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ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Harry Daisy Tries To End Life While Confined in Salisbury Jail Monday.

Harry Daisy, who for the past five or six months has been residing in South Salisbury, attempted suicide in the county jail last Sunday night about eleven o'clock. Relatives and friends of Daisy had been watching him carefully for several days, as he had shown decided signs of mental weakness, and early Sunday morning were compelled to call Chief of Police Woodland Disharoon, and Deputy Sheriff J. Frank Walker to their rescue. The two officers at once carried the man to jail.

A little after eleven o'clock that night, shortly after Sheriff Elmer E. Bradley had retired, he was awakened by a rattling of the cell door occupied by Daisy, and upon an investigation, found him in an entirely nude condition and bleeding profusely, his entire body being covered with blood.

The Sheriff at once summoned help, and two of the men now confined in the jail on the charge of burglary in connection with the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway safe robbery, James Hawkins and Frank Matthews, volunteered to assist him, and the three men entered the cell occupied by Daisy. Immediately he attacked the men, and fought with almost superhuman strength; and it was not until the Sheriff secured the additional assistance of a large colored man, Edward Watson, whom he released from an adjoining cell, that the man was finally overpowered and placed in irons to prevent further injury to himself during the night. All the men were completely exhausted before the struggle finally terminated, and Daisy himself was pretty thoroughly used up.

The Sheriff was unable to understand at first how the man had succeeded in inflicting the wounds, as he had removed practically everything from the room, but he soon discovered blood upon the steel uprights forming a part of the "cage" in the cell, and it is evident that the man had climbed to the top for the purpose of hanging himself on the sharp projections forming the upper part of the steel enclosure.

Dr. Charles R. Truitt, the jail physician, was sent for and treated the man promptly, and the following day he was much improved. Upon request of his brother from Wilmington, he was released.

"Sage Of Salisbury" May Manage Campaign.

This is the incubative period in politics. Tangible developments are hard to locate. Men at the helm are trying hard to size up the drift of public sentiment, in order that such plans as the future may bring forth shall beat in sympathy with the popular pulse. Just now the watchword among Democrats is "Get together." It refers to the political factions. Senator Gorman was regarded as a master hand in bringing about concord within the ranks. Now that he is dead the answer to the declaration of unity of purpose is often this: "Who's going to get them together?"

Ex-Gov. E. E. Jackson has been spending several weeks at Bedford Springs. With him for a part of the time was Congressman J. F. C. Talbot, who returned to Baltimore about the middle of the week. It is believed that Chairman Vandiver of the Democratic State Central Committee found time to spend day or so at the Pennsylvania resort. If one man more than another looms up as the central figure in Maryland politics, it is ex-Governor Jackson.

He is believed to be bending his efforts toward securing harmony among the warring factions. Even Governor Warfield, between whom and the regulars there is an unrelenting antipathy, is not left out in the cold in the "Get-together" programme as it is outlined on the street. If he is willing to "play," the right hand of good-fellowship will be extended to him.

Just how the peace overtures will work out remains for the future to show. Only this week Mr. Joshua W. Miles, a power in Eastern Shore politics, went for the Governor in pretty lively fashion for his action in the Lee hanging. Miles is regarded as able and fearless. Discretion is not one of his political virtues. His criticisms of the Governor will not help the cause along. Governor Jackson, however, is a peace-loving diplomat. The task of smoothing away the ripples on the political seas will often try his patience and his temper.

It seems to be up to ex-Governor Jackson to point the way politically. If he chooses to pitch into the fray, his advice will have great weight; his dictum will hardly be disputed. The highest measure of success requires that he should exercise diplomacy. On the Eastern Shore, where his political power is greatest, he has bitter foes among the friends of Ex-Governor Smith because of his failure to aid the latter in the Senatorial fight. Friends of Governor Smith say, however, that he has no further political ambitions, his chief object in politics being to aid the friends who stood by him so loyally in the disastrous fight to represent the State in the United States Senate. This may point the way to harmony on the Eastern Shore.—Baltimore News.

—250 bushels Crimson Clover Seed at Allen's Seed Store next week. Very fine seed. Best in town. \$5.50 per bushel. Don't fail to see it before you buy.

SMITH AT WORK.

Democratic Candidate For Congress Begins Personal Solicitation—Republican Camp Quiet.

Hon. Thomas A. Smith, Democratic candidate for Congress from the First district of Maryland, is already hard at work laying his plans for the coming campaign. Mr. Smith, as well as every one else familiar with First district matters, knows that there will in all probability be a hard fight on the Eastern Shore this fall and that the first blows are those that count the most. Already has he begun to circulate literature, and this week there was mailed his speech of June 22 before the House regarding the Pure Food bill.

Tuesday he was at Cambridge and spent the afternoon shaking the hands of voters and talking over matters political. From there he went to Hooper's Island Camp and other places in Dorchester. It is his intention to cover the whole district in just such a manner. To some of his friends he has stated that he hoped to have Senator Rayner to speak in the district next fall.

The Wilson law will be no great benefit in this campaign, as there will be only two names on the ticket. Full tickets are essential to its successful working.

Meanwhile everything in the Republican camp is quiet. All seem to be resting on their oars. Of course, there is some curiosity as to who will be the Republican candidate, but nobody seems to be working themselves into a fidget over the matter. Some in Baltimore say that Hon. William H. Jackson will be the color bearer this year, but if this is true, the politicians in the Monumental city seem to have done Mr. Jackson's thinking for him. Apparently, he has come no nearer a decision than that of a month ago, when he remarked to a reporter for the Courier that he had not made up his mind what he should do and that he "never sings until the hymn is given out."

Another Bank For Enterprising Wicomico.

Pittsville, not to be outdone by the other small towns of Wicomico county, is to have a bank. The new enterprise will be known as the Truckers' Savings Bank, and will have a capital stock of \$25,000. It will be a State bank. Among the incorporators, it is stated, there will be Messrs. G. Ernest Hearn, Minus A. Davis, James W. Parker, R. S. Wimbrow, well known in the county and residents of Pittsville, and Mr. Peter A. Wimbrow, of Whaleyville. The L. L. Diricksen, Jr., banking interests of Berlin are also said to be interested and will in that way endeavor to draw to Berlin much of the banking business that has heretofore been coming to the Salisbury and Delmar banks.

It is the intention of those interested in this bank to have it open for business by the 15th of August, and temporary quarters will be fitted up in D. B. Farrow's storehouse, to be occupied until a new building is erected.

This institution will make the ninth bank in Wicomico county. There are 4 in Salisbury, two in Delmar, 1 at Nanticoke, 1 at Sharptown. Twenty-five years ago there was but one, the Salisbury National.

Pittsville is a large shipping point for fruits and vegetables, especially strawberries, and thousand of dollars are handled by the fruit growers during the berry season. The men behind the enterprise are good business men and have the confidence of the community.

The Pine Bluff Sanitarium.

A meeting of the incorporators of the recently organized Pine Bluff Sanitarium was held Tuesday evening at the office of Dr. George W. Todd, when the following officers were elected:

Rev. Dr. Thomas E. Martindale, president; Mr. W. F. Allen, vice-president; Mr. Harry W. Ruark, secretary and treasurer, and Dr. George W. Todd, superintendent.

The object of the corporation is the treatment of tuberculosis in an entirely new and scientific manner. A site of exceptional adaptation has been purchased of Rev. A. H. Holloway. It lies on the Wicomico river, perhaps two miles from Salisbury, and preparations are being made to establish there an institution for the care of tuberculosis patients.

It is a most excellent work and will doubtless do a vast amount of good in the community. While it is not a money making scheme, funds will be required to operate it, and the company will be glad to have the citizens of Salisbury take shares of its stock.

Special Scholarship Sale.

In response to the many inquiries concerning same, the Eastern Shore College will again offer special rates on Scholarships during the month of August.

Scholarships entitling the holder to 48 weeks tuition in Business, Shortland or English may be purchased for \$65.00 cash down, a reduction of \$31.00 from the regular tuition.

Scholarships entitling the holder to 40 weeks tuition in Commercial English, Civil Service, or College Preparatory may be purchased for \$60.00 cash down, a reduction of \$20.00 from the regular rate.

A scholarship in the Department of Telegraphy, entitling the holder to 32 weeks instruction may be purchased for \$50.00, a reduction of \$14.00 from usual rate.

These rates will be given only during the month of August. Office open every week day.

SWEPT AWAY BY FLOOD.

Morris' Mill Torn From Foundation By Excessive Rains—Carried Sixty Feet Down Stream.

The frequent storms which have visited Wicomico county during the week have been among the most disastrous known for many years. Not a day has passed without at least one severe storm, and reports from every section of the county indicate that the damage will be exceptionally heavy.

On Wednesday night the grain mill belonging to Mr. Albert Fooks, in Nutters district, known as the Morris Mill, was swept from its position by the flood and carried more than sixty feet down the stream, together with the entire contents of the building. For some little while before the mill was swept away the stream was swollen to such an extent that the entire dam was overflowed, and the increased pressure soon caused it to give way, carrying the mill and everything before it. Mr. Fooks estimates his loss to be at least six hundred dollars (\$600.00), and it may reach a higher figure than this.

During this same storm, three and one-half inches of rain fell at Willards, and just North of that place it was reported there had been a five and one-half inch rain.

From every section of the county comes the same report that the crops have been greatly damaged and especially is this true of the corn crop, and it is generally believed that not more than a half yield will be realized. The fields are completely flooded, and in a number of instances the water is standing several feet deep.

The ditches are flooded and entirely inadequate to carry off the volume of water which has found its way into them during the week. The ground is also thoroughly saturated and the farmers say it will be some time even with the most favorable weather to do any work in the fields.

The cantaloupe crop is also reported as almost ruined, and while there will yet be a large number taken from the vines, the flavor has almost been entirely destroyed, and it is feared the shippers will be unable to command the prices they should for the melons shipped. What is true of these crops is largely true of all the others. Tomatoes are suffering very much from heavy rains of the past few days.

It is also feared that heavy damage will be sustained in relation to the wheat crop, as a great deal of thrashing yet remains to be done.

Law Parts Child And Mother.

One of the most interesting cases which has come before Judge Charles F. Holland for a number of years came before him Wednesday, when Marion F. Bradley obtained a writ of habeas corpus against his wife, Lella E. Bradley, for the custody and control of their child, Magdalene, four years of age.

Mrs. Bradley's father, Mr. William Phillips, was the only witness, and he gave testimony to the effect that Mrs. Bradley was not a proper person to have control of a child, and without any rebutting testimony, the court passed an order requiring the delivery of the child to the grand-father, Mr. Phillips, with the understanding that Mrs. Bradley was to have the access at certain times to the child.

Quite a scene took place when Sheriff Elmer E. Bradley was ordered to deliver possession of the child to the grand-father. The child clinging to the mother, burst into tears, as did also Mrs. Bradley, and nearly everyone in the court room was visibly affected.

Messrs. Ellegood, Freeny and Wallis represented Mr. Bradley in the hearing, and Joseph L. Bailey, Esq., represented the defendant, Mrs. Bradley.

Salisbury Bank Buys City Bonds.

The City Council Monday night sold \$20,000 of the 4-1/2 per cent. payable semi-annually bonds for street improvements to the Farmers and Merchants Bank of the city, for \$20,000.00. The bonds are short term bonds, beginning to mature in 1912, and maturing \$2,000 per year until 1920, when the issue will be matured. Other bids for this issue were: Baker, Watts & Co., of Baltimore, \$20,101.07; Rudolph, Kleybolte & Co., of Baltimore and New York, \$20,050.00. Mr. T. A. Morris, of Leonardtown, bid \$1080 for two of the bonds.

Monday night was the time set for parties to appear before the Council that desired to make objection against the adoption of the plans and specifications for the paving of Main, Dock and Division streets. The only parties who appeared before the Council were W. P. Jackson and E. S. Toudvin, representing Hon. William H. Jackson. The matter of the grade at the corner of Main and Dock streets was the only protest offered by these gentlemen, and after a short talk with the Council, it was agreed that some of the objections could be overcome.

Permits to build were granted as follows: Mrs. Richard Bradley, coal and wood house on Bush street; L. W. Gunby, garage for truck on East Camden street; W. F. Bounds, cart shed on Parsons street, and H. S. Todd, two story brick building on Main street.

Card Of Thanks.

To the Editor of The Courier:— We, the members of Betsy Ross Council of the Daughters of Liberty, wish to express our appreciation for the untiring efforts of the young ladies and gentlemen who participated in the entertainment, especially those who were not members of the order.

Miss Willie Short, Councilor.

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TEACHERS APPOINTED.

School Board Completes List of Instructors for The Public Schools of Wicomico County.

The School Board of Wicomico county has completed the list of school teachers for the county. Several changes have been made throughout the county, and the following is the complete list:

Wicomico High School—J. Walter Huntington, principal; assistants, F. Grant Godles, N. Price Turner, Lizzie Hammond, Stella W. Dorman, Beulah White, Kate Van Cleve and Christine A. Richards.

Salisbury Primary—Ada L. Scott, L. Cora Gillis, Mary Cooper Smith, Margaret Anderson, Elizabeth W. Woodcock, Mildred Dougherty.

Salisbury Intermediate—Ida M. Ward, Alice Toadvine, M. Grace Darby, C. Nettie Hologway.

The appointments for the county schools are:

Barren Creek Election District.

Riverton—Bertha E. Cooper, Myra A. Bennett.

Mardela—Mary E. Bounds, Mary Bratton.

Athol—Blanch B. Elzey, Nellie L. Graham.

Double Mills—Nannie E. Wright.

English—Edna Owens.

Quantico Election District.

Quantico—George E. Bennett, Jennie L. Rounds.

Melson—Alicia M. Pollitt.

Royal Oak—

Green Hill—Katie Holliday.

Porter's Mills—Emma Brewington.

Cherrywalk—Jessie Taylor.

Hebourn—Florence Bounds, Mary E. Toadvine, Daisy M. Elliott.

Tyaskin Election District.

Tyaskin—

Wetpquin—Ida M. Taylor.

Deep Branch—Rena Lankford.

White Haven—John F. Phillips.

Pittsburg Election District.

Smith's—A. Edna Windsor.

Farlow's—Ronie L. Riggins.

Melson—Blanch Owens.

Parsonsburg—Clara M. Culver.

Hearn's—Chester Sheppard.

Pittville—Thos. H. Truitt, May Hamblin, Bertha Beauchamp.

Leonard's—Minnie Anderson.

Geordy's—

Walston's—Mattie Windsor.

Riley's—Margaret Laws.

Parker's—Minnie Morris.

Hammond—Ida C. McGrath.

Dennis Election District.

Wango—S. Edna Laws.

Powell's—Mary Brittingham.

Powellville—Ida Morris, Lucie M. Leonard.

Trappe Election District.

Allen—Bessie Reed, Martha G. Huffington.

Collins's Wharf—Etta E. Reid.

Morris—Margaret Whayland.

Shad Point—Olive Mitchell.

Brick Kiln—Georgia Reddish.

Siloam—Lillie G. Riggins.

Nutters Election District.

Fooks—

Oakland—Ruth Powell.

Mt. Holly—Addie Bennett.

Phillips—Lulu E. Smith.

Jones—Mamie Morris.

Johnson's—

Fruitland—Lillian B. Ellis.

Salisbury Election District.

Rockwalking—Mary A. Colston.

Charity—Julia N. Waller.

Sharptown Election District.

Sharptown—Wade H. Gordy, Sallie J. Clash, Berkeley H. Wright, Alice G. Robinson.

Delmar Election District.

Delmar—F. Raymond Shingle, May V. Beauchamp, Jennie Clayville, Sosie Hitch.

Williams—

New Spring Hill—Eva B. Robertson.

Nanticoke Election District.

Bivalve—Beatrice P. Robertson, Saddle Walker Cooper.

Nanticoke—Harry T. Kinney, May C. Hill.

Pine Grove—Edith Shockey.

Oak Grove—Lucy J. Walter.

Willard's Election District.

Green Branch—Lulu E. Wright.

Quakson—

Truitt's—

Willard—Anna L. Brittingham, Lulu B. Bounds.

Mt. Pleasant—Edith M. Ellis.

Friendship—Stella Dennis.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of my dear wife, Hester A. Reddish, who died one year ago today, August 1, 1905.

Oh! Hester, could I see you
And speak to you again,
All sadness would be over,
But this I wish in vain.

Now summer has come, dear Hester,
Your grave I go to see,
And say there is no other,
Like Hester was to me.

A tear within a husband's eye,
A husband's breaking heart
Can only tell the agony
How hard it is to part.

Dearest Hester, could you speak to me,
And could you live again,
My longing heart would then be healed,
But this I wish in vain.

Her busy hands are folded,
Her toil on earth is done,
Her troubles are all ended,
Her heavenly crown is won.

—By her loving husband,
John F. Reddish.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Received At The Clerk's Office in Salisbury For Record During The Past Week.

Marion A. Humphreys and wife to Graham Gunby, lot on Camden avenue, \$1.

John T. Dashiell and wife to William D. Kipple, 110 acres in Tyaskin district, \$1500.

James W. Calloway and wife to George S. Layfield, lot on South street, \$300.

Jay Williams, trustee, and Samuel J. English to Margaret S. English, 8 acres in Barren Creek district, \$5.

John A. Wainwright and wife to Wm. H. Wainwright, lot in Nanticoke district, \$100.

Wade H. Inley, trustee, to Franklin B. Culver, 4 acres in Tyaskin district, \$5.

Emmanuel S. Bamberger to Beauregard Manko, lot on Newton street, \$10.

Watson D. Mitchell to David Moore, 1 acre in Tyaskin district, \$11.

Robert Wainwright and wife to Henry W. Roberts, lot in Nanticoke district, \$100.

Patty Howard to Alfred Fogsate, tract in Barren Creek district, \$1.

Samuel J. Hustin and wife and Mary Emma Booth to Theodore F. Toadvine, lot on Pine street, \$130.

Benjamin Goslee and wife to Emory Coulbourn, 5 acres in Barren Creek district, \$50.

William Maten to M. M. Messick, parcel in Nanticoke district, \$1.

Uriah C. Phillips and wife to William G. Grier, lot on Poplar Hill avenue, \$2,000.

Allison S. Dennis, J. Murray Dennis and James Carey, to Elisha L. Parker, 150 acres in Willard district, \$900.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Applications For Permission To Wed Made In Office Of Clerk Of Circuit Court During July.

Herman W. Coulbourn, Accomack county, Va.; Bertie Carrie Wessell, Accomack county, Va. Appl., Edward T. Matthews.

Kenny D. Taylor, Accomack county; Ethel Lee Smack, Worcester county. Appl., J. T. Disharoon.

Perry P. Smith, Lavina Brumby. Appl., William L. Smith.

William T. Hitch, Stella Messick. Appl., John W. Hancock.

Almy T. Morris, Dorchester county; Stenia W. Hoffman, Dorchester county.

Edgar Gordy, Beulah S. Mitchell. Appl., Ernest Hobbs.

Clarence Coffin, Worcester county; Lottie Mitchell.

Ray C. Walter, Lena B. Gordy.

John W. Griffin, Worcester county; Edith B. Shockey.

Handy A. Hamblin, Mary A. Wooten.

COLORED.

James Smith, Caroline county; Sarah C. Horsey. Appl., J. Ames.

William J. Cottman; widower; Matilda Leonard, widow. Appl., William J. Cottman.

Julius I. Church, widower; Sarah E. Weatherly. Appl., Julius Church.

Frank Jones, Emma Robinson. Appl., Andrew Oerguh.

John Waters, Neaten M. Jones. Appl., Luther Waters.

Peaches in the Hair.

The latest addition to the list of coiffures is the Ceres wreath, in which fruit is substituted for the ordinary flower, says the London Mail. At a recent ball a pretty girl produced a sensation by wearing peaches composed of hand painted velvet. A woman approaching mature years, in whose coiffure a bunch of luscious looking purple and green grapes was arranged, provided additional proof of the advent of the vogue. Tiaras of cherries are being sold for brunettes. They are made of velvet or a composition closely resembling ivory realistically colored. The precious metals are being used for making more elaborate Ceres wreaths in which corn and fruit are mingled. One wrought in gold and three tones of yellows to express the lights and shades of wheat ears and currant clusters rises toward the front, where the spikes of grain cross. Silver wreaths are preferred by some women and are made of frosted and burnished metal, showing apples and foliage and plums mingled with grasses and the blossom of the plum tree.

Footless Man to Run For Congress.

William R. Scullin, candidate for the Democratic nomination for congress in the Twelfth Missouri district, is a well known lawyer, but is badly crippled, his feet having been crushed off in a railway wreck, says a St. Louis correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald. He was born in St. Louis in 1881 and received his education in the public schools and at a local law institute. His father is a real estate dealer, and his uncle, John Scullin, is conspicuous as a financier and promoter. Friends of Mr. Scullin say that he is the logical candidate and that his physical defects will not prevent his making a winning race should he receive the nomination which he is seeking.

A Mechanical "Hired Man."

B. E. Moore, a practical farmer near Winsted, Conn., thinks he has solved the scarcity of farmland help problem by installing a milking machine, gasoline engine and electric motor, says the New York World. Sawing the wood, cutting ensilage, shearing Angora goats and sheep, milking cows, separating milk, churning butter, washing clothes, lighting the house and barns are all done now by power at Moore's.

When men are friends there is no need of justice, but when they are just they still need friendship.—Aristotle.

Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect May 27, 1906.

Trains Will Leave Salisbury as follows:

For Wilmington, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York. 12.35, 7.39 A. M., 1.35, 3.07 P. M. week-days; Sundays, 12.35 A. M.

For Cape Charles, Old Point Comfort, Norfolk, Portsmouth and principal intermediate stations, 8.01 (7.39 Cape Charles only) A. M., 1.34 P. M. week days; Sundays, 8.01 A. M.

For Pocomoke and way stations, 11.54 A. M. and 7.00 P. M. week days.

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GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

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Train Schedule in effect May 27, 1906.

South-Bound Trains.

Leave 49 45 43 47

New York 9.00 12.30 7.30

Philadelphia 11.17 3.00 7.40 10.00

Wilmington 12.00 3.44 8.28 10.42

Baltimore 7.50 2.30 6.55 7.55

Leave a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m.

Delmar 2.50 6.48 11.40 1.24

Salisbury 3.01 6.55 11.54 1.34

Cape Charles 3.39 7.00 11.54 4.23

Old Point Comfort 7.35 6.50

Norfolk (arrive). 8.45 7.30

a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m.

North-Bound Trains.

Leave 48 50 46 44

Norfolk 7.45 6.15

Old Point Comfort 8.40 7.20

Cape Charles 10.55 9.25

Salisbury 11.55 12.35 3.07 7.39

Delmar 2.07 12.52 3.27 7.55

a.m. a.m. p.m. a.m.

Arrive p.m. a.m. p.m. p.m.

Wilmington 4.55 4.10 6.52 11.15

Philadelphia 5.57 5.18 8.00 12.00

Baltimore 6.00 6.07 8.40 12.43

New York 6.08 7.43 10.23 2.08

p.m. a.m. p.m. p.m.

In addition to the above trains the Cape Charles Accommodation leaves Delmar daily except Sunday at 7.30 a. m., Salisbury 7.39 a. m., arriving Cape Charles 10.50 a. m.

Delmar Accommodation leaves Cape Charles 6.05 p. m., Salisbury 9.36 p. m., arriving Delmar 10.00 p. m.

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Schedule effective June 11, 1906.

West Bound.

No. 6 No. 10 No. 2 No. 12 No. 14

Lv. Ocean City 7.40 7.40 7.40 7.40 7.40

Berlin 6.56 6.56 6.56 6.56 6.56

Salisbury 7.47 7.47 7.47 7.47 7.47

Hurlock 8.37 8.37 8.37 8.37 8.37

Easton 9.11 9.11 9.11 9.11 9.11

Chilborne 9.55 9.55 9.55 9.55 9.55

Ar. Baltimore 1.10 1.10 1.10 1.10 1.10

P. M. P. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.

East Bound.

No. 1 No. 3 No. 5 No. 7 No. 11

Lv. Baltimore 6.30 6.30 6.30 6.30 6.30

Chilborne 9.45 9.45 9.45 9.45 9.45

Easton 10.18 10.18 10.18 10.18 10.18

Hurlock 10.53 10.53 10.53 10.53 10.53

Salisbury 11.47 11.47 11.47 11.47 11.47

Berlin 12.30 12.30 12.30 12.30 12.30

Ar. Ocean City 12.45 12.45 12.45 12.45 12.45

P. M. A. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.

Daily. 1 Daily except Sunday.

In addition to the above schedule train No. 4 will leave Ocean City 12.00 P. M., arriving Salisbury 1.10 P. M., and train No. 5 will leave Salisbury 1.55 P. M., arriving Ocean City 3.00 P. M., stopping at Berlin 2.47 P. M. Trains No. 4 and 5 run daily except Sunday.

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STATE.

Chestertown is to have a \$5,000 laundry.

Cumberland's tax rate has been fixed at 65 cents.

Hyattsville will be lighted with electricity within the next two months.

Carroll Ashmead, of Crisfield, had a narrow escape from drowning Wednesday morning.

While handling a revolver Tuesday, Julian Smith, of Blkton, shot himself in the left hand.

The next term of court at Georgetown, Del., will have three capital cases to occupy its attention

J. W. Perkins, of New York, a rural route inspector, has inspected four routes which will probably be started from Centreville.

Last Saturday John Bee, colored, was lodged in Georgetown jail, charged with the killing of Williams, at a canning factory, near Seaford, Wednesday of last week.

Charles E. Cockey, of Kent Island, has probably the largest wheat yield for a large acreage on the Eastern Shore this season. He threshed 3,100 from 102 acres.

The Maryland Shirt Company, of Crisfield, was organized Monday, with the following incorporators: John L. Carmon, James B. Tawes, E. P. Wyatt, John H. Rigglin, John E. Sterling. The capital stock of \$40,000 was paid in and a building rented.

The County School Board has received the resignation of Prof. Simeon Van T. Jester, principal of the Golma High School, who has resigned to take a course at Lehigh University. They have confirmed the following appointments: Prof. Arthur Greenwood as principal of Piney Neck High School, and Miss Lillian Matthews, principal of Golt's School.

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Trolley Line On Eastern Shore.

All the preliminary arrangements for the construction of the trolley line between Chestertown and Tolchester have been made and work upon the construction of the road will begin about August 15.

The entire right of way for the road has been secured from the owners of the land along the proposed route, and the counsel to the Board of Commissioners have intimated that there would be no doubt about securing a right of way over the county road. Messrs. Tomkin and Brantingham drove over the proposed route recently and the latter, who is a skilled engineer and railroad builder, stated that the Chestertown-Tolchester road is the best proposition his company has had to consider.

The road will be 10 miles in length and will be built at a cost of \$200,000. It will be equipped with six cars of modern type for carrying passengers and freight. A large power-house will be built at Fairlee, and powerful dynamo will be installed for supplying motive power and light for Chestertown and residences in the county and at Tolchester, if desired. It is thought that the road will be ready for operation by Thanksgiving.

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I have more harness than any ten stores on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, at last year's prices, that is for less than other dealers can buy them.

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SATURDAY, AUG 4, 1906.

A Call.

We, the undersigned, in response to the request of the National Republican Association, do hereby issue a call to the Editors of Republican papers throughout the First Congressional District, in Maryland, to assemble at Republican Headquarters in Baltimore, on Monday, August 13, at 12 M., for the purpose of selecting a Delegate to the National Republican Editorial Association, and for such other matters as may properly call for consideration on the eve of the coming Congressional campaign.

(Signed) ELMER H. WALTON, Editor Salisbury COURIER. FRANK E. WILLIAMS, Editor Cecil Whig.

Our Coming Campaign and the Press.

At the head of our editorial columns this week will be found a joint call issued to the Republican editors of this district by the Cecil Whig and this paper. This call is issued in accordance with the request of the National Committee, and it is earnestly hoped that all the Republican Editors of the district will be in attendance upon the meeting to be held at Republican Headquarters in Baltimore, on August 13th. The press always wields a certain influence in political matters as well as matters in general, but when it is thoroughly organized, its usefulness is increased to a wonderful extent.

This is a most important campaign, and there is no reason why the nominee of the Republican party in this district should not be the next member of Congress from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and we believe with a vigorous campaign, and with the hearty and loyal support of the Republican press of the district, the desired result will be accomplished. We presume that the Republican Convention, soon to be held, will nominate Hon. William H. Jackson, the former Congressman, but whether or not Mr. Jackson will accept the nomination, we are unable to say. Should the nomination come to him unanimously, and with the unquestioned demand of the Republicans of the district back of it, it is possible that Mr. Jackson may consent to make the fight. But whether he accepts the nomination or not, there is every reason to believe the Republican nominee, whoever he is, can be elected in this district this fall.

In view of the present complexion of the national administration, there is every reason and argument in favor of having the congressman from this district, a Republican. The watch word of the campaign should be "Victory" and with the loyal support of those heretofore affiliating with the Republican party, and the independents who are in the habit of supporting the party upon all questions of national import, there is every reason to believe that

district will be found in the Republican column this fall and the Republican nominee triumphantly elected to Congress.

Mr. Bryan and the Presidency.

The Honorable William J. Bryan seems to be coquetting again with the Democratic Presidential nomination for 1908. The wonderful tenacity with which Mr. Bryan clings to life in general, and the "forlorn hope" of the Democratic party, in particular, is really pathetic. He is extremely wary, however, at this time, of his friends and is taking the present "outburst" in his favor with several "pinches of salt." He seems to be afraid that "things are not what they seem," and his remembrance of the old adage "there's many a slip betwixt cup and lip", serves him well.

Some of the papers are taking the position that Mr. Bryan by accepting another nomination will occupy a unique position in the political history of our country, while others have mentioned the fact that he will parallel the case of President Cleveland. The parallel as to Mr. Cleveland, however, is fearfully soon exhausted. True, each will have had three nominations for the presidency, but then comes the vast and fatal difference, and the parallel most emphatically ceases. The Ex-President, out of three nominations, scored two victories, while we fancy Mr. Bryan with the same number of chances, will have three "goose eggs" to his credit (?).

He will, however, even then be in good company for one of the most brilliant statesmen this country ever produced. Henry Clay, was thrice nominated and thrice defeated. The last nomination was twenty years after the first. Mr. Clay sought with pathetic longing the presidency of this country, and stated repeatedly to friends that when victory seemed assured another was nominated, and when disaster stared the party in the face he was the victim.

However, this is not true in the case of Mr. Bryan, for his party has given him the best possible chances, and while overwhelming disaster has been his lot, still when we consider the pitiable showing made by Judge Alton B. Parker in 1904, it is probable that Mr. Bryan made as creditable a record as was possible under the circumstances. Indeed the only thing left him now, if he really has a serious thought of realizing his high ambition, is to become a good and staunch Republican. He has already a number of most excellent Republican planks in his platform, and with a proper probationary period, it is possible he might, after having some of the rough Democratic edges knocked off, become sufficiently "Republicanized" to admit him into the list of Republican "possibilities." Even if he never succeeding in getting beyond this stage, he would be as well off as he is now, for a real, live, bona fide "Republican possibility," it seems, is about as near the presidency as an actual Democratic nominee in these latter days.

However, it is impossible to tell what the future may bring forth and whether Mr. Bryan shall ever be called to occupy the White House or not, certain it is that he has succeeded in attracting to himself decidedly more attention and notice than usually falls to the lot of a private citizen of this country.

From New York to Paris by Rail.

Imagine entering a Pullman in the city of New York, and emerging from the same car in Paris! This is no wild flight of fancy, but the actual probability of a few years.

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tunnel under the Bering Strait in connection with the Trans-Siberian-Alaska Railroad project. This will be one of the greatest engineering feats the world has ever known,—second only to the Panama Canal, and in many respects presenting even greater difficulties than this latter scheme. The possibility of traveling from the United States to Europe entirely by rail has been the youthful dream of tens of thousands, and the consummation of such a mighty project will be hailed with delight throughout the entire civilized world.

It is to be sincerely hoped that nothing will interfere with the rapid progress of the work, and that before many years have passed this country and Europe will be connected, by what will then be the greatest trans-continental system of the world.

The Delmar News.

The new newspaper, the Delmar News, has made its appearance under the management and editorship of Messrs. F. A. Robinson and S. Ker Slemmons. It is a newsy seven column folio, and will no doubt prove successful. The COURIER congratulates its new contemporary upon its entrance into the journalistic field, and extends to it its best wishes.

To Correspondents.

Correspondents should sign their names in full to every article written for publication in THE COURIER. The names are not to be printed, and the information is for the editor alone. To insure its insertion, all matter should reach this office not later than Thursday night.

Deaths Of The Week.

Dr. Alexander H. Murrell. Dr. Alexander H. Murrell, well known throughout Wicomico county, died at his home on Camden avenue Sunday afternoon, after a painful illness of several weeks. Dr. Murrell was born in June of 1865 and spent the early years of his life at Ailen. He was a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, and after completing his course, he came to Salisbury and opened a drug store on Main street near Dock. During that time he became interested in putting up a baking powder preparation, after which he accepted a position in the Salisbury Post-office, which he held until the time of his death. Dr. Murrell was widely known as a Republican, and was a member of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church South. He is survived by a widow, who is the daughter of Capt. Thomas W. H. White, of Trappe district. Mr. John M. Murrell, of Philadelphia, is a brother. The remains were taken to Allen Tuesday morning and interred in the Price burial lot.

T. Samuel Phipps.

Mr. T. Samuel Phipps, 52 years old, died at his home on Broad street early Saturday morning of typhoid fever. Mr. Phipps was born in this county, but went West 26 years ago and lived in Sioux Falls, Dakota, for several years. He returned to Salisbury two years ago and purchased a butcher business on Dock street, which he conducted till his death with much success. He leaves a widow and three children. The following brothers and sisters also survive: George W. Phipps, the well known jeweler of this city; Benjamin Phipps, of the State of Washington; William, Zedekiah and Edwin Phipps, of Salisbury, and Mrs. Susan Bounds, of New York. Funeral services were held in the M. P. Church Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. S. Phillips. The interment was in Parsons Cemetery.

Lost.

Lost on the next to rear coach of train at Claiborne, Wednesday night, August 1st, a Japanese Pocket Book, with owner's name and "Annapolis, Md.," engraved on silver plate inside flap. Contained \$5 bill and silver, pass No. 113 on A. W. & B. Railroad, ticket to Baltimore on short line, visiting cards of owner, other papers, 2 handkerchiefs, and a Gun Metal Lady's Watch, with trinkets attached including fraternity Maltese Cross, and Masonic Emblem. Liberal reward if returned to owner or this office.



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Advertisement for Dorman & Smith Hardware Co., Salisbury, Maryland. Features a large illustration of a tin can and a key. Text: "For SUMMER USE.. You Can't Beat This Pair. Try Them. Dorman & Smith Hardware Co., Salisbury, Maryland."

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Advertisement for Lowenthal, Up-To-Date Merchant of Salisbury. Text: "Mid-Summer Sale of Lawns, Organdies, Embroideries, Laces, Batists, Summer Fabrics. (These goods have been reduced to one-half their value) Millinery at Half Price. All our Hats, Flowers, Children's Caps, Hats and Bonnets at exactly half-price. Ladies' Black and White Long Silk Gloves, in all sizes, and Belts, Hand Bags and Fancy Goods, are all greatly reduced. Don't miss this sale. You will find what you want at reduced prices. Lowenthal. Up-To-Date Merchant of Salisbury. We Take Eggs."

Advertisement for Harold N. Fitch, Eye Specialist. Text: "Do Your Eyes? Or Head Ache? The trouble is almost always caused by defective eyesight. Always consult an eye specialist when your eyes tire and you cannot continue for any length of time to regard small objects—when eyes smart or water, when the eyelids get inflamed often or when you have pain in the eyelid, orbit, temples, or forehead. I correct all optical defects. Write for 'The Eye, And It's Care.' Mailed free on request. HAROLD N. FITCH, Eye Specialist, 129 MAIN STREET, SALISBURY, MD. P. O. Box 117. Office hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Special appointments by phone 397. Eyes examined free."

THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

The younger music pupils of Mrs. M. P. Trussell gave her a surprise party last night.

The L. W. Gunby Company's new motor truck is expected to reach Salisbury the first part of next week.

The excursion of the Division Street Baptist Sunday School to Ocean City last Tuesday was well patronized.

Mr. Samuel Maddox has moved his barber shop to the storefront formerly occupied by Mr. Paul E. Weston.

FOUND:—One black, hand made leather belt. Owner can have same by applying to the office of THE COURIER.

Mrs. Charles R. Disharoon gave a card party last night to a number of friends at her home on North Division street.

The B. C. & A. excursion to Chesapeake Beach and Washington, Wednesday, was enjoyed by a number of Salisburyans.

The new bank at Vienna to be operated by the Eastern Shore Trust Company opened its doors Wednesday for business.

The Salisbury baseball team defeated the team from Delmar on the South Salisbury grounds Tuesday with a score of 5 to 0.

Mr. Daniel J. Elliott and family moved from Baltimore this week and are now occupying their handsome home on Park avenue.

