified Checks	84.68
	\$371,175.34		\$371,175.34

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WILL BE GREAT RACE.

Everything Will Be Ready For The Coming Racing Contest On July 21st.

It is understood that assurances have been given by the owners of the pacer, Drydock and Gen. Mac, that the race will come off at Salisbury on July 21st, as scheduled. This is the race that was arranged after the Fair at Pocomoke last year and is for a purse of \$2,000, the winner to take all. The horses are well known all over the Peninsula, and it is expected that one of the largest crowds that ever attended a race of this kind in this locality will be present. The Wicomico Fair Association has been working hard to get the ground and buildings in shape to accommodate the horses and crowds expected on that day. The Grand Stand, Judges Stand, Track and Stables are about completed. The track is said to be one of the best on the shore, and record time will probably be fast when the two pacers meet.

Mr. D. C. Armstrong, owner of Drydock, is training him over the track. Mr. Wm. J. Hall, owner of Gen. Mac, will probably not take his horse up until about the first of July.

If the interest taken in this race is as strong as it is reported to be, there will be close to 10,000 people present to see the horses start. This interest in the race is said to be strong from Cape Charles clear up the line, as well as extending in other directions. It is expected that the railroads will make special rates and make provisions to satisfactorily handle the crowd. In addition to the race between Drydock and Gen. Mac, the Fair Association is arranging to have other races on the same day.

LIQUOR LAWS VIOLATED.

Baltimore County Officials in Conflict Over Dismissal of Deputy Sheriff Smallwood.

The charges and countercharges between Sheriff James R. Williams and Deputy Sheriff Renben Smallwood, which resulted in the discharge of the latter by the Sheriff about a month ago took another phase Tuesday when Mr. W. Hallam Claude appeared before the County Commissioners and presented a petition asking that the Commissioners thoroughly probe into the matter.

Sheriff Williams claims that he discharged Deputy Smallwood because the latter was grossly negligent in the pursuit of his duties, and Smallwood, on the other hand, charges that his dismissal was primarily the result of an attempt made by him (Smallwood) to arrest the proprietor of an establishment in the Third district for violating the liquor laws because the proprietor was a friend of Sheriff Williams.

The political aspect of the trouble has assumed has not only caused some thing of a flurry, but, as requested in Mr. Claude's petition, it has thrown light on the alleged wholesale liquor law violations in the Third district, and the county, near Baltimore city, which are under local option. The petition not only asks for a thorough investigation, but it is claimed that there are no constables now in the Third district, whereas the law requires three, and asks that the Commissioner recommend responsible parties to the Governor for the appointments. It is also set forth that in the Third district alone there are 25 persons engaged in the sale of liquor under Federal licenses, and at is asked that the records of the Baltimore Custom office be consulted to see certain if this be true. It is further asked that special detectives be appointed to investigate the alleged violations of the local option laws.

The Commissioners have taken the matter up with State's Attorney Green.

"IN A BAD WAY."

Many A Salisbury Reader Will Feel Grateful For This Information.

When your back gives out; Becomes lame, weak or aching; When urinary troubles set in; Your kidneys are "in a bad way." Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you.

Here is local evidence to prove it: A. K. Lohner, 318 Williams Street, Salisbury, Md., says: "I feel safe in saying that anyone who uses Doan's Kidney Pills according to directions will find relief from kidney troubles. For at least thirty years my kidneys were disordered and as I am obliged to work in a draught and do much heavy lifting it was hard for me to escape kidney ills. My back often became very weak and lame and the kidney secretions annoyed me on account of their irregularity in passage. It was finally my good fortune to hear of Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a supply at White & Leonard's drug store. They brought me great relief and I have used them off and on during the past ten years with great benefit."

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NO MORE HUCKLEBERRIES.

Crop Bailed For This Year In Wicomico County On Account Of Cold Spring.

Reports from the country districts of Wicomico are to the effect that the huckleberry crop of the county is practically wiped out. This is said to be true of the high bush berries, which are the most valuable part of the crop. There are a few low bush berries but they are inferior and bring but little in the market. It is said that the cold snap following warm weather in March is responsible for the killing of the crop.

The huckleberry crop of Wicomico county has been a most valuable one in former years. Thousands of quarts of the berries are shipped from the country districts, the prices usually ranging from 10 to 15 cents per quart. When one considers that this crop grows wild and that there is no expense in its production, it can be seen what a serious loss its failure will be. Hundreds of poor people look forward to gathering this crop of berries for their winter support. The woods and swamps are free to anybody and when the crop is full hundreds of people engage in gathering the berries for market.

The country stores and the crossroads grocer buy the berries from the pickers. They are generally paid with store checks payable in goods, and it means that the pickers provide for the winter when there is little work to be secured by gathering these berries for market. The store keeper is the shipper and he generally makes from four to five cents a quart which means much to him as well as to the party gathering the crop.

There are immense swamps in all sections of Wicomico county where these berries grow. It is said that in "Dorris Wood Yard" the swamp near Quantico, that thousands of dollars worth of these berries are gathered every year. Whole families engage in the work and their day's work is often rewarded by securing from ten to twenty dollars worth of the berries. As they have to pay nothing for the privilege of gathering the berries it is all clear profit and if the reports are true that the crop is killed it will mean a serious loss to a vast number of people.

Men Past Fifty In Danger

Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy, especially for enlarged prostate gland which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostate gland and advised an operation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." C. M. Brewington 310 Camden Ave.

WOULD ROB NEGROES.

Frederick Democrats Would Take From Colored Race Its Privilege Of Suffrage.

The following were the resolutions adopted by the Democratic Convention of Frederick county on June 19, 1909, respecting the suffrage amendment:

"We declare it to be fully demonstrated, after a trial of more than 40 years, that the sudden enfranchisement of the newly emancipated race, without preparation for citizenship after thousands of years of unprogressive slavery in the wilds of Africa and centuries of slavery in America, has been an absolute detriment to their welfare and a hindrance to their advancement, as well as a reproach to a free and enlightened government."

"We recall that it was Abraham Lincoln, the great emancipator, who said I am not, nor ever have been, in favor of making voters of negroes."

"We therefore give our cordial and hearty support to the proposed amendment to our State Constitution whereby it is sought to purge and purify the electorate so as to leave the destinies and welfare of our people in the hands of those only who by their intelligence, virtue, industry and thrift have shown themselves worthy of the highest privilege of citizenship."

"Let those govern others who have first learned to govern themselves." "Without malice or ill will for the colored race, but looking to its own welfare as well as the protection of the free institutions under which we live, we call upon that superior race, which founded and has ever since maintained this government, without regard to party affiliation or party prejudice, to aid us in this much-needed reform, and we refer to the highly satisfactory operation of a somewhat similar law applicable to municipal elections in Frederick City for a vindication of our aim and purpose in the State at large."

MARYLAND HAPPENINGS.

Belongs In The Counties—News Items Of Interest To The People All Over The State.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulents relieved and strengthened the bowels so that they have been regular ever since."—A. B. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

At a joint meeting of the Republican County Central Committee and the State Central Committee for Washington county Tuesday afternoon it was decided to hold the primaries on Saturday, August 14, from 2 to 6 P. M., and the county convention on Saturday, August 21. The convention will nominate a full county ticket and elect delegates to the judicial and State conventions.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

The Democratic State Central Committee for Prince George's county, State Senator William B. Claggett chairman, met Tuesday and fixed Saturday, July 24, as the date for the holding of primaries in the 17 election districts in the county. The convention to nominate delegates to the State and judicial convention will be held Thursday, July 29, in Upper Marlboro. The committee will give formal notice of the primaries next Tuesday.

Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuse to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with untried remedies as delay may result in your cold setting on your lungs. C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden Ave.

A meeting of the Dorchester Medical Society was held Tuesday afternoon. Dr. E. B. Wolf, of Cambridge, presided. Dr. Charles Mitchell, of the University of Maryland Hospital, and Dr. J. C. Bloodgood, of Johns Hopkins Hospital, made able addresses. The following doctors were admitted to the society: P. S. Stanbury, of Wingate; H. V. Harbaugh, of East Newmarket; E. C. Fleming, of Harlock; H. F. Nichols, of East Newmarket. On motion of Dr. Guy Steele, Doctors Mitchell and Bloodgood were unanimously elected honorary members of the society.

Everyone would be benefitted by taking Foley's Urino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breathes gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Urino Laxative today? C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden Ave.

The twentyseventh annual session of the Eastern District Baptist Association, of Baltimore, began at the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon with devotional exercises conducted by the moderator, Rev. B. G. Parker, of Mardela Springs. After organization Rev. John Roach Stratton, of Baltimore, chairman of the committee on systematic beneficence, made his report. In the evening the report on temperance was made by Mr. C. J. Dorr, of Pocomoke City, after which Hon. Joshua Levering, of Baltimore, spoke on temperance. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. Charles Adney, of Marion, Md. Some 75 delegates have come on to attend the session.

Foley's Honey and Tar is especially recommended for chronic throat and lung troubles and many sufferers from bronchitis, asthma and consumption have found comfort and relief, by using Foley's Honey and Tar. C. M. Brewington, 310 Camden Ave.

Mr. J. O. Adams Honored.