There will be a picnic and basket supper at Union M. P. Church next Thursday, August 9th. If this day should be stormy, the picnic will be held on Friday, August 10th.

Workmen are engaged this week in putting in pipe at No. 3 bridge, near Salisbury, preparatory to making the double track complete between Williams' Siding and Salisbury.

A surprise party was given Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Vance Tilghman, of Wilson, N. C., at the home of her grand-mother, Mrs. E. E. Davis, East Church street.

Mr. Richard Turner stuck a nail about two inches in his left foot last Friday while at work in Wilmington. He was forced to abandon work for two weeks and is now with his family in Salisbury.

At a congregational meeting of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church held Monday night it was decided to extend a call to Rev. H. C. McBride, of White Clay Creek, Del., to become their pastor.

The Sunday Schools of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and of the South Salisbury Methodist Episcopal Chapel, South, will run a combined excursion to Ocean City next Wednesday.

Miss Lovey Foskey, of Whitesville, Del., and Mr. Larry W. Trinit, of Delmar, Del., were married at the parsonage of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, Thursday, by Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D.

The schooner R. T. Rudlett, Capt. J. C. Fountain, arrived in Salisbury yesterday with a cargo of shingles for the W. B. Tilghman Company, from Florida. The ship made the trip in the exceptionally good time of four and a half days.

Messrs. R. E. Powell & Co. began this week the work of completing the improvements to their large double store on Main street. Plans are being prepared for a steam heating plant, which will be installed while the other improvements are being made.

Parsonsburg camp-meeting will begin today and continue 10 days. The grounds have been put in first-class condition and everything is in readiness for the opening. Large crowds will no doubt be in attendance Sunday, if the weather is favorable.

A picnic will be held at Shad Point on Wednesday, August 8th, both afternoon and evening. There will be plenty of amusements and refreshments will be served in abundance. A basket supper will also be served. Everybody is invited. Proceeds for benefit of M. E. Church.

Dr. E. T. Williams, dentist, who has had an office in the Masonic Temple for nearly a year, will give up his practice here and move to Dover, Del., where he will follow his profession. He will leave next week. Dr. Williams has formed many friends during his residence in Salisbury who will be sorry to part with him.

There was a widely circulated report on the streets of Salisbury this week that there had been an accident of some kind on the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad and that a little girl had been killed. It was stated by the railway officials yesterday that so far as they were aware nothing of the kind had happened.

Mayor Charles E. Harper has been in New York and Philadelphia this week arranging for a first class watchmaker and engraver for his store on Main St. Mr. Fox, who has been with him several years, leaves Monday for Rocky Mountain, N. C., where he has accepted a position in the office of the watch inspector of one of the large southern railroads.

Mr. Harry S. Todd Saturday closed a deal with Messrs. S. P. Woodcock and Company, real estate dealers, for the vacant lot on the south side of Main street between the Betke and Ulman buildings. The lot fronts on Main street 20 feet and has a depth of about 100 feet. The price paid for the lot was \$2,000. Mr. Todd has contracted with Mr. W. F. Bounds for the erection of a two-story and basement brick building on the ground to be used as a wholesale tobacco and cigar establishment, and expects to open for business in about three months.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor and son, Victor, will leave next week to visit friends in Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Rochester, N. Y., and Niagara Falls. Mrs. Taylor will attend to her usual household duties and attend many large military openings, returning to Salisbury in September. During her absence Mrs. Taylor's military business will continue as usual under the care of her competent assistants.

The Thursday Dancing Club held a dance Monday night in the Masonic Hall in honor of the out of town visitors. Among those present were Miss Janette Williamson, of Baltimore; the Misses Lindale and Mr. Carter, of Wilmington; Miss Pringle, of Philadelphia; Miss Cobb, of Norfolk; Miss Nellie Waller, of Princess Anne; Miss Mary Brattan, of Marfield; and Mr. Oscar Evans, of Washington.

Mr. Wade T. Porter, formerly of Salisbury, who has recently been book-keeper and acting manager for the Shupe & Simmons Co., at Morristown, N. J., has been transferred to the Dover, N. J., store of the company and made its assistant manager. He will introduce the Baker-Vawter system of loose ledger bookkeeping to suit the large fruit and produce business of the firm.

Articles of incorporation for the firm of W. E. Sheppard & Co. were filed Monday in the office of the Clerk of Court by Messrs. W. E. Sheppard, W. S. Sheppard, W. S. Parker, M. A. Davis and Jay Williams. A meeting of the stockholders was held Tuesday evening and the following officers were elected: President, W. E. Sheppard; Vice-President, W. S. Parker; Secretary, Jay Williams; Treasurer, W. S. Sheppard.

It was reported early this week that Salisbury was to have a strong baseball team, under the management of Professor Burris, a player well known on the Eastern Shore. Prof. Burris reached Salisbury Wednesday, and for a while the wires were kept hot in an endeavor to capture some of the best players on the Shore. The hopes of the "Fans" were raised only to be shattered, however, for after all the excitement, the management decided that Salisbury did not need a strong baseball team and Professors Burris and Jones, our pitcher, left Salisbury Friday. It is understood that our home team will continue playing baseball, and we may yet see winning baseball without the addition of any imported players.

Mr. Lycurgus Winchester, a member of the firm of Winchester Bros & Co., bankers and brokers, and a prominent young society man, was instantly killed at 12.30 o'clock in Baltimore, Thursday morning in a collision between his carriage and a car of the United Railways and Electric Company at North and Mount Royal avenues. Miss Douglas Wise, daughter of the late Capt. Frederick May Wise, U. S. N., who was driving with Mr. Winchester, was painfully injured, and was removed to St. Luke's Hospital. Miss Wise lives with her mother and sister at the Hotel Brexton, on Park avenue, Baltimore. She is expected to recover. Miss Wise was the guest a few weeks ago of Mrs. M. M. Dick at "Delight," and while there met a number of Salisbury residents.

Mr. R. S. Wimbrow and others in the neighborhood of Pittsville were before the County Commissioners Tuesday and presented a petition for a new road in Dennis' district, from the Pocomoke river to Powellville, a distance of about three-fourths of a mile. The Commissioners agreed to open the road, provided Worcester county would first build a road to the bridge on the Worcester side. B. Frank Messick, Jno W. Jones and P. S. Shockley were appointed a commission on a new road in Trappe district, known as the Ditch Bank road. The Board agreed to appropriate \$5 toward ditching the Meadow Bridge road in Nutter's district, when same is reported properly done. Charles L. Parks was appointed road supervisor in Nantcoke district, vice James C. Parks, resigned.

Mr. Clayton Kelly, the ex-candidate for the office of sheriff of Wicomico county and a veteran sportsman, dropped \$25 this week in a neat manner. He and Mr. Major L. Phillips, Jr., bet \$25 that Mr. Phillip's 8 year old bay mare could not go from Salisbury to Hebron, a distance of about eight miles, in 30 minutes. The matter was settled Tuesday morning not altogether to Mr. Kelly's satisfaction. At 7:40 o'clock Mr. Walter Dryden left the corner of Division and Church streets, driving the mare to a speed cart. Then Messrs. Phillips, Kelly, Clinton Kraus, Elijah Carey and Emory Shockley, hurried to the station and took the west bound express on the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway to Hebron. They stood at the station in Hebron until 8 1/4 minutes after 8 o'clock, when Mr. Dryden turned the corner, having made the trip in 28 1/4 minutes. The horse was trotted at a rapid gait till the end of the shell road leading from Salisbury was reached, and the remainder of the trip was made in a run.

Mr. A. F. Trappe, a Baltimore newspaper man for more than 25 years and recently appointed Secretary of the State Bureau of Immigration, was in Salisbury for the first time this week. Mr. Trappe was making a tour of the Eastern Shore with a view to sending land buyers here. He said to a representative of THE COURIER Tuesday that of all the towns in the State of Maryland all the size Salisbury was the prettiest. It has more handsome residences and yards and enterprising business houses, according to his view, than any other city in Maryland of its class. "I like your people," he said, "for they seem so kind and friendly, and it seems to me that the people of this section are the most happy and contented of any I know of. But the streets! The streets! They are awful. Oh, I tell you, if it were me, I would pave every street in the town, if I had to load the place down with mortgages. It would pay in the end, and it would not be long before the debt would cancel itself in the advanced value of the property and the saving in continued shelling and other work."

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Mr. Bowser Buys a Cow

He Expects to Save Money on Milk and Butter and to Avoid Sickness.

DISAPPOINTED IN BEAST

Mrs. Bowser Pokes Fun at Him, and He Meets Unpleasant Fate in His Own Milkery.

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At 4 o'clock the other afternoon a man leading a cow stopped in front of the Bowser residence, and the man turned in at the gate and rang the doorbell. Mrs. Bowser happened to be conveniently handy, and she answered it. "I suppose you want this cow around in the alley shed?" queried the man as she appeared.

"What cow, and what have I to do with it?"

"That cow out in the street. I sold her to your husband about an hour ago if your name is Bowser."

"There must be some mistake. What sort of a looking man is my husband?"

"He's what they call a one story man—short and fat and baldheaded. Oh, there's no mistake about it. He wrote his name and number down on this slip of paper, as you see. He's got the



A MAN LEADING A COW.

biggest bargain of any man who's bought a cow this year. I let him have her for \$45."

"He was a duce to pay you half that," replied Mrs. Bowser as she stepped out to get a better view of the animal.

Had Refused Good Offer. "I could have sold her for \$50 last week."

"Then some one must have wanted to start a bone yard pretty bad. Look at the condition she's in! That cow won't give two quarts of milk a day. You'd better drive her right down to the river and dump her in."

"But don't take that cow on her looks, ma'am," protested the man. "She had twin calves, and she's lost 'em both within a month. She's grieving for them and has lost her appetite. Give her a little sugar to get her spirits back, and if she doesn't fill a pail twice a day I don't know anything about cows. I'll drive her around and put her in the shed, and when Mr. Bowser comes he'll explain everything."

It had been long years since Mr. Bowser had mentioned the name cow, and he had gone and invested in a skeleton without a hint of his intentions. Mrs. Bowser was thoroughly put out, but as she could not bandy words with the cow dealer she retired into the house and left him to put the animal in the shed. As soon as he had done so he got out of the neighborhood as fast as he could. Ten minutes after the man's coat tails had disappeared Mr. Bowser came home. He had meant to break the news himself and in his own way, but he saw that it was too late.

"Well, what do you think of the investment?" he carelessly asked as he hung up his hat.

"I think you might have got a bundle of bones at the slaughter house for a good deal less money," replied Mrs. Bowser.

"Now, then, my dear, wait until you have heard the whole story. When I started for the office this morning I had no more thought of buying a cow than I had of jumping down a well. At the office I found Professor Duggan, the germ and microbe expert. Knowing how interested I am in such matters, he had called to give me the results of some recent experiments.

"How many bacteria do you suppose he found in a pound of butter bought at a grocery?"

"Over a million, my dear woman, and every one of them capable of starting a case of typhoid fever. How many germs do you guess he found in a quart of milk?"

"I don't care how many he found."

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Your bacteria and germs and microbes are all nonsense. No one ever heard of such things until a few years ago."

"Don't be a donkey, Mrs. Bowser. Nine-tenths of the sickness and death of today are caused by those very things. If you want to run the risk, then go ahead, but I want no microbes in mine. The professor estimated that with a cow of our own we would both live ten years longer."

"And he probably got \$10 of the money."

"Mrs. Bowser, don't go too far!" cautioned Mr. Bowser as he flushed up. "No living man or woman can impugn the honesty of Professor Duggan. It was his friendship for me that brought him to the office. He is not a man to stand by and see a friend of his swallow microbes by the cart load."

Mrs. Bowser had nothing to say in reply, and after gazing at the cow shed from a back window for two or three minutes Mr. Bowser continued:

"Of course I was chiefly actuated by the question of health, but there is another side to it. What do you suppose our milk and butter have cost us the last year—milk and butter full of bacteria and microbes?"

"I have no interest in the matter. You have bought a cow and are going to do great things with her."

"He glared at her, but hung on to himself. He wanted to straighten the cow question out before picking up any side issues."

Save Money and Health. "I have figured it up, and we shall save something like a hundred dollars a year—not a microbe, not a bacterium, not a germ, and a clean saving of a hundred dollars! I don't see why you need feel put out about it. Name me a man who could have done a better thing all around."

"How can we make butter out of two or three quarts of milk a day?" demanded Mrs. Bowser as she arose.

"Two or three quarts of milk a day! Why, woman, your head must have got sore-owed on the wrong way. There will be all of ten quarts at a milking. We shall use about two quarts a day, and the rest will go into butter and cheese. Yes, I forgot about the cheese. We will make our own and have it every day."

"You can't squeeze four quarts a day out of that bundle of bones, and there won't be cream enough for the cat. Mr. Bowser, you have been hounded again, done up, made a guy of. That cow is so old that she has both front feet in the grave."

"Woman, I deny it!" he shouted at the top of his voice, breaking loose at last. "I wanted a cow to save both our lives and to make a profit of \$100 a year. Because you didn't think of it first you are mad and jealous. It won't do you any good. The cow has been bought and paid for. Here she will remain. If you don't want any of the milk, butter and cheese, you can eat raw turnips."

Settled Mrs. Bowser. That settled Mrs. Bowser. They went down to dinner at the ringing of the bell, but neither spoke during the meal. When it was ended Mr. Bowser went upstairs and slipped on an old coat, and then, coming down, he took a tin pail from the kitchen and went out to milk the new cow. She was expecting him. He fetched a pail of water and some hay from a barn across the alley, and before proceeding to milk he looked her over. She looked old and decrepit. She looked mournful and disconsolate. The thought came stealing over him that he had been done up, but he shut his lips and forced it back. Never in this living world would he admit the fact to Mrs. Bowser after what she had said.

By and by Mr. Bowser sat down to milk. He sat down on the wrong side, but in this case it made no difference. There was less than a pint of milk in the pail, and the cow had made up her mind not to part with that without a struggle. As the milk began to hunt for milk the animal drew a long breath and threw all her strength into one kick, and as Mr. Bowser went over backward she took advantage of "the open door" and got into the alley and disappeared.

Scene in the Shed. After three quarters of an hour had passed Mrs. Bowser strolled across the back yard to see what had happened. The cow shed was as quiet as a grave. She looked in to find the cow gone and Mr. Bowser lying there as if sweetly sleeping. The hostler from the barn joined her, and after a look he said:

"He was kicked in the stomach, ma'am, and is waiting to get his second wind. Shall I run after the cow?"

"No, if she returns chase her away." Ten minutes later, as the camphor bottle was held to Mr. Bowser's nose, he opened his eyes and faintly inquired where he was.

"In your own milkery and cheeseery and safe from germs and microbes and bacteria," softly replied Mrs. Bowser, and he heaved a great sigh of contentment as he dropped his head back on the hay.

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Dream Fishing

DO not go to fish for fish: I go to catch the day. When up the dawn he comes or to wish. The river mists away. I do not go because I know. The fish are sure to bite: I go to catch the songs that flow. The dreams that greet my sight.

I do not go to fish for fish: I go to fish for news. Along the shore a mile or more To visit Mrs. Muse. I often find her daughters nine Upon the beach at play. And then the pleasure all is mine To hear the things they say.

I do not go to fish for fish: I go to be like one Who joys to sit awhile and smile Just lonely with the sun. Just with the chatter of the breeze Upon the rippling tide. Just with the friendship of the trees And of the birds beside.

I do not go to fish for fish: I have no time for that. I go to stray away a day Beneath my wide brimmed hat. I go to drift or slow or swift, However wills my boat. Where something comes to cleanse and lift.

The dust that's in my throat. I do not go to fish for fish: I hardly care at all. If any fish come at my wish, Good luck or ill befall. I go to fish with memory balt Upon the singing stream. And generally it is my fate, Instead of fish, to dream—

To dream and drift and swing and float. To loaf the lonely hours. Along the shore where glides my boat. Where bloom the fragrant flowers; To lunch and smoke and dream again The day's long golden span; To paddle home at night and feel— Just like another man! —Baltimore Sun.

Brother Dickey's Philosophy. It don't make no difference ter me whether de worl' is roun' or flat. De leadin' question wid me is how ter stan' steady 'pon top of it.

Many a time w'en a politician feels lak de officer is a seekin' of him it's des a twich of de rheumatism or a sign dat de countin' needs hoelin'.

Dar's one thing ter say in favor of Satan: W'en he go ter church he keep his eye wide open whilst de res' of dem is sleepin' 'thoo de sermon.

De only way you kin git some folks ter travel de road ter heaven is ter tell 'em dat milk en honey's free en dey won't batter t'iptoe ter scrape gold dust off de stars.

It's de early riser dat wins in de life race. Adam gone ter sleep once en sleep too long, en you sees what trouble we been in ever since!

Be'fo' dis century over I wouldn't be 'tall surprised of dey raised de dead. But I don't want ter be in ten mile er de place whar dey rise at.—Atlanta Constitution.

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Some Special Bargains

A "clean-up" is made at this sale of all the remainder of the large spring stock. This affords an opportunity to get some snappy bargains in a large line of goods. The wise will purchase now and lay aside the goods not needed at present. And remember, you get new goods—no old stock

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Just Arrived From Philadelphia and New York

With a full and complete line of up-to-date CLOTHING, AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS; LADIES' SKIRTS, WAISTS, AND FULL SUITS. While on the trip I purchased for CASH, VERY CHEAP, a big line of SINGLE PANTS, COATS, and VESTS, which I am offering for sale greatly below their value. Come take a look at these goods.

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No store on the Peninsula has a better line of the above than we. All prices and all kinds, in latest style shapes and colors.

Hats. Hats.

A new stock of Spring and Summer Dress Hats for Gentlemen. Derby Hats that others ask \$2 for, I sell for \$1.50. Other qualities in proportion. All colors and shapes.

TOBACCO, CIGARS, AND PIPES.
WATCHES AND JEWELRY.
CONFECTIONERY, CAKES, NUTS, ETC.

We thank you for your patronage in the past and solicit your trade in the future.
FOR GENUINE BARGAINS COME TO
W. W. Larmore & Company,
White Haven, Md.

Not of Much Account.
The lord chief justice of England used to sing in the choir of a parish church. A woman once asked the vergier to point out Sir Richard Webster as he then was. The vergier replied, "Well, ma'am, that's the vicar and the curates and I'm the vergier, but as for the choir, as long as they does their dooty we don't inquire into their haute-cedents!"

Stupid.
"I wish I was half as beautiful as Miss Brown," remarked the fair Edith to Mr. Green.
"Well, you are, you know," replied Green, thoughtlessly.
Then he wondered why she suddenly rose and left him.

Delicate Operation.
"Yass," suddenly declared Cholly Branceless, "I'm going to work. I've made up my mind."
"You have?" exclaimed Miss Peppery. "My! What a delicate operation!"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Bringing It Home.
Her Father—What are you and young Shortleigh going to live on in case you marry? His Daughter—Well, if you must know, papa, look in the mirror.

He censures God who quarrels with the imperfections of men.—Burke.

Difficult Haymaking.
One of the most curious sights that one notices in the agricultural parts of Norway is the peculiar way of drying out the hay. On account of the extreme dampness the grass rots if left on the ground after it is mowed. Wooden drying fences that stretch for hundreds of yards across the fields are built, and every night the hay is hung out to dry, like the family wash. The sun helps along in the daytime, but it is only a half-hearted help, and in the neighborhood of Bergen, where it is said to rain 364 days out of the year, the hay is almost always "on the fence." In the lake districts, where the hilly country makes means of transportation very difficult, a heavy copper wire is stretched from the top of a mountain to the village in the valley below. Down this huge masses of hay are sent sailing through the air, sometimes whizzing dangerously near the unwary tourist's head.—New York Tribune.

Poor Fellow.
Mrs. Brown—He certainly does live high. It seems to me his whole thought is of his victuals. Mrs. Malaprop—That's the truth. He's just what you might call a regular lpeace.

It is with feelings as with water—the shallow murmur, but the deeps are dumb.—Raleigh.

Yes, We Are Restless.
"We are a restless people," observes the Sedgwick (Kan.) Panograph. "Every thin woman longs to be fat. Every fat woman wants to grow thin. Every few man longs for the time when he can retire to the quiet of the country, and every farmer hopes to some day quit work and move to town, where he can take life easy. Country newspaper men would like to try their hand on a city daily. The fellows on the big dailies dream of a time when they can own a paper of their own. In youth we long for maturity. In age we yearn for the happy days of childhood. There is no excuse for it other than that we all seem to be built that way. The grass seems to be just a little bit greener and thicker most any direction from the place you occupy right now. Contentment is as near to happiness as you can get in this world."

Rather Caustic.
"Did you tell your father I was a humorist?" asked the tall young man with long hair.
"I did," replied the pretty girl, "and he laughed."
"Laughed? Why, I thought he used to say writing jokes was hard on the brain."
"So he did, but he says he never heard of you writing any jokes."—Pick Me Up.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS, Salisbury, Md., June 25, 1906.

The Board of Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico county, having selected and appointed the following named persons to be Registrars in the several voting districts of said county, in accordance with Section 10, of Article 33 of the Code, hereby give notice of the names and post office of each person so selected, and also the political party which the Board of Supervisors intend each of said persons to represent respectively. The law makes it the duty of the Board to examine promptly into any complaints which may be preferred to it in writing, against any person so selected, and to remove any such person whom, upon inquiry, they shall find to be unfit or incapable.

No. 1. Barren Creek District—Jas. E. Bacon, dem., Mardela Springs; Samuel W. Bennett, rep., Mardela Springs.

No. 2. Quantico District—W. Frank Howard, dem., Hebron; W. Scott Disharoon, rep., Quantico.

No. 3. Tyaskin District—John M. Furbush, dem., Tyaskin; W. A. Conway, rep., Wettpquin.

No. 4. Pittsburg District—L. Teagle Truitt, dem., Pittsville; Durand B. Parsons, rep., Pittsville.

No. 5. Parsons District—N. P. Turner, dem., Salisbury; John P. Owens, rep., Salisbury.

No. 6. Dennis District—L. Lee Laws, dem., Wango; David J. Clark, rep., Powellville.

No. 7. Trappe District—R. Lee Griffith, dem., Allen; Otho Bounds, rep., Allen.

No. 8. Natter's District—J. D. Coulborn, dem., Salisbury; Oswald Layfield, rep., Salisbury.

No. 9. Salisbury District—W. S. Lowe, dem., Salisbury; Geo. H. Weisbach, rep., Salisbury.

No. 10. Sharptown District—Clement J. Gravenor, dem., Sharptown; W. D. Gravenor, rep., Sharptown.

No. 11. Delmar District—E. E. Gordy, dem., Delmar; D. H. Foskey, rep., Delmar.

No. 12. Nanticoke District—Arthur M. Rencher, dem., Jesterville; Samuel M. White, rep., Nanticoke.

No. 13. Camden District—E. E. Twilley, dem., Salisbury; W. T. Phoebus, rep., Salisbury.

No. 14. Willard District—Handy A. Adkins, dem., Willard; George E. Jackson, rep., Pittsville.

The Board will meet at their office in the "Wicomico News" building Tuesday, September 4th, to hear any complaint against the appointment of the above officers.

S. S. SMITH, President.
GEO. A. BOUNDS,
A. J. BENJAMIN,
Supervisors of Elections for Wicomico county.

C. LEE GILLIS, Clerk.

VIEW OF SAGE'S HEIRS

How Some Relatives Regard Financier's Bequests of \$25,000.

THANKFUL, BUT EXPECTED MORE

None of them intends to contest the will—For Many Years Uncle Russell Had Aided Some of Them Substantially—Incidents of His Early Days Recalled by Intimate Friend.

For many years the heirs of the late Russell Sage, the famous financier, have been living in expectation of becoming wealthy upon the death of Uncle Russell, says a special dispatch from Troy to the New York World. He has helped the majority of them financially from time to time, paying doctors' bills or answering with a check an appeal for rent money. Some of the nephews have boasted in years past that upon the death of Mr. Sage they would be worth millions.

James H. Sage, a member of a firm of fish dealers, is perhaps the most prosperous of the nephews in Troy, N. Y. He has probably a few thousand dollars in his own name.

"Of course," said he recently, "I'm not fool enough to throw money over my shoulder when I can get it without working for it, but I don't have to get a slice of Russell Sage's fortune in order to live. I've got some money of my own."

By way of proof he reached down in his trousers pocket and pulled out a roll of bills which, he said, "would choke a cow."

Charles R. Sage, another nephew, lives on the third floor of an apartment house in Troy. He is a thickset man, with gray hair and gray mustache.

When employed he may be found upon the delivery wagon of a manufacturer and bottler of soft drinks. Charles Sage has four daughters and two sons, all grown and all but two still at home. The daughters are hard working girls and contribute largely to the support of the family by working upon collars.

Lydia, one of the daughters, some years ago married Charles Burnham, who is employed by the United Traction company as a conductor. To them a deaf and dumb son was born. When the boy was about twelve years old an appeal was made to Russell Sage to educate him. The old gentleman placed the boy in a deaf and dumb asylum in New York. About six months ago the lad returned without the knowledge of either Mr. Sage or his parents and engaged a room for the night at the Harmony hotel, in Cohoes.

The next morning the gas in the room was found turned on. He had committed suicide. Despondency over his affliction is supposed to have been the cause. The family of Charles Sage are emphatic in their denial of being parties to a proposed will contest.

"Why, we never think of such a thing," Mr. Sage said. "After all Uncle Russell has done for us it would be the height of ingratitude. He thought so much of us that he even sent us clothing. Mrs. Sage, the dear old lady, need never worry. We will not make trouble for her if we can help it."

Albert Sage, the third nephew, in Troy is familiarly known as "Pidge" Sage. He has always been obliged to work for everything he received in life and has seen much trouble. "Pidge" is employed by his brother, James H. Sage, in the fish market. He has two sons, Walter, who is employed at the plant of the General Electric company at Schenectady, and George, who is employed on one of the ice wagons of Copper & Co.

When Albert Sage first learned of the provisions of the will he was greatly pleased to think that the great money maker had remembered even him.

"Me contest the will?" he asked. "Not on your sweet life. I have always had to work hard, ever since I was a kid, and I guess I'll lay off now and take it easy for the rest of my days. No, \$25,000 is a pretty good little bunch of dough, and Uncle Russell was all right. You can put it down for straight that there won't be any contests if I have to start them."

The niece in Troy of Russell Sage, Mrs. Sarah M. Gardner, lives in a pleasant little cottage at 40 Glen avenue. She is the widow of Charles H. Gardner, who was a machinist by trade. She is nearly sixty years old, has two children and owns the house in which she lives.

"I don't know what the others will do," she said, "but I will enter no objections to Uncle Russell's will. I will not say that his relatives did not expect to get more, but I would not start a contest even though he had not left me anything."

Mrs. Gardner has a son, Russell S. Gardner, a clerk in a drug store. The latter said that the impression seems to prevail in New York that all the members of the Sage family in Troy are paupers.

"While this here little family has no great wealth," he said, "it might be well to mention the fact that we are not dependent upon anybody just yet."

Among the intimate friends of Russell Sage in Troy was F. J. Parmenter, a very old and highly respected citizen. Mr. Parmenter recalled the days when they shared each other's company much of the time.

"In 1852 I think it was," he said, "Russell received his nomination for

congress. He had had no practice in oratory, yet it was not long before he made two of the best speeches upon finance that were made there during the session. The wags, during his canvass for congress, were accustomed to say: 'Come on, boys. Let us go down and get a cup of sage tea.' He once informed me that he learned to read by the light of pine knots. Mr. Sage did not forget his Troy friends. He came here to attend the funeral of the late Father Havermans, and he was also here at the dedication of the Russell Sage hall. On that occasion Senator Depeu, then in his prime, delivered an oration. Mr. Sage followed him in an oration of less length, but which was generally regarded as the better of the two."

By the will of Russell Sage the Chapin family of Oneida, N. Y., has been made considerably richer, each of the heirs receiving \$25,000, an aggregate of \$250,000. Samuel Chapin, Jr., the eldest, is proprietor of an extensive jewelry store in Oneida. Dwight is a retired merchant, Frank W. and Fremont conduct a successful business in the paint and wall paper line, and Homer and Taylor are managers of the jewelry house. The others are Miss Helen Chapin, Mrs. Angeline Lyle and Mrs. Jennie Munroe. With the exception of Earl, all reside in Oneida. The family is satisfied with the will and has never entertained any thought of a contest and will not approve of a contest should one be made by any of the heirs. The nieces in the Chapin family have often been entertained by Mrs. Sage. Last winter Miss Helen Chapin and Mrs. Jennie Munroe were for several months in California as the guests of Mrs. Sage.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chapin were among the early settlers of Oneida and reared a large family that is honored and respected in business circles and society. All are well to do, self reliant and progressive.

All the relatives of Russell Sage living in Joliet, Ill., and they are numerous—show no disposition to find fault with "Uncle Russell's" will. Elizer W. Sage, a brother of Russell, left a family of two sons and six daughters, most of whom have moved from Joliet. Olin Augustus Sage, born in 1873, took charge of his mother's farm when he was fifteen, and he has managed it successfully ever since. He received his education in the public schools, and in September, 1892, married Miss Whitmore of the same neighborhood, and they have six children. Mrs. W. B. Davis, his sister, lives on her husband's farm, about two and a half miles from him. She is the eldest sister of Olin and is the mother of four children. Elizer W. Sage, Jr., a brother, who is about fifty-two years of age, left Channahon six years ago and settled in Rensselaer, Ind. The family in Joliet has not kept close track of him. It is thought that he is now either out west or in some other part of the Hoosier State. Mrs. Alta Sage Martens is a daughter of Elizer Sage, Jr., and lives in Channahon on a farm with her husband. The Sages have never presumed on their relations to the celebrated financier. They are respected and well liked.

Mrs. Helen S. Holbrook and Mrs. Fanny E. Crisler, nieces of Russell Sage, say they are satisfied with the provision he has made for them in his will, although they have no knowledge of it except what they have read in the newspapers. They are daughters of Elisha Sage, and live in Park Ridge, some twenty miles northwest of Chicago. Stanley Holbrook, husband of Mrs. Holbrook, is a clerk, and Mr. Crisler is an accountant. Both women have families and have had a hard struggle to get along in life.

PREDICTION OF GREAT WAR.
Everybody Will Be Against America, Says General Miles.

General Nelson A. Miles recently said at Philadelphia that he expected war to come shortly after the opening of the Panama canal.

"When it does come," he said, "it will be the United States against the world. Commercial rivalry will be at the bottom of the struggle, which will be the most terrible the world has ever seen."

"In such an event the army and navy would not avail the country much," he continued. "The United States has about 3 per cent of the commerce of the world and other nations have the rest. Struggle would have to be made single handed against them all. It will have its inception in commerce, and the United States and other nations will be like a lot of dogs fighting over a bone. The United States, as I say, has 3 per cent only of all commerce. It will seem to others therefore that they have a 97 per cent right to the canal against this country's 3 per cent. Struggle is inevitable."

That the struggle he foresees is not likely to come for some time is General Miles' opinion, but sooner or later, he says, class commercial interest in South America and about the isthmus is certain. Then will begin the great war.

A Lofly Death.
Asama is a volcano in Japan. A young man of that country grew despondent the other day and threw himself into the crater, leaving this letter: "Suffering a feeling of despair impels me to throw myself into the crater of vengeful Asama, thus winning a splendid death and ascending the mountain's smoke to a lofty life above the sky."

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SHELL FISH COMMISSIONERS OF MARYLAND.

Annapolis, Md., July 18th, 1906.

The attention of Residents of the State of Maryland is respectfully called to Sec. 108 of Chapter 711 of the Acts of 1906, as follows:

"Section 108. Any person who has, prior to the passage of this Act, lawfully appropriated or taken up any land in this State for the purpose of planting, bedding or cultivating oysters thereon, may become a lessee of said land for the term of twenty years from the passage of this Act, with all the incidents, including the payment of the rent of the lease contemplated by this Act, provided such person gives written notice to the Board of Shell Fish Commissioners of his intention to become such lessee within six months after the passage hereof. The holdings of any person who may have appropriated any such land shall become void and of no effect in law upon the expiration of the said period of six months from the passage hereof, if no such notice of intention will have been given within said period of six months."

All parties who have heretofore lawfully appropriated or taken up land in said State for oyster planting, bedding or cultivating purposes, are therefore, NOTIFIED HEREBY, that unless the respective holders of said land shall, prior to the 2nd day of October, 1906, give written notice to the undersigned of an intention to become lessee of the respective oyster land now lawfully held by them, their holdings will become null and void.

WALTER J. MITCHELL,
CASWELL GRAVE,
BENJAMIN K. GARDEN,
The Board of Shell Fish Commissioners of Maryland.

COUNTY.

Sharptown.

James O. Adams was in Dover on Tuesday. Capt. Ernest W. Bailey is in Baltimore this week. Capt. J. J. Phillips is having a new front porch put up. The melon crop is now being shipped to the Baltimore markets. Capt. Oscar T. Smith now has charge of the steamer Carrie. Ira W. Wright has two children ill with the typhoid fever. The melon crop is now being shipped to the Baltimore markets. Capt. Oscar T. Smith now has charge of the steamer Carrie. Ira W. Wright has two children ill with the typhoid fever. The melon crop is now being shipped to the Baltimore markets. Capt. Oscar T. Smith now has charge of the steamer Carrie. Ira W. Wright has two children ill with the typhoid fever.

Riverton.

Grapes are all rotting on the vines. J. E. Taylor visited Columbia this week. Dr. Zimmerman, of Philadelphia, was also here. Miss Nelda Kennerly has returned from Baltimore. Cantaloupe patches have been ruined by wet weather. Mr. Frank Hearn is on the sick list, also Mrs. Viola Taylor. Owing to severe rain, the R. & D.'s Telephone Company meeting was postponed. Mrs. Charlie R. Howard, of Hebron, was in town this week. Mrs. L. S. Bennett and son, James, spent a day in Salisbury this week. Mr. E. L. Littleton, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of O. N. Bennett. Capt. E. W. Bailey and Miss Ruth Gravenor, of Sharptown, were in our midst this week. Miss Eva English, Messrs. James M. Bennett and A. L. Bailey, are on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McAbee and two daughters, of Baltimore, visited Mrs. G. T. Kennerly. The Misses Eudora and Amy Hazen, of New Brighton, Pa., are visiting their aunt, Mr. J. E. Taylor. The Riverton Methodist Protestant Aid Society will meet at the house of J. E. Taylor, Thursday evening. Mr. E. L. Phelps, a business man of Baltimore, visited his sister, Mrs. W. L. Wright, of this place, this week. Miss Lillie Taylor and son, Carroll, of Baltimore, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kennerly. W. F. Bradley and wife, Mrs. A. J. Kennerly, Mrs. E. M. Simmons and daughter, Julia, spent a day at Brookview. Quite a number of gasoline boats carried passengers to Bivalve camp last Sunday. Capt. G. H. Higgins and wife and J. M. Bennett were the only ones from this place that went.

Whyan.

Mr. J. H. Goslee is very ill at this writing. Mr. Lee Bounds of this vicinity, has lost his youngest son by death. Miss Ethel Bounds, of this place, has returned home, after spending a few weeks with friends in Baltimore. Siloam camp-meeting will begin August 10th and will continue 10 days. H. W. Bounds will conduct the boarding tent, and there will be plenty of something good to eat.

Personal.