(COMMUNICATED)

Mr. J. O. Adams who has recently been transferred from Sharptown to Laurel, Del., was honored by the members of Nanticoke Lodge 101 Knights of Pythias of Sharptown, at their regular meeting on last Saturday night, June 19, 1909 by the presentation of a beautiful Pythian ring in token of their high esteem and in appreciation of his service to the Lodge, among whom he has been a most ardent and enthusiastic member.

The presentation was made by Bro. George R. Owens with quite a good speech on behalf of Bro. Adams and on the great success of Lodge. Bro. Adams was so filled with joy and so much surprised to see how much the members loved him that he could not reply to them for their gift, but assured them that he would give them a speech in the near future. The members wish Bro. J. O. Adams much success in his new field of labor and bid him good speed.

Who were the Kings who never chose a friend? All they had was their soul, And on the bottom of his deepest thought, The friend thou hast, and their adoption tried, Grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel, But do not dull thy palm with entertainment.

BIG SALE IN CAMBRIDGE.

Barton Realty Goes Under Hammer And Brings \$37,576.

W. G. Vincent and Frank H. Phillips, auctioneers, sold Tuesday at the Courthouse door for T. Saugston trustee, the real estate of the late William H. Barton, as follows:

The farm known as the Anchorage, near Jacktown, containing 170 acres of arable and 10 acres of timber land, to Russell P. Smith for \$3,600; 70 1/2 acres of timber and 11 acres of arable land, near Jacktown, to A. T. Wright for \$1,425; the house and lot corner Cemetery avenue and Race street to John W. Bassett for \$1,104; store building on Race street to John W. Bassett for \$755; the building occupied by Waller & Cooper as a barber shop, and by William Waller as a residence, Race street, to Misses Henrietta and Mary Barton for \$2,500; lot fronting 72 feet and 9 inches on Locust street with a depth of 183 feet, improved by a small building to J. Ben Brown for \$1,725.

The residence, with five outbuildings and a brick dairy, situated on a lot fronting 100 feet on Locust street, with a depth of 183 feet, went for \$5,100 to Edward S. Phillips; lot fronting 60 feet on Locust street, with a depth of 158 feet, improved by a small office building to Misses Henrietta and Mary Barton for \$1,550; they also bought the lot at the corner of Locust and Mill streets, fronting 75 feet on Locust street and 159 feet on Mill street, for \$2,209; lot fronting 60 feet on Mill street, with a depth of 135 feet, for \$1,795 to Mrs. Susan W. Barton; lot adjoining above and of same dimensions, fronting on Mill street, for \$1,670, and similar lot adjoining for \$1,700 to Albanus Phillips.

The lot corner Mill and Church streets, fronting 66 feet 4 1/2 inches on Mill street and 150 feet on Church street, went to Levi B. Phillips for \$2,500; Wilmer F. Harrington bought a lot fronting 65 feet on Church street, with a depth of 188 feet, for \$1,225; Judge Henry Lloyd bought a lot fronting 65 feet on Church street, with a depth of 188 feet, improved by a barn and shed, for \$1,410; William S. Carmine bought a lot fronting 60 feet, improved by two small outbuildings, for \$1,055; Clarence S. Henry bought a lot on Church street fronting 60 feet, with a depth of 116 feet, for \$710; John W. Mathews bought a lot fronting 52 feet on Church street, with a depth of 80 feet for \$410; Noah Webster bought the dwelling on lot purchased by Clarence S. Henry, for \$45; W. S. Carmine bought the dwelling on lot purchased by John W. Mathews for \$125; W. Lake Robinson bought the barn located on the lot purchased by Mr. Brown for \$40; John W. Mathews bought the windmill for \$16. The total amount of the sale was \$37,576.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Topic For Tomorrow, "A Lesson From Romans" Discussed By A Local Writer.

Ver. 8. "Owe no man anything, but to love one another; for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law."

Ver. 10. "Love worketh no ill to his neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law."

Paul wrote this letter to the church at Rome, while he was at Corinth. It is taken as the basis of Pauline doctrine, but while it teaches faith in Christ as the cardinal point of the doctrine of salvation, and presses it upon the Jewish converts at Rome as against works, (of the law), it teaches also love, which brings forth from the soul who practices it, the greatest works possible among men in their upward struggle to the full light of true manhood.

Paul was to visit Rome, and he no doubt desired that the church there should know his views upon this matter, and thus prepare them for his teachings. Luther considered this the chief book of the New Testament, the purest gospel. Coleridge says that it is the "profoundest book in existence."

Our lesson is taken from one of the chapters treating upon the practical Christian life. Love is a Christian duty, it is the fulfillment of the law. Paul recounts the commands of the law (decalogue), and continues "If there be any other commandment, it is briefly comprehended in this saying, namely, thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." Discharge all debts but one, that is the debt of love we owe all men. This is never fully paid for this love is the sum of the whole law, and the man who fulfills the law by love is the ideal man.

Love precludes killing, stealing, bearing false witness against our neighbor, not in court of law, but in giving an air of credence to what is not true of our neighbor. It precludes coveting what our neighbor has. Love will not permit us to do anything against our neighbor that will work him ill. Love will go farther than the negative, it will help. The strong, moral and spiritual man owes strength to the weak neighbor. The strong, when filled with love, will not put a stumbling block before his neighbor. Let us consider this in the way of temperance.

Mankind has three great scourges, war, pestilence, and famine, and Gladstone said that we suffered more from intemperance than all of these. Alcohol is not a food, it is a temporary stimulant with an after effect that must be accounted for in the physical economy, consequently the continuous inhibition means degeneration. No part of the physical man is free from the degenerative effects of alcohol, and the functions of various organs are just so far perverted or destroyed. This degeneration has an hereditary effect, and the evil of this scourge is beyond estimation.

God, in our physical economy, has given us possibilities far beyond what we, as a nation, are today enjoying. Every young man or young woman owes it to his or her future self to be all that God in his wisdom made it possible to be. Not only is this due the future person, but to God, the creator, and to mankind as a society. No law is more plainly written than this, that no one has the right to break the common ties of society, and by intemperance to frustrate, pervert, or destroy in part or whole that future possibility of his being, robbing society of his usefulness, and placing upon it a burden by reason of a partial or complete failure in carrying out his full allotment of duty. Intemperance, in whatever form, strikes at the very root of our society. Is it then surprising that dire things are said of him who putteth the cup to his brother's lips, and is it not proper, when the strong are to foster the weak, that we take the cup away? Certainly.

Intemperance in alcoholic beverages is not the only form of intemperance that weakens and destroys. All the transgressions of the laws of God are sinful and produce death and decay. Some things may come to us by inheritance, but we have, in our hands, the making of what we in the end, shall be. How shall it be? By intemperance, indiscretion, improper living, a careless occupancy of the inheritance of what is laid for an ideal life, producing instead of the full man, one far short of the ideal. How shall we, as a nation, ever attain to that ideal humanity which will be pleasing to our creator, and fit receptacles for the containing of that germ of spiritual life so graciously held out to us? Study Paul and the law, know Christ and know thyself, then beget within us the love which worketh the fulfillment of the law. "Christ knows the way. He holds the key."

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More Seats Needed.

At a meeting of the Church Committee held Thursday evening, June 17th, the following motion was unanimously carried:

"We the members of the Church Committee of the Wisconsin Presbyterian Church of Salisbury, realizing the imperative necessity of increasing the seating capacity of our church, do request the Session to call a congregational meeting for the consideration thereof and if the way be clear, for the devising of ways and means for the purpose."

In pursuance of this request the Session has called a meeting of the congregation to be held at the Church Monday evening, June 28th, at eight o'clock.

In order that you and your family might know the reasons for such action at this time on the part of your Committee and be able to vote intelligently at the Congregational meeting, we would lay before you the following facts:

1st. Our Church now has 275 members, of whom 33 are non-resident or aged and infirm or for one reason or another seldom attend our services. Judging from our average attendance of about 100, we believe we are justified in stating that we have 340 members besides a large number of persons who are faithful members of the congregation but not communicant members of the Church, who regularly attend the services of our Church.

2nd. We have in our main auditorium 255 chairs, by common consent and long usage 200 of these are assigned, leaving a balance unassigned of 45—20 on the front row, 30 on the back rows, 4 on the second row from the front and 2 at the door. This statement means that every desirable chair in our Church is by common consent assigned.

3rd. Twenty-five heads of families who are regular in their attendance and faithful in their support of our Church have no seats assigned them. The 200 seats which are by common consent assigned, are assigned to 281 persons, for example one row of 4 chairs is assigned to 6 persons, another row of 5 chairs is assigned to 8 persons, while still another row of 5 chairs is assigned to 11 persons, all members of the Church and regular in attendance.

Now our Committee, while it is truly thankful for the growth of our Church and for the large attendance at our services, realizes that these facts present a serious situation and one which we must immediately solve if we would comfortably accommodate our present membership and enable our Church to continue growing. Kindly attend the meeting of the congregation next Monday evening and present your solution of the situation and give your hearty approval and support to whatever solution is adopted by the congregation.

When Comets Terrified.

To Evelyn a comet was a very terrifying phenomenon. He notes the appearance of one on Jan. 12, 1880, which he describes in his diary as "a meteor of an obscure bright color, very much in shape like the blade of a sword." "What this may portend," he adds, "God only knows, but such another phenomenon I remember to have seen in 1840 about the trial of the great earl of Stafford, preceding our bloody rebellion. I pray God avert his judgements."

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What They Make Judges Out Of.