Mrs. Grace Chase is visiting in Philadelphia. Mrs. Charles E. Harper is visiting friends in Hurlock. Mr. George Martin is spending two days in Wilmington. Miss Margaret Todd is visiting Miss Hilda Howard at Hebron. Miss Ethel Harvey is visiting Miss Pluma Dize, of Crisfield. Mrs. A. M. Jackson left Wednesday night for Rehoboth Del. Miss Roxy Pusey visited her home at West Postoffice over Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. Penny are visiting Mr. George Weisbach and family. Miss Alice Simons is visiting her uncle, Mr. James Trazzaro, of Denton. Miss Etta Humphreys left Monday for a month's visit near Walters Park. Mr. Charles Bennett will spend the coming week in Riverton and Baltimore. Mrs. Laura Wimbrow, of Whaleyville, is visiting relatives in Salisbury. Mrs. Raymond Love is visiting at the home of Mr. James Love, of Easton. Miss Emma Day returned Tuesday from a visit with friends in Delaware. Miss Vera H. Weisbach is visiting her grand parents in New York State. Mrs. Ida C. Williams is visiting her sister Mrs. Matthew Purnell, of Spence. Miss Margaret Simons is spending a few days with relatives at Deal Island. Dr. Charles Truitt and family leave today for a two weeks stay at Ocean City. Mr. Lawrence Brittingham, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his mother. Miss Martha Toadwine is spending ten days with Hilda Howard, in Rock-awalkin. Miss Anna Taylor, of Baltimore, is the guest of Misses Nellie and Maude Bounds. Mr. James Cannon, of Blackstone, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dennis. Miss Lela Burton, of Philadelphia, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Sharpley this week. Mr. Arley Carey leaves Monday for a ten day's trip to New York and Atlantic City. Miss Annie Purnell is visiting her father, Mr. S. L. Purnell, of Snow Hill, for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Edson Covington, of Baltimore, are visiting relatives and friends in town. Mr. Charles L. Cooke, of Philadelphia visited his sister, Mrs. A. M. Jackson, last Wednesday. Mrs. J. R. T. Laws, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Laws, of Wango, this week. Mr. J. W. Corkran is spending his vacation with relatives and friends in Dorchester county. Mr. George Dexter, of Trappe, Talbot county, visited Mr. William E. Sheppard this week. Miss Edith Thoroughgood, of Philadelphia, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Lacy Thoroughgood. Mr. John M. Murrell and family, of Philadelphia, spent part of this week in Allen and Salisbury. Mr. and Mrs. Luther J. Kennerly, of Delmar, are visiting his mother, Mrs. George W. Kennerly. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ulman are spending two weeks at Harvey's Lake, near Wilkesbarre, Pa. Misses Alice, Ruth and Louise Gurbey are visiting Misses Edna and Julia Jones, of Newark, Md. Mr. G. L. Vincent, of Emporia, Va., spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Lankford. Mr. Herman Sterling left last night to spend the remainder of the summer at his home in Crisfield. Mr. Randolph Brewington and Miss Edith Brewington are home from Brooklyn on their vacation. Mr. George H. Weisbach was in New York this week on business for the Jackson & Weisbach Company. Miss Annie Cohn, of Norfolk, Va., left for home Wednesday after a pleasant visit to Miss Rebecca Smyth. Mr. Harvey Whiteley spent several days of this week at Shiloh Camp and with friends in Dorchester county. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Downing and children, are spending ten days with relatives and friends in Parsonburg. Misses Maude and Jessica Drummond left Wednesday for a three weeks sojourn in Baltimore and Washington. Mrs. Annie Conway, who has been visiting Mrs. W. C. Gullett, returned to her home in Washington Wednesday. Miss Vance Tilghman, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Salisbury, returned to her home in Wilson, N. C. Mrs. E. L. Wilcox and two daughters, Misses Mary A. and A. Dortha, Wilcox are spending two weeks at Orange Grove, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, of Washington, D. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Disharoon, Main street.

Quantico.

Miss Burton, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Ruth Acworth. We are also glad to report Mrs. V. F. Collier better at this writing. Mrs. Fannie Bounds and daughter Margaret, are spending this week at Hebron camp. Mrs. Annie Brady is entertaining her cousin, Miss Bryan, of Annapolis, for a few weeks. It is much feared that the heavy rains, will damage the crops to a great extent in this section. Mrs. Margaret L. Humphreys, we are glad to report, is much improved since our last writing. Miss Susie Insley, of Blavie, Md., is spending the week with Miss Dora Jones, of this town. Mr. William T. F. Fletcher, who has been spending sometime at Saranac Lake, returned home Saturday last, much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smoot and mother, Mrs. B. B. Smoot, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Disharoon several days last week. Little Eugene, the 7 months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Miles, of Marion Station, died at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Walker, Monday morning. His remains were taken to Marion to be interred.

Fruitland.

Died on the 29th of July, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Prior, age eighteen months, buried on the 30th in the Methodist Episcopal Cemetery at this place. Services on Sunday next as follows: Sabbath School at 10.00 a. m.; preaching at 11.00 a. m. after which there will be no service in the Church until after the close of the camp-meeting at Siloam, which commences on the 10th of August and will continue for ten days. There is not much going on at his time in the way of improvements in our village. The owner of a historic building has repaired the porches of the same and applied some paint in different places and also changed the entrance to the reception room, making it in front of the building, whereas it was formerly through the kitchen. Providence permitting, there will be a picnic held on Wednesday by the Epworth League in the grove owned by Mr. W. S. Moore and brother, near what is known as the old School House property. The proceeds will be applied to the benefit of the church. There will be sufficient lights prepared and the public is cordially invited.

Mt. Pleasant.

We are sorry to report Miss Laura E. Jones on the sick list. Miss Nora Shockley, of Wesley, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hiram Lewis, this week. Mr. William Kayne and family were the guests of Mrs. Sarah Jones, last Sunday. Miss Sadie Lewis spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. William Burbage, of Burbage's Grove. Misses Nora Shockley and Annie Lewis spent Sunday with Mr. William Hammond, of Burbage's Grove. Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins were the guest of Mr. Wilson T. Moore, of Willards, last Saturday and Sunday. Messrs. Jacob Lewis, Ernest Williams, Ray Lewis and Homer Lewis spent last Sunday and Monday on the beach near Ocean City. Mr. Jacob Lewis, of Ophelia, Va., is taking his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Lewis, of this place. Master Homer Lewis met with a painful accident last week. A horse kicked him and fractured the thigh bone. He is now improving.

Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fooks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, near Salisbury. Mr. Robert F. Morris had the misfortune to lose his horse by death one night last week. The animal was valued at \$150. Mr. Purnell Fooks and son and daughter, Burley and Lottie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion D. Collins.

White Haven.

Mr. Uriah Casey is spending the week with relatives at Hebron. Mr. W. W. Larnore was in Baltimore several days this week. Miss Etha Jones, of Mt. Vernon, is visiting Miss Hattie Dashiell. Miss R. Gladys Wingate and sister, Marguerite, are spending the week at Ocean City. Capt. John Dorman and Mr. Elmer Langral, of Taskin, were in our town this week. Miss Susie Welster, of Mt. Vernon, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. S. E. White. Mrs. J. H. Dashiell, who has been spending a few days in Salisbury, returned home this week. Capt. Joe Thomas, of the schooner Judy, was in our town this week. We suppose some one was delighted. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Travers, of Cambridge, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Willie Leatherbury. Mr. W. W. Culver, Jr., Mr. Willie Larnore Jr., and A. L. Wingate spent Thursday at Ocean City. Mrs. L. A. Smith, Mrs. Olevia Adkins and Miss Belle Smith, all of Salisbury, were guests Sunday of Mrs. A. L. Wingate. Mrs. Sadie Waller Cooper, who has been taking a summer course of study at Knoxville, Tenn., returned home Sunday morning. Our baseball boys were very much disappointed Wednesday, as all arrangements had been made to go to Hebron, but due to the downpour of rain, were compelled to abandon the trip till Saturday. Messrs. Benjamin J. D. Phillips, of Hebron, and John F. Phillips, of White Haven, were summoned Wednesday to the bedside of their brother, Woodland C. Phillips, County Superintendent of Schools of Howard county, who is very ill at his home at Savage with the typhoid fever. The last report was that Mr. Phillips was no better. A very interesting game of ball was played here Saturday of last week, the score being 4 to 1 in favor of White Haven. At no time did the Bivalve boys solve Austin's riddles. Wilson landed a home run for White Haven. Calloway of the Bivalve team was easy for the boys, and they pounded him hard, but the fielding was so well on the part of the Bivalvians that the runs were kept down. In tight places Austin twisted splendidly, and fast fielding and fine pitching did the trick.

August Furniture Sale

We do not handle furniture that is especially made to sell cheap. All through this list note the prices. They are plain enough and have been made honestly, and as for the character of every piece with the newness of the factory rubbed until it glitters with a high luster, it sparkles fresh from the polishers.

Table with columns for Bed Room Suits, 3 Pieces, SIDE BOARDS, and Bed Room Suits, 3 pieces. Includes prices and descriptions for various furniture items.

ROUSING CARPET BARGAINS

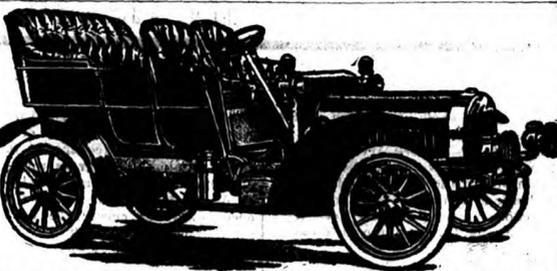
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REPUBLICAN CONFERENCE.

Jackson's Nomination For Congress Demanded By Leaders At Important Meeting In Easton Wednesday.

At a conference held at Easton on Wednesday of the Republican leaders of the First Congressional District of Maryland. Ocean City was designated as the place for holding the Congressional Convention and the time fixed for Wednesday, the 29th of August at noon. The meeting was one of the largest and most enthusiastic gatherings of the leaders of the Republican party and members of the State Central Committee of the nine counties on the Eastern Shore which comprise the First Congressional District of Maryland, that has been held in recent years, and was held in the parlors of the Hotel Avon.

The meeting was called to order at noon by Hon. Phillips Lee Goldsborough, of Dorchester county, who, after making a brief address arraigning the Democratic party of the district for the way in which it conducted the elections under the Wilson law named Hon. A. Lincoln Dryden, of Somerset county, chairman of the meeting, and Mr. Elmer H. Walton, of Wicomico, was elected secretary. Mr. Dryden, upon taking the chair, thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him, and set forth the inconsistency of the Democratic party and the methods to which it would stoop to carry an election. He said that it was a well-known fact that William H. Jackson was elected to represent the First district in Congress two years ago, but by the use of the Wilson ballot law at the election, enough votes were thrown out which were cast for him to enable the Democrats to have his opponent, Mr. Smith, of Caroline county, returned elected, but this year they intended to renominate Mr. Jackson, and expected to elect him by such an overwhelming majority that the will of the people would be carried out, regardless of trick ballots. Mr. Dryden also declared in ringing terms that Somerset was demanding Mr. Jackson's acceptance of the nomination, and that he and his co-workers would do everything possible to see that the county rolled up a handsome majority for him this fall.

There was a general demand from every county that Mr. Jackson accept the nomination. He made a short address thanking the representatives from the various counties for their tender of support, but would not commit himself as to whether or not he would accept the nomination, but it was the general opinion of all present that when the congressional convention meets at Ocean City to nominate a candidate for Congress from the First district, on Wednesday, August 29, he will be unanimously nominated and will accept, as he is well aware that it is the wish of the majority of the Republicans throughout the entire district that he be their standard bearer again this year.

Addresses were made by Senator McCullough, of Cecil; Senator Andrews, of Dorchester, and others. The members of the convention and others were entertained at the Hotel Avon at dinner by Mr. Jackson.

Those present from the different counties were: Cecil—State Senator Henry B. McCullough, George B. Keefe. Kent—Wilbur Eliason, Capt. Daniel Hill, M. Wilbur Thomas. Queen Anne—William C. Orrell, Bruce Sparks, Jonathan Chance. Caroline—Charles W. Hobbs, Thomas R. Green, John A. Sigler. Talbot—R. Russell Walker, Edward T. Roe, Edward A. Powell, J. P. Reese, James H. White and Dr. C. M. Steele. Dorchester—Senator H. B. Andrews, P. L. Goldsborough, W. N. Andrews and James C. Leonard. Wicomico—Hon. W. H. Jackson, John H. Tomlinson, Elmer H. Walton, Marion A. Humphreys and Capt. E. S. S. Turner. Somerset—A. Lincoln Dryden, W. F. Lankford, G. H. Ford, H. B. Phoebus, W. R. Reese, John B. Robbins, J. C. Tawes, A. R. Crockett, W. J. Stirling, L. C. Nelson and I. J. Stirling. Worcester—E. S. Furbush, A. P. Barnes, George E. Scott, Robert S. Adkins, Charles C. Mumford, J. M. Ryan, Harry P. Dale, and Capt. W. L. Truitt.

Death Of William P. Rider.

Mr. William P. Rider died Thursday evening at the residence of his son-in-law, Joshua W. Miles in Princess Anne, in the eighty-fifth year of his age. Mr. Rider was born in October, 1821, near Quantico, Wicomico county. In early life he attended school in Salisbury and later went to Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa. He was proprietor of the old Washington Hotel at Princess Anne for 24 years, and also conducted the Surf House at Rehoboth Beach, Del., during the summers of 1875 and 1876. He was a School Commissioner for Somerset county for a number of years before Wicomico county was separated from Somerset, and later was Justice of the Peace of Somerset county. Mr. Rider was twice married. His last wife, who was a sister of Hon. James E. Ellegood, died in 1899. He is survived by one daughter by this marriage, Mrs. Joshua W. Miles, of Princess Anne, and also by the following children by a former marriage: Mrs. Charles H. Rider, of Princess Anne; Mrs. Lavin Gale, of Quantico, Md.; Mrs. Fletcher Fontaine and Mrs. William Pitt Dougherty, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Willie Stanford, of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Rider was an elder of Manokin Presbyterian Church, Princess Anne, at the time of his death.

PAVING CONTRACTS AWARDED.

City Officials To Have Most Important Thoroughfares Of The City Paved At Once.

The City Council at a special meeting Tuesday night gave out a contract for the paving of Main, Dock and Division streets to Church street with first class paving brick. There were two firms bidding, and the contract was given to F. B. Sweeten & Son, Camden, N. J. His bid was on a basis of \$2.21 per square yard for the work complete. The other bidder was W. H. Young, Norfolk, Va., and his bid was for \$2.33 per square yard. Mr. C. C. Fields, of Baltimore, was also present, but he did not enter a bid. Acting on the advice of Civil Engineer T. C. Hatton, of Wilmington, the Council, after witnessing a severe test Tuesday morning decided to use the block made by the Mack Manufacturing Company, of Philadelphia.

The contract is for 48,000 square yards of paving, draining and curbing, which includes putting in the underdraining, manholes, sewer connections, and everything complete. This first piece of work will cost about \$25,000, half of which will be paid by the owners of property abutting on the streets improved. The work of the contractors is guaranteed for five years.

Mr. Sweeten said he would be ready to begin work by the first of September and that he would put a force of men on the job sufficiently large to enable him to get it completed in 60 working days. Engineer Hatton will superintend the paving, and see that the contract with the city is faithfully carried out.

Hustle Cap More Profitable Than Fishing.

A half a dozen of the lawyers, bankers and merchants of Salisbury took a trip down the winding Wicomico Thursday. The outing was ostensibly for the purpose of draining the waters of this beautiful river of the finny tribe—pity the fish! The gentlemen, however, returned home minus fish and bait. No explanation was given.

It seems that the members of the party finally became disgusted because the fish were not hungry, and while at White Haven, these church-going and dignified representative citizens of the town decided it might be profitable to engage in a game of hustle cap. This was accordingly done, it is stated on reliable authority from White Haven, and before the party left for Salisbury, one lawyer had bankruited another of the same profession, the total amount changing hands being four cents.

Saved From Drowning By Wicomico Man.

By the prompt and heroic action of Mr. A. L. Wingate, of White Haven, this county, Miss Catherine Kay, 18 years of age, of No. 1205 Conrad Street, Wilmington, Delaware, was saved from drowning at Ocean City a few days ago. Miss Kay with a number of friends had gone to the resort for the day and in the afternoon the entire party went in bathing. Miss Kay who was with her sister, waded out in the water, and almost as soon as she had done so, fell over and was caught in the heavy undertow, and was being carried out in the ocean. Her sister was unable to assist her but at once gave the alarm and succeeded in saving herself.

Several had, however, witnessed the accident. Mr. Wingate, who is spending his vacation at Ocean City, being among the number, and at once rushed to the rescue. Diving under the water he caught her bathing suit and pulled her to the surface, and then, picking her up in his arms, carried her ashore. He was none too soon, for she was unconscious and in a few seconds would have been carried out in the ocean.

It was generally believed at first that she was dead, as she showed no signs of life whatever. Mr. Wilmer J. Pennell, a brother-in-law, and Dr. Baggett, of Ocean City, worked upon the apparently lifeless form for hours at first without effect, but finally she showed signs of life and was removed to the residence of the proprietor of one of the bathing houses. She did not return to consciousness, however, until the following evening and the next day was carried back to Wilmington.

The case created a great deal of excitement, and attracted a great deal of notice, as it was the first serious affair of the kind which has occurred at the beach this summer. Mr. Wingate was the recipient of numerous congratulations upon the prompt service which he rendered and it was undoubtedly due to his heroic efforts that Miss Kay was saved from death.

Special Scholarship Sale.

In response to the many inquiries concerning same, the Eastern Shore College will again offer special rates on Scholarships during the month of August.

Scholarships entitling the holder to 48 weeks tuition in Business, Shorthand or English may be purchased for \$65.00 cash down, a reduction of \$31.00 from the regular tuition. Scholarships entitling the holder to 40 weeks tuition in Commercial English, Civil Service, or College Preparatory may be purchased for \$60.00 cash down, a reduction of \$20.00 from the regular rate.

A scholarship in the Department of Telegraphy, entitling the holder to 32 weeks instruction may be purchased for \$50.00, a reduction of \$14.00 from usual rate. These rates will be given only during the month of August. Office open every week day.

SHOOTING ON WILLIAM ST.

Robert Revell Fires Revolver At One Son And Threatens Life Of Another.

There was much excitement on East William street extended the first part of this week, and family civil wars and rumors of wars was the cause of it all. Robert Revell and his son, Robert Revell, Jr., had an altercation and the young man left home. Tuesday morning he went to the home of his father to get his clothes and when he found the door locked and no one at home, it is said, he battered down one of the doors with an axe. A small boy nearby saw the Revell boy breaking into the house and he ran to Jackson's No. 2 mill and informed the father. The elder Revell hurried home and came upon the boy in the house, who, it is stated, had a pistol in his hand. Revell, Sr., grappled with Revell, Jr., and got possession of the weapon. Then the son ran, but not until the father had fired one or two shots at him, neither of which took effect.

Mrs. Revell came home from Baltimore on the steamer Virginia Wednesday and brought a suspicious looking package with her. That afternoon, it is claimed, all the family was drunk, with the exception, of course, of "Young Bob", who had left. While in this condition, it is asserted, the elder Revell and another son, Homer, had a few words and the father drew the pistol on him. No shots, however, were fired at this time.

The police are on the lookout for the two Roberts, and should they both be caught, it is intended to make an example of them for the enlightenment of similar characters in the town.

Robert Revell, Jr., is the young man that figured conspicuously in the capture last May of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway safe crackers and at that time probably saved Deputy Sheriff J. Frank Waller's life by slipping up behind one of the burglars and hitting him with a club as he was about to pull a revolver on Mr. Waller.

Warfield In Great Peril.

Governor Warfield and a party of Marylanders are in Ohio attending the annual reunion of the Maryland Association of Ohio, a Springfield. In company with Governor Harris, of Ohio, and Gen. J. Warren Keifer on their way to a park in an automobile, the Governor had a narrow escape from an accident that might have proven terrible in its consequences.

The front wheels of the auto were within three feet of the tracks at a railroad crossing when a fast express train of the Big Four dashed by.

Governor Warfield jumped out on the right side and landed in a barbed fence, but fortunately without damage to his trousers. Governor Harris scampered out of the left side, and General Keifer and Mr. Kern tumbled out of the rear, and did not stop running until the train had passed.

Governor Warfield's proverbial "good luck" was certainly with him. He probably never in his life before had such a close call.

Everywhere the Governor has appeared he has been greeted with rounds of applause. His boom for the Vice-Presidency has been started, and frequently he has been addressed as "Mr. Vice President."

Mrs. Milton Pope Dead.

After more than a month's illness, Mrs. Ella L. Pope, aged 39 years, wife of Mr. Milton H. Pope, died Wednesday morning about 4 o'clock at her home on Poplar Hill avenue. She had been suffering some time with a complication of diseases of the lungs and kidneys. Mrs. Pope was the daughter of Mr. John W. James, of Princess Anne county, Va., and was married in Norfolk, Va., in December 1888. She is survived by her husband and the following children: Miss Maude Pope, Mr. Russell Pope, Miss Elizabeth Pope and an infant less than a month old.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the deceased by Rev. W. S. Phillips, pastor of the Salisbury Methodist Protestant Church. The pallbearers were: Messrs. William E. Sheppard, E. J. C. Parsons, Fred P. Adkins, G. Edward Mitchell, Winifred Windsor and Emory Disharoon. Interment was at Parsons Cemetery.

The Truckers And Saving Bank.

The papers of incorporation of the new Pittsville bank known as the Truckers' and Savings Bank will be filed as soon as Judge Charles F. Holland returns from a trip down the Chesapeake Bay on his yacht. The board of directors is composed of Messrs. R. S. Wimbrow, E. G. Davis, C. G. Bowden, G. Ernest Hearn, L. L. Dirickson, Jr., K. V. White, James W. Parker, N. J. Wimbrow, Samuel Shockley and George A. Shockley.

The board will probably assemble some time the coming week to elect the officers of the institution. It is understood that Mr. L. L. Dirickson, Jr., of Berlin, will be the president, Mr. N. J. Wimbrow, of Waleysville, the vice-president. The majority of the stockholders seem to want Mr. M. A. Davis, of Pittsville, as the cashier, and it is likely that he will be elected to the position. Mr. Davis is a man of excellent business principles and experience, and will no doubt make an efficient officer. He is familiar with banking methods, as he has for some time been connected with the Peoples National Bank, of Salisbury, and of The Bank of Delmar, Delmar, Del., in the capacity of director.

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THE LEE HANGING.

Sentiments of a Man From Somerset County—Governor Right.

Mr. Marcus Jocelyn, of Eden, Somerset county, Md., writes to the New York World as follows: "To the Editor of the World: "In a recent editorial you criticize the Governor of Maryland for not sending troops to protect the sheriff in the performance of his duty and save him the indignity of being compelled to dodge a mob."

To Settle On The Eastern Shore.

Mr. J. R. Arutz, of Rotterdam, Holland, called at the office of the State Bureau of Immigration yesterday morning and asked for information concerning farms on the Eastern Shore. He is the advance agent for four families living in the vicinity of Rotterdam, the members of which expect to come to this country and settle in Maryland next February.

Milking by Machinery.

Mr. Walter T. Morris, of near Chester-town, has installed a Fairbanks gasoline engine purchased of Mr. Wilbur F. Eliason, Jr., by which power he will milk his large herd of cattle. Mr. Morris supplies Chester-town with hundreds of gallons of milk and the time and labor required to milk the cows has been his greatest concern. By this new method the work can be accomplished within one-half the time.

ARMY UNIFORM CHANGES.

An English Tailor's Suggestions For "Smarter" Dress Adopted—Better Coats And Trousers.

Changes in the uniforms of enlisted men of the United States army have been ordered by the war department as the direct result of suggestions made by G. B. Winter, a military tailor of London, who came to the United States several weeks ago at the request of Quartermaster General Humphrey, says a Washington correspondent of the New York Herald.

General Humphrey appointed these officers of the quartermaster's department a board to consider the subject: Colonel George E. Pond, Majors J. B. Bellinger, J. B. Aleshire, John T. Knight and T. H. Shavins and Captain L. Hardman. Mr. Winter made patterns embodying his suggestions which were submitted to the board.

One of Mr. Winter's patterns for an overcoat has been adopted. It is modeled on the olive drab overcoat now used, but made much more full in the back by means of a pleat. The additional fullness is an advantage over the present overcoat in that when the wearer is mounted if the back of the coat catches on the saddle there is sufficient material in the skirt to prevent it from being pulled away from the knees.

The board recommended and the quartermaster general has approved improvements in the present olive drab service coat to the extent of putting two slits in the back skirt, two V's at the collar and two darts in front and adding pleated patch pockets. This garment will also have wider shoulders and a closer waist.

At present the breeches are so tight as to be uncomfortable in mounting. The khaki breeches for mounted wear will be practically the same as the olive drab service breeches. The olive drab and khaki foot trousers will be cut full on the thigh to below the knee, with a seam just below the knee, and tight from there down and laced the same as cavalry breeches. The hip pocket will be eliminated.

Mr. Winter informed the board that in workmanship and material the American uniforms could not be improved upon, but that they could be distinctly improved as to style. Although they have no wish to make him a military dude, it is the belief of the prominent officers that the American soldier feels a great deal more respect for himself and is much more comfortable if he knows that his clothes fit well and are handsome in appearance.

General Humphrey received scores of letters criticizing his action in getting an English tailor to make these suggestions, but he has also received letters from many persons congratulating him upon the step.

There has been no effort to do anything with the uniforms of officers, which were improved three years ago. The various government clothing factories are being provided with patterns for the improved garments, and in a few weeks all the new clothing will be manufactured after these patterns.

Students on Long Tramp.

Albert Kamboltz and Louis B. Cohn, students at New York university and Columbia respectively, passed through Rutland, Vt., recently on a 1,500 mile vacation tramp through New England, Canada and the Adirondacks, says the New York World. They carry a shelter tent, blankets and a soldier's cooking kit, about thirty pounds each. Although very brown from exposure, they showed no signs of fatigue. They left New York on July 3 and walked through the Connecticut valley, averaging eighteen miles a day. They will walk to Montreal and Quebec and home via the Adirondacks and the valley of the Hudson. Each night they pitch their tent, usually near a farm house, and buy provisions when needed. They expect to reach home in time for the opening of college.

Anticipating Him.

"Katharine," said Bob as he brought his club chums down to the depot platform, "these are all my friends." "Glad to meet you, gentlemen," replied the bride sweetly, "and I am so sorry that you are going to be sick." "Sick?" echoed the crowd in astonishment. "Why should you think we are going to be sick?" "Oh, because soon after the honeymoon a married man always finds a great many sick friends to sit up with."—Columbus Dispatch.

GREAT SHOW AT A RANCH.

Buffalo Hunt And Sham Rush For Land Near Bliss, O. T.—Full Crown Animals As Prey.

Another buffalo killing has been scheduled for the 101 ranch, near Bliss, O. T., according to a dispatch to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. J. C. Miller, president of the famous range, announces that he has concluded to repeat the great show given in June of last year, with a lot of new features. The dates for this year's roundup are Sept. 15 and 16, the anniversary of the opening of the Cherokee strip. The run for that tract of 6,000,000 acres was made in 1893. Next to the killing of the buffaloes a sham repetition of that famous scramble for land will be the feature of the two days of wild west life.

Between 65,000 and 75,000 people were entertained last year at the ranch on June 11. This year the Millers are looking for a much bigger crowd. Arrangements have been made with the Santa Fe railway to run 100 extra chair cars to Bliss to carry the pilgrims.

"What are you going to call the show?" was asked of J. C. Miller. "Another Big Time at the 101 Ranch," was the answer. "Will you kill any buffalo?" "Yes, two. We have a herd of thirty-six on our ranch now. The ones killed will be big, full grown animals. One will be killed by the Indians and given them to eat, and the other will be killed by the white men and cut into the smallest possible pieces, so as to give every visitor a piece which he may carry away as a souvenir."

Mr. Miller would not tell the manner in which the animals will be killed. Last year he had a world of trouble over the slaughter of a pair of animals. Things got to such a stage that the state militia of Texas was ordered out and then President Roosevelt was asked to interfere. He instructed Oklahoma's governor to prevent the killing of the animals if it was to be done in a brutal manner. But the Indians got in their work with their arrows before the troops got on the ranch.

So this year Mr. Miller is decidedly wary about giving out the manner in which the old kings of the prairie are to meet their death. "Nothing will be said about that at all," he said. "The visitors who come will see it for themselves and will find out in that way. But the killing will take place—that is a certainty."

"How are you going to imitate the great run of 1893?" was asked. "That can be arranged very nicely," he answered. "We expect to have about 10,000 Indians under old Chief Geronimo at the ranch. All of the white settlers in our neighborhood for miles about will be called upon to help us, especially those who participated in the actual run. They know just how it was done."

"Buffalo Jones will be with us and repeat his famous ride with two horses. Men familiar with that time will remember that he went in on two horses, riding one a part of the time and then jumping on to the other while at full speed. He beat all the others. He will duplicate that ride. The run will be a great feature. So nearly as possible, it will be a duplicate of the great race. There are a great many persons in Oklahoma who participated in it, and they will help to make it as nearly real as possible."

"Who will be the big guests?" "We will send out a lot of invitations, but have not so far because we have just decided on having another buffalo killing. Last year we entertained 3,000 newspaper men. We want them all again this year, and more, and will give them everything they want in the way of comforts. They can come early and stay late. We will have some prominent men of the country in attendance. They like to see the fun as much as any one else."

Sept. 15 is Saturday. That day the Miller Bros.' 101 ranch about will reproduce the run to the Cherokee and at night the 10,000 Indians will give a war dance. Sunday morning John Eastman, a Sioux Indian Christian preacher, will deliver a sermon. In the afternoon the killing of the two buffaloes will take place and at night the great buffalo barbecue will wind up the festivities. This is just the rough sketch of the programme. Mr. Miller says that he will fill it out with a half dozen other attractions.

Unslaked Lime. Unslaked lime is useful in preventing rust because of its extraordinary capacity for absorbing moisture. Some careful workmen who take pains that their tools shall always be in the best condition make a practice of keeping a piece of lime in their tool boxes to absorb any moisture which might otherwise cause rust.

A Safety Match. "Papa, what is a safety match?" Mr. Henpecked (looking carefully about to see if his wife is within hearing distance) "A safety match, son, is when a baldheaded man marries an armless woman."

A Candid Declaration. "What I want," said the man of politics, "is reform." "What kind of reform?" "Well, I suppose it's the kind that a lot of people are after—the kind that'll put the other fellows out and my crowd in."—Baltimore Sun.

HUGE POSTAL CARD.

Head Of Armour Postal Department Receives a Record Souvenir—Measures 2 By 3 Feet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth, who recently arrived at New York on the Teutonic, received the largest postal card ever sent through the mails, says the New York Globe. "Uncle," Forsyth is the head of the Armour postal department, and he and his wife went abroad three months ago on his first vacation in twenty years. The postal measured 2 by 3 feet, was of heavy cardboard and was sent by Mr. Forsyth's fellow employees, who paid \$1.04 to put it in the mail. On one side was a small picture of a boat, with "Aunt" and "Uncle" standing in the bow. Below was the address. On the other side was printed "Welcome home," the entire side being covered by signatures and good wishes. Mr. Forsyth will have it framed.

The Boring of Glass. Strong glass plates are bored through by means of rotating brass tubes of the necessary diameter, which are filled with water during boring. To the water there is added finely pulverized emery. It is said that thinner glass can be perforated with holes in an easier manner by pressing a disk of wet clay upon the glass and making a hole through the clay of the width desired, so that at that spot the glass is laid bare. Then molten lead is poured into the hole, and lead and glass drop down at once. This method is based upon the quick local heating of the glass, whereby it obtains a circular crack, the outline of which corresponds to the outline of the hole made in the clay. The cutting of glass tubes, cylinders, etc., in factories is based upon the same principle.

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Train Schedule in effect May 27, 1906.

Table with columns for South-Bound Trains and North-Bound Trains, listing departure and arrival times for various stations including New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore.

In addition to the above trains the Cape Charles Accommodation leaves Delmar daily except Sunday at 7:30 a. m., Salisbury 7:39 a. m., arriving Cape Charles 10:30 a. m.

Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company

Schedule effective June 11, 1906.

Table with columns for West Bound and East Bound trains, listing departure and arrival times for stations like Ocean City, Berlin, and Salisbury.

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Order Nisi. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico Co. In Equity No. 1594 Chv. July Term to wit: July 31, 1906.

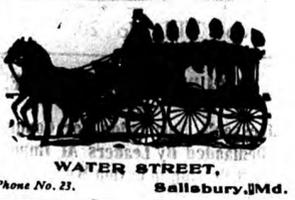
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STATE.

—Mr. George Huston, formerly of Salisbury, but now of Keller, Va., was in town last week, visiting friends and relatives.

The Cecil County Commissioners have appropriated \$1,000 to the School Board to make a practical test of school consolidation in the Fifth district of Cecil.

The roller-skating rink in Easton has been rented for a number of years by the State Militia of Maryland, and the building will be used as an armory for Company F. First Regiment Infantry.

Miss Agnes B. Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Murray, of Druid Hill avenue, Baltimore was married Monday to Commander Thomas C. B. Howard, of the Maryland Oyster Navy.

The residence of Mr. William Bishop, who lives near Golden Hill, Dorchester county, was demolished and he and his entire family more or less injured by a diminutive cyclone on Sunday of last week.

The twentieth Annual Regatta of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club will be held at St. Michael's, at the mouth of the Miles river on August 18, 1906. All the events promise to be interesting, as there are some fast boats entered.

Clarence Justice, while driving a delivery wagon for the firm of W. B. Justice & Co., Saturday morning at Crisfield, met with a very serious accident. His horse became unmanageable, and while endeavoring to turn a corner the horse threw Mr. Justice, who fell on his head, and it was supposed at first his neck was broken.

Will Flood, an English sailor, with Capt James Ward, on board the schooner Hattie Stark, while attempting to furl the flying jib, was knocked overboard and drowned Saturday morning between Foxs Island and Tangier. The Captain endeavored to save the man, but before he could bring his schooner about the sailor had disappeared below the surface of the water.

A gasoline launch which conveys passengers between Annapolis and Mayro, South river, caught fire in the Severn river Sunday and before the blaze was extinguished the craft was considerably damaged. Five men were in the boat at the time, and one of them recklessly cast aside a lighted match. The gasoline in a tank near by ignited and the flames soon spread. All the men jumped into the water and the boat was taken ashore and the blaze extinguished.

The four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tull was drowned Saturday morning in the water cistern at the home of the child's parents in Crisfield. Mrs. Tull, who had not missed the child went to the cistern to get a pail of water, when she looked into the tank and there, standing in an upright position, was the dead body of her little daughter. Mrs. Tull, with the assistance of some neighbors, drew the child out of the cistern. It is supposed the child was leaning over the edge and fell into the water.

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\$27.75; Washington to Gulfport, Miss., and return, account General Convention Daughters of Confederacy Nov. 14-17; tickets sold Nov. 12th and 13th, final limit Nov. 28.

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\$23.25; Washington to Memphis, Tenn., and return, account National Baptist Convention (Colored), Sept. 12-19; tickets sold Sept. 9th to 12th, final limit Sept. 20th.*

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Republican Primaries NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the Republican voters of Wicomico county, to meet at their usual voting places in their respective districts, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1906

for the purpose of holding primaries to select three delegates from each district to attend a County Convention to be held in Salisbury, at the Court House, at 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, August 28, 1906, which said Convention will elect delegates, having four votes, to the District Convention of the first Congressional District of Maryland, to be held at Ocean City on Wednesday, August 29, 1906.

In case of contest, the polls should be held open from 2 to 5 o'clock and each side contesting will select one judge and together with the person hereinafter designated, will constitute the three judges who will certify by order of the State Central Committee, the result of said primaries.

The following persons are hereby designated to call the primaries to order in the respective districts of the county: No. 1, Barren Creek, Levin A. Wilson. No. 2, Quantico, James O. Wilson. No. 3, Traskin, Albert L. Wingate. No. 4, Pittsburg, James L. Truitt. No. 5, Parsons, John H. Tomlinson. No. 6, Dennis, Wilmer C. Collins. No. 7, Trappe, H. James Bounds. No. 8, Nutters, Josephus E. Hayman. No. 9, Salisbury, Elmer H. Walton. No. 10, Sharpstown, Wm. H. Knowles. No. 11, Delmar, Daniel H. Foakey. No. 12, Nanticoke, Thomas J. Walter. No. 13, Camden, Marlon A. Humphreys. No. 14, Willards, Lemuel B. Duncan. WILLIAM H. JACKSON, WILLIAM H. KNOWLES, JOHN H. TOMLINSON, JAMES O. WILSON.

Republican State Central Committee for Wicomico County.

A Call.

We, the undersigned, in response to the request of the National Republican Association, do hereby issue a call to the Editors of Republican papers throughout the First Congressional District, in Maryland, to assemble at Republican Headquarters in Baltimore on Monday, August 13, at 12 M., for the purpose of selecting a Delegate to the National Republican Editorial Association, and for such other matters as may properly call for consideration on the eve of the coming Congressional campaign.

(Signed)

ELMER H. WALTON, Editor Salisbury COURIER. FRANK E. WILLIAMS, Editor Cecil Whig.

The Salisbury Lynching and the Lee Case.

The triple lynching at Salisbury, North Carolina, during the last week was one of the most revolting occurrences of recent years. It is seldom an affair is attended with so many unfortunate circumstances as this, and the wholesale crimes have added another chapter to the long list of similar occurrences for which the South has long since become entirely too renowned. It is unfortunate for any state or community when it obtains the reputation of being a violator of law, and one lawless act can do more damage to the reputation of an individual or community that can be repaired by years of honest and straight forward living.

It is bad enough when a community obtains merely the reputation that it proposes to violate law and transgress the ordinary rules of society, without committing any overt act. Such was the

case recently in Somerset County, when the Governor of this State believing that citizens of that county, intended to take the law in their own hands, defy the authorities, and lynch the negro Lee. So confident was Governor Warfield in this belief, and so thoroughly convinced had he become that the lawless element of Somerset would be, in a majority, that he felt himself called upon to violate all precedents, and have the negro secretly hung on a lonely island, carrying out the letter of the law and violating its spirit. While we have always thought that Governor Warfield's belief was not well founded, and confidently believed that the better element of Somerset would have compelled obedience to law, and the hanging could have taken place in the ordinary way without interference, still the very fact that the reputation has gone abroad that Somerset could not be trusted to uphold the law, has wrought irreparable damage to that county.

But in the Salisbury case, the original outrage was followed by an offense equally as serious, and more damaging to the reputation of the community. No matter how heinous a crime has been committed, the culprit is entitled to a full and fair trial; to be represented by counsel, and to have the process of the state at his command for the summoning of witnesses in his defense, and he is entitled to the judgment of his peers as to his guilt or innocence. In this case, every safe guard thrown around human life and every constitutional guarantee vouchsafed to a human being was ruthlessly thrown aside, and men without even having had the semblance of a trial hurried into eternity in the hands of an irresponsible mob. The perpetration of one crime can never atone for the lawlessness of another. It is absolutely impossible to uphold law by defying it, and every individual, white or black, native or foreign-born, good, bad or indifferent is entitled to a full hearing before condemnation takes place. Especially is this true when we consider the fact that having once taken a human life, it is impossible to give back to the individual the life which has been forfeited, and no matter how clearly it may afterwards be shown that he was innocent, no atonement can ever be made.

In the case of property rights, men frequently damage each other severely under sudden provocation but there is always a possibility that the damage may be righted eventually. But when a human life is involved, and that life sacrificed to the prejudices, caprices and whims of a lawless mob, it is impossible ever to right the damage to the individual or calculate the injury sustained by the community in whose midst such an occurrence takes place.

It will be a long time before North Carolina can even partially remove the stigma that has been placed upon the state, and years before she can regain her former position.

The Wrecking of the Sirio.

One of the most terrible sea disasters of modern years took place during the past week when the Italian ship, Sirio, was wrecked in the Mediterranean Sea off the Spanish coast.

The wrecking of this vessel was attended with fearful loss of life, and was apparently one of the most useless sacrifices of human life that can be conceived. Had the occurrence taken place in the midst of a driving storm or a heavy fog, some little excuse might perhaps have been offered, but when it is remembered that it was perfectly clear, and there was a smooth sea, the disaster becomes all the more appalling. The captain of the vessel, according to the statement of a French master, de-

liberately risked a peculiarly difficult passage, and took desperate chances when he was fully aware of the treacherous nature of the coast.

The safety of the passengers in his keeping should have had his first consideration, and it is absolutely impossible to understand how a man, having in his charge the lives of nearly a thousand people could have been so absolutely careless regarding the responsibility resting upon him, and view human life with such utter disregard and almost contempt. It is singularly fortunate for the traveling public that occurrences of this character are exceptionally rare, and it is to be hoped no disaster of the kind will ever again be recorded.

How About the Safety Gates?

What has become of the safety gates at New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Rail Road Station? There have been a number of fatal accidents at this point, one of which occurred only last spring, and after each one, there has been the usual demand of the people of the city that safety gates be erected by the company. This is an exceptionally dangerous place and every possible precaution should be taken to protect the lives and property of people who are required to use the East Church street crossing.

It was generally understood that the Mayor and Council immediately after the last occurrence ordered the erection of gates, but for some reason, probably best known to the company itself, no effort has apparently been made to comply with the requirement. The old adage, "In times of peace, prepare for war," is peculiarly apt, and it is difficult to know why the company is not required to erect the gates promptly. It is entirely possible that an indefinite delay may result in a further needless sacrifice of human life, and a more insistent demand on the part of the people.

By all means, let us have the gates!

Mr. Smith and the Babies!

The Hon. Thomas A. Smith, according to reliable sources of information is running his campaign at full blast day and night. Camp meetings and picnics are at present the exceptional opportunities for his special line of work, and his present efforts are largely confined to the gentler sex. Mr. Smith's perpetual smile broadens into an almost beatific vision until some pug-nosed, red faced, hairless head of an ugly infant sweeps across his path, and with one fell swoop he plants his mouth upon the upturned face, gasps for breath, and the beatific vision becomes a memory of the past!

The Ex-Governor and the Governorship.

Ex-Governor Elihu E. Jackson, of this county, seems to be getting in fighting trim again, and the present prospects point to his nomination for Governor next year. With the Honorable William Pinkney Whyte returning to the United States Senate, and the Honorable Elihu E. Jackson returning to the governorship of this State, truly and verily the "Osler theory" is receiving its "solar plexus" blow.

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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—It is not too early to have your Christmas work done at the Smith Studio.

—Delmar defeated White Haven at base ball at Delmar yesterday by the score of 10 to 4.

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

—The Smith's Studio gives notice in another column that they will on October first remove to Washington, D. C.

—There are now 43 patients at the Peninsula General Hospital, and every bed and ward and private room is full.

—Mr. A. J. Benjamin will give his annual Clabornae outing to the members of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church Wednesday.

—Dr. Deaton B. Potter, of New York City, will move his family to Salisbury this month and engage in the practice of medicine here.

—The Eastern Shore College, of this city, ran an excursion to Ocean City yesterday. A large number of students and friends were in attendance.

—Rev. W. S. Phillips, pastor of the Salisbury Methodist Protestant Church, will preach Sunday night from the text, "John, the Beloved Disciple."

—See Dickerson & White and get their price on White Canvas Gibson Ties before buying. They are also having a special sale on other lines.

—See the game Monday at the South Salisbury grounds. It is expected that there will be an interesting contest between our team and the college boys.

—LOST:—At Parsonsburg Camp Thursday night, a gold chateleine watch with the initial "E" on the back. Finder will please return same to E. W. Parsons, Parsonsburg, Md.

—Rev. Dr. Thomas N. Potts has returned to Salisbury after a two weeks' absence and will preach at Trinity Church Sunday morning and at the South Salisbury Chapel in the evening.

—William Hastings, who resides about a mile from town on the road to Hebron, died Wednesday of typhoid fever. He has been sick several days. He is survived by a widow and children.

—Annette Vickers, the eight months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., died Saturday evening, after a lingering illness. This is the third baby lost by Mr. and Mrs. Gordy two boys and one girl.

—The list of standing committees of the Maryland State Bar Association was announced this week by James U. Dennis, the sec-retary. Mr. James E. Ellegood, of Salisbury, is a member of the committee on Legal Education.

—Mr. Harvey E. Scott, of Laurel, Del., and Miss Carrie E. Riffin, of this county, were married Tuesday afternoon in Salisbury at the parsonage of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church by the pastor, Rev. Thomas E. Martindale, D. D.

—The Sunday Schools of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and the South Salisbury Methodist Episcopal Church, South, gave their annual combined excursion to Ocean City Wednesday. There was a large attendance.

—Mr. S. E. Gordy expects to harvest 60 bushels of corn to the acre on a tract of 20 acres on his "Orchard Hill Farm." The corn is growing two stalks to the hill, 8 feet 10 inches each way, and much of it will measure 16 feet from the top of the ground.

—The canning season for tomatoes in Wicomico county opened this week and from now on till the end of the summer everything will be in full blast, unless possibly the effect of the recent wet weather should cut some figure in the quantity and quality of the crop.

—Ulman's Opera House will open their 1906-1907 season Friday, August 24th, with the big city attraction of "The Village Parson." The management has booked quite a number of important productions for the season, and the shows will probably average one a week.

—The Sunday School of the Salisbury Methodist Protestant Church will run their annual excursion to Ocean City next Wednesday. Ample accommodations for the comfort of the passengers and the care of the dinner baskets have been made, and all expect to have a good time.

—Judge Charles F. Holland is expected home today from a week's cruise on his yacht in the Chesapeake Bay and some of its tributaries. Among the party are Messrs. Samuel R. Douglass, Isaac Ulman, S. C. Dougherty, Carl Dougherty, Sydney Dougherty and Dr. E. Klall White.

—The Maryland Horticulturist Society met at Berlin this week. There was a large attendance and everybody lauded Maryland and Maryland soil. Mr. Orlando Harrison, mayor of Berlin, entertained the society during the two days meeting and received as a testimonial of esteem a \$50 silver piece.

—Dr. J. McVadden Dick performed two difficult operations this week at the Peninsula General Hospital. The first was on Tuesday, and the patient was Mrs. Mary Hickwood, of New Church, Va. The second case was that of Mr. P. B. Twiford, a prominent citizen of Onancock, Va. Mr. Twiford had a very bad case of peritonitis and appendicitis. In order to drain the wound properly, an incision had to be made both in the front and the back of the body of the patient. Both patients were reported yesterday as doing fairly well.

—The new dwelling house of Mr and Mrs. Ellison Van Hoose, on their farm—Melody Manor—on the Wicomico creek, about seven miles from Princess Anne, is now completed, and is one of the finest in the county. It contains nineteen rooms; lighted with gas, heated with steam, and has water in every room.

—Mr. William P. Jackson left Salisbury early Saturday morning in his French automobile for Lennox, Mass., where he will spend the month of August. Mr. Jackson was accompanied by his wife and four children. They will stay at the Aspinwall Hotel and will make many excursions through the Berkshire Hills in their handsome car.

—The large training stable of Mr. W. T. Presgrave at Tony Tank, has just been completed. The building will accommodate thirty horses, and is fitted up with quarters for stable help for that number of horses. An excess tank will be made in front of the stable and the building will be lighted by electricity, the Tony Tank mill furnishing the water power.

—The Truitt Bowling alleys are proving quite popular, and are being visited by a large number of people daily. Quite a rivalry exists among the young men of town who are trying to beat Mr. Sewell Fields record of 172, which is the highest record which has been made since the alleys have been opened. Miss Julia Waller holds the ladies record with a score of 103.

—Mr. E. E. Twilley was unanimously elected by the City Council at their regular meeting Monday night to fill the vacancy caused by the recent resignation of Mr. L. W. Dorman. Mr. Twilley will swear in at once and take his seat. His term is for two years from last May. Mr. Twilley is fully qualified to fill the office, and will make an energetic Councilman.

—Siloam Campmeeting begins today, August 11th, and continues to August 10th. A full supply of able ministers are engaged to preach during the meeting, including Revs. Adam Stengle, T. E. Martindale, W. W. Sharp, J. H. Gehegan, W. S. Phillips, G. L. Hardesty, J. W. Briscoe, T. N. Given, W. B. Elliott, J. W. Hardesty, W. H. Reville, W. W. Banks and others.

—The baseball team of White Haven, which has been wiping up about every thing in the lower part of Wicomico county and in a few other places, is looking for larger game. They wish to throw down the gauntlet to the Salisbury boys through the columns of THE COURIER. They promise to bring a large delegation from White Haven to witness the game and feel confident of at least making a fair showing in the game.

—Miss Margaret Woodcock entertained at a garden party Tuesday morning in honor of her guest, Miss Davis. The out of town guests included Misses Mabel Davis, of Wilmington, Helen Dirickson, of Berlin; Louise Wooten, of Laurel, Del.; Jean Pennel, of Leesburg, Va.; Rachael DeWolf, of Washington; Hazel Pearson, of Philadelphia; Winifred Adkins, Hilda Howard, Myra Waller and Alice Johnson, of Hebron; May Phelps, of Cambridge, and Susie Dukes, of Philadelphia.

—On September 8 and 9, a District Sunday School Convention will be held at Bivalve. The date for other conventions being arranged for have not yet been fixed. It is desired to permeate the whole county with district meetings. The Maryland State Sunday School Association was never so vigorous and progressive as it is today, and is determined to lend its aid so effectively as to place Wicomico beside the best organized counties in the State. It asks the co-operation of pastors, superintendents and other friends of the Sunday School.

Real Estate Sales.

Mr. R. Frank Williams, real estate dealer, reports the following sales during the past week: "The Aylmer J. Tilghman Farm" at Walston Siding sold for Mr. James W. Porter, to Lieut. Thomas Lavery, of Spokane, Washington, for \$1500.00. Mr. Lavery took immediate possession of the place.

Mrs. Ollie Malone's house and lot on Smith Street, Camden, to Mr. John Edward White, for \$1400.00.

The W. B. Tilghman lot on the North-East corner of Camden Avenue and Tilghman Street, to Mr. Harry S. Brewington, of Somerset County for \$1,000.00. Mr. Brewington expects to improve the property in the near future.

House and lot on Ann Street, belonging to Mrs. Willie R. Records, to Mr. A. W. Brown, of Sussex county, Delaware.

House and lot on Second street, belonging to Mr. Paul E. Watson, formerly occupied by him, for \$650.00.

Lime Stone Roads To Be Tried.

County Commissioner Lemuel B. Brittingham, who has been making investigations into the new stone roads of Worcester county, reported to the County Commissioners Tuesday at their meeting that he is convinced that limestone is the best material to be used for road building in this section of the county.

It is proposed to use this limestone on what is known as the Snow Hill road. It is expected that the matter will be decided by the Board at their meeting Tuesday. They will also then determine whether the county shall do the work, or whether it shall be done by contract. If the county does the work, it will have to be done under the supervision of the State road engineer in order to take advantage of the State appropriation.

Commissioner Brittingham was authorized by the Board to superintend the repair of a dam over Johnson creek in Dennis district. The Commissioners reported that they had visited the Alms House and had found buildings in a good and sanitary condition. Mr. Joseph Darby was re-appointed as keeper.

Notice!!!

There will be services (D. V.), in Spring Hill Parish on Sunday next, August 12th, as follows:
Quantico 10.30 a. m.
Spring Hill Church 8.00 p. m.
Mardela Springs 8.00 p. m.
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Her Masterpiece

By MATIE K. NAWN

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Coming through the hall Fred Dickson stopped to examine the long envelope lying on the hall rack. In one corner was printed "Barber's Publishing Company." He smiled in brotherly derision.

"Oh, Marge," he called. "I guess this is your manuscript. Back from Barber's," he added maliciously.

Marge went to the door of her room and called down irritably: "Well, you needn't publish it!"

"No; it would be better if they did,"

flung back her brother.

"It's funny," he mused, "but the things you don't want published are always getting into print, and the things you want to see in print end up in the 'masterpiece' trunk." This in reference to an old box in which his sister was wont to deposit her effusions after they had gone the rounds.

Marge came downstairs, digging her heels viciously into the carpet at each step.

"Where is it?" she asked.

With an obvious desire to be as annoying as possible her brother replied. "Where's what?"

Marge treated him to an eloquent silence. Suddenly she spied the envelope and pounced upon it. Then she flung into the sitting room and flopped angrily down on the rug before the fire.

For half an hour she sat there, reading and tossing aside the pages. The loud ticking of the clock on the mantelpiece sounded with increasing monotony through the long, conscientious perusal. Finally she sighed.

"It wasn't any good," she confided to herself. "It was too long and too prosy, and the idea was old. Still," she added in self justification, "I've seen just as bad stuff as that published."

Her mother entered the room. Marge looked up at her with grieving eyes.

"It came back," she said in explanation of the pile of paper at her side, "and they'll keep coming back as long as I stay here. I'm tired of the city. If I could get away into the country where I could be absolutely alone day in and day out I could collect my thoughts."

Her brother chuckled irreverently.

"I could collect my thoughts," she repeated. "My brain is just seething with ideas, but the moment I begin to write somebody interrupts, and when I get back to my work the inspiration is gone. And," she added somewhat bitterly, "here I'm elbow to elbow with the everlasting economies we're forced to practice. It's always material things that receive the first consideration—it's the coal or the gas or something—all the time. If I could get out into the country for a couple of months, for a month even, where nobody knew me, where there was nothing to remind me of the interest and the water taxes, where I could feel for once in my life that writing was a recreation and not a grind, I could write a story that would be worth while. I know I could."

Mrs. Dickson stood silent during her daughter's tirade. The look of sympathetic understanding in her eyes gave place to a harmonious twinkle. "Marge is very young," she reflected, "and she certainly was never meant to be a writer."

Marge had been a stenographer to a successful author, but had lately resigned her position, electing to support herself and keep the family in luxury by writing. Mr. Bergen wrote little stories without beginning or end, for which he received fabulous checks. It was easy. She could do it too. She had "written" but her stories had all come back, and now she demanded to go away.

Mrs. Dickson sighed. "You were such a good stenographer," she said, but stopped abruptly at sight of her daughter's face. She took refuge under cover of the "previous question."

"I don't see how we can manage it, dear," she said gently. "There are so many bills to be met and soon the insurance money falls due. We might let that stand for a month or so," she said, avoiding her son's eyes.

"We can't do that," he said with asperity. "Marge can write here as well as in the country. She rattles on about the 'artistic temperament' and its 'requirements' and all such nonsense. I've heard her at it time and again. Now, I don't know anything about the 'artistic temperament' and I don't want to, but up to date I've furnished the 'requirements' and the 'environment,' and that is where the 'artistic temperament' has got to sit up and take notice. As far as I can see, the 'artistic temperament' is a constitutional inability to turn brains into money. If Marge had had any sense she would have stuck to her typewriting and stenography. She was a good stenographer."

The girl's eyes filled with tears. "And," her brother went on, "it isn't too late yet. You can write your 'masterpieces' on the side," he added hu-

morously. "Tell you what, Marge," he continued more gently, "why don't you go to work for a couple of months and save enough for this trip?"

Mrs. Dickson brightened at the suggestion. "But I've lost my speed," said Marge disconsolately.

There was a moment's dead silence. Then her brother strode out of the room and slammed the door.

"Don't mind him, dear," said her mother. "Men are all like that."

Shortly after lunch next day the bell rang and Mrs. Dickson opened the door. A small boy confronted her.

"They's a telephone fer Miss Dickson at the drug store. She's to call her brother up," he said and was gone.

"Marge, oh, Marge!" called Mrs. Dickson.

"Yes, mother?"

"You're to call Fred up at once. The boy just came with the message."

Marge came downstairs and took her hat from the rack.

"I wonder what he wants," she said and left the house.

Fifteen minutes later she returned, breathless. "Fred met Mr. Roberts at lunch, and he told Fred he was in an awful fix. His stenographer had been taken very ill and had gone home, and he asked Fred if he knew a good girl who could substitute until she was well. Fred told him I would help him out, and it's \$18 a week," she finished excitedly.

Her mother sighed, but there was a contradictory twinkle in her eyes. "It's too bad you haven't kept up your speed. Of course you won't be able to take the position," said her mother.

"Won't I? I guess I will! He wants me right away. It's the Mr. Roberts," said Marge loudly.

Mrs. Dickson smiled. "And you can go to the country now, dearie," she suggested.

"Yes, if his stenographer only stays ill long enough—poor girl," she amended, feeling that her remark was more human than humane.

For a month Mr. Roberts' stenographer lay ill. When she came back, late in May, Marge packed her trunk and went into the country to "write her masterpiece."

Her letters home were frequent. In one she wrote:

"The country is glorious at this time of year. It grows lovelier each day. This morning as I sat beneath a fine old maple tree awaiting inspiration I was startled by a familiar voice, and who do you think it was? Mr. Roberts. He said he was city tired and wanted a whiff of pure country air. He doesn't know how long he'll stay. He says it all depends. I find him very congenial, although he laughs at the idea of women wanting a career. . . . I intended working this afternoon, but he has asked me to take a walk, so I shall have to postpone work until tomorrow."

Her letters glowed with accounts of pleasure trips taken with "Mr. Roberts," but only in the first was there any mention of work.

Mrs. Dickson remarked this to her son.

"Don't worry, mother," he said knowingly. "The kid'll come around all right. She's the writing bee in her bonnet, and she's stung some, too, but a sting isn't fatal, and the treatment she's taking now will effect a permanent cure."

His mother sighed.

"She was such a good stenographer," she said ruefully.

Two weeks later Marge came home, rosy and bright, with a new happy light in her eyes.

"The vacation has done you good, dear," said her mother. "I have never seen you looking better or happier," she added reflectively.

"Did you do any writing, dear?"

"Yes, read us what you've written, sis," said Fred.

"I—I—that is—well, it isn't—in shape yet to be read," replied Marge nervously.

Fred winked at his mother.

"But can't you give us some idea of it?" he persisted teasingly.

In the evening the "city tired Roberts" called. Marge met him at the door. His first words were, "Have you told them, dear?"

Marge hesitated.

"Oh, Billy, I couldn't!" she said at last. "I tried to, but Fred was horrid and teased me about my 'masterpiece,' and mother thought I had been working all the time I was away, and I couldn't tell them then. You do it, Billy," she said imploringly.

And Billy did.

The Green and the Red.

A Philadelphia man says that he not long ago chanced to enter his drawing room at an unusual hour for him when he found his cook, an Irishwoman lately arrived in Philadelphia, gazing with much interest at the aquarium.

"Well, Honoria," asked the master of the house in a somewhat sarcastic tone, "I trust that you find the fish interesting."

"Indade I do," was the emphatic response of Honoria. "Upon me soul they're lovely! Ye wouldn't believe it, sor, but this is the first time I ever seen red herrings alive!"—Harper's Weekly.

A Wonderful Woman.

"What sort of a woman is your friend madame the countess?"

"She is a woman of sixty, who looks fifty, think's she's forty, dresses like thirty, and acts like twenty!"

Why John Henry Stuck

A Pin Into Mr. Molar.

"JOHN HENRY," said Mr. Sterlingworth severely to his son as he led him by the right ear into a room in the rear of the house, "your mother tells me that you stuck a pin into Mr. Molar when he was here this afternoon calling upon your sister and that he jumped up and left the house, declaring that he would never call here again."

John Henry nodded.

"You seem to have the facts, papa," he said.

"Before I thrash you within an inch of your life, my son," Mr. Sterlingworth went on as he reached for his cane, "let me say that this whipping will hurt you considerably more than it will hurt me."

"I know that," said John Henry, with heroic fortitude.

"I also wish to know," Mr. Sterlingworth said, "before I begin what possessed you to act in so shameful a manner and to drive away the only bean that Ethel has had in two years. Now, tell me."

"Well, Mr. Molar is a dentist, and—"

"Go on, sir."

"I will, papa. I—I—"

"You—you!"

"I asked him if he was a painless dentist, and he said he was, but I wasn't sure, and so I thought I'd experiment. I don't believe he's painless at all, papa, for he yelled."

"That will do, my son," interrupted Mr. Sterlingworth. "This won't be a painless thrashing either."

Then he went to work, and there is reason to believe that it wasn't—Tit-Bits.

She Knew Better.

After the performance—it was one of those rattling roof garden shows—the pretty new recruit went up to the manager for his verdict.

"Well, what do you think of me?" she asked.

"Great!" cried the manager. "You made a hit."

"And how did I look?" she ventured, aglow with inward triumph.

"Stunning! You were the prettiest girl in the chorus. Come out and have supper with me."

The fair recruit blushed. "I know better," she said.

"What! You deny that you're the prettiest?"

"No, no," she broke in. "I mean that I know better than to take supper with you. But I'll go just the same."—Young's Magazine.

Overlooked One Part of It.

The rector's little daughter did not appear to be wholly satisfied.

"Why, dear," said her mother, "don't you remember you prayed the other night for a brown collar dog? Well, here it is."

"Yes," pouted the little girl, "but I prayed for a brass collar and chain too."—Chicago Tribune.

Lucky.

First Fish—A fisherman caught me while ago and landed me in the bottom of a boat. It was like being in jail.

Second Fish—How did you manage to escape?

First Fish—The boat began to leak and some one bailed me out.—Detroit Free Press.

A Dry Clean.



All prisoners, on admission, shall be compelled to take a bath.—Prison Regulation.

New Arrival—I say, gov'nor, I don't want no bath. Couldn't you do me with one of these 'ere vacuum cleaners?—Sketch.

The Fields of Peace.

It was the belief of the ancient Egyptians, according to a recent writer, that everything, material and immaterial, had its immortal double. Out of this grew the idea of a life in the future state of perfect happiness in the "fields of peace." For a long time the common people regarded these "fields of peace" not as a celestial place, but as situated in the fertile and well watered regions of the Nile delta in the northwest of Egypt, where the blessed ever breathed the cool north wind. Here they lived an ideal form of their life upon earth. They plowed their fields and grew the grain which supplied them with the "bread which grew not stale and beer that never became sour." Here was situated the duplicate of their earthly towns or villages.

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SUBURB OF THEIR OWN.

Washington Newspaper Men to Lay Out Novel Rural Retreat.

Washington is about to have a suburb like unto which there is nothing in the records of things suburban, says the Washington Post. Probably the most remarkable thing about this suburb is that it is not going to be put on the market. This is not its only unique feature, for it is to have no streets, and a man with a bank account of more than three figures will not be welcomed within its limits.

It is to be a "truly rural" suburb, controlled by a diminutive suburban trust, and if the plans of its builders materialize the civic millennium will have been discovered and folks living out Chevy Chase way will have a model settlement where great social problems will have been solved, where there will be neither capital nor labor, where politics will be an entity and the lion and the lamb will lie down together.

The trust that is about to give being to this mysterious suburb is composed of Washington newspaper men who, with a modesty that is paradoxical, request that their names be not published. About six months ago, when Washington generally was warming its feet at grate fires and steam radiators, these men—six in number—bought a part of Clean Drinking manor, just to the eastward of Chevy Chase lake and adjoining the estate of Old Nick Jones.

The tract, twenty-three acres in all, is covered with a natural growth of timber—in fact, it is a veritable forest. The six newspaper men have divided the property, and each one is preparing to construct thereon a low, rambling bungalow of logs, with rough shingle roofs, broad porches, dormer windows and all that sort of thing.

Instead of streets the boys have provided for typical country roads winding through the trees, thus retaining to a marked degree the rustic effect. The material for the bungalows will be cut from the roadways and from the clearings for the building sites. The entire tract is to be fenced in, little pathways will be laid out under the pines and the poplars and the elms, the wilderness of honeysuckle will be left undisturbed and the members of the suburban trust will settle down far from the madding crowd.

In order to assure a thoroughly congenial community the boys will not let any one else in on the deal except possibly one or two mutual friends.

DOCTORS UP IN A BALLOON.

First Ascention in Interest of Physiological Research.

A balloon trip which is expected to have wide results in the aeronautical world was recently made at Philadelphia by Dr. Samuel Joffinger and Dr. T. Chalmers Fulton, both well known physicians of that city and graduates of the Jefferson Medical college, says a Philadelphia special dispatch to the New York World.

Meteorological experiments have been made from balloons for several years, but this trip was, so far as is known, the first balloon ascension ever made for the purpose of physiological research.

The aeronauts landed in a field four miles southwest of Media, Pa., twenty miles from their starting point, shortly after 7 o'clock in the evening, after being up nearly five hours. The landing was without mishap or incident, the balloon settling easily to the ground. They reached an altitude of more than three miles and say that the views above the clouds surpass description.

They pronounce their experiments very successful and say that they have collected data which is destined to have a wide influence on the aeronautical world. Experiments tried alternately on each other at high altitudes prove the theory that the rapid changes in altitude that attend ballooning are beneficial to nervous diseases of the eye and to respiratory diseases. They also made observations as to the effects on blood circulation.

The balloon was lent by members of the Aero club of New York. It has a capacity of 55,000 cubic feet. Pure coal gas, which is much more buoyant than the commercial illuminant of coal and water gas mixed, was used.

Professor Charles King, Philadelphia's "grand old man" of aeronautics, superintended the preparations. It took three hours to fill the bag. The two aeronauts took up a large assortment of instruments for performing their experiments. The instruments for the meteorological experiments were lent by the United States weather bureau and the other set, all delicate instruments, is the property of medical societies in Philadelphia.

The Ruling Passion.
"Now I've queered myself for good with Miss Prettyface."
"What did you do?"
"I started to write a proposal to her, but I'm so used to writing business instead of love letters that I told her I wanted the refusal of her hand."
—Baltimore American.

Order.
Order is the sanity of the mind, the health of the body, the peace of the city, the security of the state. As the beams to a house, as the bones to the microcosm of man, so is order to all things.

An Itching One.
Miss Country Maid—I understand that in some hotels one often sees palms about the dining rooms. What kind of palm is the most prominent? Mr. Dineout—The waiter's.

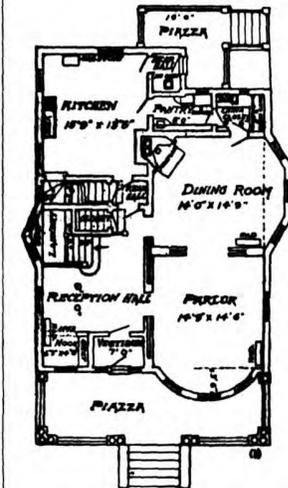
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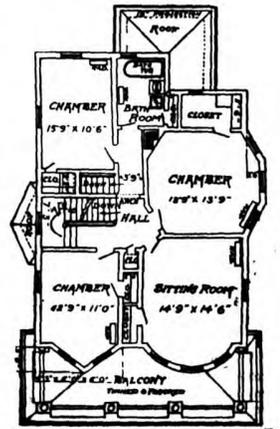
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Paraphrase of a Famous Joke.

Two attempts have been made by a contemporary to trace to its source a well known law courts joke. The first credited Sir Frank Lockwood with the jest; the second made the then Mr. Henry Hawkins its father. As a fact, the mot seems to have originated with the first Lord Chelmsford, then Frederick Thesiger. Sir Crosswell Crosswell was trying a case in which the name of a vessel was frequently introduced.

When mentioned by Sergeant Channell, who was deficient in store of aspirates, the vessel was the Ellen; when alluded to by Thesiger she was the Helen. "Stop," cried Crosswell presently. "I have got on my notes the Ellen and the Helen. Which is it?" In his blandest tone Thesiger replied, "Oh, my lud, the vessel was christened the Helen, but she lost her h in the chops of the channel." The joke will be remembered against the victim long after other records of him are forgotten, which makes it worth while to note that the only education he ever received was at a poor private school, but that he raised himself to the bench by industry which would be the death of most men.—St. James' Gazette.

Past and Present.
"I don't want to catch none of my darters smokin' them punk cigarettes," declared the horny handed son of toil.
"Your sentiments do you credit, sir," said the elderly boarder from the city.
"No, sir. A pipe wuz good enough for their maw, an' a pipe has gott'er be good enough for them."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Two of a Kind.
A man waiting for a street car asked a gentleman standing by, "It are time for the street car, ain't it, or have any one went out in the last few minutes?" The answer is said to have been, "If any have went I haven't saw it."—Greensboro (N. C.) Record.

Escaped Her Too.
Elderly Man (greeting lady acquaintance)—I remember your face perfectly, miss, but your name has escaped me. The Young Woman—I don't wonder. It escaped me three years ago. I am married now.

Portuguese Bullfights.
At Portuguese bullfights not only are the points of the bulls' horns sawed off, but the stumps that remain are carefully padded. The horses also are ridden with consummate skill, and every precaution is taken to prevent the bull touching them. Banderillas are used by the men on foot and on horseback and are planted in the neck of the bull, which irritates the bull, but cannot be described as torture. Just as much skill is shown as in a Spanish bullfight, and there may be just as beautiful a display of costumes, but there is no killing either of the bull or of the horses.

A Woman's Revenge.
It is perfectly incomprehensible how man can go on wearing the clothes he does—how he can balance on his head a huge black jam pot with a ledge to it, incase his limbs in long, tight sacks of dingy hue and wear round his manly throat something resembling a shining metal band. Every new fashion for man that comes out appears to me uglier than the last.—Spinster in M. A. P.

Cause and Effect.
Mrs. Wedgala—I don't see why you can't come home sober once in awhile. My first husband never drank a drop.
Wedgala—Thash all (hic) ri', m' dear. He didn't (hic) have t' lissen t' your talk 'bout your (hic) first husband'.—Detroit Tribune.

A Plain Deduction.
The Cheerful Loser (coming from the races)—By George! The racing game is the greatest ever!
The Near Winner—Humph! How do you make that out?
The Cheerful Loser—Why, you can't beat it!—Puck.

Advice.
"A woman should always depend on her husband for advice," said the devoted wife.
"Yes," answered the visitor, "but it does grow monotonous not to get any advice except to economize."—Washington Star.

Society takes us away from ourselves.—De Lambert.

COUNTY.

Sharptown.

Rev. H. W. D. Johnson has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Miranda Vickers and daughter, Miss Ada, are the guests of Mrs. Adeline Owens.

Capt. E. J. Jones has erected a new front porch and made other improvements on his Railway street property.

Miss Bertha Brown, of Ellicott City, one of Howard county's popular teachers, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. W. N. Gassaway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Adams, and Mrs. Adams' sister, of Baltimore are visiting Mr. Adams' mother, Mrs. N. E. Adams, and his brother, Hon. James O. Adams.

The Town Commissioners employed George E. C. Wheatley Wednesday to mow down the weeds growing upon the streets, and he has made a decided improvement in the appearance of the town.

Capt. E. G. Bennett, of the schooner Davidson, is now home looking after the work on his new vessel which is being built at the railway here. Capt. W. W. Griffith will take charge of the schooner Davidson.

A colored camp-meeting has been in progress this week near town. On Sunday last the attendance was very large and quite a number of white people were present, especially at the evening service.

Mrs. Eva Hastings dropped her watch overboard from the wharf on Saturday last, while talking with her sister, who was on the steamer Carrie. The boys have dived for it while in bathing, but have not been able to recover it.

Capt. Ernest W. Bailey was in Baltimore this week, and went through a very rigid examination to secure captain's license for large vessels on the sea. After many hours of arduous work, he secured the prize, and now has the authority to take charge of any size vessel upon any waters.

On Wednesday morning, Major D. Bradley, while working on the new schooner at the railway, fell from a stage, a distance of about ten feet, dislocating his arm at the shoulder. Dr. W. N. Gassaway, of this town, and Dr. J. McFadden Dick, of Salisbury, put it in place. He is resting fairly well.

The annual excursion of the Methodist Protestant Sunday School of this town and Columbia was run to Ocean City on Wednesday. Quite a large number went on the excursion. The bathing was fine, and all expressed themselves as having spent a very pleasant day, both on the trip and at the seashore. They went by way of Vienna steamer Worcester.

Sharptown Campmeeting.

The annual camp-meeting is now in progress at Sharptown. The cottagers moved out Thursday and have gotten their temporary homes in the beautiful grove neatly, and handsomely furnished, and every one seems happy, and cheerful. The religious part of the work will be under the direction of Rev. J. Harry Wilson, assisted by Rev. H. W. Bolton, D. D., Conference evangelist. The music will be under the direction of B. P. Gravenor, Alonzo R. Connolly is the organist, and Miss Fronie Bailey and Mrs. Grace Brady, are the organists. A large supply of new song books have been purchased, filled with new revival selections. Revs. E. H. Dirickson, H. W. Bolton and Hills are expected to fill the pulpit Sunday. An experience meeting at 9 o'clock and children's service, at 2 o'clock will be special services for Sunday. H. G. Elzey has the boarding tent, J. W. Spear, the confectionery, and Cooper Gravenor, the horse pound. A great many people are expected to be in attendance, especially on Sunday. Ample accommodations have been made for a large gathering. The following persons and their families will tent on the grounds:

Mrs. J. T. Nelson, Mrs. Lottie Mitchell, L. N. Bickerson, J. H. Mooney, W. J. Nichols, J. R. Bennett, I. J. Phillips, W. J. Fletcher, E. R. Bennett, Thos. Covington, E. D. Knowles, J. R. Higgins, Wm. Owens, I. H. Rider, W. B. Jones, Thos. L. Windsor, Fletcher & Bennett, J. K. Henry, J. H. Morris, Rev. J. H. Wilson, C. J. Gravenor, Wm. J. Gravenor, J. W. Robinson, E. G. Bennett, R. C. Wright, W. H. Knowles, B. P. Gravenor, J. F. Wheatley, Geo. T. Groat, W. B. Robinson, T. J. Sauerhoff, A. R. Connolly, A. Elzey, John W. Hurr, J. F. Marine, Jno. W. Elzey, H. G. Elzey, J. W. Walker, Wm. J. Knowles, Bennett & Adams, John H. Bennett, W. M. Cooper, Jos. F. Bailey, Robinson & Lowe, Thos. J. Russell, H. H. Howard, Ladies' Tent, Mornes. L. T. C.

White Haven.

Miss Alice Greene, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Rebecca McFain. Mrs. G. M. White, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Culver, Jr. Miss Margaret Culver, who has been visiting relatives at Washington, D. C., returned home last week. Mrs. Alonzo Nelson, of Philadelphia, and guests Mrs. John R. Lankford, of Capitola, and Mrs. A. L. Wingate this week. Miss Ella McLain, who has been spending several days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Otis Lloyd, Salisbury, returned home this week. It is to be hoped that the ladies who took such a sudden flight at Green Hill Tuesday evening when some beggars appeared on the scene, met with no mishap. The base ball team wishes to thank the ladies here for their kind interest manifested. The supper given here by them was a success and was very much appreciated. Another game was played Wednesday of this week, between, well, it might be said Easton; as six of Easton players were with the Hebron boys; so it may be called Easton or Hebron. Suppose it therefore be called Hebron,

since it cost the boys so much for their hired players. It was a very interesting game and was largely attended and had it not been for three costly errors of White Haven, the score would have been 1-0; but the victory stands for Hebron and their hired team, the score being 1 to 5.

A most interesting game of ball was played Saturday at Hebron, between White Haven and Hebron. While White Haven had only our little country team and Hebron had hired a pitcher, catcher and others, the score was kept down by our boys, the result being nothing to nothing on the ninth inning. Hebron declined to play more, due to arrangements for another game. Hence the game rightly belongs to White Haven. Austin, White Haven's pitcher, has a style of delivery which is a puzzling proposition. Whilst his ball is slow, it is so elusive that not one in three is able to find it when it reaches the plate. As one of the Hebron boys said, "Just when you had about measured the distance where you thought they were going to land, the base ball was safe in the hands of the catcher." His ball has a very peculiar twist, which disconcerts a batter far more than the speediest straight liner. His pitching is easy and graceful, and he possesses remarkable endurance.