Justice David Brewer of the United States supreme court, during an address before the students of law at the University of Pennsylvania, told them one of the experiences of his judicial career at his own expense.

"It happened I was sitting at one time on a number of cases in which a good friend of mine was interested as counsel, and it also happened that in many of them my decisions were rendered against my friend's clients. One day after the completion of such a case we sat together talking, when a very beautiful young man from the rural districts came in to see me bearing a card of introduction to obtain my advice upon the choice of a profession. 'What do you think you want to do?' I asked him. 'I kind of thought I'd better study law,' he replied, 'not that I want to very much, but because I guess I'd like to be a judge. They make judges out of lawyers, don't they?' he asked, somewhat hesitatingly. 'Once in awhile,' my legal friend replied before I could answer. 'Once in awhile they do, but not often.' Philadelphia Press.

He Wasn't Fooled.

A once famous publisher was a man well acquainted with general literature, and it was often said of him that he never failed to name the author of any given passage. A would be wit, thinking to have a little fun at this gentleman's expense, told his friends at a dinner party before the said publisher's arrival that he had himself written some verses in imitation of Southey and that he intended to punsle old F. with the question of their authorship.

Accordingly later in the evening the wag quoted his lines, and, turning to Mr. F., he said: "I am sure they are Southey's from their style, but I cannot remember where they occur. Of course, you can tell us."

"I cannot say I remember them," replied Mr. F., "but there are only two periods in Southey's life when he could have written them."

"When were those?" asked the joker, with a wink at his friends.

"Either in his infancy or his dotage," was the quiet reply.

Spanish Railroad Trains.

The Spanish train averages possibly twenty miles an hour—to allow one to make time exposures of the scenery perhaps. It makes frequent and long waits. At every station the guards run up and down, shouting the name of the town and the number of minutes for each stop. At every station also the two military guards who accompany each train descend and walk around the cars, looking to see that no robbers are concealed. As there is at least one stop an hour these guards get some exercise before the day is over. They say this custom was adopted to drive away any brigands who might be concealed in or under the train and that it has been successful. These military guards are very fine looking men and wear an impressive uniform. We saw more than one black eyed senorita look approvingly after them as they passed by.—Outing Magazine.

Getting at the Truth.

At twenty-three he thought fate was making a special effort to keep him down.

At thirty-five he thought he might have done great things if his wife had not been such a handicap.

At forty he believed he would have been a great man if his children had not made it necessary for him to cling to the sure things.

At fifty he was positive that there was a conspiracy against him on the part of his fellow men.

At sixty he felt that if he could have been thirty-five again nothing could have stopped him.

At seventy he began to believe that he had failed because of a lack of courage and inability to make the most of his opportunities.

At eighty he was almost sure of it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Savages.

In the New Hebrides are many islands whose interiors have never been visited by Europeans, for the simple reason that to attempt to do so would be to court certain death at the hands of the treacherous and vindictive natives. A little to the north of Assam, too, almost within sight of the tea gardens and the pretty bungalows of the planters, is the country of the Padamites, wherein no white man has dared to set his foot for at least 500 years past.

Punishment and Crime.

"She seems to be having a pretty good time now that she and her husband are separated," whispered the three girls in the corner as she entered the room.

"I don't blame her," said one. "He beat her, didn't he?"

"They looked her over again."

"Well, I don't blame him for beating her," the third declared. "If she dressed like that. That red is awful"—Exchange.

Cause For Regret.

"I licked the stuffin' out o' Dick Smith this mornin'."

"You bad boy! Aren't you sorry for it?"

"Yessum—awful sorry. I jest found out that he's goin' ter have a birthday party tomorrow."—Cleveland Leader.

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Democratic Candidates.

The people of Wicomico County will have ample opportunity soon to see what kind of material can be picked by the Democratic voters themselves at a primary contest for candidates upon the Democratic ticket.

Among the applicants who have filed their papers with Chairman James T. Truitt, there are the names of quite a number who have been successful in certain positions which they have held heretofore, and if the Democrats make the best use of the opportunity presented, it would seem that those who have made good heretofore should be nominated, rather than take chances upon the qualifications of those who are unknown, or who are clearly unfit for the positions to which they aspire.

That there are a number of most excellent men on the list well qualified for the various positions is frankly conceded, but while this is true, it also contains the names of quite a number who should never be entrusted with power in any position in the gift of the County.

If merit counts for anything, there is no reason why Mr. Roscoe Jones, of Allen, should not be again nominated for the House of Delegates. During the time he was at Annapolis, he made a most excellent record which is vastly more than can be said of those associated with him in the House or in the Senate, and it will be interesting to see what the Democratic voters themselves will do with one who has made such a record as he has.

In the list of candidates for County Commissioners, there is at least one who has given good service to the public—Mr. George W. Fooks, who served two years as Sheriff of the County. Mr. Fooks made one of the best officers Wicomico has had in recent years and he is well favored and known throughout the County. Mr. Wm. M. Cooper, while personally a most excellent man and thoroughly qualified for the place, has made a record which is not entirely free from criticism. The attitude of the present Board, like its predecessors, on the River Road project, will not bear inspection, and there are various official acts, for which he is largely responsible, the wisdom of which may well be called in question.

As to the Clerkship, Mr. Ernest A. Toadvine seems to have things his own way and the greatest opposition which will develop to him will be on account of his long continuance in political office. So far as his qualifications for the place are concerned, they certainly cannot be successfully attacked and his efficiency in handling the office is generally recognized, as well as his uniform courtesy toward those having official business with him.

The avowed intention of the Democratic organization, however, to refrain from interfering in any

way with the dictation of the ticket is probably more theoretical than practical, and when the test comes, it is more than possible that the ticket will very perceptibly bear the impress of its guiding hand from top to bottom. At any rate, not only the Democratic party but the system itself will be on trial on the tenth of July.

Baltimore And The Amendment.

There is genuine and unalloyed trouble in the Democratic camp. Baltimore wants increased representation in the General Assembly and a number of other delightful political morsels including the reelection of its present representative in the Senate of the United States and cares not a rap for the Strauss fiasco. In fact, it has calmly and serenely ignored its existence altogether to the great disgust and decided disgruntlement of the County members of the party, and they are already in open rebellion against this beautifully arranged scheme of the City politicians. To them the iniquitous Constitutional Amendment looms up as the blazing sun in the political firmament and absolutely blots out everything else in the political skies.

Naturally Baltimore cares very little for the proposed enactment and evidently intends to let it drift to its own destruction. When the Poe Amendment was before the people several years ago, the City led the fight for its overwhelming defeat and it is certain that history along this line will repeat itself this year.

Save The Shade Trees!

That the Mayor and Council should consider for a single moment the proposition to destroy shade trees by the wholesale on streets which are not to be paved is absolutely inconceivable. The removal of the trees along Camden Avenue and North Division Street, while greatly to be deplored, had its compensations in the fact that the street was beautifully paved and the sidewalks were relaid with cement and made uniform. But to rip out all the trees and do nothing but put in curbs and retain shell streets and possibly brick sidewalks would be a calamity and an absurdity. With the present unfathomable policy of the city with relation to the shelled streets it is impossible to keep a grade after one is established. Its a constant case of dump, dump, dump—always putting on shells—but never taking any off. Even if a grade were established, with the insatiable desire to dump more on, it would only be a short time before the pavements, curbs and all would be buried below the bed of the street as the history of the town has abundantly shown.

Editorial Jottings.

Every day's delay in starting the work on the bridge over the dam means a day's delay in its completion.

It's a race between Democratic politics and the weather as to which is to be the hotter. Both are skimming along at a lively pace at present.

What's the matter with the "Bloody Fifth" this year? Out of twenty-three declared candidates only three are from this fighting District. Parsons ordinarily can supply enough candidates for a whole ticket and its backwardness this year in making its wants known is rather remarkable.

The declared intention of the Democratic organization not to attempt to influence the result of the Democratic primaries on July tenth is a good one, and it remains to be seen to what extent it will be carried out. But just imagine, if you can, the organization in this County keeping its hand out of a primary fight.

Personal.

—Mr. James H. Ellegood was in New York a few days last week.

—Mr. W. B. Tighman Jr., returned home from New York Monday.

—Misses Mary and Belle Smith are visiting relatives in Westover, Md.

—Miss Margaret W. Odcock is visiting Miss Mary Roberts in Smyrna.

—Mr. Fred Rochester, of Baltimore, spent a few days in town this week.

—Miss Edna Parsons, of Salisbury, is visiting Miss Bessie Kent, of Parkersburg, Va.

—Miss Edith Short, a student of Wilson College, is home for the Summer.

—Mr. Morris Shockley, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mr. Norman Richardson.

—Miss Etta Jones, of Mt. Vernon, visited her aunt, Mrs. L. B. Gillis, this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lamater leave today for a trip through the South.

—Mr. J. B. Wilson, of Camden, N. J., spent a few days with his parents in Salisbury.

—Mr. Jas. H. Thornton, of Crisfield, Md., is spending a few days with friends in Salisbury.

—Miss Ethel Russell, of Baltimore, is visiting her Aunt, Mrs. Irving Russell, in Salisbury.

—Mrs. Bryan, of Camden, N. J., is the guest of her father, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D.

—Mrs. L. W. Gunby and daughter, Miss Ruth, spent several days in Baltimore this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowe on Camden Ave.

—Rev. Wm. F. Venables, of Philadelphia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. C. Dougherty this week.

—Misses Frances Williams and Emma Lou Smith, visited Miss Alene Wallop, of Princess Anne, last week.

—The Misses McLane, of White Haven, spent a few days this week with their aunt, Mrs. Otis Lloyd.

—Mrs. John Nelson, who has been visiting relatives in Philadelphia for two months, is now home again.

—Mrs. M. A. Jones, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Riall White, Isabella street.

—Mr. Irving Blount, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the week end with Mrs. George Phillips, Camden Ave.

—Miss Nellie Hill, who has been a student of Randolph Macon Woman's College, is home for the Summer.

—Mrs. Sarah Crockett, of Norfolk, Va., who has been visiting Mrs. Wm. H. Jackson, returned home this week.

—Mrs. N. T. Fitch and Miss Mabel Fitch, of Harrisburg, Pa., are in Salisbury for a stay of two or three weeks.

—Mr. Joshua Levering, of Baltimore, was the guest of Mr. G. H. Welbach while in town Monday and Tuesday.

—Misses Kathryn Milbourne and Marie Sterling of Crisfield, Md., are visiting Miss Catherine Lucas on Water St.

—Mrs. Harry Messick and children, of Allen, are guest of Mrs. Messick's mother, Mrs. Brewington, on Camden Ave.

—Mr. G. Sellman Williams, of Onancock, Va., was in town Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvine.

—Mr. Newell Graham, a student of Western Maryland, is spending his vacation with his parents on Camden, Ave.

—Miss Laura Ruark, who has been attending Western Maryland College for the past year, is home for her Summer vacation.

—Postmaster M. A. Humphreys' family left Monday for Ocean City, where they expect to spend most of the Summer.

—Mrs. W. B. Tighman and daughter, Nanabel, left this week for St. Louis, Mo., where they will spend several weeks.

—Mrs. W. R. Bowler, of Newport News, with her two children, is visiting her brother, Mr. Lewis Morgan, East Church St.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanna and children, of Cambridge, passed through town last week in their touring car en route for Cape Charles.

—Mrs. Ross Webster and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Webster's parents in Baltimore for the past two weeks, have returned home.

—Miss Katherine Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan, has returned from a visit among friends at Newport News, Va.

—Mrs. Irving Blount and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Geo. Phillips, on Camden Ave., returned to their home in Brooklyn Saturday.

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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—FOR RENT. Six room house in Camden after July first. Apply to 213 Newton street.

—Dr. P. J. Barclay, dentist, of Division street, will be in Baltimore from Saturday until Wednesday.

—Rev. B. G. Parker will preach in the Presbyterian Church in Mardela Springs on Sunday afternoon at 3.30.

—Mrs. C. W. Bradley has opened "The Linmar" at Ocean City and extends a welcome to all Salisburyans.

—Although Joseph Leonard is past 93 years of age, he works daily on his farm in this county. Mr. Leonard is one of Wicomico's oldest citizens.

—The schooner "Compact," which has been lying a derelict in the river near the Main street bridge is to be removed by the United States Government.

The State steamer Governor McAuley, Capt. J. A. Turner, left Salisbury Monday for Chester River, where she will engage in work with the Shellfish Commission during the summer.

—The Ladies' Guild of St. Peter's Church will give a lawn party at the rectory on the evening of June 30th. Crane's ice cream will be served. The public is invited to attend.

—Invitations to their fifth wedding anniversary have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Powell, of Princess Anne. The anniversary will be held at their home from six to eleven today.

—Phillips & Bailey bought new wheat this week from Mr. Irving Jones, of Tysskin, paying for it the highest price ever paid for new wheat in this section since the civil war. The price paid per bushel was \$1.30.

—The wharves of the Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company at Bivalve, Roaring Point and Deal's Island are being rebuilt. The work is being done under contract by Mr. Otis S. Lloyd, of this city.

—Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor of the Division Street Baptist Church, will take for his theme Sunday night, June 27th, "The Foolishness of God." This is the second sermon in a special series of four Sunday evening sermons.

—Rev. O. L. Martin, of this city, will fill the pulpit of the M. E. Church at St. Martin's during the next month in the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. C. Wertebaker, who has been granted leave of absence for that length of time.

—Judge Charles F. Holland, accompanied by a party composed of Misses Daisy Bell, Julia Dashiell, Mildred Dougherty and Messrs. S. R. Douglass and Karl Howard, is spending a week cruising the bay in the launch "Chas. F. Holland."

—S. E. Hayman, who has been engaged successfully for several years in the mercantile business at Fruitland, has disposed of his store and residence to Dr. J. I. T. Long and son, of Allen, who will take charge of same on January 1st next.

—At Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church, the pastor, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., will take for his morning subject, tomorrow, "The World's Principle of Exchange and what it Means for the Christian." Evening subject "A Distinguished Statesman and his Religion."

—In the quarterly distribution of the State school tax, made by Comptroller Hering last Wednesday, Wicomico gets \$7,886.62. Somerset's share is \$8,999.92; Worcester's, \$7,295.02; Dorchester's \$9,794.99. The total distribution for the State and Baltimore city was \$370,213.62, of which Baltimore city gets \$148,795.39.

—Robert J. McAllen, and William A. McAllen, trading as McAllen & Bro., merchants of Snow Hill, Worcester county, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy Saturday in the United States District Court in Baltimore. Their liabilities aggregate \$15,509.93; assets, \$15,035.82. The unsecured claims are \$14,044.58.

—W. E. Bradshaw, the well known pilot of Nanticoke, piloted the schooner "Mary A. Fisher" from Roaring Point to Seaford last Sunday. The vessel was loaded with a cargo of salt. He returned by way of Salisbury and noted with considerable interest the many improvements which have been made since his last visit here five years ago.

—Eight Salisburyans sailed from New York last Saturday for a tour of Europe. On the Hamburg-American line Amerika were Mr. W. P. Jackson, Mrs. W. P. Jackson, Miss Belle Jackson and Master Newton Jackson. They will land at Liverpool. On the North German Lloyd line Koenig Albert, bound for Mediterranean ports were Misses Maria Ellegood, Louise, Mary and Clara Thigman.

—Messrs. H. H. Stelling, Vernon Tawes and Edward Holland, of Crisfield, were visitors in town last evening.

—J. T. Ellis & Son, marble dealers of this city, have secured contracts for furnishing stone trimmings for the residences of I. S. Powell and John Hagan, in Salisbury, and for the new Accomac county, Va., jail.

—"Elizabeth, the Pious Mother" will be the title of the sermon which Rev. Mr. Beale will preach at the Wicomico Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. This is the second of a series of sermons on "Mothers of Bible History."

—Cards have been received in Salisbury announcing the marriage of Miss Sallie Heath White Carroll to Mr. Harry Arthur Rose. The ceremony took place in the Church of the Ascension, at Atlantic City, Wednesday, June 23rd.

—Lacy Thoroughgood received this week a brand new line of children's Knickerbocker pants suits for boys 8 to 17 years. A hundred beautiful suits. Come look, don't buy left overs when you can get the newest at Lacy Thoroughgoods.

—A number of improvements have been made on Locust St. in the last few months. Mr. G. E. Rounds has built a new house, two houses have been erected for Mr. William Wilkins and a house is nearly completed which is being built by Mr. H. S. Brewington.

—Mr. J. W. Hiron, who has been on a tour of Wicomico County in the interest of the Salisbury College of Business, reports that the outlook for students is far above his expectations. The people are quick to realize the value of a business college in Salisbury.

—Jay Williams, Esq., who with his family has been touring the New England States in his automobile, returned Thursday night after an absence of ten days. Mr. Everett Williams and Mrs. Williams remained in Haverford while the car is being newly painted. They expect to return in a few days.

—Mr. Percy N. Anstey and Mrs. Lenore Fuller Whympier, both of this city were married at Newark, N. J. Wednesday afternoon by Rev. W. S. Phillips, formerly pastor of the M. P. Church of this city. Mr. Anstey and Mrs. Whympier are both well known among the society people of Salisbury. They will live at 205 Newton street on their return from their wedding trip.

—Mr. William Sanford Higgins and Miss Nora Maud Whitley were quietly married Wednesday morning at 6.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents on South Division Street by Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, South. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins will make their home in Salisbury after spending their honeymoon in the Northern cities.

—Monday, July 5th, will be observed as a legal holiday on account of the Fourth falling on Sunday. All of the banks will be closed on that day. A number of the merchants will also close their places of business. Among those who have already signified their intention to close are Kennerly-Shockley Co., S. Lowenthal and R. E. Powell & Company, Nock Brothers, Lacy Thoroughgood, Kennerly & Mitchell, Higgins & Schuler and "H" Store.

—Many of the property owners on North Division street are having their shade trees sprayed with a preparation for the purpose of killing a plant louse which has been doing considerable damage to the trees in this city. The insects accumulate on the leaves causing them to fall from the trees in large numbers. The spraying is the result of the visit to this city of a representative of the State Horticultural Department who suggested the remedy for the evil.

—Invitations have been issued to the coming wedding of Mr. Samuel G. L. Hitch, formerly of this city, and Miss Emma Porter Brattan, of Mardela. The young couple will be married at the Presbyterian Church at that place next Tuesday, June 29th, by Rev. W. T. M. Beale, of this city. Miss Brattan is the daughter of Mrs. Joseph Brattan and Mr. Hitch is the son of Mrs. Florence Lowe, of Salisbury. Mr. Hitch is now a resident of Norfolk, where he is engaged in the real estate business.