Charity.

Mr. Ellis, of Philadelphia, is home for a few days. Miss Mary Nichols, who has been sick so long, is out again. Several of our young people are going to Parsonsburg Camp Sunday. Miss Helen Barr, of Delmar, is visiting Miss Edith Livingston. Having so much rain in our vicinity this season, all crops are a decided failure. Miss Lucy Whayland, of Siloam, spent this week with Miss Rosa Richardson. Mr. Thomas Holloway, of Philadelphia, has returned after visiting friends here. The Misses Twilley and the Misses Hearn, of Siloam, are visiting Miss May Twilley. Mr. Will and Miss Margaret Ellis spent, Sunday at the home of Mr. Ira Phillips, in Spring Hill. Miss Ida Morris, of Laurel, who has been spending some time with Miss Clara Kenney, has returned home. Owing to the camps there was no service at our Church last Sunday, but there will be Sunday School at the usual hour Sunday morning. Mr. Woodlyn Phillips, of Virginia, is visiting relatives here. Mr. Dan F. Hearn, of Philadelphia, is making an extended trip here, Ocean City and Chincoteague Island.

Mt Pleasant.

Miss Laura Jones is improving. Camp meetings are plentiful in this zone. Mr. W. G. Nicholson visited Bethel camp Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins moved to Willards last Wednesday. Mr. W. B. Rayne made a business trip to Salisbury last Wednesday. Misses Addie Patey and Mary Hastings spent a part of last week at Bethel Camp. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Nicholson, of this place, were the guests of their daughter Mrs. John Adkins, of Willards, last Sunday. The Joseph Herman Magic Lantern Show is in Powellville this week. They are having quite a success as their pictures draw the crowd.

Hebron.

Hebron camp is over. Fine weather just now. What is the trouble with Delmar? What is wrong with Quantico? Play Ball! White Haven champions crossed bats with Hebron Athletics last Saturday. The score was 0 to 0. Hebron went to White Haven on Wednesday and played a return game. The score was 5 to 1 in favor of Hebron. Hebron athletics played a picked nine from White Haven, Providence and other places the same evening. Hebron defeated the picked team by a score of 6 to 4.

Nanticoke.

Miss Katie Summers, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Lena Parks. Miss Carrie Stract, of Pennsylvania, is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Travers. Miss Elsie Hudson, of Frankfort, Del., is the guest of Miss Bessie Neese. Miss Lula Harrington, of Baltimore, is home for a few days this week. Mr. Frank Tabling, of Baltimore, is visiting the home of Mrs. T. J. Walker. Messrs James and Henry Sterling, of Princess Anne, are visiting Mr. Clyde Neese. The gasoline boat "Wicomico" will run an excursion to Sharptown camp Sunday. There will be Sunday School at Nanticoke M. E. Church Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Mrs. Jno. Collins and little daughter, Hannah, and Miss Mary Messick spent Thursday in Salisbury. Mrs. Jno. M. Lansdale and daughters, Louise and Alice, are spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. S. Travers. Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Neese and daughter, Madeline, who have been attending Frankfort camp, returned home Wednesday. Miss Nellie Conaway, of Baltimore, who has been visiting friends here for the past month, returned to her home Monday. Miss Mary Crew, of Salisbury, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Grace Harrington, for the past week, returned to her home Tuesday.

Personal.

—Mr. A. M. Jackson is in Washington, D. C. —Mr. Mark Cooper spent this week at Ocean City. Mr. James T. Malone is spending ten days at Atlantic City. —Mr. Vaughn Gordy, Jr., is spending a few days in Baltimore. —Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Grier spent part of the week at Ocean City. —Miss Sarah Ulman has returned from a visit to Wilkesbarre, Pa. —Mr. Harry Ulman, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting relatives in Salisbury. —Miss Ola Day visited friends in Cambridge the first part of this week. —Mayor Charles E. Harper spent Wednesday in Cambridge on business. —Miss Pearl Chatham is visiting in Franklin City, Va., and Philadelphia. —Mr. Frank Adams has returned from a trip to friends at Westminster. —Dr. Gariner Spring left this week to spend three weeks in New England. —Mr. and Mrs. James T. Trutt left yesterday for two weeks at Ocean City. —Misses Lena and Jennie Cannon, of Blackstone, Va., are visiting in Salisbury. —The Misses Brattan, of Mardela Springs, are visiting friends in Salisbury. —Miss Minnie Hearn is visiting her brother, Mr. William Hearn, of Snow Hill. —Mr. William Perry spent this week as the guest of Mr. X. M. Brock, near Loretta. —Mrs. J. J. Watche, of Weldon, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Lankford. —Mr. Leonard Higgins is spending ten days in Dorchester county and at Ocean City. —Miss Bessie Fooks, of Kelly's Post-office, is visiting Miss Nellie Bailey, Fook street. —Mr. Joseph Coulbourn, of Baltimore, is visiting friends and relatives in Salisbury. —Miss Mattie Robinson is visiting her college friend, Miss Alma Lankford, William street. —Mr. and Mrs. J. R. T. Laws, of Baltimore, are visiting in Salisbury and Wicomico county. —Miss Maria Louise Wooten, of Laurel, Del., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ellegood. —Miss Alice Carey is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vincent, Capron, Va. —Mrs. Edwin Malone is spending some time with her mother and relatives in Irvington, Va. —Mr. W. B. Crosby and family, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Waller Phillips. —Misses Mattie and Hazel Parlett, of Easton, visited Misses Carrie and Mamie Adkins this week. —Miss Emma Johnson, of Kingston, Md., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Moore this week. —Mrs. W. J. Downing and son Wilson, of Salisbury, are visiting Mrs. S. T. Smith. —Laurel State Register. —Mrs. M. A. Wooster, of Salisbury, is a guest of Mrs. E. F. Milligan, of Revell's Neck, Somerset county. —Messrs. John Humphreys and Hans Brightman, Newton street, are spending two weeks at Bedford Springs. —Mrs. W. T. Dashiell and daughter, Jenn, have returned from a visit to relatives at Chance, Somerset county. —Mr. James B. Trutt and children, of Snow Hill, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holloway, William street. —Misses Alma and Nellie Lankford are at home after a brief stay among friends in Virginia and North Carolina. —Mrs. O. C. Kenly, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. Walter Brewington and Mrs. Charles H. Nock. —Mr. H. L. Brewington, senior editor of the Wicomico News, is spending a vacation in New York and Asbury Park. —Mrs. Jennie Vincent, who has spent a year in Virginia and North Carolina with relatives, has returned to Salisbury. —Mr. Morris Hitch and family, of Camden, N. J., are visiting relatives and friends in Salisbury and Parsonsburg. —Among the guests stopping at the Wicomico House are Mr. Naaman F. Hines and two daughters, of Washington, D. C. —Snow Hill Messenger Democratic: Mrs. Elmer D. Bailey is visiting her brother, Hon. Charles R. Disharoon, in Salisbury. —Mr. John A. Slemmons, of Philadelphia North American, spent Saturday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Slemmons. —Miss Wilkie Woodcock left yesterday afternoon to spend a week or ten days with friends at Clearidge, Fulton County, Pa.,

August Furniture Sale

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II ROUSING CARPET BARGAINS

Table with columns for BRUSSELS, INGRAIN CARPETS, and INGRAIN CARPETS. Includes prices and descriptions for various carpet types.

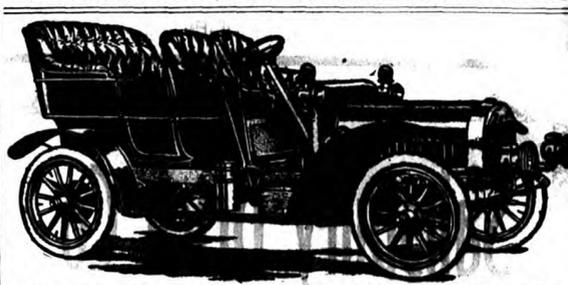
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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maver, of Dover, Del., spent part of this week with Mrs. Maver's parents, Hon. and Mrs. James E. Ellegood. —Misses Bessie Fooks, Alice Dykes and Nellie Bailey, spent a few days this week visiting friends and relatives in Parsonsburg. —Mrs. Carrie Ulman and daughter, Miss Hannah Ulman, have returned to their home in Salisbury, after a lengthy visit in Pueblo, Col. —Dr. H. Laird Todd, who has been seriously ill at his home on Park avenue, is considerably improved and is able to get out of doors. —Miss Mabel Davis, of Wilmington, who has been a guest of Miss Margaret Woodcock for the past two weeks, returned home Tuesday. —Miss Millard Horsey, of Crisfield, and Miss Ella Wilson, of Pocomoke City, are visiting their college friend, Miss Wilkie Adkins. —Mrs. Levin Vincent and two children, of Washington, D. C., are spending some time with her sister, Miss Drucy Pollitt, 105 Parsons street. —Miss Sarah Lankford, of Pocomoke City, and Mr. Roger W. Lankford, of Philadelphia, have been on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. Costen Goslee. —Miss Grace Lundale, of Wilmington, Del., who has been visiting Salisbury and Fruitland friends for the past two weeks, returned to her home Thursday. —Miss Carrie Adkins left yesterday for Baltimore and Washington. She will join a party of friends at the Potomac river. —Mr. and Mrs. Morris A. Walton and daughter, Helen, are spending several weeks at Philadelphia, Asbury Park, Atlantic City and points on the Hudson river. —Miss Kate Sommers, saleslady for the Rosenstein Brothers Company, is spending her four week's vacation as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parkes. —Misses Mary and Bessie Briddell, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Briddell, of Princess Anne, are visiting relatives and friends in Salisbury and Parsonsburg. —Mrs. R. M. Johnson and Mrs. Walter Johnson, who have been spending the past two weeks with relatives in Salisbury, returned to their home in Philadelphia Wednesday. —Mr. and Mrs. John H. Parsons and Mrs. Stella Parsons, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Louis Ellison, of Wilmington, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Moore, Broad Street. —Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith and niece, Miss Thenever, came down in their automobile from Baltimore and spent several days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Woodcock. —Mrs. L. S. Bell and daughter, Miss Margaret Bell, who have been absent from Salisbury for some time returned home this week, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Morse, of Long Island, N. Y. —Mrs. Francis Phelps and daughter, Miss May Phelps, of Cambridge; Miss Susie Duke, of Philadelphia, and Miss Hilda Howard, of Hebron, are the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Todd, Park avenue. —Miss Alice Hunt, of Ellicott City, who has been paying an extended visit to the Misses Collier, Division Street, will leave this afternoon to spend a few days with friends at Mardela Springs. She will return to Salisbury before returning home. —Rev. and Mrs. James W. Colons, of Princess Anne, and Misses Florence and Minnie Spies and Mr. Milton Wells, of Baltimore, visited Rev. and Mrs. Adam Stenge part of this week. Rev. and Mrs. Colons returned to their home Wednesday, accompanied by the Misses Spies and Mr. Wells.



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PENINSULA TRACTION COMPANY

Once Again Is A Trolley Line Promised For Wicomico And Other Counties On Eastern Shore.

Once more comes the refreshing news that Wicomico county is to be traversed by a trolley line. Periodically this rumor makes its appearance and just as regularly the whole project drops through and the matter is forgotten in a few weeks. Numerous have been the companies that have been formed in this county with the object of furnishing up-to-date passenger and freighting facilities for all parts of the county, but each seem to have had a peaceful death.

Once again now our hopes have been raised and the statement now comes that the board of directors of the Peninsula Traction Company, of Talbot county, which was chartered in Eastern last fall, met in the office of Seth & Wilson, Wednesday, and organized by electing Ernest P. Fink, of Philadelphia, president; Gen. Joseph B. Seth, of Easton, vice president; Robert A. Orbison, of Philadelphia, treasurer; Charles R. Wooters, of Easton, secretary.

The board, which is composed of Ernest P. Fink, Herman Fink and Robert Orbison, of Philadelphia; Gen. Joseph B. Seth, George W. Wilson, Charles R. Wooters, of Easton; Theodore J. Hall, of Royal Oak; Alfred Kemp, James H. Warner, Charles B. Lloyd and Charles E. Simpson, of Trappe, was called to order with Charles B. Lloyd in the chair and Herman Fink acting secretary. The directors took the oath as required by law, after which the secretary was authorized to open the books for the subscription of stock. The capital stock is limited to \$1,000,000, and the shares are to be sold at \$50 each.

President Fink stated that they have sufficient stock subscribed and money in hand to build the road, and work will shortly be commenced. The first branch of the road that will be constructed will be from a point on Tighman's Island bordering on the Chesapeake Bay and will run through the principal towns and villages in Talbot, Caroline, Dorchester, Wicomico and Worcester counties, with a terminus at Ocean City. At the same time a branch road will be constructed, beginning at Cambridge Ferry, on the Choptank River, opposite Cambridge and will run from there through Trappe, Hambleton and other places, connecting with the main line at Easton.

After the construction of these lines a line will be built running from Easton to Longwood, Wye Mills, Skipton, Centerville, Chestertown and other towns north of Easton, in Talbot, Queen Anne and Kent counties, and thence to the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Salisbury does not seem to be very prominently represented in the organization and the plans, and the Eastern interests appear to be doing the natural thing by making that town the centre of the proposed system. Salisbury, however, by its location, will prove to be one of the important points, if the road lives to see daylight.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SUED.

Interesting Case Before Justice Trader Relative To The Tax Ditch Law.

An especially interesting case came before Justice of the Peace William A. Trader during the past week, in connection with the Tax Ditch law for this county.

The suit was brought by John Wesley Trullit against the County Commissioners of Wicomico county for \$48.00, and was brought as a test case. Mr. Trullit was one of the ditch commissioners appointed by the County Commissioners for the purpose of laying out the proposed New Hope Tax Ditch. This ditch was petitioned for about two years ago by a large number of citizens of Pittsburg district, and after a number of hearings, the County Commissioners refused to ratify the report of the ditch commissioners recommending the ditch. Another set of commissioners was appointed who changed certain assessments, and also recommended the ditch, but the County Commissioners again refused to ratify the report.

There have accrued in connection with the case costs amounting anywhere from \$250.00 to \$300.00, and in view of the fact that the petitioners did not get the ditch, they claimed they were not responsible for the costs, and there seemed to be no way by which they could be made to pay them. The commissioners appointed by the County Commissioners and the County Surveyor and others who have bills in connection with the matter are, therefore, looking to the County to pay them, and it was for the purpose of testing the county's liability that this suit was brought. In the case this week the Justice rendered decision in favor of the County Commissioners, and dismissed the suit. Messrs. Ellegood, Freeny and Wallis represented Mr. Trullit, and Joseph L. Bailey, Esq., the County Commissioners. It is understood that an appeal will be taken and the matter finally adjudicated at the September term of Court.

Detectives have been quietly at work at Delmar for several days past and Wednesday they rounded up their man in the person of George W. Gordy, proprietor of that place known to the people of Delmar as "The Hell of Iniquity." Gordy was taken to Laurel and placed under bail in the sum of \$1000 for further hearing.

BURNED TO DEATH.

James Waller Received Fatal Injuries In Coal-Oil Explosion At His Home Wednesday.

James Waller, 8 years old, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Waller, of North Division street, was horribly burned in an explosion of a can of coal-oil Wednesday morning about 10.30 o'clock, and died three hours later, as the result. The house caught fire and would have burned to the ground but for prompt action on the part of the boy's sister, Miss Addie Waller.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Waller were away from home at the time of the accident, and nobody was in the house, except Miss Waller, James and Saddle Anderson, the 14-year-old daughter of Frank Anderson, colored. The colored girl was making a fire in the range in the summer kitchen and was using kerosene for this purpose. This was the first time that coal-oil had been used for making fires at the Waller home for sometime, as this had been prohibited on account of its danger to the children. The girl, however, did not know of this order.

The stove was still warm from a fire earlier in the morning, and as soon as the oil touched the iron and the live coals, a gas was formed, which, igniting, shot from the stove and leaped to the spot of the can, exploding and ripping off the bottom of the latter. The contents spread over the boy and the girl, completely saturating their clothing with the volatile liquid. The flames communicated themselves to the clothing of the boy, but the girl, by some freak, was unharmed. Both rushed from the house screaming.

The colored girl was so completely frightened that she did not notice the danger of the boy, and did not stop running until she reached her home, not far away. Miss Waller, who was in an adjoining room, heard the screaming and rushed to the assistance of the boy, nearly succeeding in extinguishing the fire on the boy by putting with her hands. As she rushed back into the house to get a blanket or some piece of clothing, the flames caught up again.

Mr. Harry G. Hayman, who lives next door, heard the cries for help about this time, and looking out of a window in his home, was horrified to see the burning boy standing in the yard alone with the flames twisting and shooting about his head.

Without hardly being conscious of his movements, Mr. Hayman found himself a moment later beside the lad with his own coat removed. Quickly throwing the garment about the boy to smother the flames and laying him on the ground to keep them from going down his throat, Mr. Hayman soon had the fire out, but not before both of his hands were badly burned.

Meanwhile, Miss Waller, seeing that Mr. Hayman had come to the rescue of her brother, devoted her attention to the fire in the kitchen. The kerosene had spread over the floor and was burning fiercely. It looked as if the house would surely burn, but Miss Waller went to work and was soon master of the situation and had the dwelling saved.

Mr. and Mrs. Waller were nearly prostrated when they were informed of the distressing accident, and it was feared Mrs. Waller would be seriously ill. Numerous have been the expressions of sympathy that have gone out to them from their friends in Salisbury. Their son was the sort of a child that made friends with all. Everybody with whom he came in contact seemed to regard him as their special favorite.

Notwithstanding the terrible burns, the boy did not seem to be suffering greatly. He was fully conscious of his surroundings and recognized his friends. Dr. George W. Todd, who was hastily summoned, said that death was due immediately to fright.

The funeral was held at the home Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. David Howard, pastor of the St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church, of which James was a choir boy. The pallbearers were chosen from among his young companions and the members of the choir. Interment was at Parsons Cemetery. Mr. George C. Hill, undertaker, had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Outing to Claiborne.

Mr. A. J. Benjamin gave his annual outing to Claiborne to the choir of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church and some of their friends Wednesday. The day was spent in fishing, bathing, yachting, dancing, singing, eating and having a good time in general. Miss Marian Veasey composed a poem of thanks for the kindness of Mr. Benjamin and Gen. Seth and for "Grier's ham". The poem was set to music and was sung by all present. A violinist and a cellist were present and furnished excellent music for dancing, concert and for the accompaniment to a number of selections rendered by the choir. Among those present were:

Gen. and Mrs. Joseph B. Seth, Mayor Martin Higgins and the Messrs. Swann, of Easton, and Dr. and Mrs. Gardner Spring, Mrs. F. M. Slemmons, Mrs. John D. Williams, Miss E. T. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith and daughter, Miss Emma Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Perdue and daughter, Miss Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Gordy, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Grier, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Toadvine, Mrs. Mollie Alderman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graham, Mrs. J. D. Wallop and children, Mrs. Hugh Phillips and children, Miss Agnes Rehgart, Miss Marian Veasey, and Miss Mary Toadvine. A number of others were expected to be present, but were prohibited by various causes.

NEW MANUFACTURING CONCERN

The Air And Steam Connector Company Incorporated To Manufacture Invention Of John S. Farlow.

The certificate of incorporation of The Air and Steam Connector Company was filed in the office of Clerk of Court Ernest A. Toadvine Thursday. The incorporators are Messrs. John S. Farlow, William A. Crew, William F. Bounds, Samuel A. Graham and Marlon A. Humphreys.

The company has a capital stock of \$25,000, and has been formed for the manufacture of Mr. Farlow's patent automatic hose coupler for railroad cars, especially designed for use on passenger coaches. The appliance has been tested by the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway and a number of other leading railroads in the country for the past few months, and has been demonstrated to be a success.

The apparatus is a coupler for air-brake pipes, air-whistle pipes and steam heating pipes, combined. It couples these pipes by impact when the cars come together. Springs hold the couplers rigid horizontally, but at the same time provision is made to allow for side movement when rounding a curve. The use of the coupler obviates the necessity of attaching the hose to the end of the pipes by hand, as is now the case.

Mosquitoes—Causes And Remedies.

This is the season when the family mosquito "lifts its little lay" as the Bentzow Bard would say, and devotes all its energies to making life more miserable for watersoaked and overheated humanity. "Family mosquito"—it was said advisedly. It may not be generally known that each crop of the pests is raised on your premises or your neighbor's. The culx is not a wanderer—about six hundred feet is the extent of its travels from home. The place where it flourishes is stagnant water, and the quantity is immaterial. Two or three spoonfuls will furnish as many hundred mosquitoes.

The mosquito is only a pest, but it is one which we endure either through ignorance, or voluntarily and with malice aforethought. If any of the readers of this paper in town, city or country are bothered with them, let them spend a few minutes in hunting out the breeding place. This will be found to be the drain from your well, an old tomato can, or any receptacle that will hold water. If you have gone away for a few weeks and carelessly left water standing anywhere in the house, the chances are that you will find the house infested on your return.

The mother mosquito deposits her eggs in still water wherever she can find it, and she generally can find what there is. These eggs soon hatch out the little "wrigglers." These must come frequently to the surface for air. If the water cannot be poured out or drained away, sprinkle kerosene on it. If poured in a large stream it tends to collect in pools and does not cover the surface fully. It should then be churned up with a hoe or rake. The wrigglers cannot penetrate through the oil and die of suffocation in a few minutes. Left alone, they come out in a few days full sized mosquitoes and very hungry.

A little care in this rainy season will save much annoyance from this little active disturber of the domestic peace.

Ex-Governor Jackson not a Candidate.

Former Governor Ellhu E. Jackson returned to Baltimore yesterday after a vacation spent at Bedford Springs, Atlantic City and York Harbor. He will go to Chattanooga this afternoon and spend a couple of weeks there. Returning from Maine, Governor Jackson broke his journey by spending Wednesday night in Philadelphia.

A reporter who was among his visitors at the Bellevue-Stratford, asked his views concerning the Democratic situation in Maryland. "Why should I be interviewed?" he asked. "I am not a candidate for anything. My interest in politics is simply that of a citizen. Besides, there is little to discuss at present. We are approaching a Congressional campaign. I think our party should put forth a solid front."

Salisbury Man Hurt.

A dispatch from Philadelphia Monday says: "Harry E. Hastings, aged 23 years, of Salisbury, Md., had one foot cut off and the other badly crushed near Woodbury, N. J., on the West Jersey and Seashore Railroad Saturday. Hastings was on his way to Elmer and while passing from one car to another fell between them. He was conscious when picked up and directed the train hands how to handle him. At the Cooper Hospital, Camden, last night, it was stated his recovery was doubtful."

Relatives of Mr. Hastings have received telegrams and letters this week stating that he was doing as well as could be expected.

Public Schools to Open September.

County Superintendent H. Crawford Bounds expects about 300 teachers at the Tri-County Summer School, which convenes at Ocean City August 27 and continues till September 7. The Institute this year will include Worcester, Somerset and Wicomico counties. Dorchester wanted to participate, but has finally decided not to do so. The school day will begin at 9 a. m. and end at 4 p. m., with recess for lunch. The school season in Wicomico county will open Monday, September 10, and from then on all June the main care and thought of the girls and boys will, or at least should be, the spring examinations.

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RACE RIOT IN DELAWARE.

Negroes And Whites At Laurel Clash Saturday Night And Several Are Hurt.

A dispatch from Laurel, Del., says that since the beginning of the fruit season Laurel has been overrun with negroes mostly from Maryland and Virginia, who have nightly congregated on the streets almost to the exclusion of persons whose business required them to be out during the evening.

Matters came to a crisis Saturday night when a young negro named Brown assaulted Medford Phillips, proprietor of the Laurel House livery. About a score of young men formed into a marching club and patrolled the streets from 8 o'clock until near midnight, brushing aside the congregated crowds of negroes and severely punishing any who offered resistance.

As a result of the affair nine negroes and one white man were more or less seriously battered, three of the negroes having received flesh wounds from pistol shots.

The Orphans' Court.

The Orphans' Court was in session Tuesday. Four wills were filed for probate as follows: Alex. H. Murrell bequeathed his house and lot on Camden Avenue, Salisbury, and the furniture and all other personal property to his wife, Jeannette S. Murrell, absolutely, to dispose of as she deems best.

The will of Thos. I. S. Melson disposes of the property of the deceased as follows: To his wife, Elizabeth E. Melson, all the personal property, to be hers absolutely; the real estate to be sold, and after the debts are paid, the wife is to receive one-third of the proceeds, the other two-thirds to be divided equally between his daughters, Sophia C. Downs, Lydia J. Johnson, Anna M. Hall, and his granddaughter, Maud G. Hall.

The will of David J. Twilley bequeaths to his wife, Elizabeth Ellen Twilley, the house and lot in Hebron, and all personal property. The wife is named as executrix. The will of Julia Ann Goslee gives to her husband a farm of 40 acres to hold during his life, and at his death one-half to her grand children, Walter Stewart, Gladys Stewart and Julia E. Stewart, and one-half to her son-in-law, Julius Church.

City Council.

Messrs. Isaac Ulman, Charles Ulman, Dean W. Pentue, Harry S. Todd and Chas. Behke were before the City Council Monday night and filed complaint against the condition of the manure dump on East Camden street and at the rear of the Palace Stables. The Council instructed Clerk Byrd to give Mr. W. H. Jackson notice to remove the manure in 48 hours from the serving of the notice.

Street Commissioner Serman was instructed to put a well on Newton street, near Camden avenue, to drain said street. On request of ex-Mayor Charles K. Disharoon, Councilman Polk was appointed a committee to have the hill on Maryland avenue removed and Councilmen Smith and Twilley were appointed a committee to investigate the lights and the condition of Maryland and Baltimore avenues.

Cannery Labor Arrives.

The annual exodus of Poles, Hungarians, Bohemians, from Baltimore to the packing establishments on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, began the early part of the week. The party consisted of men, women and children, all fully equipped for camp life, extending up to the date of the first frost of the coming fall, when the tomato vines will be killed and the packing houses put out of business. In many cases the "common folk" are provided with comfortable sheds in which to sleep. In other instances, the sleeping quarters are extremely crude. The cooking is done in nearly every case under sheds or awnings made of the branches of nearby trees spread over support, of poles. Big ovens made of clay are used in lieu of stoves. The methods of life are exceedingly simple and the bill of fare is limited in variety but is unusually wholesome.

Resolutions By Red Men.

The following resolutions were adopted by Modoc Tribe of Red Men: Whereas, It has pleased the Great Spirit to transfer from the hunting grounds here below to the hunting grounds above, the beloved wife of our brother, Milton H. Pope, on the 8th sun, sturgeon moon, G. S. D. 415. Resolved, That we extend to Brother Pope and family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement, believing that their loss is her eternal gain and commending them to the Great Spirit who doeth all things well. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy sent to the family of the deceased and a copy to each of the city papers.

Notice!

The usual anniversary services will be held (D. V.), in "Old Green Hill Church," on Saint Bartholomew Day, Friday, August 24th, at 10.30 a. m. All persons interested are invited to attend. Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

KILLED IN AUTO WRECK.

While Visiting At Salisbury, Mrs. Ferdinand Ulman Notified Of Death Of Sister In New York.

Mrs. Lena O. Noble of Baltimore, died in a New York hospital Friday afternoon of last week from injuries received early in the morning in an auto accident. While returning to the city after an excursion, the auto in which Mrs. Noble and several friends were seated met with an accident and Mrs. Noble was fatally hurt.

Mrs. Noble was the sister of Mrs. Ferdinand Ulman, of Baltimore. Mrs. Ulman and husband reached here Friday afternoon to spend sometime with relatives. She received a telephone message about 80 minutes after her arrival telling of the accident. Mrs. Ulman at once left for New York.

Mrs. Noble's husband, Mr. T. W. Noble, is a traveling salesman, making his home in Lynchburg, Va., with the 15-year-old son of the dead woman, Glen Noble. Mrs. Noble left for New York Monday of last week. The accident came after a supper at Woody Mansion, near the Morris Park race track. Leaving the restaurant about 1 a. m., the party dashed down Jerome avenue, the car being driven by Stewart Elliott.

Mounted Patrolman Smith, who patrols this speedway on the watch for reckless automobiles, is said by Elliott to have rushed his horse in front of the oncoming car. Elliott claims that he tried in vain to turn out, and that in doing so he hit a cast-iron water plug, which threw the car heavily on its side and finally made it turn a complete somersault. Mrs. Noble was hurled a dozen feet away and her skull was fractured.

Mrs. Noble belonged to a well-known family on the Eastern Shore. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mowbray, of Hurluck, Dorchester county.

Besides her parents and husband, she is survived by a son, Glenn Noble, and five sisters—Mrs. Frank Webster, of East New Market, Md.; Mrs. William Williamson, of Preston, Md.; Mrs. Ferdinand Ulman, of Baltimore; Mrs. Winfield Merriek, of Hynson, Md., and Miss Ola Mowbray, of Baltimore. The body was brought to Hurluck where the funeral and burial took place Sunday.

County Commissioners.

The County Commissioners at their regular meeting Tuesday did not, as was expected, come to a decision on the matter of an experiment in limestone roads. The matter will come up at a later meeting.

Commissioner Wright and Mr. S. H. Cooper were named as a committee on the proposed new road in Barren Creek district, to run from Mr. Cooper's farm to the road leading from Marlela to Sharpstown.

Commissioners Cooper and Brittingham were made a committee to meet the Commissioners of Worcester county at Whaleyville on Tuesday next to confer about the proposed new road petitioned for by Mr. R. D. Winbrow and others.

Mr. Glen Perdue was before the Board and offered to donate to the county sufficient land from his farm on the Quantico road to widen the road 30 feet, if the Commissioners would have same cleared. The matter was left with Commissioner Cooper.

Messrs. Edward L. Austin, W. H. Beach and John E. Taylor were appointed a commission to lay out and widen the county road in Barren Creek district, between the lands of L. L. Bonds and W. F. Towers.

The Board agreed to appropriate \$80 towards repairing the Fooks mill-dam in Nutters' district, which was recently washed out.

Daniel H. Hudson was granted a pension of \$1.25 per month, order to H. H. Hiltch & Bro.

The Silk Hat.

The ridiculous custom of wearing that shining funnel, the silk hat, will appear as stupefying to our great-grandchildren as the custom of putting a bone through the lip or a ring through the nostrils appears monstrous to us.—Paris Gaulois.

All Right.

Tom Here! You've started your note to Boroughs "Dr. Sir." Don't you know that sort of abbreviation is very slovenly? Dick No. sir. "Dr." is all right in this case. He owes me money.

The News From Peterhof.

What's the news from Peterhof—from quiet little Peterhof. From peaceful little Peterhof, where Nicholas resides? What's the double guard about? And what's the fighting hard about? And what's the bloody yard about? And what's the row besides?

Douma, eh? D'ye mean to say he's knocked it in the head? Freedom, eh? D'ye mean to say the parliament has fled? Nicholas, proud Nicholas, what dreams are in your head?

What's the news from Peterhof—from peaceful little Peterhof. From sweet, Edenic Peterhof, where Nicholas resides? What's the din and roar about? And what's the bolted door about? And what's the running gear about? And what are all the fires?

Joking, eh? D'ye mean to say he's cancelled all in the head? Joking, eh? D'ye mean to say it wasn't on the dead? Nicholas, weak Nicholas, what folly's in your head?

What's the news from Peterhof—from cozy little Peterhof. From soothing little Peterhof, of which we've often read? Whose horse is that upon his shield? What man is that the Cossack steered?

And why is Nicholas concealed in underneath his bed? Fighting, eh? D'ye mean to say he's willed that blood be shed? Riots, eh? D'ye mean to say the hope for peace is dead? Nicholas, fool Nicholas, how cheap you hold your head!

—Clark McAdam in St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Received At The Clerk's Office In Salisbury For Record During The Past Week.

Nancy M. Showell to Kate H. Toadvin, lot on Lake street, \$800. Frank M. Travers and wife to William S. Travers, 8 acres in Nantlooke district, \$800. Elijah S. Adkins and wife, to Glen Perdue, lot on Lake street, \$550. Thomas N. Evans to Willie E. Hurley, 2 acres in Barren Creek district, \$250. Ella V. Robertson et al., to Adolphus J. White, 100 acres in Tyaskin district, \$450. James W. Calloway et al., to George S. Layfield, lot on South street, \$1. John W. Willing et al., to Julius W. Jones, lot in Nantlooke district, \$1. E. Stanley Toadvin and wife, to Elmer H. Walton, lot on Leonard street, \$1. W. C. Phillips et al., to David S. Wroten, lot on Main street extended, \$2200.

Extremely Low Rates South And Southwest Via Southern Railway.

\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account National Dental Association and Auxiliaries, Sept. 14-21; tickets sold Sept. 12th, final limit Sept. 25th.*

\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account Homecoming for Georgians, Oct. 10-11; tickets sold Oct. 9th and 10th, final limit Oct. 20th.*

\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account Carriage Builders' National Association, Oct. 21-27; tickets sold Oct. 19th and 20th, final limit Oct. 30th.

\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account National Association Retail Druggist, Oct. 1-5; tickets sold Sept. 27th to Oct. 3d, final limit Oct. 7th.*

\$27.75; Washington to Gulfport, Miss., and return, account General Convention Daughters of Confederacy Nov. 14-17; tickets sold Nov. 12th and 13th, final limit Nov. 28.

\$23.25; Washington to Memphis, Tenn., and return, account International Convention Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Oct. 18-21; tickets sold Oct. 15th to 18th, final limit Oct. 30th.*

\$23.25; Washington to Memphis, Tenn., and return, account National Baptist Convention (Colored), Sept. 12-19; tickets sold Sept. 9th to 12th, final limit Sept. 20th.

\$64.90; Washington to Mexico City, Mex., and return, account International Geological Congress, Aug. 21-Sept. 14; tickets sold Aug. 14th to 31st, final limit 90 days from date of sale.

\$27.75; Washington to New Orleans, La., and return, account Biennial Meeting, Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Oct. 15-25; tickets sold Oct. 12th to 15th, final limit Oct. 30th.*

\$39.05; Washington to Dallas, Texas, and return, account International Association of Fire Engineers, Oct. 9-12; tickets sold Oct. 9th to 12th, final limit 21 days from date of sale.

*An extension may be secured by depositing ticket with Special Agent in New Orleans and paying extra fee of 50 cents. For full particulars write Chas. L. Hopkins, D. P. A., Southern Railway Co., 828 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 9-11

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For Rent Mr. Manko's residence, with all modern improvements, on Newton Street, Salisbury, Md. Apply to B. MANKO, 225 Newton St.

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Schedule in effect May 27, 1906.

Trains Will Leave Salisbury as Follows: For Wilmington, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York, 12.35, 7.39 A. M., 1.55, 3.07 P. M. week-days; Sundays, 12.35 A. M.

For Cape Charles, Old Point Comfort, Norfolk, Portsmouth and principal intermediate stations, 3.01 (7:40 Cape Charles only) A. M., 1.34 P. M. week days; Sundays, 3.01 A. M.

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Train Schedule in effect May 27, 1906.

Table with 4 columns: Station, Leave, Arrive, and another column. Rows include New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore.

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North-Bound Trains.

Table with 4 columns: Station, Leave, Arrive, and another column. Rows include Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, and Delmar.

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In addition to the above trains the Cape Charles Accommodation leaves Delmar daily except Sunday at 7.30 a. m., Salisbury 7.39 a. m., arriving Cape Charles 10.50 a. m.

Delmar Accommodation leaves Cape Charles 6.05 p. m., Salisbury 9.36 p. m., arriving Delmar 10.00 p. m.

R. B. COOKER, Traffic Manager. J. G. RODGERS, Superintendent.

Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company

Schedule effective June 11, 1906.

West Bound.

Table with 4 columns: Station, Leave, Arrive, and another column. Rows include Ocean City, Berlin, Salisbury, and Baltimore.

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Daily. Daily except Sunday. In addition to the above schedule train No. 4 will leave Ocean City 12.08 P. M., arriving Salisbury 1.18 P. M., and train No. 5 will leave Salisbury 1.55 P. M., arriving Ocean City 3.00 P. M., stopping at Berlin 2.47 P. M. Trains No. 4 and 5 run daily except Sunday.

Wicomico River Line. Steamer leaves Baltimore, weather permitting, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5.00 P. M. for Hooper's Island, Wingate's Point, Deal's Island, Roanoke Point, Mt. Vernon, White Haven, Widgeon, Allen Wharf, Quantico and Salisbury.

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Order Nisi.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico Co. In Equity No. 1594 Chv. July Term to wit: July 31, 1906.

Annie I. Roberts et al. versus Esau S. D. Insley, et al.

ORDERED, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Jay Williams, Trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 12th day of September next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico County once in each of three successive weeks before the 1st of September next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$5,310.00.

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Supplements to the Decalogue.