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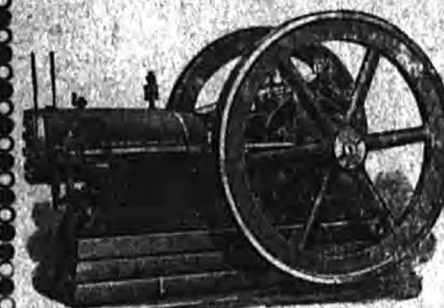
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THE SAGE AND THE LOBSTER

Why the Wise Old Man Refused to Make a Shellfish Something Else, The Ass Who Thought He Knew Something About Singing.

(Copyrighted, 1909, by Associated Literary Press.)

ONE day, after two hours spent in serious thought, the Lobster crawled out on the sands and waited for the Sage to come that way. After awhile the good man, who was puzzling why the knotholes in the kitchen floor always appeared on the surface instead of the underside, approached and was greeted with:

"O Sage, but I am waiting for thee. To thee has been given the wisdom to know all."

"Well, not quite all," was the reply. "For instance, if you were to ask me why any woman with an ounce of



"O Sage, I am not a whale."

brains in her head buys two pounds of false hair to heap up on her poll and make her look twice as homely as before I could not tell you. I simply suspect it's inborn in the critters to search for something fantastic and frivolous. What's on your Lobsterian mind today?"

"O Sage, I am not a whale." "Granted without dispute." "I am not an eel." "You've hit it again." "Neither am I an oyster or a clam." "Better and better. Keep right on." "If I were a whale I could raise thunder. If I were a clam I could be frittered. If I were an oyster I could be stewed. But I am none of these. I am but a poor and useless Lobster and a butt of ridicule. Make me something else."

"Not by a blamed sight!" exclaimed the Sage. "I have a brother who is a doctor, another who runs a drug store and a third who conducts a restaurant. As long as the restaurant brother can work off lobster salad on the public the doctor and druggist can own steam yachts and manor houses curing colic and indigestion, and I am not one to interfere in family affairs. Go hence until it is time to boll you!"

Moral.—A man may be a Sage in simply knowing when he has a good thing.

The Hen and the Fox.

One day as the Hen was strolling about the farmyard she detected the Fox stealing upon her, and she at once flew to the top of a shed and made herself safe. The Fox approached with an injured expression of countenance, and when he had come near her he said: "Well, I haven't had my feelings so badly hurt in five years. You saw me coming, and you deliberately snubbed me."

"I simply got out of the way of your appetite for chicken," replied the Hen as she chuckled a bit.

"My dear Mrs. Hen, in the first place I have just dined off Rabbit, and in the next I wanted you to decide a little dispute."

"But I shan't come down to you."

"No? I have a sore throat today and could talk better if you would, but let it go."

"And I want you to understand that I am no spring chicken, to be taken in by any of your tricks."

"Lord, Mrs. Hen, I am as clear of trick as a little Lamb. I believe I did eat your mother, but she was discouraged with life and was going to commit suicide. I mentioned a little dispute. It was with a Goose over at Brown's. We were talking about various things when your name happened to be mentioned."

"Just as if I cared what a Goose said!" exclaimed the Hen in contempt. "Of course you don't really care, but I thought you might have a bit of curiosity, you know."

"Not the slightest, and you had better trot along."

"Oh, if you say so, of course, but if the Goose had asked what I used on my face to keep the wrinkles away and make me look young?"

"What! Did she ask that?" cried Mrs. Hen.

"She did. That's what we disputed about. She said that you were at

least ten years old, but that you had some kind of face bleach to make you appear not over two."

"What an old liar she is!"

"I told her that your complexion was perfectly natural and that your age could not possibly be over two years. That's all I came to say and I will now go."

"But don't be in such a rush. Was the old Goose trying to look girly?"

"Trying her hardest. It was really funny. I am sure she's close to twenty. This throat of mine bothers me so that I'll have to quit talking."

"And she tried to make me out to be 'ont' asked Mrs. Hen as she flew down on the ground."

"Yes. She said you'd never see ten again. Alack, isn't it funny when an old Goose begins to hide her age?"

"I'll just go over there tomorrow and give her a piece of my mind. When an old thing like her begins to scandalize there's no telling."

But that was all before the feathers flew and the Fox twisted her neck.

Moral.—Curiosity provides the dinner, jealousy cooks it, and the plotter eats it.

The Peasant and the Bug.

A Peasant who lay down on the grass after his noonday meal to get half an hour's sleep before resuming his labor had scarcely fallen into a doze when a sharp bite aroused him, and he sat up to find that a Bug had bitten his hand.

"Wretch, you have broken my sleep!" he exclaimed as he flitted the Bug away.

"Seems to me you are making a great fuss over a trifle," replied the Bug.

"But I was about to take a little rest."

"Oh, as to that, I was sound asleep when a grasshopper ran over me and awoke me to bite you. I complained to him, and he said he had been bitten by an ant while meditating. Follow the ant back and you will find that she was tipped by a flea while she was wondering why she wasn't made a bird."

"But why all this?" demanded the Peasant. "Does it ease the pain of your bite or assist me to doze again?"

Moral.—"Not at all, my friend," replied the Bug. "It simply shows you that the process of getting even requires you to go and bite your mule."

The Ass and the Whippoorwill.

One evening as the Peasant and his wife had finished the labors of the day and sat at their fireside a Whippoorwill in the willows began his song, and after it had continued for a bit the husband said:

"He sings for us as sweetly as he would for the rich."

"And there's beauty in every note," added the wife.

"I would give anything if we had him in a cage."

"I know that I should love him dearly."

"Some day I shall try to catch him, and he shall be a pet as long as he lives."

The Peasant's Ass was grazing near by and overheard the conversation, and it wasn't more than a minute before a cute idea had lodged in his brain.

Walking out into the open, he raised his head and gave utterance to a haw, haw, haw, that might have been heard a mile away.

"Beast!" shouted the wife.

"Ass of an Ass, but what do you mean?" roared the husband.

"Why, I was singing for your pleasure, good friends," was the reply of the astonished beast.

"Singing, you idiot?"

"Aye! You seemed so charmed by the notes of the Whippoorwill that I thought to delight you by—"

Moral.—When the Ass had been driven far away with a club the Peasant returned to his wife to say, "The Ass may have just as good a right to sing as the Whippoorwill, but the listeners certainly ought to have the right as to the choice of which concert they will attend."

M. QUAD.

The Real Trouble.

"I'm afraid," said the lady to a diminutive applicant, "that you are too small to act as nursemaid to my children."

"Oh, I'm not too small," replied the applicant. "I guess the trouble is your children are too large."—Houston Post.

Always Present.

"What is the 'great American palm,' pa?" asked Tommy as he glanced over the catalogue of a horticulture show.

"The great American palm, my son," responded his father, who was a traveling man, "belongs to the head waiter."—Chicago News.

Going Some.

"How fast did his airship travel?" asks the interested individual.

"It made the last mile in less than a minute."

"You don't say?"

"Yes. That was the mile it dropped."—Chicago Post.

Considerate.

Mr. de Club—My dear, a great German physician says women require more sleep than men. Mrs. de C.—Does he? Mr. de C.—Yes. My dear—never—you'd better not wait up for me tonight.

No Mystery This Time.

Mr. Popp—By gosh, for once in my life I know where my suit links are. Mrs. P.—Where are they now? Mr. P.—The baby's swallowed 'em!—Cleveland Leader.

One Up and Two to Go



—Golf Illustrated.

Thoughtful.

"Algy, dear," remarked a young wife to her husband, "I wish you would taste this milk and see if it is perfectly sweet. It's the least bit sour I mustn't give any of it to dear little Fidel!"—Indy.

Opportunities.

"Opportunities are dancing on every man's desk!" shouted the high-browed lecturer.

"Yes, but they ain't half so liable to bite as the spring fever or flahin' germ," echoed the chronic grouch-Judge.

A Klok Coming.



Frightened Pup—Gee, I always heard that women were going into everything, but I never knew there were lady dog catchers!—New York World.

A Methodical Being.

A man of method who attended to everything on schedule time, whether it was work or recreation, had the fortune to fall in love when he had passed the age of forty. The mistress of his heart put up with his oddities. He had regular nights for calling upon her, regular hours for coming and going, regular theater and club nights, etc. In fact, she looked upon his regularity as something admirable.

Things had been going on in this way for two years, and finally the great crisis came. They were to be married. The day was fixed, the wedding clothes were made, the guests invited, and the minister was engaged.

At the appointed time they were all assembled. The bride was dressed, the wedding presents were displayed, but the bridegroom came not. The bride wept and fainted, but it did no good. Finally some friends of the delinquent groom hurried away to see if he could be found. He could. He was at home in his room, reading as unconcernedly as if he had never contemplated getting married.

"What is the matter? Why don't you come to your wedding?" shouted his friends.

The man of regular habits laid down his book.

"I am very sorry," he said, "but this is my regular day for staying at home and reading. I forgot it when I made the engagement. The wedding will have to be postponed."—London Tit-Bits.

His Best.

The late Sir John Stainer, one of England's most celebrated musicians and composers, was once staying in a small Swiss village, and the English clergyman was on the outlook for a musician to assist at the service. Stainer was in the office of the hotel when the clergyman found him and started the conversation with "Do you play the harmonium?"