Our social organization has developed to a stage where the old righteousness is not enough. We need an annual supplement to the Decalogue. The growth of credit institutions, the spread of fiduciary relations, the enmeshing of industry in law, the interlocking of government and business, the multiplication of boards and inspectors, beneficent as they all are, they invite to sin. What gateways they open to greed! What fresh parasites they let in on us! How idle in our new situation to intone the old litany! The reality of this close knit life is not to be seen and touched; it must be thought. The sins it opens the door to are to be discerned by knitting the brows rather than by opening the eyes. It takes imagination to see that bogus medical diploma, lying advertisement and fake testimonial are death dealing instruments. It takes imagination to see that savings bank wrecker, loan shark and investment swindler in taking livelihoods take lives. It takes imagination to see that the business of debauching voters, fixing juries, seducing lawmakers and corrupting public servants is like sawing through the props of a crowded grand stand.—E. A. Ross in Atlantic.

Living in Coral Houses.

The church built of coral is one of the curiosities of the Isle of Mahe, one of the Seychelles Islands, in the Indian ocean. The Seychelles Islands, which are supposed by many to be the site of the Eden of the Old Testament, form an archipelago of 114 islands and are situated about 1,400 miles east of Aden and 1,000 miles of Zanzibar. They rise steeply out of the sea, culminating in the Isle of Mahe, which is about 3,000 feet above the level of the ocean and is nearly the center of the group. All these islands are of coral growth. The houses are built of a species of massive coral hewed into square blocks, which glisten like white marble and show themselves to the utmost advantage in the various tinted green of the thick tropical palms, whose immense fernlike leaves give pleasant and much needed shade. These palms grow as high as 100 feet or more, overtopping both the houses and the coral built church. They line the seashore and cover the mountains, forming in many places extensive forests.

A Sailor on Sea Pictures.

"I'll take a sailor along with me the next time I buy a marine painting," said a millionaire. "I bought two marines last month, and yesterday my old friend Captain Salthorse had a look at them.

"Salthorse said: "In this first picture we've got a trading schooner in charge of a tug towing away from a rock bound coast through a fearful jumble of sea. The schooner's mainmast is gone, and all sails are lowered except her staysail, which is kept hoisted, though she is towing head on to the gale. Why that hoisted staysail? All hands, I suppose, are drunk.

"In the second picture," continued Captain Salthorse, "the principal boat, an eighteen footer, is racing, yet has no flag flying. That's as incorrect as it would be for you to go to a dinner party minus a shirt. The crew of this boat are getting in the spinnaker, and, if they lower away, both spinnaker and boom will be in the water, for they have neglected to let the boom go forward. But I know what the trouble is with them. They, too, are drunk."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

His Visits to the Earl.

There is a well known English bishop who writes a very bad hand. This bad hand caused a sad error to happen some years ago. A young clergyman had written to the bishop to inquire about a vacant curacy, and the reply that the young man got informed him that the salary was small and the work difficult. But there was one mitigating circumstance. The incumbent, among his other duties, would visit the earl every morning and spend two hours there. The curate would have rejected the post but for the daily visit to the earl. That attracted him. There would, no doubt, be told himself, be many fashionable dinners to which he would naturally be invited. He would make many friends among the rich and powerful. These friends would be able to help him in his career. The earl, perhaps, had daughters. One of them—who knows?—stranger things had happened. And so the curate accepted the difficult and poorly paid curacy to discover on his first visit to the town that he had misread the bishop's letter and that his daily two hours' visit was not to the earl, but to the jail.

Wit of a Scotch Lunatic.

This lunatic asylum story comes from Glasgow: Two councillors of that city were taken over a large asylum the other day by one of the patients, a safe man. He had led them to a room to display a view from a window, when some one shut the door, with its self acting lock, and the three men were prisoners. The patient alone preserved his composure. While the councillors clamored to be released he remarked:

"If I were you I would be quiet." No help coming, the councillors grew desperate. Heads of perspiration stood on their brows, and they fairly yelled. "If I were you," repeated the patient soothingly, "I would keep quiet." "But we're no daft," pleaded one of the visitors. "Hoots mon, that's what I said myself when I was brocht in!"

Two Types of Biographical Writing.

It is an interesting fact in the history of literary genres that two of the great examples of biographical writing occur almost side by side. Less than a decade separates the completion of Johnson's "Lives of the Poets" from the publication of his own life by Boswell. Yet with the latter book a new type of biography came into being. Johnson, in the main, had, like most of his predecessors, followed a simple narrative and expository method, prefixing a plain story of the poet's life to a systematic account of his character and a critical estimate of his works. He gathered his facts and impressions together and spoke for the author and for himself. Boswell, on the other hand, making use of a more dramatic method, succeeded in his attempt to let the author reveal himself, and, instead of an exposition of character, painted a picture of personality to which his own comments were subordinate. What we see as a type of mind and character in Johnson's work we see as a living man in Boswell.—William T. Brewster in Forum.

Wise Girl. Now, there was a certain girl, and she had three wooers. The first wooer said she was the whole world to him, but she frowned upon his suit. The second wooer said she was the sun, moon and stars to him, but she bade him be on his way.

"To me," said the third, "you are a young woman of agreeable manners, with eyes that might be a little bluer, with a nose that is a wee bit puggy and with a few freckles and an annoying habit of blurring out your thoughts."

She married the third wooer. Being pressed for an explanation of her conduct, she said:

"My goodness! I think I was sensible. I married the only one that had courage enough to tell me of my faults before marriage, instead of waiting to throw them up to me afterward."—Life.

Blashing of Salads.

Too many people who are well bred in nearly every other respect are guilty of the solecism—to call it by the mildest name—of cutting up their salad on the plate. Of course salad has sometimes to be reduced to lower dimensions, so to speak, but it need not be done by the wholesale or quite in the businesslike fashion practiced by some. Grasping a knife in one hand and a fork in the other, they slash away at the inoffensive green stuff with a vigor and a noise of a miniature mowing machine until the bruised leaves are converted into shreds of their former selves. There is common sense in the convention that prohibits such a course. Nearly all green salads are broken into pieces of convenient size before sending to the table. Even when these are too large the leaf should be quietly divided with a fork.

Famous Boys.

A boy used to crush the flowers to get their color and painted the white side of his father's cottage in Tyrol with all sorts of pictures, which the mountaineer gazed at as wonderful. He was the great artist Titian.

An old painter watched a little fellow who amused himself making drawings of his pot and brushes, easel and stool, and said, "That boy will beat me some day." So he did, for he was Michael Angelo.

A German boy was reading a blood and thunder novel. Right in the midst of it he said to himself: "Now this will never do. I get too much excited over it. I can't study so well after it. So here goes!" And he flung the book out into the river. He was Fichte, the great German philosopher.

Monkeys Have No Fleas.

It is curious that monkeys should be thought to be infested with what naturalists call the Pulex irritans and what ordinary people know as the flea. As every zoologist is aware, monkeys have neither fleas nor any other parasite whatsoever, in which of course they differ vastly from man. As a matter of fact, when monkeys begin to pick each other about in the friendly way we have all observed they merely detach bits of hardened sebaceous matter which has been excreted by the glands, and the flea idea is entirely fabulous.

Her Sun Spots.

Sir Robert Ball on one occasion, after delivering a lecture on "Sun Spots and Solar Chemistry," met a young lady who expressed her regret that she had missed hearing him on the previous evening. "Well, you see," he said, "I don't know that it would have interested you particularly, as it was all about sun spots." "Why," she replied, "it would have interested me extremely, for I have been a martyr to freckles all my life."

Chess and Intellect.

It is doubtful whether a great chess player is often, we are sure he is not of necessity, to be regarded as a man of powerful intellect. It has never been shown that the greatest masters of the game were men with big brains for anything out chess.—London Saturday Review.

Her Plea For Delay.

"Will you be my wife, Jane?" "Will you ask me again, John?" "Why?" "Because I'd like to look round a little before I give you the direct answer."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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SATURDAY, AUG 18, 1906.

Republican Primaries NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the Republican voters of Wicomico county, to meet at their usual voting places in their respective districts, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1906

for the purpose of holding primaries to select three delegates from each district to attend a County Convention to be held in Salisbury, at the Court House, at 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, August 28, 1906, which said Convention will elect delegates, having four votes, to the District Convention of the first Congressional District of Maryland, to be held at Ocean City on Wednesday, August 29, 1906.

In case of contest, the polls should be held open from 2 to 5 o'clock and each side contesting will select one judge and together with the person hereinafter designated, will constitute the three judges who will certify by order of the State Central Committee, the result of said primaries.

The following persons are hereby designated to call the primaries to order in the respective districts of the county:

- No. 1, Barren Creek, Levin A. Wilson. No. 2, Quantico, James O. Wilson. No. 3, Tyaskin, Albert L. Wingate. No. 4, Pittsburg, James L. Truitt. No. 5, Parsons, John H. Tomlinson. No. 6, Dennis, Wilmer C. Collins. No. 7, Trappe, H. James Bounds. No. 8, Natters, Josephus E. Hayman. No. 9, Salisbury, Elmer H. Walton. No. 10, Sharptown, Wm. H. Knowles. No. 11, Delmar, Daniel H. Foskey. No. 12, Nanticoke, Thomas J. Walter. No. 13, Camden, Marion A. Humphreys. No. 14, Willards, Lemuel B. Duncan. WILLIAM H. JACKSON, WILLIAM H. KNOWLES, JOHN H. TOMLINSON, JAMES O. WILSON.

Republican State Central Committee for Wicomico County.

The Unsatisfactory Telephone Service.

There is but one word in the English language which can adequately—though inelegantly—describe the present telephone service in this city, and that word is rotten. It fairly bristles with a peculiarly apt and thoroughly "satisfying" meaning which can only be appreciated by a patron of the Diamond State Telephone Company, in this place.

The intense irony of the statement "the mail is quick; the telegraph is quicker, but the telephone is instantaneous" can only be thoroughly appreciated by those who have struggled for hours to get an answer to some "out of town" call. Only a few days ago, we called for Crisfield at nine o'clock, and had an answer at eleven, and the very next day called for Dover at the same hour in the morning, and received an answer at two o'clock in the afternoon. Volumes could be written upon the long distance service without half doing justice to the fearfully unsatisfactory conditions which now exist, and for which a speedy remedy is demanded by a "long suffering public."

But we are more especially concerned with the local service and it is with regard to this that we desire to speak in no uncertain terms. One of the delightful pastimes of certain operators is to "plug in" on a line that is busy and right in the midst of a conversation, to shout "All through?"—which sublime disregard of all rules of propriety and decency is as absolutely detestable as it is inexcusable. Two seconds "on the line" will suffice

to inform the operator that a conversation is in progress, and it is their business to at once "get off" and stay off until the "ring off" takes place—or until the usual time for a call has expired, when it again becomes their duty to try the line, and if no conversation appears to be taking place, the operator should ascertain whether or not there is any one waiting at either end, and if not, disconnect the phones at once. A certain operator at this central during the last month has "butted in" as high as four times in a single conversation and by that time human patience had ceased to be a virtue.

Another delightful habit of certain operators is to answer fairly promptly your call, and then pay no further attention to their request. After you have "waited long enough to have had your conversation and forgotten all about it, you ring again, and central sweetly trills out "num-b-r-r-r," with as supreme an indifference as though she had not ignored your former request and paid no attention to your call.

But the star performance of the present regime is to fasten two phones irrevocably together and then take a vacation. You may finish the conversation and "ring off" but the phones remain "in statu quo" and the indefinite "leave of absence" of central continues,—or their own conversations are entirely too important to give way to the trifling demands of important business. You may "ring off" again,—and "ring on,"—and "ring off" and "ring on," and continue ringing, until, disgusted in mind, and exhausted in body, you are about to give up the the forlorn struggle, and not until the vacation is over or the conversations have been finished and the exact psychological moment has arrived, will central deign to pay any attention to your repeated calls. And then, after a wearying half hour of toil and struggle of this kind, to have central, with a calm serenity inquire "All through?" is absolutely maddening; a cold chill runs down the spinal column,—human endurance has reached its utmost limit, and this,—the last straw,—has "broken the camel's back."

With flushed brow and quickening pulse, we wonder what might happen if telephones and wires, and houses, and brick walls and indefinite distances did not separate us from the calm effrontery of such supreme impudence. If the "ring off" drops do not fall, as is sometimes claimed by central, then it is the business of the electrician to see that they will fall. We are not concerned,—nor is the public,—where the fault lies. That it lies somewhere in colossal form is only too deeply impressed on the hearts and minds and consciences of all who are so unfortunate as to have business with the Salisbury central at the present time.

The telephone has come to stay and is one of the social and business necessities of the present, and there is a general demand for better conditions. There has been a sharp contrast in the service since the first of last July and while the public has been as lenient as possible under the severe provocation to which it has been subjected, the time has come when a change must be made.

We desire to say in justice to the officers of the company that we are fully aware they do not sanction in any way the character of the service now given to the people of this city. Since they succeeded the old Salisbury Telephone Company, they have done everything possible to show to a people of this community that they had at heart the interest of the people here. The old ground system was replaced at heavy expense with the metallic circuit and every possible improvement has

been made, and we feel confident that the general officials of the company are not aware of the present conditions, or if they are, that they are as entirely unsatisfactory to them as they are to the public in general.

If we have used stronger language than is our accustomed wont since we assumed control of this paper, our only excuse is that we have written this editorial from a vitally personal experience, and while smarting under one of the most flagrant instances of unsatisfactory service we have ever known. Indeed, had we not used all the moderation at our command, and instead, had expressed our thoughts in harmony with the real sentiments of our inmost being, we should have been compelled to have had this issue of THE COURIER printed on asbestos paper, and each copy tied to a hand grenade for safe distribution.

Editorial Jottings.

BATHING is still good at the corner of Division and William Streets, and the novelty of having a summer resort within such close proximity to the residents of that section of the town does not seem to be as fully appreciated by them as might be imagined.

THE HONORABLE THOMAS COLLIER PLATT is again fairly and squarely in the saddle of Republican politics in the Empire State. Dr. Osler ought to have some secret method of putting a quietus on such aged specimens, who so willfully violate his theory, and upset the scientific calculations of years!

THE skies are not as rosy as they seemed to be for the Honorable William J. Bryan. Several states are refusing to fall over themselves to get into the silver lined band wagon of the "peerless Nebraskan leader,"—notably the Illinois contingent. Mr. Bryan don't want to lose too many delegations of this character or the nomination which seemed to be almost within his grasp may be like the proverbial "pot of gold" at the end of the rainbow.

THE HONORABLE THOMAS A. SMITH must have serious fears as to the outcome this fall in this District, and well he may have! It is now announced that Senators Rayner and Whyte, and Governor Warfield are to train their oratorical guns upon the defenseless voters of the Eastern Shore, and what they will do to them before the "season is over" is a matter of doubt. Desperate indeed must be Mr. Smith's chances when it requires both United States Senators and the Governor of the State to help "pull him through."

THE people of Salisbury should have a glorious jollification meeting when the first stroke of work is commenced upon the paving contracts. The awakening of this place from the frightful dream of mud holes filled with brick bats, and mud holes in their raw and unprotected state, should have a celebration worthy of such an important event. The pick-ax used to strike the first blow should be used by the Mayor,—framed in gold, and preserved in the City Hall as a memento of the beginning of a "Greater Salisbury."

WHAT has come over the spirit of the dreams of Maryland's Democracy! Both times Mr. Bryan has run for the Presidency he received the cold shoulder at the hands of his party in this State, and many of the leaders made no concealment of their disgust at his nomination. Now, however, there is a general rush for high places in the Bryan procession, and the word has been passed along to "get in line" and doubtless "in line" they'll get. Shame, too, for Maryland will cast her vote squarely against him in 1908, should he be so unfortunate as to get the nomination, as it did in 1896 and 1900, when President McKinley received the electoral vote of this State.

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Town Topics.

—The Wicomico Shirt Company is installing eight new machines this week.

—Dr. Samuel A. Graham has purchased a gasoline buggy, which arrived in Salisbury Thursday.

—Mr. King W. Workman and Miss Martha A. Brittingham were married Wednesday by Rev. W. S. Phillips.

—Rev. M. J. Webb, of Baltimore, will preach in Division Street Baptist Church Sunday next, both morning and evening.

—The ladies of the Methodist Protestant Church held a lawn party last evening on the lawn of Mr. U. W. Dickerson.

—The incorporation certificate of the Truckers & Saving Bank, of Pittsville, was filed this week in the office of the Clerk of Court.

—Mrs. William Mitchell gave a porch party Wednesday evening at her home on Lake street in honor of her guest, Mrs. Stella Hitch.

—Miss Stella Hitch entertained several of her friends at her home on Smith street Monday evening in honor of Miss Stella Hitch, of Baltimore.

—The annual excursion of the Wicomico Presbyterian Sunday School to Ocean City will be held Tuesday. Special accommodations have been made for the dinner baskets of the excursionists.

—Owing to the absence of Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., the two coming Sundays there will be no preaching service in the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church either morning or evening on those dates.

—The motor truck of the L. W. Gunby Company arrived Tuesday and is proving very satisfactory. It has been kept busy carrying heavy loads of engines, boilers and iron and steel machinery to the wharves and depots.

—LOST:—A gold carved bracelet with initials engraved on inside, H. H. B. to L. T., between Walnut street, Poplar Hill avenue and B. C. & A. Station. The finder will receive liberal reward if returned to 311 Division street.

—The Salisbury Light, Heat & Power Company, it is stated, will in the near future install a new boiler at the plant on Isabella street and run a new feed line down Mill street to furnish additional current to Main street. A new dynamo is also talked of.

—Messrs. Luther Bennett, Loren Langsdale, Fred Taylor and B. A. Johnson took an examination yesterday afternoon under County Superintendent Bounds in competition for the scholarship to Washington College. The result will be announced today.

—The Pocomoke City Fair was held this week, and the weather has been the finest that could be expected. The track was in an ideal condition and the racing was superb. Ten thousand people were present Wednesday and Thursday there was even a larger crowd.

—Mrs. Alice Durham will open her small, select school in the school building on Gay street September 10. Mrs. Margaret Cooper will be associated with her, and the curriculum will include studies up to and including the sixth grade, and a few students above this grade can be accommodated.

—The annual excursion of the Sunday School of the Salisbury Methodist Protestant Church Wednesday broke all records, it is stated, for an excursion from Salisbury. Seventeen coaches were necessary to convey the immense crowd, and the train had to be run in two sections. Nearly a thousand people took in the trip.

—Secretary of the Navy Chas. J. Bonaparte gave a three column speech at the Allegany Chautauqua, near Cumberland, Monday, on Anarchism. Just prior to the speech, the Hungarian Orchestra rendered a number of selections and Mrs. Margaret P. Trussell, of this city, who is attending the meeting of the Chautauqua, sang a solo.

—Mr. Thomas W. Taylor, Jr., aged 21 years, of Onancock, Va., who was brought to the Peninsula General Hospital the first part of the week and operated upon for peritonitis by Dr. J. McFadden Dick, died Thursday afternoon. The body was prepared for burial by Mr. George C. Hill, and shipped to Onancock at 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

—Mrs. Ella Collier, wife of Mr. V. Frank Collier, died early Saturday morning at her home in Quantico, of a complication of diseases of long standing. She is survived by a husband and two children, Mrs. Albert Phillips, of Laurel, and Mr. Daniel M. Collier, of Philadelphia. The funeral, which took place Monday afternoon in St. Philip's P. E. Church, Quantico, was largely attended.

—The first play of the season at Ulman's Opera House will be "The Village Parson," a play which in recent years has captivated all its hearers, and which will be produced in Salisbury next Friday evening. The piece is now in its sixth year of success. It is an accurate picture of everyday life, and shows love, passion and intrigue. The trials and struggles of the parson and his young wife are the central part of the representation.

—Mr. D. S. Wroten has purchased the two houses on Lake street at the corner of Main street owned by Messrs. U. Christopher and George Waller Phillips, for the consideration of \$2200. The house at the corner of the two streets will be occupied by Mr. Ernest Holloway and family and the one next to it on Lake street will be occupied by Mr. Cannon Downing. The third house on Lake street, also owned by Mr. Wroten, will be occupied by Mr. William Bonnevillie.

—Mr. Wm. A. Trader has a "twenty-two-year-old colt" that's a match for any "three-year-old" in town. Mr. Trader drove to Jackson Brothers' office on Wednesday and stepped inside for a moment—and then—walked home! The "colt" didn't like the proximity of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad and objected to a few other things in the neighborhood, and speedily left for parts unknown. He gave the Police Justice a royal chase before he decided to be "good" again.

—In an art contest with 300 children that competed for prizes offered and widely advertised by John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, last fall, Miss Frances Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Williams, of this city, learned this week that she was one of the successful contestants and received as her reward a handsome suit case. Miss Williams is a diminutive artist, being only 8 years of age, and has been taking lessons in art of Miss Marian Veasey, of this city. The result speaks well for her training and talent.

—The Camden Box Ball team, composed of Messrs. Charles Holloway, Capt., Sewell Beauchamp, Ray Disharoon and Frank Holloway, challenge any other team in town for a series of three games Monday night. The unfortunate thing for their competitors is that the losing team has to pay for all the games. Competition is keen among the young men of town in trying to take Mr. Sewell Fields, Box-Ball championship title from him, and although no one has succeeded in beating his record of 172, several fine scores have been made. Among the best ones are 145 made by Ray Disharoon, 142 by Chas. Holloway and 140 by Sewell Beauchamp.

Personal.

—Miss Wilsie Adkins is visiting in Pocomoke City.

—Miss Laura Elliott is visiting relatives in Sharptown.

—Mrs. Charles Ulman is visiting her parents in Baltimore.

—Miss Bowen, of Snow Hill, is visiting Mrs. Ray Parker.

—Mrs. J. D. Price and Miss Lelia Morgan are at Ocean City.

—Miss Mary Rider, of Baltimore, is visiting friends in Salisbury.

—Mr. William Higgins, of Seaford, Del., is visiting friends in town.

—Miss Rosy Ingersoll is spending the week with her cousin in Baltimore.

—Miss Lillian Brown, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Margaret Simons.

—Mr. William Burton, of Cambridge, was a visitor in town last Tuesday.

—Miss Stella Hitch, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. William Mitchell.

—Mrs. I. E. Jones has been spending a portion of the week at Ocean City.

—Mrs. Alice Snow, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. Elliott.

—Prof. J. Frank Reigart, of New York, is visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Miss Jean Penuel spent the week with Miss Sallie Gayle, at Nandua, Va.

—Rev. T. N. Givans, of near Dover, Del., visited Prof. W. T. Dashiell Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Williams are spending two weeks at Atlantic City.

—Miss Annie Hardesty, of Whitesville, Del., is visiting Miss Floy Hardesty.

—Miss Cleo Baker, of Snow Hill, is visiting relatives and friends in Salisbury.

—Mrs. Mary P. Maddox is visiting her son, Mr. E. L. Maddox, at Rehoboth, Del.

—Miss Sadie and Annabelle Lowe, of Wilmington, have been circulating among friends and relatives in Wicomico county for the past two weeks and were joined Friday by their sister, Miss Nellie Lowe.

—Mr. and Mrs. George I. Culver, of Philadelphia, are spending the week with their aunt, Mrs. George W. Kennerly.

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—Mrs. Mollie Alderman, of Florida, visited her brother, Capt. W. F. Veasey, this week.

—Misses Gladys and Lillie Mitchell are visiting the Misses Anderson, at Upper Ferry.

—Rev. R. F. Gayle and family have returned from a stay of a few weeks at Nandua, Va.

—Miss Agnes Sneekner, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting Misses Mattie and Bessie Simons.

—Misses Lillian and May Coughlin have returned from a visit to relatives at Deal's Island.

—Miss Grace Disharoon, of Danville, Va., is visiting relatives in Salisbury and Fruitland.

—Mrs. U. C. Phillips and four sons are spending the week with relatives at Pocomoke City.

—Mr. Oscar Bethke, of Baltimore, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bethke.

—Dr. and Mrs. T. E. Martindale are spending two weeks at Ocean Grove and Atlantic City.

—Miss Susie E. Walter is spending several days at Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

—Mr. Lawrence Frantum, of Easton, was the guest of Miss Norah M. Whiteley last Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Evans, of Elizabeth City, N. C., are visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Mrs. Charles Leviness and two sons and Mrs. L. W. Dorman, are at Ocean City for some time.

—Misses Sadie and Annabelle Lowe, of Wilmington, have been circulating among friends and relatives in Wicomico county for the past two weeks and were joined Friday by their sister, Miss Nellie Lowe.

—Mr. Allen C. Brewington, of Brooklyn, spent a few days with relatives in Salisbury this week.

—Mr. Milton C. Tull, of Somerset county, visited his sister, Mrs. Wallace Ruark, this week.

—Miss Florence Lehman, of Baltimore, has been visiting Miss Cora Lankford during the week.

—Mrs. John S. Fulton and daughters, of Baltimore, are guests of Miss Laura White, on William street.

—Miss Lou Cartv, of Dover, Del., is the guest of her brother, Mr. Herman Cartv, on Walnut street.

—Misses Annie and Ethel Lowden-slager, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Twilley.

—Mrs. Woodland C. Disharoon is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Adkins, in Baltimore, this week.

—Misses May and Edna Reddish, of near Salisbury, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Willard Hearn, of Berlin.

—Miss Lula Trader, of Baltimore, and Miss Daisy Ellis, of Snow Hill, are the guests of Miss Mamie Phipps.

—Mrs. James A. Gordy, of New York, was a guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Irving S. Powell, Broad street.

—Mr. John H. Dulany and family, of Fruitland, left Tuesday for a stay of two weeks at Rehoboth Beach, Del.

—Mrs. M. A. Atkinson and Miss Atkinson, of Washington, visited Mr. and Mrs. William M. Day this week.

—Misses Mamie and Estelle Woolford, of Baltimore, are visiting the Misses Ruark, on Camden avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wood Boston and two children, of Baltimore, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradley part of this week.

—Mrs. William Reed and daughter, Margaret, of Hoboken, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William A. Trader.

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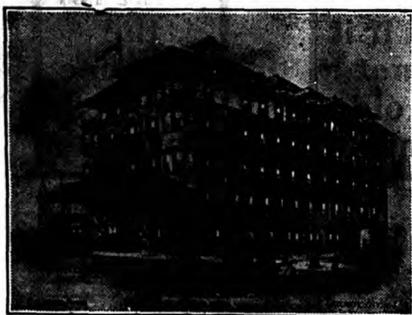
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An American Widow

By LOURENE RICHARDS

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It was at Lausanne, Lake Geneva, and at one of the small and quiet hotels, that Judge Fordham, U. S. A., was told by the landlord:

"You will be glad to learn that I have a compatriot of yours here. She has been here a week. She is a widow. I believe she comes from Chicago, Canada."

"Sure it isn't Philadelphia, Montana?" asked the Judge.

"I will at once find out all particulars, your excellency."

"Never mind just now. I'd like a few hours' rest before meeting the widow, American or otherwise. If you will be so kind, you needn't mention to her that I am here. I came away from my home in Boston, California, to escape a widow, and, you see, I don't want to bump up against another too soon. We Americans always want to walk around awhile before getting acquainted."

"It is so, your excellency, and your wishes shall be respected," said the obsequious host.

"How does the widow happen to be here alone?" inquired the judge without much show of interest.

"Her brother is at Lyons, France. He is a buyer of silks for Americans. He will soon be here."

"Is she good looking and rich?" asked the judge.

"Had I known, your excellency, that Chicago, Canada, had such handsome women I should have gone there for my second wife. As for riches, she has my best rooms and orders what she wants. My bill against her will be very much."

"Think she's on the marry?"

"When I saw you, sir, and knew that you were an American I said to myself:

"He comes from the same country. He looks like a widower. He appears to be rich. Why should not the widower marry the widow and thus make each other happy?"

"Thanks for your interest in the case, old man, but go slow. An American widower and an American widow will always find each other in good time if you leave them alone. Just leave it to us."

They met at the table, but were not introduced. A sharp-eyed person would have noticed that they were sizing each other up. Two days later, as the widow sat on the veranda with a book in her hand, the landlord and the judge approached, and the former indulged in a dozen bows and scrapes as he said:

"I have the utmost felicitation in presenting Judge Fordham to Mrs. Chatham."

The judge found the widow to be a woman not much over thirty. She was bright and keen and self-possessed. She found the judge to be a man of about forty-eight, hale and hearty and inclined to be frank spoken. Of course they became interested at once, and after a few minutes the landlord re-entered the office to say to his wife:

"Today, Marie, I have done a noble thing. The widower will marry the widow, and when they return to America they will probably live in New York, Arizona, and be happy all their days. Did I not tell you when we were married that as a landlord I should be a magnificent success?"

Neither the Widow Chatham nor Judge Fordham had a story to tell. It came out casually in conversation that she was the widow of a Chicago wholesale grocer and had taken the trip abroad at the instance of her brother Tom, who was a silk buyer for a New York house and who would soon be with them. It came out the same way that the judge had retired from the bench in New York and was now taking it easy abroad while his bonds went right on piling up interest. They found themselves agreeing on almost all subjects, especially on the greatness of Chicago and the purity of American politics, and now and then the landlord looked out to smile and turn to his wife with:

"Marie, compliment me on my magnificence. The widower and the widow are becoming more and more interested in each other."

The judge rather took charge of Mrs. Chatham after the first day. They rode out together, they boated together, they climbed the hills together. The subject of love wasn't even hinted at, but there were other persons than the landlord who smiled in a knowing way.

There was just a bit of mystery about the brother. He was to arrive at such a time and such a time, but he didn't arrive. It was all the fault of the silk men, he wrote. They were taking things easy and refused to be hustled. He would be along in good time, however, and in one of his letters he wrote that it would be a pleasure for him to meet the judge. The judge smiled grimly when this extract was read to him. He seemed to doubt it.

After their acquaintance had lasted two weeks and one day just after a telegram had been received by the widow the judge strolled into the railroad depot and found her about to take a train—that is, he thought she was. She had no baggage and appeared to avoid observation.

When she saw that she was discov-

ered she made some excuse and left the depot in his company. She was a bit glib for awhile, but soon rallied and was very gay that evening. Two days later a telegram announced that Brother Tommy was ill at home. The widow said that she would run over there for a day or two, and the judge said he would accompany her. He had a curiosity about the silk mills, and this would be a good time to gratify it. The widow suddenly decided that Tommy might get over his illness without any of her help. She had her fair share of sisterly affection, but Tommy was one of these fellows that always played baby even with a cold in the head.

Two mornings later the judge took an early morning walk. It was an hour before breakfast. He walked down to the depot to see the 6:30 train go out. He was on time, and he saw the Widow Chatham there. She dodged him and returned to the hotel instead of taking the train. When they met at breakfast neither one said anything about their walk, but the landlord rubbed his hands and smiled and said to his wife:

"Marie, my magnificence grows. The widower and the widow were out for a sunrise walk this morning. That means love and matrimony. I was the one to introduce them and bring two happy hearts together. Of course it will go into both bills as an extra."

There is a pretty fair mountain at Lausanne. It is high enough to have precipices and rugged enough to put a man out of wind to climb it. When you have followed "Lovers' walk" far enough you strike into "Heart's highway," and a quarter of a mile farther you debouch upon a platform called "Maiden's rest." The judge and the widow had been up there twice. On the afternoon of the early morning walk they took the path again. When they had reached the plateau and found seats and had a few words to say about the view the widow looked the judge fair in the eyes and said:

"Mr. Fordham, in about three minutes, unless you promise to leave Lausanne by the evening train, I shall begin to scream."

"Yes," he calmly replied.

"I shall run down the path shouting for help."

"Yes."

"I shall meet people and declare that you threatened me. I think you will understand what that will mean to you."

"Certainly, but there are loopholes in your plan. For instance, I have no less than three witnesses concealed behind the rocks up here. Then I have a telegram to the effect that your Brother Tommy is in custody at Lyons. I also have a second stating that his extradition papers, for which I have been waiting these many days, are ready for me."

"Where do I come in?" she asked after awhile.

"You don't come in. Tommy did the embezzling, and you simply ran away with him. So far as my instructions go, you are to be left behind here in Europe to enjoy yourself as best you may. No doubt you have some of the stolen money to pay your bills with, but I was not instructed to arrest you. I was simply keeping tab on you until the papers were ready for Tommy. Is there anything more to say?"

"Sir, I do not know you!" answered the widow as she arose and started down the path by her lonesome.

"And so you go away to Lyons?" repeated the landlord after the judge had announced his intentions.

"Yes; have to go."

"And the widow from Chicago, Canada?"

"I must leave her in your keeping. We have had a misunderstanding. You know how cantankerous American widows are."

"Marie," said the landlord to his wife that evening, "I may be magnificent and I may not. The widower and the widow have quarreled and he has started for Lyons, and it may be that he will never come back to plead for a reconciliation. The main point, however, is that I charged him two extras for falling in love with another guest of my house and falling out again, and maybe I am magnificent after all."

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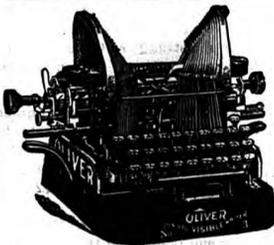
"John," said the manager, "you know very little about human nature if you're willing to leave a suit of furniture marked 'Sold' in sight of the public. If we left the suit here everybody that came in would be attracted by the 'Sold' sign on it and would want to buy it or its duplicate. The suit can't be duplicated, as you know, and so the people would be dissatisfied. This suit, because they couldn't have it, would seem to them the only desirable one in our stock. They would take no other. We should probably lose half a dozen sales."

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He is Only a Tramp, but He Puts Hans Wise as to How to Increase His Business.

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ONE day I don't have one single job of work in my shop, and I vvas smoking my pipe und wondering how long before I go by dot poorhouse when a tramp comes in. He vvas a man mit a cock eye, und he have a hole in one shoe. I look avhay from him und don't say nottings. He looks avhay from me und don't say nottings. It vvas two minutes before he chuckles und says: "Everybody works but fadder, und he looks lonesome. How about dat hole in my shoe?" "It vvas more like a shoe in a hole," I says. "Dat vvas so. When it vvas small I don't care how much water it lets in.



"A FAT MAN COMES IN MIT TWO PAIRS OF SHOES TO MEND."

Now dot it vvas so big dot it takes in paving stones I like to have it fixed." "It vvas cash on der nail if I fix it." "I does better ash dot, old man. You tinkler oop dot shoe for me und I shall put you next." "Next to vvat?" I asks. "Next to a week's work. Say, cobbler, I vvas only an old tramp mit one eye cocked up und no hope of going to heaven when I die, but I know a thing or two. Listen to me." Und we talk in confidence for half an hour. I mend his shoe und he makes me a sign to hang oop in my window dot night. Dot sign reads:

For governor—Hans der cobbler; his platform—no trusts, no rebates, no graft. Bring in your shoes to mend und talk it over mit der people's candidate.

I don't think much of dot sign when it vvas done, und I tell der tramp so, but he smiles und says: "If it don't put you next I vvas a goat. You go to bed tonight to dream of angels. In der morning you vvhil have plenty of customers. My name vvas Cock Eyed Sam. It vvas my business to know public opinion. So long, Cully. See you later."

I don't dream of any angels dot night, but I don't hardly swallow my breakfast in der morning before a fat man comes in mit two pairs of shoes to mend und says to me:

"By George, but I have been waiting for dis for twenty years! So you vvas going to run for governor?" "I vvas."

"Und you vvas down on trusts and graft and rebates?" "I fall on 'em like a house if I vvas elected."

"Good! Shake hands! Dere vvas a million people in dis state shust like me, und you shall be elected shust like grease. Fix oop dose shoes, und I bring you in some more. By golly, but we shall bust der grafters sky high."

When he goes out a young man comes in. He likes patches on two shoes. When I tells him how much it vvas he says:

"Hans, let me say a kind word to you. Don't be too previous."

"How vvas dot?" "Don't speak too much about grafting. It vvas all right. Everybody vvas in it, from der man who shingles der roof of a church down to der cook in der basement of your house. It has become an American custom. You can say you vvhil be down on murder, but go light on grafting. I vvas a public official. I don't steal 1 cent if you offer me a million dollars, but if I can graft a dollar now und den I do so to keep up to date."

When he goes out a woman comes in mit some children's shoes und says:

"Hans, vvas dot sign right? Do you run for governor?" "Yes."

"Und you vvhil go back on trusts, rebates und grafters?" "I vvhil."

"Den you vvas my candidate. Do you know I go by der butcher shop yesterday to get a chicken gizzard for my dyspepsia. I find all chicken gizzards in der hands of a trust, und nobody but millionaires can buy 'em. Must I suffer mit dyspepsia because I don't have carriages und diamonds und ten servants to wait on me? Not if my name vvas Mary Jane! I go in to make you governor und knock all trusts sky high. Hang out your banner und hurrar for our side!"

Der next person to come in vvas der coal man. He brings two old shoes of his wife's und holds 'em out to me und says:

"Hans, you see how it vvas mit der coal business. Everybody says we vvas a trust und grinding down der poor, but does dot look like it? My wife can't go to church because she has no shoes, und I have to walk because I can't afford to ride. I tell you it vvas all a mistake. Der peoples have got a wrong idea. It vvas der peoples who vvas grinding der trusts down."

"But you shump oop der price of coal when nottings vvas doing," I says. "But it vvasn't to make money. It vvas to teach people to place more value on der coal und keep it covered up avhay from der rats. Dere vvas no little money in der coal business. Iot I sell out und go to chopping wood. If you vvas governor don't make a fool of yourself. Come to me before you do anything und let me show you by my books dot I live on turnips on all last winter shust to accommodate der peoples."

Pooty queck when he vvas gone a man mit a red face comes in und slams a pair of shoes down on der counter und shouts at me:

"Hans, don't you make some fools of yourself?" "How?" "By stirring oop der peoples. Nobody vvas complaining now. All vvas willing to be robbed by trusts, rebates und grafters. Here vvas some shoes to mend, und my boy shall bring some more. I vwant you to let me alone."

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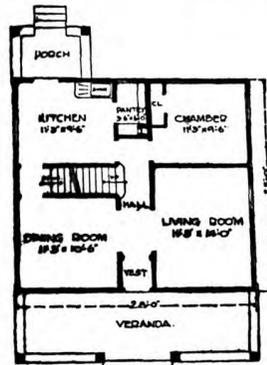
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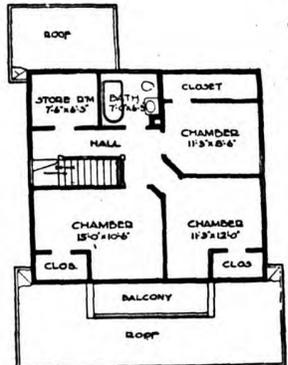
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PERSPECTIVE VIEW.



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

We present herewith design and plans of a picturesque frame cottage of one and a half stories, with a large front porch. The exterior is clapboarded, the roof shingled.

The first story consists of living room and dining room, which may be thrown together, kitchen, pantry and one bedroom. The hall is arranged to give access to the front door from kitchen and bedroom without passing through any other room.

Upstairs there are three bedrooms, with plenty of closets, a large bathroom and a storeroom. The cement floored basement contains laundry, with stationary trays, vegetable and coal bins. The estimated cost is \$1,200.

HENRY WITTEKIND.

ers und hurrar for our side!"

Der next person to come in vvas der coal man. He brings two old shoes of his wife's und holds 'em out to me und says:

"Hans, you see how it vvas mit der coal business. Everybody says we vvas a trust und grinding down der poor, but does dot look like it? My wife can't go to church because she has no shoes, und I have to walk because I can't afford to ride. I tell you it vvas all a mistake. Der peoples have got a wrong idea. It vvas der peoples who vvas grinding der trusts down."

"But you shump oop der price of coal when nottings vvas doing," I says. "But it vvasn't to make money. It vvas to teach people to place more value on der coal und keep it covered up avhay from der rats. Dere vvas no little money in der coal business. Iot I sell out und go to chopping wood. If you vvas governor don't make a fool of yourself. Come to me before you do anything und let me show you by my books dot I live on turnips on all last winter shust to accommodate der peoples."

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"People's vvas mistookan when dey speak about a milk trust. It vvas simply an organization to buy Bibles for the heathen in Africa. When der price of milk goes oop we buy more Bibles. When der price of butter goes oop dot vvas to furnish hymn books. Every time you buy a pound of butter or a quart of milk you are helping the heathen. Please understand dot und don't fool mit der milk und butter business."

Der milkman goes out und der fat policeman comes in. He looks at me in a mournful vvhay und says:

"Hans, I don't believe you vvas any sooch man."

"How?" I asks. "You like to take der bread out of my mouth."

"In vvat vvhay?" "Und vvas going to be elected governor und stop grafting. How can der police force get along if you do dot? Do you like to see us all go by der poorhouse?"

"I don't like it," I says. "But it vvas a custom. Everybody vvas used to it. Nobody complains. If a man finds me asleep in a saloon he grafts me. If I find somebody drunk I graft him. It vvas one hand wash der other, und nobody vvas hurt. Oop to dis time I make you fix my shoes for nottings. After dis I shall pay you. Go for der plumber und coal man, Hans, but give us honest men a chance."

Dot day more ash twenty peoples come into my shop mit shoes to mend, und everybody vvas my friend. Just before I shut oop in der evenings der cocked eyed tramp comes around. He sees all der shoes to be mended, und he sees der smile on my face, und he says:

"Cully, when you vvas in trouble consult a cock eyed man. Vvat he doesn't know about human nature you can't find out from der undertaker. A cock eyed man don't take a good photograph, but when it comes down to solid advice he vvas all dere und somet'ings to spare."

M. QUAD.

Moderation in Exercise.

It is better to be lazy than dead, and it is probably just as comfortable. For obvious reasons the prescription to take moderate exercise is misleading and unsatisfactory. Most of us are constitutionally incapable of exercising moderately. We begin violently and end quickly. And what is moderate exercise? One philosopher who tried it for twenty years arrived at this conclusion: "Keep a pair of Indian clubs in your bedroom. Look at them frequently. Exercise by their suggestion." This has the merit of moderation. It is the same as walking. Smell the morning, look down the long way that separates you from your business. Then take a car.—Detroit Free Press.

COUNTY.

Sharptown.

Rev. H. W. D. Johnson and family are at Rehoboth for a few weeks.

Rev. Wm. O. Bennett, of Sudlersville, is visiting his mother, this week.

Mrs. N. B. Bennett and children, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Nancy E. Bennett.

Capt. Frank C. Robinson and family, of Baltimore, are visiting his son, F. C. Robinson, Jr.

Mr. Matthew W. Adams, of Baltimore, was the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Gravenor.

Rev. Eugene A. Robinson, of Burlington, N. J., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drennon, of Cambridge, are the guests of Mrs. Drennon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson.

Captain J. W. Hurt, Wm. J. Knowles, Major A. Elzey, E. G. Bennett, J. R. W. Higgins and E. W. Bailey are home for much of the camp.

Dr. W. N. Cassaway took Mrs. Wesley English, of Riverton, to the Peninsula General Hospital Tuesday to have an operation performed for appendicitis.

Mrs. William T. Elliott, who has been quite sick with typhoid fever, suffered a relapse Saturday and a trained nurse was called in. Her condition is slightly improved.

Mr. Noah W. Owens, contractor and builder, has contracted to erect a new building on Railway street for Mrs. Jas. H. Morris of near Laurel, to be ready for occupancy in the fall. It will be near the residence of Thos. L. Windsor.

Companing Observances.

No preaching from Sunday afternoon until Tuesday night, owing to weather conditions.

The attendance was very small on Sunday owing to the threatening condition of the weather.

Rev. W. H. Bolen is a fine evangelist and did good work the early part of the camp, but could not remain during all the camp.

A downpour of rain on Sunday night made it uncomfortable for visitors, but good substantial tents made the tent-holders comfortable.

Preachers have been rather scarce, and some of those present have been sick. Rev. G. R. Neese, of Nanticoke, has rendered much service.

Boarding tent and confectionery table have done a good business, and are complimented for the excellent way in which the people have been served.

One of the leading social events was a supper given by Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Bennett to several of the stockholders of his new vessel. Those present were: S. J. Cooper, J. P. Cooper, Ned. R. Bounds, W. D. Gravenor, N. T. Gravenor, Jr., Thos. J. Sauerhoff, E. W. Bailey, H. H. Phillips, John S. Cooper, W. H. Knowles and B. P. Gravenor and Severn C. Bradley. The delicacies of the season were served in the dining room of the Captain's tent. All enjoyed themselves and spoke highly of their host and hostess.

White Haven.

Mr. W. W. Larmore spent Monday in Baltimore.

Several of our people attended the Pocomoke Fair this week.

Miss Sadie Webster, who has been visiting relatives here returned to Mt. Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Causey and son, are spending the week with his brother, H. B. Causey.

Mrs. R. L. Leatherbury, of Salisbury, was the guest of Mrs. I. T. McLain a few days this week.

Mr. W. K. Leatherbury started his canning plant this week, which means quite a good bit of work to some of our unemployed people.

Mrs. G. M. White, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Culver, Jr., returned home Friday afternoon.

On Sunday, Aug. 12, the steamer Virginia backed into the Walkiki, while the latter was lying at her wharf and burst the star-board side, also slightly bursting the port side.

Two horses attached to a dayton became frightened at a sail boat Thursday afternoon, while crossing the Wicomico river at White Haven, and backed overboard. They were drowned before they could be rescued. The team, which was a valuable one, was owned by Mr. Joseph Ellegood, of Princess Anne.

The correspondent from Heuron in last week's issue of the Courier should be corrected. He says, "a picked nine from White Haven, Providence and other places played their team, etc'". It should be stated that one man from White Haven went to the assistance of the Providence team, and pitched the three last innings, Hebron not scoring a run while he, Bounds, was in the box. Hebron is thus not correct. State facts!

One of the liveliest chases that was ever known in White Haven occurred one day this week. If it can be pardoned, the name had better be omitted. The fun began in this way. The party's company came very late, and while the fowl tribe was considered most convenient, it nevertheless was more trouble than one would imagine. Starting for the rooster, which showed no signs of inward feeling, he opened the darkened home and the fowl noticed his would-be captor approach and aroused himself from his perch with a shake. Having no time to spare he reached his arm in the coop, but the rooster was not to be taken simply for the asking. It might be termed a foul day, for by a sudden movement the rooster flew past him to his liberty.

Then the real fun began. The first thing the rooster did was to fly over in a neighbor's yard and the "chaser" was right after him but before he cleared the fence which divided the two lots the rooster had gained the street and had a good lead with the "chaser" bringing up the rear. The rooster endeavored to put his pursuer off the trail by flopping over in another yard, but not so, for he flopped too. Again the rooster went over the next fence by a good foot and beat him by a minute. Here the rooster just to try his tantalizing pursuer out, ran around the yard at a fast clip on about three different occasions. He had his hands on the rooster but by a sudden spurt the fowl invariably ran away, leaving him clinging desperately to a few feathers. "Never say chicken again!" remarked the man, and it is expected the advice will be followed.

Bivalve.

Miss Susie Insley was at Tyaskin Monday last.

Some of our people attended the fair at Pocomoke this week.

Miss Nettie Huffington is spending this week in Salisbury.

Tomato picking and watermelon hauling are the troubles of the hour.

George D. Insley & Sons, canning factory is now running at full speed.

Quite a number of our young people attended camp at Sharptown Sunday last.

Miss Stella Dennis, of Pittsville, spent a few days here as the guest of Miss Corn Insley.

Mrs. Jennie Turpin who has been visiting relatives here has returned to her home in Salisbury.

Mr. W. R. Robertson and wife of Baltimore, are spending this week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Insley.

Mrs. Clara Larmore, of Tyaskin, and Miss Mary Insley, of Baltimore spent Wednesday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dunn.

Mardela.

The Misses Brattan are entertaining some city friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Truitt are both confined to their bed with a fever.

Samuel Bounds who has been sick with typhoid fever, is able to be up again.

Miss Mary Robertson and Mr. Robertson, of Virginia, are guests of Mrs. C. N. Cooper.

Miss Sallie A. Phillips, who for the past two weeks has been quite sick, is not much improved.

Miss Fanny Wilson, who for the past three weeks has been visiting out of town returned home Wednesday.

The Misses Bounds, of Main street are entertaining the Misses Wilsons, of Baltimore and Miss Maggie Wilson, of Suffolk, Va.

Mrs. Layman and daughter, of Baltimore, Mrs. Bailey and daughter, of Cambridge and Miss Harrington are spending sometime as the guests of Miss Annie Bounds.

The Misses Murphy, of Rhodesdale, Miss Zilda Ellis and Miss Blanche Wheatley, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. Wilson, on Main street, Tuesday of this week.

Willards.

Mr. Charles E. Davis, son of Mr. Mitchell Davis, has returned to Philadelphia, after spending his vacation here.

Mrs. J. H. Brattan has been having lots of trouble recently with rats killing her chickens. To rid the place of these pests, she spent a day collecting all the cats available in the neighborhood. The rats have left—there was too much opposition—but the neighbors say that it is hard to tell which keeps the most noise in the early hours of the morning, the cats fighting and mewling or Hillary snoring.

Mr. George W. Davis, a veteran of the Civil War, is an enthusiastic player of quills. He spends hours every clear day in front of the store of Mr. E. G. Davis, and is quite proficient with the rings. He became so interested in the game and put such fervor in his playing the other day, that he threw one of his shoulders out of joint. He was soon straightened out, however, and it was not long before he was playing the game with as much energy as ever.

Kelley.

Mr. Perry Reese lost a valuable horse one day last week.

Mrs. Charles J. Fooks is spending a short time with her son, Mr. George W. Fooks.

Mr. Affria Ruark is at the Peninsula General Hospital to be operated upon for a tumor in his breast.

The camp-meetings are about over now in the groves and the next camp will be in the corn fields pulling blades.

This is the time for butterbeans, corn and fried chicken. Some farmers had such a bad crop of corn that they have not enough to go with their beans.

Quite a number of the folks of this neighborhood attended the camp Sunday, to come home in the rain. Some of the bridges were floating as they came home.

Mt. Pleasant.

A large number of people of Willards, Powellville and other places, spent last Thursday at Ocean City. Most of the people are idle in this section as the mills have stopped on account of camp meetings and wet weather.

Mrs. Sallie M. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dennis, of Salisbury, Mr. I. S. Williams, William Adkins, Calvin Davis, and Mrs. N. L. Dennis, of Powellville, were at the home of Mr. W. G. Nicholson last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins and Miss Mollie Moore, of Willards, visited Mrs. Adkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Nicholson, last Saturday and Sunday. Miss Nora Shockley, who has been on a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jerome Lewis, returned to her home Tuesday.

Campbell Held For Grand Jury.

Charles Campbell, of South Salisbury, was brought before Justice of Peace Thomas J. Turpin during the week on the charge of stealing a coat and \$20.00 belonging to Mr. Harry Smith. Mr. Smith and a party of companions made arrangements to go down the river last Saturday evening on a gasoline boat and employed Campbell to take a number of things in a wagon down to the boat. Among the things placed in the conveyance, was a coat belonging to Mr. Smith containing \$20.00 and when the things were unloaded Mr. Smith looked for the coat, and not finding it, presumed that it had been placed on the launch. However, after they had left the wharf, it was discovered that the coat had not been carried on at all. The following day, according to the evidence, the coat was found in Campbell's possession, minus the money. Campbell claimed that the money had disappeared before he got hold of the coat, but he was held by the Justice for the action of the Grand Jury in three hundred dollars bail. Attorneys Toadvin and Bell represented the accused, while State's Attorney Joseph L. Bailey represented the State.

Personal.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn Fooks, Jr., and baby, of New York, are visiting at the home of Mr. E. S. Adkins.

—Mr. Denwood S. Whyte, of Washington, D. C., formerly of THE COURIER is visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Miss Eva G. Trice, of Seaford, Del., is spending some time in Salisbury as the guest of Miss Norah M. Whiteley.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons and two children, of Wilmington, visited Mrs. Hesse Jackson part of this week.

—Mr. Thomas H. Mitchell and son, Thomas H. Mitchell, Jr. spent part of this week at the Atlantic Hotel, Ocean City.

—Mr. Frank Parsons, of Baltimore, is spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives in Salisbury and Wicomico county.

—Mr. Grover Cooper, of Wicomico county, will open an overall factory at Fishing Creek, Dorchester county, shortly.

—Mrs. Emma L. Wilcox and the Misses Wilcox have returned from a two weeks' stay at Ocean Grove and Asbury Park.

—Misses Annie Brader and Edna Calloway, of Wilmington, are spending three weeks with Salisbury friends and relatives.

—Mrs. Hugh Phillips and children, of Washington, D. C., who have been visiting relatives in Salisbury, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riggan, who have been visiting relatives in Salisbury, have returned to their home in Somerset county.

—Mr. Harry White, of Washington, and Mr. Joseph White, of Mobile, Ala., are visiting relatives in Salisbury and Wicomico county.

—Mr. James Craig, of Baltimore, formerly a seaman on the United States battleship Maine, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradley.

—Misses Mattie and Bessie Slemmons gave a straw ride to Siloam Camp Thursday evening in honor of their guest, Miss Sneekner.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fooks, of Hobboken, N. J., and Mrs. Lizzie Fooks, of Connecticut, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T. Williams.

—Mr. J. Edward White started to spend a vacation at Atlantic City, but became tired of the strenuous life and its gaieties and returned home Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Turner, of Nanticoke, left Tuesday for Pocomoke City, where they will spend a few days at the Fair, afterwards visiting Ocean City and friends in Salisbury.

—Mrs. C. A. Hill, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Carrie and Miss Blanche Harmon, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. William J. Downing. Rev. C. A. Hill, D. D., is expected to arrive in Salisbury later for a visit.

—Mr. Charles E. Alexander, of Elkton, is visiting relatives in Salisbury until Monday. On his return he will be accompanied by his wife who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sampson Downing.

—After an absence of nearly a year spent in travelling through the West in search of health, Mr. Charles J. Birkhead, of the Birkhead-Shockley Company, returned to Salisbury this week much improved. The last two months were spent by him at Atlantic City.

August Furniture Sale. We do not handle furniture that is especially made to sell cheap. All through this list note the prices. They are plain enough and have been made honestly, and as for the character of every piece with the newness of the factory rubbed until it glitters with a high luster, it sparkles fresh from the polisher.

ROCKEFELLER'S GREAT TRIP. Novel Incidents Of The Oil King's European Tour. Dr. H. F. Biggar, the family physician, who accompanied John D. Rockefeller abroad, says Mr. Rockefeller was recently benefited physically by his recent European trip.

Kennerly & Mitchell. 253-257 MAIN ST. BIG DOUBLE STORE. T. BYRD LANKFORD, No. 308 Main Street, SALISBURY, MD. Dealer in Bicycles, Sporting Goods, Rambler and Thomas Flyer Automobiles, Motor Boats, Indian Motor Cycles, Base and Foot Balls, Gas Mantles and Supplies, Fishing Tackles, Columbia, Tribune, Stormer, Crawford, Hartford and Acme Bicycles, and Bicycle Sundries.

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C. E. CONVENTION.

Programme for the Big Event to Take Place in Salisbury Three Days During October.

Indications are that the biennial convention of the Maryland Christian Endeavor Union to be held in Salisbury, Md., October 15, 16, 17 and 18, will be one of the most successful in the history of the Union, not only in point of attendance, but because of the practical results that are expected to follow the attractive conferences that are being arranged. The number of delegates or Endeavorers attending from each society is not limited. The Salisbury Committee invites the Endeavorers of Maryland to come and free entertainment will be offered, provided application shall be made before October 5 in Mr. W. C. Humphreys, Chairman Entertainment Committee, Salisbury, Md.

Already a number of societies have signified their intention of sending strong delegations to the convention. Reduced railroad rates have been secured and the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railroad which has been selected as the official route from Baltimore, has made a special rate of \$2.50 for the round trip. To take advantage of the reduced rates, application should be made to the Convention Transportation Manager, Mr. W. C. Perkins, 1609 W. Lombard St., Baltimore, before October 10.

An outline of the convention program follows: Monday, October 15—Delegates from the Western Shore will leave Baltimore at 4.10 p. m., by B. & A. boat for a sail of three hours on the Chesapeake Bay, arriving at Onitona at 7.30 p. m., then taking a special express train, to be run on Monday evening only arriving at Salisbury at 8.50 p. m. All other days the train that meets this boat will arrive at Salisbury at 9.45 p. m. Upon arrival at Salisbury there will be a reception and registration of delegates and assignment to homes.

Tuesday, 9 a. m.—Opening of the convention, with address of welcome by Mayor Harper. Then will follow six brief addresses on "six subjects of vital interest to Christian Endeavor." These will include "Elements Necessary for its Success," and "Causes which Lead to its Failure."

In the afternoon there will be four conferences on different branches of the work and in the evening two great simultaneous meetings at the Opera House and the Methodist Protestant Church. The evening meetings will be addressed by speakers of wide reputation and special music will be rendered by the great chorus.

Wednesday—In the morning at the Methodist Protestant Church there will be an open parliament on "Best Things Your Society Has Done," and brief addresses on committee work. At the Presbyterian Church there will be an address on "Junior Work," by a Junior worker of prominence, followed by a conference with suggested questions for discussion.

An afternoon session at the Methodist Protestant Church will be taken up with the reports of officers. At 8.30 p. m. in the Opera House, a great Junior Rally will be held. There will be special music by a large Junior Chorus embracing many new and original features, and an illustrated object talk by a noted speaker from Boston.

In the evening two great meetings are planned for the Opera House and the Methodist Protestant Church, with addresses at each place by speakers of international reputation, and music by the great chorus.

Thursday Morning—Closing session. Reports of special committees. Report of Nominating Committee. Election and installation of new officers. A few words from the new President. Introduction of the Salisbury 1906 Committee. Awarding of banners. Special music by the chorus. A crowning address. Adjournment.

In the afternoon a side trip will be taken to Ocean City, returning to Salisbury the same evening.

A "Camp Fire Meeting" will be held at 8 p. m. This meeting will be informal, having no regular program, but consisting of bright music, impromptu talks, getting thoroughly acquainted and season of social inter-denominational fellowship.

Injured by Train.

Thomas Davis, for three years an employee of the Crystal Ice Company, was run over and had his right leg badly mangled just below the knee yesterday morning by one of the early trains on the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad.

When the south bound express which arrives in Salisbury about 7.45 o'clock, neared the scene of the accident, the engineer spied a strange object laying on the track. The express was stopped and the object was found to be Davis.

The unconscious man was placed on the train and brought to Salisbury. The ambulance was called and the man was taken to the Peninsula General Hospital. Drs. L. W. Morris and F. M. Slemmons, the surgeons for the corporation, were hastily summoned, and the leg was amputated just below the knee. The patient was reported yesterday afternoon as doing nicely.

Notice!

Religious services will be held on Fruitland church tomorrow, Sunday, as follows: Siloam, preaching 10.00 a. m. St. Lukes, preaching 8 p. m. Fruitland, preaching 7.30 p. m. W. W. White, pastor.

THRILLING EXPERIENCE.

Immense Swarm of Bees Savagely Attack Man and Beast—Horse Killed; Man Seriously Injured.

A stirring tale of adventure with bees comes from Powelville wherein a man and a horse were stung so badly that the latter died and the man came near following suit. The facts are vouched for by reliable people, and there is no cause to doubt its authenticity.

Last Friday Mr. "Jed" Davis, who drives a team for Mr. L. J. Powell, a merchant at Powelville, was returning from Snow Hill with a load of flour and had gotten within one mile of Powelville when a high swarm of bees with one fell swoop attacked the man and beast. The horse fell to the ground and in a moment was covered by an innumerable number of bees, estimated to fill two to four bushels. The animal was so filled with poison that he died an hour later.

The bees lighted on the man, too, and with a shriek he fled to a nearby ditch. Thinking that he would evade the bees, he doused his head beneath the cooling water. He had to breathe, though, and then it was an inning for the bees. It is needless to say that they took advantage of it. The water plastered his hair to his head, and the bees had a better opportunity than ever to insert their stings. The man continued to shriek, and at last some people nearby ran to his rescue. It is stated that his head swelled to nearly twice its normal size. Mr. Davis was placed under the care of physicians, and hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

Mr. Joseph Cantwell, of Salisbury, a salesman for the firm of S. Q. Johnson came along shortly after and the immense swarm tried to settle on him and his horses. He saw his danger at once, however, and urging his horses on, they made the trip to Powelville in a run.

At last the bees alighted and then those that came to the assistance of Davis secured torches of rod and burned to death a large number of the pests.

DEATH OF W. H. COULBOURNE.

Prominent Citizen of Wicomico County Passes Away At His Home in Nutters District Thursday.

Mr. William Henry Coulbourne, one of the most prominent and highly respected citizens of Nutters district, died at his home opposite the Carey Mills, about two and one-half miles from Salisbury Thursday about twelve o'clock.

Mr. Coulbourne was born on the 20th day of December 1841, in Worcester county, and moved to Wicomico in 1874 since which time he has taken quite an active part in the Democratic politics of this county, figuring conspicuously in various important gatherings of the party, having been repeatedly elected to the State, County and Congressional conventions. He was a member of the House of Delegates in 1894, before which time he had been a member of the board of County Commissioners. In these positions he always discharged his duties conscientiously, and with fidelity, and made a large number of friends during the times he was in office.

Mr. Coulbourne's death came as quite a shock to his large number of friends in Salisbury, as he was in town last week, and appeared before the board of County Commissioners in a matter of interest to a number of people in his district.

He leaves three children, all of whom are of age, Messrs. Augustus Coulbourne, J. D. Coulbourne, and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, all of Nutters district. He is also survived by a widow, Mrs. Margaret Coulbourne. Mr. Coulbourne in recent years has accumulated considerable property and leaves a very comfortable estate.

The funeral services will take place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at his late home and will probably be conducted by the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Fruitland, of which Mr. Coulbourne had been a member for a number of years.

Fastest Launch in the World.

The speed boat "Fairbanks," owned by the Fairbanks Company, of Baltimore, arrived in Salisbury Wednesday last in charge of Mr. Fowler, one of the company's salesmen, with a Talbot county captain as pilot and Mr. Fink, of the Baltimore shops of the company as engineer. The boat which is said to be the fastest 30 foot boat in the world, was brought here at the request of Messrs. R. D. Grier and Otis Lloyd, the local agents of the Fairbanks engines.

The launch is equipped with a three cylinder, fifteen horse power Fairbanks engine, and develops the remarkable speed of 22 miles an hour. The hull, which is built of cypress was constructed at Oxford and specially designed by the company after what is known as the Fairbanks model.

The motion of the engine is perfect and the boat moves along with a rapidity and smoothness that is remarkable.

The "Fairbanks" recently won the cup in the St. Michaels regatta, completely outdistancing its numerous competitors in the races, and it was immediately after this event that Messrs. Grier and Lloyd determined to get the boat here if possible.

They have been exhibiting the boat to quite a number of friends who have been delighted with its speed and smoothness. It is expected that it will remain for some little while as yet and they are planning a number of trips during its stay here.

BALTIMORE JUBILEE.

Plans for Big Event in Monumental City—Salisbury Soldier Boys To Participate.

Never before have the people of Maryland enjoyed such an opportunity for witnessing such a series of magnificent pageants as will be afforded them at the Greater Baltimore Jubilee and Home-Coming which is to be held September 9th to 10th inclusive. The three big spectacular parades which are to be held September 11th, 12th and 13th will be on a scale seldom attempted and rarely equalled. The original expectations of the Citizens' Committee will unquestionably be surpassed by the mammoth processions, for positions in which applications have been filed so rapidly and numerously that a revision of the entire detail of each day's features has been made necessary to accommodate all who would take part in the grand celebration, which is to commemorate the recovery of the State's metropolis from its trial by fire two and a half years ago.

The three monster parades will be inaugurated Tuesday, September 11th, with a great military display. In this procession, which is to pass through the principal streets, there will be the whole National Guard of Maryland, "horse, foot and dragon." There will also be numerous crack military companies from sister States, including the far famous Light Infantry Blues, of Richmond, Va., which is known the length and breadth of the land as the premier militia body of the South. In addition, there will be detachments of regulars from the forts adjacent to Baltimore and among these may be a cavalry troop from Fort Myer with a mounted band. Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte has promised to try to send two warships to Baltimore during Jubilee Week, and if he does the jockeys from these vessels will take part in the military display, dragging some of their small guns with them.

September 12th the parade will consist of floats bearing displays of the merchants; hosts of the employees of the great manufacturing and railroad corporations; thousands of members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. from all over Maryland, and a great concourse of sons of the Fatherland, who will constitute a German division. The Pennsylvania and B. & O. R. R. Companies expect to send 5000 men each into the parade with a dozen bands, and the railroad division will be headed by the United States Marine Band from Washington. Sons of the floats which will be in line will be wonderfully beautiful. The Germans are to have one designed by the famous sculptor Hans Schuler, who is now engaged directing work upon it.

The third day's parade will constitute one of the most interesting features of Jubilee Week—the firemen's turnout. There will be in line all the Baltimore companies, and as many as possible of the companies from out of town which aided in subduing the great fire. The places of honor in line will be given the out-of-town contingents and the Maryland boys who so promptly responded to the call for aid by their city cousins in time of peril will be given a distinctive place near the front.

Baltimore will be swarmed with visitors during Jubilee Week, but assurance comes from headquarters that there will be provided ample room for all, many private families having expressed themselves ready to throw open their homes for the entertainment of the city's guests if it is necessary.

Plodes for \$50,000 have been received by the committee in charge of the arrangements, and the success of the Jubilee is now assured.

Lieut. H. Winter Owens of the First Infantry is busy enlisting recruits in Company I. It has been announced that the First Regiment is to participate in the Jubilee, and he expects to have a full company by that time.

More Paving to Be Done.

At an important meeting of the City Council held last Tuesday evening, it was decided to pave East Church Street as far as the New York Philadelphia and Norfolk railroad station with the same brick paving material which is to be used for the paving of Main, Dock and Division streets, the contracts for which has already been given out. The change in the plans of the City Council were made because Engineer Hatton, under whose supervision the improved streets are to be built discovered a big mistake in his figures Monday, and it was necessary to have a special session of the Council so that a consultation could be had with Mr. Sweden, the contractor. Mr. Hatton discovered that in figuring the number of square yards of paving for Main, Dock and Division Streets, he had made a mistake of 4250 square yards, and instead of their being 9800 yards of paving, there was only 5550. When the difficulty was explained to the contractor, he stated that he did not care to take so small a contract, and the Council at once requested Mr. Hatton to make an accurate calculation as to how far 9800 square yards would carry the paving, and it was found that East Church street could be paved nearly to the station, and the contract was immediately given out by the Council for this additional work. It is estimated that the entire work of paving Main, Dock, Division to Church and Church street to the Railroad can be completed for about \$30,000, and as the Council has about \$50,000 at its disposal for this work, it will be readily seen that the most important streets of the city can now be paved. The Council was very much gratified that the error was so much in favor of the city and that so much additional work could be done.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Received At The Clerk's Office in Salisbury for Record During The Past Week.

L. E. Williams and wife to William B. Tilghman, confirmatory deed of lot on Camden avenue, \$1.
George E. Bennett and wife to Benjamin S. Parker, two lots in Mardela Springs, \$5.
James Robinson and wife to Ava J. Connelly, lot in Sharptown, \$175.
Ernest E. Burbridge and wife to Emory M. Dennis, 115 acres in Willard district, \$1000.
Quinton S. Leonard, Elmer J. Johnson and wife to Rebecca E. Leonard, 115 acres, \$1900.
E. S. Adkins and wife to Elmer C. Williams, lot on Railroad street, \$600.
James H. Coulbourn and wife to Andrew A. Baker, lot on Cemetery street, \$285.
Parsons Cemetery to James A. Bradley, lot, \$40.
Allison A. Gillis and wife to James A. Bradley, lots 8 and 9 in Block 3 of Camden Boulevard Subdivision, \$1000.
Solomon T. Huston and wife to Charles E. Toadvine, lot on Inabella street, \$185.
Charles E. Williams and wife to William A. Burton, 7 acres in Parsons district, \$250.
R. B. White and wife to Glen Ferdue, 34 acres in Salisbury district \$5.
George Seldon and wife to Watson D. Mitchell one and one-half acres in Tyaskin district, \$25.
Grant Sexton et al, to Harry S. Todd, lot on Main street, \$3000.
Elijah Townsend and wife to William I. Townsend, 1 acre in Trappe district, \$10.
John S. Cutler and wife to J. Clayton Kelley, lot on Main street extended, \$300.
James Spicer Phillips and wife to William Richard Hall, 60 acres in Pittsburg district, \$1600.

Roosevelt As Senator.

According to a Washington despatch, it is Mr. Roosevelt's ambition to become a Senator from New York after his retirement from the White House in 1909. At present there are two vacancies, so to speak, from New York. Technically, Mr. Platt's term expires March 4, 1906. The State has got out of the habit of sending first-class men to the Senate, and is not perhaps, likely to revive it. Would Mr. Roosevelt be as free in the cloistered air of the Senate chamber as in the House? Would he not be caged, cribbed, confined? Who knows? The free man stands a better chance there than in the House, where you are the Speaker or a member of the Committee on Rules. Even the Old Man Eloquent might have hard sledding in the House nowadays. But it is unnecessary to worry about Mr. Roosevelt's future; nor can he have time to worry much about it. When he loses his present job he may like to go abroad strange countries for to see and to meet the sovereigns and statesmen whom he keeps a-guessing. Finally, so long as he has a voice, a pen, and a gun, he will keep healthy and happy and not let the public burst in ignorance of his opinion, whether he has an office or has none.—'With the Procession,' Everybody's Magazine for September.

An Oregon Sunset.

The August number of the Sunset Magazine is devoted largely to exploiting Oregon. The cover, designed by Maynard Dixon, is a picture of a mountain lass riding trail with Mt. Hood in the background. The leading article, "Midsummer Oregon," by John Gill, is an interesting description of the playgrounds in the Lewis and Clark country. It is well illustrated by excellent halftones of prominent buildings in Portland and outing pictures of sea-coast and forest. Emma Seckle Marshall has some things to tell of Oregon's wool industry that are a surprise to those not in the know regarding Oregon's resources. Dennis H. Stovall's article on the mines of Southern Oregon is also a surprise. Such articles give the faintest heart hope in the future. There are other interesting things in this number, including a story by Frank H. Spearman, and orange articles by J. Parker Whitney, and A. J. Wells, and an optimistic view of greater San Francisco, by Earle A. Walcott.

Leap Year In The Philippines

A young American went to the Philippines to teach school and assist in the process of benevolent assimilation. He fell in love with a Filipino girl, who reminded him of the coeds at home, and who adopted his progressive American ideas with religious fervor. One day he succumbed to the temptation of romancing about the legendary custom of leap year proposals. His words took root and bore fruit. Of the complications that followed—painful to every one but the Filipino co-ed, who came through with the customary aplomb of co-eds—the story goes on to relate. "Benevolent Assimilation," by James Hopper, in the September McClure's is a delightful comedy with live people for its characters, and lots of Filipino color and atmosphere.

Free Scholarships In Nurse Training.

The Philadelphia School for Nurses has purchased large properties at 2219-25 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, and will extend the benefits of the Free Course in Nursing to young women of every rural community and of the smaller towns and cities throughout the entire country. The course is two years, but may be shortened to eighteen months by six months' reading and study at home. The School provides room, board, nurse uniforms, gives full instruction, and pays the student's fare home at the end of the course. A special short course is provided for those who cannot spend two years in the study but who wish to quickly prepare themselves for self-support. The object of those who are providing the funds for this work is to ultimately extend the benefits of skilled nursing to every village and township in the land. Nearly 200 Free Scholarships will be available this year.

AUTO'S RECORD RUN.

From City Hall, San Francisco, To Herald Square, New York, in Fifteen Days And Six Hours.

From the city hall, San Francisco, to Herald square, New York, in fifteen days and six hours by automobile is the remarkable record ride accomplished by L. L. Whitman in a six cylinder Franklin car of thirty horsepower. That performance cuts seventeen days and eighteen hours from the best previous record from coast to coast. His feat at once establishes the high perfection to which the construction of the American automobile has attained and signals the practicability and efficiency of the six cylinder type of engine for motor vehicles of high power.

Whitman's start from San Francisco was made at 6 o'clock on the night of Aug. 2, or 9 o'clock in the evening by New York time. His route took him over nearly 4,000 miles, and the loss of time he experienced through mishaps met with was close on to three days. Crossing California to Sacramento he began the ascent of the Sierra Nevada mountains, a climb of 7,000 feet. He approached the time in making the ascent required by the Union Pacific's overland limited for the climb, averaging ten miles an hour, although delayed nearly half a day by getting into the quicksands near Humboldt Sink. He reached Ogden in four days, but found his way through Idaho blocked by swollen rivers.

In crossing the Green river he lost six hours through the car becoming submerged, but he extricated it and climbed to the greatest altitude at Cheney, Wyo. Omaha was reached in nine days, and another long delay was occasioned by the rains in Iowa. He reached Chicago in eleven days. From Chicago to New York he expected to surpass the time made by Bert Holcombe in his record run of fifty-eight hours and forty-three minutes and was doing well until he met with his disastrous accident on the border line between Ohio and Pennsylvania. Here, at Conneaut, he was rounding a curve with a stone wall on one side and a hedge on the other, when a sudden, unexpected swerve sent his machine into the wall and badly twisted the front wheels and steering gear and demolished the seat. It required thirty-six hours to effect repairs.

Flower Trimmings For Autos. Automobiles have broken into the possession of new wrinkles in the fashionable world, which are not being considered by owners of whiz cars alone, but are praised by those who are not whizzing, says the New York Press. The summer auto is being decked out with a profusion of flowers and gives the impression to many a wayfarer along the road that stealing is among the latest auto crimes and that some one's flower garden is being run away with. Some of the motor cars seen on the highways lately were filled with pretty girls in gay attire and trimmed with flowers and vines so attractively that they afforded a blessed relief to the brutal, dust stained cars that throng the roads and make life hideous for those who drive or walk. No wonder they say that they can't stand automobiles when one must "chew" macadam and have their gowns and hats ruined by the clouds of dust that they leave behind. It is hoped that, now that speed is an old idea and that beauty is the aim of every woman motorist, they may get out of their fume somewhat.