"A little," was the reply of the former organist of St. Paul's cathedral.

"Will you, then, be good enough to help us out on our difficulty on Sunday? We will read the Psalms, and the hymns shall be the simplest I can select," added the delighted parson.

"I will do my best," said Stainer, with a smile.

The service proceeded satisfactorily, but the congregation at the close, listened to a brilliant recital. When the parson heard the name of his assistant he asked him to dinner. "Do you smoke?" he asked at the close.

"I will do my best," responded Stainer, and the ensuing laughter was the prologue of an entertaining exchange of Oxford reminiscences.

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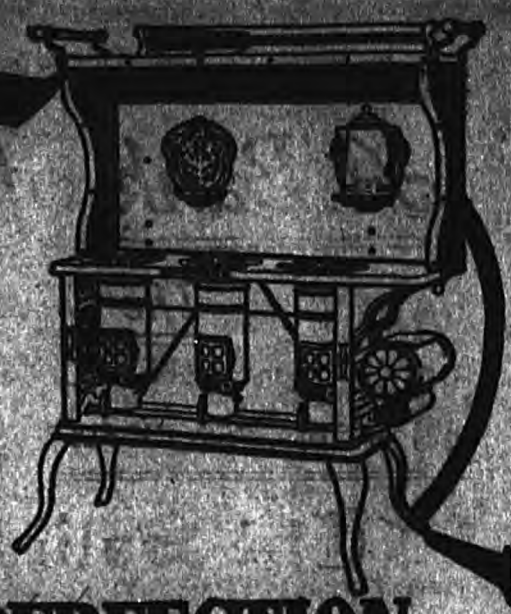
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EAST BOUND

	111	110	107	105	103	101	100
At Baltimore	7:30	7:30	7:30	7:30	7:30	7:30	7:30
At Salisbury	12:48	10:49	1:55	9:06	2:28	11:33	9:24
At Annapolis	1:40	11:10	1:25	9:10	1:15	12:50	10:30

WEST BOUND

	100	101	103	105	107	110	111
At Annapolis	6:40	7:30	8:30	9:35	11:25	4:15	5:00
At Salisbury	7:50	8:22	4:44	5:58	12:55	3:09	6:13
At Baltimore	1:15	1:35	10:00	10:35	10:35	10:35	10:35

Sunday only.

Trains No. 7, and 12 will begin running Sat-
urday, June 26th. Trains Nos. 19 and 20 will
begin running Sunday, June 27th, 1909.

NOTE—In addition to the above, Train No.
19 will begin running Sunday, June 27th, leav-
ing Ocean City at 10:30 P. M., arriving at
Salisbury at 11:30 P. M.

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day and Saturday for Hooper's Island, Wing-
gate's Point, Deal's Island, Nantuxet, Md., Ver-
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Train Schedule in effect May 17th, 1909.

	South-Bound Trains.		North-Bound Trains.
Leave	1:07	1:07	1:07
New York	7:30	9:00	12:20
Philadelphia	10:00	11:22	3:30
Baltimore	9:00	7:52	1:35
Wilmington	10:44	12:05	3:44

	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Delmar	1:30	3:01	7:00	6:40
Salisbury	1:45	3:10	7:12	6:50
Cape Charles	4:40	6:13	10:20	12:12
Old Point Comfort	8:35	8:00		
Norfolk (arrives)	7:25	9:05		

	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Norfolk	7:05	6:00		
Old Point Comfort	7:50	7:00		
Cape Charles	10:05	9:15		
Baltimore	12:50	12:30	7:00	7:25
Delmar	1:12	1:03	7:20	7:45

	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave
Wilmington	5:49	4:10	10:17	
Baltimore	5:22	6:01	11:45	
Philadelphia	4:45	5:10	11:00	
New York	6:53	7:45	1:45	

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"Put Best Feet Forward and Keep
A-hustling." is his Rule of Life.
Danced a jig a Few Weeks Ago and
Outshuffled an Orchestra—Strong in
His Likes and Dislikes.

Uncle Joe Cannon, the speaker of
the house, having survived the ordeal
of his seventy-third birthday, looked
as chipper the other day as he did ten
years ago. He appeared just as pug-
nacious, too, as ever, and he said he
expected to be around and "doing
things" on a good many more birth-
days. He put in his seventy-third an-
niversary much the same as he does
every other working day in the year.
After a call on President Taft and a
visit to the committee on appropri-
ations he put a red carnation on the
lapel of his coat and waded through a
mass of letters and telegrams of con-
gratulation.

The speaker stands pat on his de-
claration that "this country is a hell of a
success." This was a quotation as-
cribed to the speaker which properly
summed up his estimate of the United
States.

"I don't believe I said it," said the
speaker. "It shocked a lot of good
people, but it lasted, and it's true. In
this country, where 90 per cent of the
people are trying to push ahead, where
they are racing to get in advance of
the other 10 per cent, it is up to those
in the rear to try to equal them by
using their mental and physical abili-
ty. The country has no patience with
those who are discontented and abnor-
mal. The employee is for the one in
front. The man who attains power
and keeps it deserves his success.
Carping and complaining will not ad-
vance the man in the rear. He must
put his best foot forward and try his
hardest."

These sentiments were born with
Uncle Joe in Guilford, N. C., on May
7, 1836. It was the practice of these
sentiments that got him into public
life and kept him there. He has spent
thirty-four years in the house of rep-
resentatives. Prior to that eight years
were given to the state of Illinois as
a district attorney. In all of that time
Joseph G. Cannon has been trying, and
trying hard. He has had to try, be-
cause leadership in the house of rep-
resentatives is not a birthright or a
legacy. The man who wins must be
the best politician of 360 other best
politicians of the United States.

Aside from the constitutional au-
thority to preside over the house, the
speaker has a wealth of political wis-
dom as a scepter of power. With
these two attributes he has popularity
and an iron hand. Seven years ago he
was elected speaker of the Fifty-
eighth congress. He took the gavel
from General Henderson of Iowa.
Speaker Henderson had taken the
place of Czar Reed and his rules along
with it. Speaker Cannon has taken
the Reed rules and outscored the czar.
No man who has ever presided over
the house has dominated it as com-
pletely as the present occupant of the
chair. True, many fights have been
made on him, but not once has the op-
position been able to put much of a
dent in the "iron duke's" armor.

Although seventy-three and weighed
down with more problems and cares
of state than many a younger man
could shoulder, the speaker is as frisky
as a colt and likes to show it. At a
dinner of the Jamestown survivors a
few weeks ago he danced a jig in
competition with a boy of twenty-five.
He put such life in "Turkey in the
Straw" that the Hungarian orchestra
called it a day and knocked off with
Uncle Joe still hustling.

Uncle Joe is strong in his likes and
dislikes. Strongest of his dislikes is
his contempt for the man who tries to
upset the standing order of things by
demagoguery or appeals to popular fancy.
His heartiest like is for green corn on
the cob. It is told that while he was
a new member of congress he boarded
at a Washington hotel which put up an
excellent lot of green corn. Mr. Can-
non had invited a friend to dine with
him. When the corn on the cob was
brought in the congressman fell to
with vigor, inviting the man from
home to "pitch in." The guest side-
stepped the corn, but Uncle Joe kept
after it until he had finished about six
ears. Then he insisted on his friend
taking some, and when he refused Un-
cle Joe started again, "not to let it
spoil." He was just polishing up the
last ear when the guest broke in with:
"Say, Joe, don't you think it would
be a little bit cheaper for you to board
in a lively stable?"

The speaker has a wholesome regard
for the United States senate, but he
has an old fashioned idea that the
house is the superior branch. So it
happens that when a messenger from
the senate arrives and addresses "Mr.
Speaker" with a lowly bow Mr. Can-
non sits bolt upright and says, "Mr.
Secretary" without the bow. A friend
chided him for this and told him that
it was customary to bow to the sen-
ate's messenger.
"The whole d— senate can't make

me bow to it and I'll be g— if I'll
bow to one of its messengers," said
the speaker, settling that little matter.
In commemoration of his birthday
the Republican members of congress
from North Carolina, where the speak-
er was born, presented to him an un-
usually large dipper made of a gourd
from the Tar Heel State.

ROCKHILL AS A TIBETAN.

Incident in the Career of the New Am-
bassador to Russia.

Take it from William Woodville
Rockhill—doesn't that sound like a
name in a play?—that exploring Tibet
is like sauntering down a shady lane.
The new ambassador to Russia is dis-
tinctly skeptical of those gentlemen
who go to Tibet and get themselves
hung up by the lobe of the ear and
have repousse designs in powder burns
worked all over them in the button-
hole stitch. They make him think he
says of a certain famous attempt to
find the north pole, in which the relief
party got so much farther north than
the explorer did that the unfortunate
scientist had to hurry like thunder
to catch up with it. That farthest
south arctic expedition has been
equaled, he says, by some of the Ti-
betan explorers.

And Mr. Rockhill ought to know, for
he wandered all over Tibet, protected
by a cold American nerve and his
looks—not that he is proud of his
looks. When he planned that Tibetan
trip he was second secretary of the
American legation at Peking, and his
servant was a native Tibetan. "Am I
too handsome to pass for a Tibetan?"
asked Mr. Rockhill of the mental. Mr.
Rockhill was slyly facetious. The
Tibetan was as solemn and matter of
fact as the death record in the family
Bible. He said he feared the displeas-
ure of the noble lord if he were to an-
swer truthfully. Mr. Rockhill began
to lose the savor of that jest, but he
insisted. "But the noble lord will here-
after hate his faithful servant," pro-
tested the Tibetan.

"Damn it," said Mr. Rockhill in ex-
cellent Tibetan, "you tell me what's
the matter with my looks?"

"All is wrong," said the Tibetan—
"everything is wrong with the excel-
lency's looks save and except his mag-
nificent big nose. Because of that
most spectacular and ornate organ he
may pass as a Tibetan of the second
class, and by further disguise he may
be accepted as one of the nobility. But
the nobility are very handsome men."

Just the same, Mr. Rockhill traveled
unmolested all over Tibet and didn't
have to raise his voice during his stay
in the Forbidden Land. Even if he
isn't a good looking Tibetan he is or-
dinarily considered a very classy
American. Tall, portly, of distin-
guished presence, he is an ardent
scholar.—New York Globe.

GREAT AFRICAN REGATTA.

Zambezi River to Be Scene of Gath-
ering of World's Crews.

The Zambezi river above the Victoria
falls, in Africa, is to be the scene of a
great international regatta, managed by
the British South Africa company, in
June, 1910. It is expected that crews
from all the rowing centers of the
world will participate, and there will
be races for fours, pairs and scullers
as well as for eight oared crews. The
company has arranged that the fa-
mous oarsman Guy Nickalls take
charge of the affair. In a recent con-
versation at London Mr. Nickalls said:

"Owing to the date falling just be-
fore the end of the term I am afraid
there will be difficulty in getting a
crew to go out from Oxford or Cam-
bridge, but I hope to get a Canadian
crew over from the Argonaut club and
one crew, if not two or three crews,
from the United States as well as en-
tries from Belgian and possibly French
and Italian clubs. I think I can count
on Leander being represented. I am
going out to Africa to have a look at
the course and watch South African
rowing. I shall get there in time for
their annual Whitstide regatta and
shall be able to judge if their form
will enable them to compete with the
rest of the world's oarsmen or whether
it will be necessary to have an inter-
African challenge cup. I shall get back
just in time for Henley, where I hope
to meet French, Italian and Belgian
crews and get them interested in the
matter."

The Penalty of Kindness.

The man who had about three times
as much as he could carry felt in his
pocket for a nickel. The conductor
waited patiently while he extracted a
package of cigarette papers, four
matches, a little wad of string and a
corkscrew.

"Nothing doing," said the somber one
and immediately lost interest in the
matter.

"Come, get off," said the conductor.
"Here, it's Jefferson avenue. I can't
let you go any farther without pay-
ing."

Just then a fat man leaned over and
gave the conductor a nickel. "Let him
ride," he said, and the "con" rang up
the fare and passed on.

When the car reached the end of the
line the inebriated gentleman was still
dozing.

"Why don't you get off?" roared the
"con," shaking him. "Where do you
want to go?"

The passenger opened one watery
eye sleepily.
"Where do I go?" he exclaimed.
"W'y, Jefferson avenue!"—St. Louis
Republic.

HAT THAT CAUGHT A ROBIN.

Bird Alighted to Pick Cherries—Foot
Tangled in Trimming.

A deluded robin came to grief the
other day in Frushing, N. Y., because
a pretty girl wore a peach basket hat
trimmed with artificial cherries.

The girl was walking along Broad-
way near the old courthouse when the
robin, on a lower limb of a tree, spotted
the hat and its trimmings. It hopped
from its perch on to the hat and stand-
ed to pick at the cherries.

The girl screamed and clutched at
her hat. The robin's feet caught in
the trimmings, and it was held a pris-
oner. A man went to the assistance
of the girl and the robin. Then the
robin escaped.

Nevel Street Lighting.

The quantity of light which it is
now possible to obtain at a reason-
able cost from tungsten lamps in se-
ries has led to an innovation in street
lighting in some Michigan towns
which, it is thought, may find wide
adoption. In Grand Rapids, where the
system seems first to have been ap-
plied, the tungsten lamps are strung
across the street between the eaves
of the buildings in such a way that
they form the outline of an arch. The
effect of a series of these illuminated
arches at night resembles that of a
canopy of lamps covering the street
and shedding down upon it a pleasing
illumination. The same system has
been adopted in Big Rapids and is un-
der consideration in Greenville and
other towns.

Violet Wisconsin's Flower.

Returns from the vote of Wisconsin
school children on the choice of a state
flower are all in, and the violet wins
by a big majority.

Bigger Than the Sun.

A minute parallax of about one-six-
tieth of a second, of arc found for
Arcturus by Dr. Milkin gave a most
astounding result. This small paral-
lax implies a distance from the earth
equal to about 12,000,000 times the
sun's distance. This vast distance
would produce a diminution of light of
about thirty-five and one-fourth mag-
nitudes, so that the sun placed at the
distance of Arcturus would be reduced
to a star of only nine and three-fourth
magnitudes. It would not be visible
with an opera glass. Arcturus is
therefore in round numbers nine and
one-half magnitudes, or over 4,000
times brighter than the sun would be
at the same distance. Assuming the
same density and brightness of sur-
face as the sun, the diameter of Ar-
cturus would therefore be about sev-
enty-nine times the sun's diameter, or
over 68,000,000 miles, and its mass
about 500,000 times the mass of the
sun—figures well calculated to "stag-
ger the imagination."

Why Sailors Like "Gerape."

It has long been observed that the
sailor, whether in commercial or gov-
ernment service, takes a peculiar de-
light in "mixing up" with the blue-
coat, but this inclination has been at-
tributed more to a natural exuberance
which comes with a land leave, ac-
celerated somewhat by artificial means,
than to animus inherent with deep sea
life. But why this feeling? Perhaps
it is that the strict rules of marine
service, the long periods of close con-
finement to which the seaman is sub-
jected, make him a hater of any one
who wears the emblem of authority
when he is temporarily enjoying free-
dom on shore leave away from the re-
straints aboard ship. The sailor wants
liberty in its full sense, and, realizing
that the bluecoat is the chief obstacle
to his obtaining it, he develops a firm
conviction that the policeman ought to
be trounced on general principles. In
time it becomes his chief peaceful
ambition.—Brooklyn Standard Union.

Poetic Justice.

A certain couple in a New England
village, each the parent of six children,
had meted out to them a kind of poetic
justice in which they failed to see the
poetry.
The woman, a widow, pleading that
she had no home and was therefore
unable to care for her children, in-
duced the local authorities to admit them
to an orphan asylum. The man, a
widower, pleading he had no house-
keeper and therefore no one to care
for his children, induced the authori-
ties to admit his six also. Thereupon,
being freed from all incumbrances,
these two married.

All went well for a few months,
when the authorities, learning of the
situation, promptly dispatched the
twelve children back to their parents,
and the woman no longer able to re-
present herself as homeless or the man
as without a housekeeper, they were
forced to receive them.

Death in Various Forms.

A crank came running into the office
and said that a man swallowed a two
foot rule and died by inches. The edi-
tor started out at once to learn fur-
ther particulars of the death and, meet-
ing Dr. Martin, told him about the
case. He said that was nothing; that he
had a patient once who swallowed a
thermometer and died by degrees. A
couple of bystanders just then chipped
in. One of them said it reminded him
of a fellow in Kansas who swallowed
a pistol and went off easy. The other
one said he had a friend who took a
quart of applejack and died in good
spirits.—Exchange.

COUNTY.

Nanticoke.

Mrs. Mary Douglass was in Salisbury Tuesday.

Mrs. A. H. Williams spent Tuesday in Salisbury.

Dr. George Collier, of Salisbury, was in Nanticoke Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Kennerly is visiting her mother, Mrs. Greensbury Toadvine, at Tyaskin.

Mrs. W. A. Anderson, of White Haven, spent a few days this week in Nanticoke.

Mrs. Edith M. Toadvine and son, Walter, spent a few days this week in Nanticoke.

Mrs. Frank Travers and little daughter, Rose, spent the week with her mother in Salisbury.

Miss Sue Noel, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Levin Walter were guests of Mrs. John E. Travers Wednesday.

Mrs. Raymond Disharoon and little sons, Raymond Jr., and Harry, of Quantico, visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. T. J. Willey and daughters returned Wednesday from Baltimore, and will remain in Nanticoke during the summer months.

Mrs. W. H. Watson spent the past two days in Baltimore, having gone to attend the marriage of her son, Walter, to Miss Pattie Williams, which took place Tuesday.

Parsonsburg.

Mr. Winfield Perdue has purchased the dwelling formerly owned by Mr. A. J. Tilghman.

Mr. A. P. Christopher, of Berlin, was the guest of Mr. Olin Humphreys the first of the week.

Mr. G. N. Adkins and family spent last Sunday as the guest of Mr. L. Baker and family at Hebron.

Mrs. Lizzie Trullitt spent a part of this week with her son, Mr. John Adkins and family, at Clisbourne.

Mr. H. G. Parsons left Friday for Hallwood, where he will spend a few days with his uncle, Mr. J. W. Parsons and family.

LOST—Between Parsonsburg and Salisbury, a coat of a black and gray color. A liberal reward if returned to GEORGE PERDUE, at Parsonsburg, Md.

Mr. Geo. E. Parson's, manager of the patent bee-hive factory here, has proved himself to be a robber. He has robbed 60 bee-hives this season that contained over 1000 pounds of nice honey. Mr. Parson is general manager of the bee industry in this section, and has had much success.

Jesterville.

Mr. C. C. Vickers spent Tuesday in Salisbury.

Mr. Luther Heath spent Sunday with friends at Tyaskin.

Mrs. Laura Vickers, of Salisbury, is visiting her son, Mr. C. C. Vickers.

Dr. Harry Robertson, of Salisbury, spent Friday with friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans, of Nanticoke, spent Sunday with Mr. J. F. Jester.

We are glad to report Master Aubrey Renshaw, son of Mr. Arthur Renshaw, also the infant daughter of Mr. G. F. Heath, are improving.

Service at Oak Grove Church as follows: Sunday School, 2 p. m. Preaching, 3 p. m. Class Meeting Sunday and Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Pittsville.

Mrs. R. S. Riggins spent a part of last week at Ocean City.

Quite a number of young people attended the picnic at Willard's Saturday evening last.

Mrs. L. C. Freeman and children are visiting Mrs. Freeman's mother, Mrs. Eldridge, of Mardela.

Chester Sheppard left last week to attend the University of Virginia during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Riggins entertained Sunday as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mendenhall, of Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holloway and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Parker, of Parsonsburg, and Mrs. G. W. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and children and Mrs. W. H. Campbell and children.

Tyaskin.

Miss Mattie Culver spent last week in Salisbury.

Sorry to report Mr. Jay Insley on the sick list.

Mr. Hirsch, Horseman and Decater Insley were in our village Sunday.

Mrs. S. H. Larmore and son Drennen were in Bethel a few days last week.

Mrs. H. W. Meenick and little daughter, Naomi, spent Tuesday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Robertson, of Rivaive spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. D. H. Lord.

The Children's Day service will be held here Sunday evening June 27, at eight o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Allen.

Good Old Summer time has arrived. Prof. J. Fred Meenick is spending the summer with his parents here.

Farmers in and around here are digging up their potato crop this week, the yield is fair.

Mrs. Grace Bradford, of New Port News, Va., and Miss Amy Allen, of Richmond, Va., are spending sometime with their mother, Mrs. Nora Allen.

White Haven.

Mrs. Elizabeth Catlin is slowly improving.

Mrs. Mary Windsor is on the sick list this week.

Preparations are being made for Children's Day, Sunday, June 27th.

Come to our rally one and all and enjoy the cool breeze on the wharf at White Haven, July 5. A sumptuous supper will be served and all kinds of refreshments. The Ladies will be in charge. There are also to be several games of ball on the grounds near the wharf.

Hebron.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Hebron M. E. Church, will hold their annual picnic on July 3rd, in the church yard. The camp meeting at Hebron will open July 31st, and close August 8th.

Church Notices for Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9:30; sermon at 11:00; Sunday School at 2:30; Methodist Brotherhood at 7:00 led by Mr. George W. Phillips; Evening sermon at 8 o'clock.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. W. A. Cooper, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; preaching by the pastor at 11:00 o'clock; Epworth League at 7:00; Evening services at 8:00.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00; Christian Endeavor at 7:00; Evening sermon at 8:00.

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; preaching at 11 o'clock; Class Meeting at 3:30; Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock; evening sermon at 8:00. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Early celebration at 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School at 9:30; Morning prayer at 11:00; Evening prayer and sermon at 8:00.

Riverside M. E. Church, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 o'clock; Class services at 3 o'clock; Children's Day exercises at 8 o'clock. Interesting program. Everybody cordially invited.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 7:15. Preaching at 8:00 o'clock.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South Salisbury. Sunday School at 2:30 o'clock.

An Interesting Display.

In one of the windows of A. L. Hardesty's Gents, furnishing store, 420 Main St., is seen a display of The International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa. This display consists of students, work in drawing, etc. outfits and bound volumes of their courses, and it is well worth a man's time to look it over. Correspondence instruction as conducted by this school is a well established fact, and is recognized by some of our Universities and Colleges as being a worthy Educational Institution that meets the wants of a large class of people who cannot afford the time or money to attend a resident school.

There is an enrollment of some 60 students in Salisbury now, and this city will be visited by H. W. Bush and his assistants 8 or 4 days each month. The courses are sold for a fixed sum, ranging from \$40 to \$100 and are sold in monthly payments of \$5.00 and \$3.00 per month. A special discount of 30 per cent. from the regular prices is given during this exhibit, which will be removed on Monday 28. Call and see Mr. Bush. It will be to your interest to do so.

Academy Trustees Elected.

A meeting of the trustees of the Wilmington Conference Academy, was held in Dover last Wednesday and the old officers were re-elected as follows: President, William Sausbury, Dover; Vice-president, Rev. Thomas E. Martindale, Salisbury, Md.; Secretary, Joseph Smithers, Smyrna, Del.; Treasurer, John S. Collins, Dover. The report of the treasurer showed a balance of \$75. This faculty was elected for the next school year: Principal, E. L. Cross, English and ethics; Vice-principal, Fred E. Mallick, Latin; Emma R. Potter, French, English and literature; Blair S. Lathrop, Greek and German; Annie O'Brien, German and English; Florence L. Distin, piano and vocal; Joan L. Garrabrant, art; Helen B. Hughes, piano; Estelle Conwell, elocution; Emma L. Cross, preceptress.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the dates named.

July 8, 1909.—Watchman.

July 14, 1909.—Laundryman.

July 14, 1909.—Editor, Bureau of Education.

July 21, 1909.—Designer of Bridges and Buildings, Philippine Service.

July 21, 1909.—Physician (male), Examination for Panama Canal.

July 21, 22, 1909.—Engineer in Wood Preservation (male).

Eastern Shore Olympic Games.

The Eastern Shore Olympic Games, including fourth and half mile races, running and standing jumps, and other athletic features, which will be held by the Crisfield Base Ball Association, in Crisfield, on the afternoon of July 5th, is open to contestants from every county on the Shore. No entrance fee is charged. Medals and prizes will be awarded. All entries must be made by July 1st, to E. H. Miles, Manager, Crisfield, Md.

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A four-room, two-story frame School Building, with addition, in Pittsville.

A single room, one-story frame School Building in Natter's District, known as Phillips School.

Painting the Colored Grammar school building in Salisbury.

Painting one or more rural schools. Bids will be opened on JULY 2, 1909.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the School Board.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board.

W. J. HOLLOWAY

Secretary.

1000 note heads, 1000 statements, 1000 bill heads, 1000 envelopes, 1000 cards—all for \$6.75

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Mardela.

There is to be an old time celebration at Mardela Springs Saturday, July 3rd. Music will be furnished by the Harlock band. There will be ball games in the afternoon and speaking and fireworks at night. Refreshments of all kinds will be served on the lawn of the hotel.

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Salisbury, Md.

Privileges To Be Sold.

On June 30th, the WICOMICO FAIR ASSOCIATION, will sell in Salisbury, Md., at 2.30 P. M., the Ice Cream, Soft Drink, Restaurant, Merry-go-round and all other privileges on the Fair Grounds for the dates of the Fair, August 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th; also all privileges for the special race between General Mack and Dry Dock to be given July 21st.

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Public Sale

OF VALUABLE

TOWN REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of competent authority, the undersigned will offer at public sale to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, Salisbury, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, JULY 3rd, 1909

at 2 o'clock, P. M.,

all the following real estate, to wit:

All those two lots in that part of said City of Salisbury, in Wicomico County, Maryland, known as "California," situate as follows: 1st, All that lot at the corner of Hill and Second Streets, being on the South West side of and binding upon Hill Street, and upon the South East side of and binding upon Second Street, having a frontage of 60 feet and four inches on Hill Street and a frontage of 48 feet and 3 inches on Second Street. This lot is improved with a comfortable dwelling, 2nd, All that vacant lot on Hill Street adjoining the above described lot with a frontage on Hill Street of 48 feet and two inches, and a depth of fifty feet and four inches.

The property is now owned by Washington J. Hudson and Ebenezer H. Hudson, having been obtained by them by deed from Alice C. Catlin, dated April 4th, 1900, and duly recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County.

Right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH, unless other satisfactory arrangements can be made with the undersigned on day of sale.

ELMER H. WALTON,

Attorney.

J. GABRIEL ULMAN, [Attorneys]

ELMER H. WALTON, [Attorneys]

SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County and State of Maryland, at the instance of John Birkmeyer, Louis Birkmeyer and John F. Birkmeyer, Jr., partners trading as John F. Birkmeyer and Sons against the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett, I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said Major H. Bennett and William M. Bennett in and to all the following property, to wit:

All that lot of land in the town of Sharptown, in Sharptown Election District, in Wicomico County, Maryland, on the South side of Water Street, and having a frontage of fifty feet on said Water Street, and adjoining properties of Annie Knowles, Thos. Russell and Josephus Phillips, and having a depth of ten perches and less feet and being the same property conveyed to the said Major H. Bennett by John H. Smith and who, by deed dated the 29th day of June, 1889, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico County, in Liber F. M. S., No. 5, Folio 208.

And I hereby give notice that on

Saturday, July 3, 1909,

at two o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Court House, Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the above described lot of land, with the improvements thereon, to satisfy said writ and costs.

WM. W. LARMORE,
Sheriff said Wicomico County