A New Bat. The latest information regarding the progress of the scientific expedition which was sent to central Africa from London by the South Kensington museum some months ago for the purpose of conducting zoological research among the Mountains of the Moon is dated from Ruwenzori, the middle of June, at which time the explorers were still in that range, says the London Graphic. All the party were in excellent health. Having ascended for the first time two peaks of Ruwenzori which have an altitude of over 16,000 feet, the expedition was engaged at the time of writing in making collections in the range. The gigantic fruit eating bat, which is among the earlier zoological discoveries, has now reached England and is found to be new to science. The expedition is not expected to return to England until next year.

Forward, Oklahoma! Hark forward, Oklahoma! Child of the yesterday, Full grown now and corn and cotton crowned, Proud of your red blood youth of states, Tanned and ruby cheeked and spirit high As when you rode some humped thousand strong, Free lines, free heart, free will, And called "No Man's Land" your home, Or when that horse thrum, in '83, The sugar cannon boomed along the waiting line, Of thousands hungry for the tempting land, Unleashed the thunder hoofs of horses In ruddy race across the fenceless, Trackless waste of westward plains, Lo, canvas cliffs blossomed in an hour, And cornucopia were set for future farms! At noon "The Strip" a whisp' path led off, At night a people hurred plain, And now this plowman of yesterday, This rugged infant of the western soil, Is lifted to the glory and a place Among the statehood constellation of the stars! —John N. Edwards in St. Louis Republic.

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\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account Carriage Builders' National Association, Oct. 21-27; tickets sold Oct. 19th and 20th, final limit Oct. 30th.*
\$17.75; Washington to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account National Association Retail Druggist, Oct. 1-5; tickets sold Sept. 27th to Oct. 3d, final limit Oct. 7th.*
\$27.75; Washington to Gulfport, Miss., and return, account General Convention Daughters of Confederacy, Nov. 14-17; tickets sold Nov. 12th and 13th, final limit Nov. 28.*

\$23.25; Washington to Memphis, Tenn., and return, account International Convention Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Oct. 18-21; tickets sold Oct. 15th to 18th, final limit Oct. 30th.*
\$23.25; Washington to Memphis, Tenn., and return, account National Baptist Convention (Colored), Sept. 12-19; tickets sold Sept. 9th to 12th, final limit Sept. 20th.*
\$64.90; Washington to Mexico City, Mex., and return, account International Geological Congress Aug. 21-Sept. 14; tickets sold Aug. 14th to 31st, final limit 90 days from date of sale.

\$27.75; Washington to New Orleans, La., and return, account Biennial Meeting, Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Oct. 15-25; tickets sold Oct. 12th to 15th, final limit Oct. 30th.*
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Table with 4 columns: Station, South-bound Trains, North-bound Trains. Rows include New York, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Cape Charles, Baltimore, Delmar, Salisbury, Old Point Comfort, Norfolk (arrive).

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Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company Schedule effective June 11, 1906. West Bound. Baltimore, Md. 12.15, 1.45, 3.15, 4.45, 6.15, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45. Annapolis, Md. 1.30, 3.00, 4.30, 6.00, 7.30, 9.00, 10.30. P. M., P. M.

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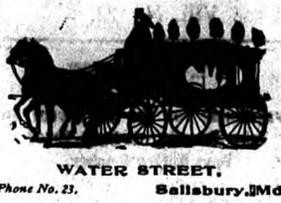
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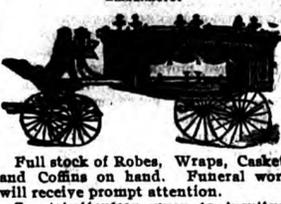
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NEW QUEEN OF RIVER.

The Big Hendrick Hudson And Her Maiden Trip—Fitted Up Like An Ocean Liner.

After a lapse of 300 years the valley of the great North river gave welcome recently to a second Hendrick Hudson; gave a different welcome to a far, far different Hendrick Hudson from that saturnine adventurer who for Dutch gold dared the upper fastnesses of the stream in a rowboat. The new Hendrick Hudson, six stories tall and 400 feet long, is a giant of a river steamer—the biggest and finest of daylight steamers afloat—and the reception that was hers from a downtown pier in Manhattan to railroad wharf in Albany—the Day Line route—was properly that of a new queen of the river.

It was almost twenty years since such a triumphal progress had stirred the Hudson's banks; not since the New York made her first trip in 1887 had the folk of the river towns had such opportunity to cheer a steamer whose christening robe was still white, says the New York Press. Other fine new boats had sought the plaudits of the valley people, but all had unfortunately passed in the night. The coming of the Hendrick Hudson, a daylight event, was made a sort of holiday from Spuyten Duyvil to Albany. For eight hours the big boat passed banks lined with cheering folk. Yonkers had thousands of its folk waving welcome to the new liner. Haverstraw and Nyack were fringed by crowds that made a sort of Fourth of July effect. Newburgh turned out practically all of its populace, Fishkill did the same on the other side, Poughkeepsie dropped work to see the big boat land, Kingston crowded down to the Catskill railroad wharf, and Albany was stirred into building bonfires, waving torches and firing skyrockets.

New York's welcome was in the nature of a nautical celebration, for the tooting of steam never ceased from Deobrosses street to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. The Hendrick Hudson was ushered into the sisterhood of the river with a noise that began in the diapason of a liner's bellows off Greenwich village and came to a brief halt in a splutter of steam from a tiny ice tug far up the river. To each and all, steamboat, locomotive, sawmill and launch, the Hendrick Hudson answered courteously with three deep whistles.

The enthusiasm that lined even the vineyard banks of the Hudson's Rhineland with cheering throngs was deserved. The Hendrick Hudson is an ocean liner river boat—that is, she is as much like an up to date ocean liner as a river boat can be. She is fitted inside with the good taste and the luxury of the newer Atlantic greyhounds, and she carries more passengers than any of these boats.

With accommodations for 5,000 passengers and carrying no freight all the space on the Hendrick Hudson is given over to their use and comfort. The vessel is 400 feet long, 82 feet broad over the guards and has 14 feet 4 inches depth of hold. There are six decks, the hull is of steel and every part of the boat is stiffened and held rigid by steel framework.

There are observation rooms both at the bow and stern, a woman's lounge, a barber shop and smoking room for the men, a dark room for the use of amateur photographers, an emergency hospital with a surgeon in attendance and several other decided innovations in river steamboating.

In finish and in interior decoration the Hendrick Hudson stands alone in the artistic treatment of the various saloons. Mural paintings by well known artists are set in the walls and the Japanese bronze fountain in the main saloon brought to this country for the new boat is a beautiful specimen of eastern art.

For the instruction and edification of the passengers the engine room is inclosed in glass and the paddle wheel boxes have glass panes at the top from which on the inside the great wheels can be seen turning.

The dining room is surrounded at most entirely by plate glass, making the room appear like a glass inclosed veranda. There are sixty large windows, each of which can be raised or lowered to suit wind and weather. The views from every part of the dining room, which contains sixty tables and will seat 252 persons, are unobstructed on all sides.

The main saloon, on the second deck, is one of the most beautiful apartments ever built on a steamboat. The series of day parlors on this deck is a feature that will appeal to those who desire privacy and yet wish to view the scenery.

The Hudson is as remarkable under water as above. While she towers five high stories above the water and overshadows the Grand Republic and the New York, she goes down only seven and one-half feet into the water. Her great height is the result of new methods in construction, for the Hendrick Hudson is a skyscraper steamer.

Much Exaggerated.

"Tell me," said the inquisitive foreigner, "do American girls affect men's clothes?"
"No," replied the gallant native, "not to any extent."
"Well, well, is that really true?"
"Well, of course, a little rouge may stick to the shoulder of a fellow's coat occasionally, but then it's easily brushed off."—Philadelphia Press.

EARTHQUAKE RECORD.

The History Of Seismic Shocks Shows Awful Loss Of Life—Are Of Surprising Frequency.

The total number of earthquakes of which historic record has been kept reaches the enormous figure of 131,298, although the records were very incomplete until recent years. Data concerning all shocks, even the insignificant earth disturbances, are now being preserved, however, by scientific societies in all civilized countries of the world and accurate observations being taken for the use of future students of the earthquake subject.

Earthquakes have been one of the most terrible enemies of man in all times, and the number of persons killed by quakes reaches an appalling figure, says the Chicago Record-Herald. No human foresight, no human science or learning can guard against or forestall an earthquake, and by reason of the very powerlessness of man against this tremendous natural disturbance the earthquake takes rank with the most frightful forms of calamity.

By the use of the most delicate instruments the least tremor of the earth is now recorded, and the modern instruments now used show that quakes are of surprising frequency. The Japanese Seismological society, for instance, records almost a thousand earthquakes annually. Of course these quakes are for the most part so slight as to be unnoticeable except through the extremely delicate scientific instruments, but the fact remains that in the realms of the mikado alone the earth's surface is disturbed by quakes almost three times a day, year in and year out. In other portions of the world in the earthquake zone minor tremors of the earth are proportionately frequent.

Earthquakes vary greatly in nature, duration and character. The number of shocks in a quake and the length of the time interval between them varies between wide limits. The cities of Caracas, in 1812, and Lisbon, in 1755, were destroyed in a few minutes apiece, while the Calabrian earthquake, beginning in 1783, continued for four years.

Earthquakes are by no means confined to continents, and many originate under the sea. The places in the sea bottoms where the water shows great variation in depth are particularly likely to experience earthquake shocks. When an earthquake occurs beneath the sea bed generate a great wave, which reaches the land after arrival of the earthquake itself. In the open sea this wave is so broad that it cannot be perceived.

When it reaches shallow water near the shore, however, it rushes forward as an immense breaker, sometimes sixty feet or more in height, and overwhelms everything in its course. The velocity of these great sea waves is much greater than the ordinary waves raised by the wind. A submarine earthquake near the coast of Japan in 1854 gave rise to sea waves which traveled the whole breadth of the Pacific at a rate of about 370 miles an hour. At Simoda, Japan, the waves were thirty feet high, while on reaching San Diego, Cal., they still measured six inches.

The extent of country affected by an earthquake shock also varies greatly. Some earthquakes are but purely local affairs, while others are felt for hundreds of miles. The Lisbon earthquake, which threw down the greater part of the city in six minutes and killed 50,000 persons, disturbed an immense area, it being felt in the Alps, Great Britain, in the Baltic sea and in northern Germany. The Lisbon earthquake was felt also at Algiers and Fez as severely as in Spain and Portugal, while the effects of the sea waves caused by it were noticeable at enormous distances.

Perhaps no earthquake, outside of the Lisbon disaster, has been felt over a wider land area than the quake which partly destroyed Charleston, S. C., in August, 1886. That quake was observed from the Carolina coast, Georgia and Florida, northward to southern New England, across New York to Ontario, Canada, and westward to eastern Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri and Iowa, altogether an area 800 miles wide by 1,000 from north to south.

A Queer Cure.

"Riding on an elephant in Ceylon, behind a native prince on a hunting expedition," said a clergyman, "the conversation chanced to turn on indigestion, to which I said I was subject. The prince at once pulled out a black leather button kind of thing, which he was wearing on a string round his neck under his clothes.

"What's this?" said I.
"A hyena's snout," was the startling reply.

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Republican Primaries NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the Republican voters of Wicomico county, to meet at their usual voting places in their respective districts, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1906

for the purpose of holding primaries to select three delegates from each district to attend a County Convention to be held in Salisbury, at the Court House, at 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, August 28, 1906, which said Convention will elect delegates, having four votes, to the District Convention of the first Congressional District of Maryland, to be held at Ocean City on Wednesday, August 29, 1906.

In case of contest, the polls should be held open from 2 to 5 o'clock and each side contesting will select one judge and together with the person hereinafter designated, will constitute the three judges who will certify by order of the State Central Committee, the result of said primaries.

The following persons are hereby designated to call the primaries to order in the respective districts of the county: No. 1, Barren Creek, Levin A. Wilson. No. 2, Quantico, James O. Wilson. No. 3, Tysakin, Albert L. Wingate. No. 4, Pittsburg, James L. Truitt. No. 5, Parsons, John H. Tomlinson. No. 6, Dennis, Wilmer C. Collins. No. 7, Trappe, H. James Bounds. No. 8, Nutters, Josephus E. Hayman. No. 9, Salisbury, Elmer H. Walton. No. 10, Sharptown, Wm. H. Knowles. No. 11, Delmar, Daniel H. Foskey. No. 12, Nanticoke, Thomas J. Walter. No. 13, Camden, Marion A. Humphreys. No. 14, Willards, Lemuel B. Duncan. WILLIAM H. JACKSON, WILLIAM H. KNOWLES, JOHN H. TOMLINSON, JAMES O. WILSON.

Republican State Central Committee for Wicomico County.

That Telephone Editorial.

We deeply appreciate the many and numerous congratulations received by us during the week upon the editorial which appeared in the columns of this paper last week upon the unsatisfactory telephone service now existing in this city. Indeed, were any evidence necessary that the people are fully and thoroughly aroused in relation to the matter, that evidence was more than furnished by the hearty and cordial endorsements of the sentiments therein expressed and the numerous congratulatory messages received and emphatic comments constantly made since the appearance of THE COURIER last Saturday.

We had not intended to follow the matter up this week, nor would we have done so, in view of the fact that the service is now better than it was, and because the company is now making an investigation with the determination that the conditions shall be improved and the best possible service rendered to the patrons of the company here, but in justice to ourselves, we feel that we should correct one or two rumors, freely circulated in relation to the matter, —one of which, at least, apparently emanated from the company's local office.

The statement was made frequently upon the streets of Salisbury Saturday that Mr. William M. Day was responsible for the editorial, and while we shall not attempt to answer all the baseless and intangible rumors which may be circulated in relation to editorials or articles which may appear in this paper, still we desire emphatically to repudiate the state-

ment, which is as groundless as it is untrue. We made the utterance in that editorial as emphatically and explicitly as we could that we were writing from a vitally personal standpoint, and an announcement of that character made in the editorial columns of any paper emanating from anyone but the editor himself would be a gross and deliberate misrepresentation, for which neither excuse nor palliation could be offered.

That we not only did not need the inspiration, but clearly did not have it, is evidenced by the fact that the editorial was written long before we heard of the incident concerning Mr. Day, and the matter was never mentioned by him until Saturday morning after the appearance of THE COURIER when he congratulated us in the presence of Messrs. William M., and Mark Cooper, and publicly related the incident. If only "inspiration" were needed, enough has already been furnished within the last month to create a reserve force with which to supply this paper until telephones and wires and centrals and telephonic discussions shall be compelled to give way to the crashing of worlds in the last cyclonic conflagration, and the idea that any patron of the Diamond State Telephone Company in this place needed any outside "inspiration" on this subject carries with it its own emphatic and overwhelming refutation.

The difficulty between Mr. Day and the company came like a climatic thunderbolt at the end of a peculiarly hot day. According to Mr. Day's statement he had worked incessantly for hours to obtain an answer to an "out of town" call in an exceptionally important business transaction. Beginning early in the morning, he had toiled indefatigably until in the afternoon, when with rising temperature, and with visions of upset plans and broken contracts and business entanglements, in strong language and in no uncertain terms he demanded of Mr. Herman Carty, —the local agent of the company, to know what was the matter with the service. "Rotten"! promptly and flippantly responded that official, thus unconsciously and involuntarily bearing out with mathematical accuracy and striking precision the statement we made that there was but one word in the entire English language which could be employed to properly characterize the present conditions in the telephone service. As the public had already come to the same conclusion, it needed only this acknowledgement on the part of the company to make the opinion unanimous. "If you can't do any better than this" exclaimed Mr. Day, "you can take the phone out." "All right," quickly replied the local agent, and out went the phone, —a tacit double acknowledgment that he was both unable to handle a difficult situation and impotent to improve the service. No wonder the local office thought Mr. Day was the "inspiring" cause of last week's pyrotechnic display.

The other rumor relates to the questioned authorship of the editorial in question. While so far as we know, the questionings along this line have been exceptionally limited and principally among those by whom we are little known, still we desire to say most emphatically now, once and forever that what has appeared in the editorial columns of this paper under the present management has been written solely and exclusively by the editor of this paper, for which he is personally responsible, and the same policy will be strictly and rigidly adhered to in the future numbers of this publication. The editorials of this paper are precisely what they purport to be—nothing more and nothing less—

and are no heterogeneous and miscellaneous collection of anonymous communications and non-descriptors, and when the time comes that we are no longer able to write our own editorials, we will either change the name of this paper to "The Masquerader," or we will resign our post in favor of one whose inebility does not have to be covered by such glaring hypocrisy.

Editorial Jottings.

Commissioner Sirman is getting his street force "on the rush," and the way grass and weeds are disappearing is a caution! Keep up the good work, Mr. Commissioner; there's plenty yet to be done!

The Baltimore jubilee is assuming larger proportions all the time, and the end is not yet! If things continue, the Monumental City will have a "World's Fair" on a small scale, and we will not have to wait for the Jamestown Exposition.

Cuba is having its customary revolutionary troubles. This was to be expected when Spain controlled the destinies of the Island, but with the present Government chosen by the people themselves, the outbreak is inexcusable. Better get under the "Stars and Stripes" and let Uncle Sam attend to a few of the insurgents, and the revolution will soon be ancient history.

And so East Church street is to be paved, thanks to a glaring error in the calculations of Civil Engineer Hatton! But do not let us be too elated! An engineer who can make a mistake of 4250 square yards in a paving contract of 9300 in favor of the city can make as big a one against it before the work is complete. Just imagine the mistake being the other way! If we deduct 4250 from 5050, the actual number of square yards in the contract as given out, we have only 800 left —not enough to have paved Dock street. What a "sorry" showing that would have made for a \$50,000.00 contract. Better be sure the calculations are all right this time!

Press Comments.

The Courier, of Salisbury, in its issue of the 18th inst., makes a strong comment on the present unsatisfactory telephone service in that town. Brother Walton can get lots of sympathy from his Cambridge friends, for recently the service has been decidedly on the "bum." This may be due to the illness of the operators, which causes the exchange employees longer hours and more work, but without questioning the causes, we feel certain from the numerous complaints that are being made to us—people think we know the reason for everything—that the service at this time is not satisfactory to the Cambridge patrons of the Diamond State Telephone Co., and an improvement is demanded by them.—The Cambridge Record.

The Editorial in last week's "Courier" concerning the poor telephone service rendered by the Diamond State Telephone Co., in Salisbury can well apply to Delmar as far as out of town service is concerned. The Central Service in Delmar is fairly satisfactory, but nine times out of ten if you want to phone to Salisbury or Laurel the line is always busy. To phone to places farther away, for instance Dover, requires an indefinite length of time. This is oftentimes very inconvenient, and the cause, where ever it is, should be remedied. The Diamond State Telephone Co., charges enough for the use of its phones to give a more satisfactory service, and we hope this service will be improved in the immediate future.—The Delmar News.



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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

Mr. Elmer Evans, of Washington, is visiting relatives in Salisbury. There will be divine service at the Wicomico Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Charles Sylvester, of Denton, has been appointed inspector of canneries for the Eastern Shore. Those who want boarders and roomers this school season should at once notify The Eastern Shore College. Rev. Theo. W. Gayer, of Girdletree, will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the Division Street Baptist Church. Mr. Lorán Langsdale, of Mardela Springs, was awarded the scholarship to Washington College, Saturday, by the School Board. Miss Rachel DeWolf, who has been spending several weeks with Salisbury friends, returned to her home in Washington yesterday. Mr. Thurman Mitchell, formerly with White & Leonard, has accepted a position as representative of the Old Virginia Tobacco Works. It was announced on good authority last evening that a number of men would be before the City Council Monday evening asking for a telephone franchise, with a view to the formation of a new company. The choir of the St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church will leave for Ocean City Saturday September 1 for their annual outing of a week. They will stop at the Pliminton. A number of friends will accompany them. The fronts of the Peninsula Hotel, Harper and Taylor, Birckley-Shockley Company and R. E. Powell & Company have been brightened up this week with a fresh coat of paint, and make a decided improvement to that part of Main street. There was excitement for a while in Camden yesterday morning. Mrs. George R. Hitch swallowed some oxalic acid by mistake and for a short time thereafter was considerably agitated as to the result. The quantity taken was so small, however, that no ill effects were felt. Manager Ulman, of the Opera House, received notice yesterday that through illness of some principal characters "The Village Parson," which was to have shown here last evening, would have to cancel their contract. The show, therefore, did not show here; and many were disappointed. Dr. George W. Todd has ordered a Holmslad Physicians' Automobile, and expects the machine to arrive in Salisbury some time the coming month. This will be the first of this sort of an automobile to make its appearance in Salisbury. A club formed by automobile enthusiasts of Salisbury is the next thing in order. The Republican Congressional Convention of the First District will meet at Ocean City next Wednesday, the 29th of August at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the 60th Congress of the United States; while the County Convention will be held at the Court House in Salisbury next Tuesday for the purpose of electing delegates to the Congressional Convention. N. T. Fitch, Esq., one of the prominent lawyers of the city, announced his retirement during the week from Court practice, after an active career before the bar of nearly fifty years. In the future, Mr. Fitch will confine himself exclusively to office practice, especially devoting his attention to the preparation of corporation papers, as he is one of the best corporation lawyers in the Circuit. Marion Crosby Turner, Jr., the 8-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Marion C. Turner, died Monday morning after an illness of a month or more. Funeral services were conducted at the home on Parsons street Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Charles A. Hill, of Wilmington, formerly of Salisbury. Interment was at Parsons Cemetery. Much sympathy has been expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Turner in their affliction. One of the provisions of the Pure Food bill recently passed by Congress is that no coloring matter shall be used in the preparation of canned fruits. While it would be by no means impossible to evade the law without that fact being discovered, the members of the Tri-State Canners Association and of the Baltimore Canned Goods Exchange have decided to obey it implicitly. For this reason they will be unable to handle partly green fruit as in former years, when it could be made presentable by the use of coloring matter and sold as "seconds." Growers will be compelled to bring in only perfect fruit, but this except in extreme cases, is better for the grower, as it gives him better weight.

The Alleghany Grove Chautauque, which has been in session near Cumberland, closed Sunday. On the afternoon of the closing day a concert was given by the United States Marine Band, the soloist for the occasion being Mrs. Margaret P. Trussell, of Salisbury. Her selection was "Ave Maria," by Millard. The residence owned and occupied by Mr. Reuben P. Bailey on the farm formerly owned by Dr. F. M. Slemmons, in Camden Election District, was entirely destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. The flames were discovered about one o'clock and had made such headway that it was impossible to save any of the furniture. The loss is partly covered by insurance of \$500 on the dwelling and \$500 on the furniture. At the Peninsula General Hospital this week Dr. J. McFadden Dick performed a difficult operation on Mr. Affria Ruark, of Powellville, for empyema, resecting five ribs. Miss Lucy Lagdon, of Crisfield, was operated upon for appendicitis. Mr. Charles Stanford, about 30 years old, was fatally injured while working in the saw mill of Mr. J. S. Gordy, at Mappsburg, Va., a few days ago and was brought to the hospital here, but the efforts of the surgeons were unavailing to save his life. The Camden Box Ball team defeated a mixed team last Monday night at Trutt's alleys with the following score for three games: Camden—Chas. Holloway, 307; Ray Disharoon, 348; Sewell Beachamp, 317; Slemmons Taylor, 307; Total, 1279. Mixed Team—Walter Disharoon, 337; Wm. Smith, 322; M. Holloway, 342; Chas Ulman, 337; Total 1238 The Main street team having challenged the winners, will as a consequence play Camden next Monday night at 8 o'clock. Efforts are being made by a number of gentlemen at Onancock, Va., to form a stock company and erect and equip a first class hospital at that place. The concern will not be operated for the sake of charity, but will be a pay hospital and will be operated for the treatment of all classes of diseases. The gentlemen have arranged with Dr. J. McFadden Dick, of this place, to take the position of chief surgeon and made regular visits as well as to answer emergency calls. The last of a series of lectures on famous Biblical characters will be delivered by Rev. W. S. Phillips of the M. P. church Sunday evening Aug. 26, the subject being "Judas the Betrayer." A male quartette, composed of Messrs. Herman W. Murrell, first tenor; Harry Adkins, second tenor; William A. Sheppard, first bass, and Fred P. Adkins, second bass, which sang at the church last Sunday morning and evening, will also be present tomorrow night and sing a selection. A launch party was given last Wednesday evening by a number of young gentlemen of Salisbury in honor of the Misses Woolford, of Baltimore, who are visiting Miss Wilsie Lowe. Those present were: the Misses Woolford, Misses Wilsie Lowe, Gladys Moore, Bessie Trader, Alice Wailes, Mamie Adkins, Eva Catlin, Clara Tilghman, Jennie Williamson, Julia Waller, Messrs. Clarence Robertson, Harvey Robertson, Claude Dorman, Elmer Evans, William Phillips, Percy Trussell, Oscar Bethke, Harry Gordy, William A. Sheppard, Mr. Hearn and Mr. Keys. Personal. Mrs. James Coulbourn is visiting in Crisfield. Miss Sadie Malone is visiting at Emporia, Va. Mr. Sewell Fields was in Philadelphia this week. Mr. George H. Weisbach is visiting relatives in Sunshan, N. Y. Mrs. Mary E. Duskey, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives in Salisbury. Mrs. Sarah Bussells, of Irvington, Va., is visiting Mrs. Edwin Malone. Mrs. L. W. Wimbrow and daughter are visiting relatives at St. Martins. Miss Emily Davenport, of Clayton, Del., is visiting Mrs. Edward White. Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Brewington spent this week with relatives in Crisfield. Mr. C. Edgar Laws is visiting relatives at Public Landing, Worcester county. Messrs. Vorbees Catlin and Clayton Anderson are spending two or three weeks at Atlantic City. Mrs. Sarah H. Fisher, mother of Dr. A. H. Bishop, of Dover, Del., is visiting Mrs. R. D. Grier. Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., is spending two weeks at Atlantic City as the guest of Mrs. Josiah Marvel. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Sexton are having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lutz, of Penilyn, Pa., and Capt. J. S. Lay and wife, of Philadelphia, who are thoroughly enjoying the beauties of the well known farm "Fairfield."

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar King, of Philadelphia, who have been visiting relatives in Salisbury, returned home Monday. Mrs. S. Lowenthal is spending a month in Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York ordering millinery for her fall opening. Miss Betty Parson, of Pittsville returned to her home Wednesday after spending ten days with her cousin, Miss Nellie Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dennis and son, Warfield, of Exmore, Va., are visiting Mrs. Dennis' mother, Mrs. George W. Kennerly. Mr. Robert Hitch, Mrs. George Hitch and Miss Nellie Hitch will leave Monday for a visit to Mr. Charles Ward, at Asbury Park. Misses Helen Eills and Elizabeth Hudson, who have been visiting in Salisbury, will return to their homes at Asbury Park today. Miss Mollie E. Bailey, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Baltimore some time, is now the guest of Mrs. W. A. Kennerly, Main street. Mr. and Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett are at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Bennett, on Deals Island, spending the week. Rev. R. C. Granberry, pastor of the Division Street Baptist Church, has returned from a month's vacation spent with relatives in Massachusetts. A picnic for the benefit of the Parker's Methodist Episcopal Chapel will be given Tuesday afternoon and evening on the grounds of the church. Mrs. W. F. Presgrave, Miss Ella Huntsberger and Mr. A. F. Buck will leave New York September 15 on the steamer Minneapolis for a trip of six months embracing the principal countries of Europe. Mr. Clarence Tilghman, of Moonlight, Va., visited relatives in Salisbury and Wicomico county this week. Mr. William B. Tilghman, Jr., of this city, and Mr. Emmett Moore, of Washington, D. C., will spend September in New England and the North. Mrs. R. S. Wimbrow and Miss Irma Wimbrow, of Pittsville, and Miss Audrey Wimbrow, of Salisbury, will leave Tuesday for a week or so at Ocean City. Mrs. Joshua Johnson and daughter, Miss Bessie L. Johnson, of Jersey City, arrived here yesterday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brewington, Walnut street. Misses Sara Phillips, Maude and Florence Grier and a number of Baltimore friends formed a pleasant house party this week at the Anchorage, at Ocean City. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graham, who have been spending some time with friends and relatives in Salisbury and other points in the East, expect to return to St. Louis about the tenth of September. Mr. Graham, who formerly was managing editor of the St. Louis Republic, will have charge of the Western department of Ridgeway's Weekly Magazine, managed by Mr. E. J. Ridgeway, of Everybody's Magazine. In the meantime, Mr. and Mrs. Graham will spend most of their time at Ocean City. Miss Norma Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Turner, of Nanticoke, accompanied by her sisters Misses Lillian and Hope, left Tuesday to visit her uncle, Rev. Edward N. Cautwell, of Cardova, Talbot County, Md. The Misses Turner will visit friends in Selbyville, Del., and spend a few days at Ocean City. Miss Norma will leave the first of September for Northfield, Mass., where she will attend Northfield Seminary this year. Miss Lillian and Miss Hope will return to Notre Dame College September 16.

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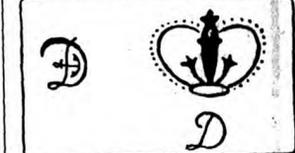
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These hints, however, will help you to learn whether among your bric-a-



CHELSEA AND CROWN DERBY.

bric and family heirlooms there is something which may be worth a fortune to you. Early Crown Derby china, for instance, dating back to between 1780 and 1830, is so valuable that it is doubtful if a single cup or saucer of genuine make could be bought for less than \$50. There is still a good deal of old Crown Derby in existence, and this may be distinguished by either of the following three trademarks: A capital letter D, in ordinary longhand, over which are placed two cross swords, which in turn are surmounted by a crown. (If this sign is marked in violet on the bottom of any plate in your possession it may be worth \$50 or \$100.)

The mark may be stamped in blue, or possibly in puce or gold, the latter two colors being very rare. The letter D is the initial

of Duesbury, the founder of the great porcelain works of Derby, and the crown was added to the initial on the occasion of the visit of the king and queen in 1773 to Duesbury's works. The letter D, by the way, also figures in the mark to be found upon another famous make of china—namely, the Chelsea Derby, which was manufactured by a long extinct factory. The complete mark used was a letter D crossed by an anchor, and any cup or saucer bearing this mark, if genuine, is worth even more than old Crown Derby.

There are many imitations of the Dresden china, but the real article, which is of immense value, bears the "hall mark" of a couple of crossed electoral swords, between the handles of which is either a round O or a star. As an illustration of the present day price of Dresden china it might be mentioned that a little clock was bought by one of the Rothschilds some years ago for \$700, and is now probably worth twice that sum, while a couple of candlesticks of Dresden china were sold some time ago for \$1,000.

The Worcester ware is almost as valuable as the Dresden. An imperfect dinner service, for instance, fetched more than \$2,000 a short time ago, while two plates which were discovered in a cottage, the occupier of which had no idea as to their value, were sold for \$45 each.

The Worcester potteries have changed hands a number of times since the factory was founded, 150 years ago, and the trademarks have changed accordingly. But in nearly all of them can be traced the letter W. The two crossed swords, for instance, with the figures 91 between the blades, will be noticed to have been so arranged that the letter W is formed at the top.

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When you are tired you are apt to shrink from the very exercise you need. A warm bath will do much to restore wearied muscles. A tired girl is not a tired out girl. It will not hurt you to get tired, but do not trespass further on your vitality.

A very simple remedy for the purpose of removing tan and freckles is prepared from two gallons of strong soap, to which are added one pint of spirits of wine and a quarter of a pound of rosemary. Apply this mixture with a linen rag and allow it to dry on the face.

THE OVAL TABLE.

An Amusing Incident Told by an Old Lady.

The incident was an amusing one, but the old lady's advice was good, and it was accepted. She was not talking without her book, as the old saying has it.

"Don't buy that square table for the dining room, young people!" she observed pleasantly, addressing the couple who were evidently preparing for the great event of their lives. The salesman of the furniture warehouse looked on with just a flicker of a smile hovering about his lips. "They call them 'square,' but they are usually oblong, you know!" she added, with a sagacious nod.

"Why not buy a square table?" ventured the future bridegroom, entering into the spirit of the thing.

"I'll tell you!" resumed the old lady decidedly. "Of course, you are beginning in a small way—Oh, don't be ashamed of that! We commenced in a small way, but we worked steadily, and we are in a large way now, as I hope you will be one day! Well, in a small house you have small rooms. You find that you cannot have a big table. If you have a square one, you find it awkward when you have more than two visitors. There are two sides and two ends to your square table, and so that's all right for four people; but if there are three or four visitors, what then?"

She paused, almost in triumph; the young people waited for her to answer her own question.

"You get two people on each of the two sides, and you feel crowded at the side while those at the end have really more room than they require. It's inconvenient. Then, again, the corners seem to divide you into groups, so to say. Chimney corners may be social enough, but table corners are not. If you are in a big place, with a big table, it is quite different, but in your little house you will find it just as I say."

"Therefore buy an oval table. There are no corners and you all sit side by side, you have more space and you are not parted. You may think that you lose space by rounding the corners; so you do, but the space lost is in the middle of the table, for the outer edge, where people sit, is increased. You have a little less space for placing dishes, but you can easily have those on a side table. You can't seat a guest at a side table when you are only a small party.

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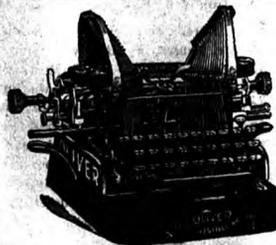
"The linen handkerchief, physicians agree, is the most dangerous article in the human wardrobe. It swarms with billions of germs of consumption and grip and pneumonia, and hence, instead of being laundered, it should be destroyed. But it can't be destroyed; it is too expensive.

"The paper handkerchief is destroyed. It is thrown into the fire. "The rarity of consumption in Japan is attributed, with some show of justice, to the exclusive use of paper handkerchiefs by the Japanese."

Boston Hot Weather Advice. Off with your coat, man! What if it's a week day and you're riding to your office? You owe it to yourself and your job to conserve what energies these detestable days have left in you, says the Boston Transcript. If you're bound to make yourself wretched, do it on the seventh day, when you don't have to work, not on the six melting days, when you've got to!

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Mr. Bowser's Dairy Farm

Philosopher Figures Out That There Is a Fortune In Keeping Cows.

WIFE VETOES HIS PLAN

She Tells of a Lot of Expense That Her Lord and Master Has Overlooked In Estimates.

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HAPPENING to look out of the window the other day an hour before Mr. Bowser's time for coming home, Mrs. Bowser caught sight of him and a strange man walking up and down as if viewing the house. When they had finished with the front they went around to the alley, and it was almost an hour before the man went away and Mr. Bowser entered the house.

"Well, is it another cow?" he was asked.
"My dear Mrs. Bowser," he replied, in a paternal way and with a broad smile on his face, "I have some news to delight you. Tomorrow I expect to complete negotiations for the exchange of this house for a farm. You know I have been hoping to make an exchange for the last five years."

"We will talk it over," said Mrs. Bowser, as she motioned him to a chair.
"Yes, we will talk it over, but you can't possibly find any fault. I have got facts and figures right down pat to prove to you that it will be the best deal of our lives."

"What sort of a farm is it?"
"Wanted a Dairy Farm."
"A dairy farm, my dear. I have given up the idea of chickens. It is a dairy farm of eighty acres, and we shall exchange even up. The man is



"I SHALL PUT IT UP IN FANCY CAKES."

so anxious to get into the city to educate his daughter that he will make most any sacrifice. Now listen to me. I start in the dairy business with thirty cows. The milk can be estimated at 300 quarts per day. If sold at 5 cents a quart to the creamery there is \$15 a day, or \$105 per week. All we have to do is to deliver the milk and take a check. I shall sell only half the milk, however. The remainder will be made into butter. I shall put it up in fancy cakes and call it 'Bowser's Best.' The sales will amount to about \$8 per day, and on the sour milk and whey I shall fatten about fifty hogs during the year. When these are marketed the total income per week for the year will be about \$125. We will call it \$7,000 per year. We live well, have the benefit of the country air and make \$7,000 per year, and if you have got any fault to find with that you must be hard to please. Such a bargain as this man is willing to give me can't be picked up once in a hundred years. What do you think of it?"

"You start with thirty cows?" queried Mrs. Bowser.
"From thirty to thirty-five."
"They are on the farm and part of the bargain, are they?"
"Why, no. I must buy them."
"Oh, I see. Has the farm a barn for cows?"
"—I don't think so, but I can build one."

Mrs. Bowser Makes Estimates.
"Of course. Let us see. Thirty good cows will cost you \$1,200. To build a dairy barn will cost you at least \$800 more. There is \$2,000 to start with. Had you figured on that?"

Mr. Bowser swallowed away at his Adam's apple and began to turn pale.
"To run a dairy of thirty cows you will have to have two men. They must milk, feed, drive the milk to the creamery, etc. You can figure on \$50 per month as wages, and, of course, you must board them. You must add \$600 to the \$2,000 in the first year's expenses. Has the farm got at least thirty acres of good grass land?"
"—I didn't ask about that, but of course it has."

"Well, if it has you are all right for the summer. What about the winter? Those cows must be fed from November to May. Each one will consume from two to three tons of hay. What

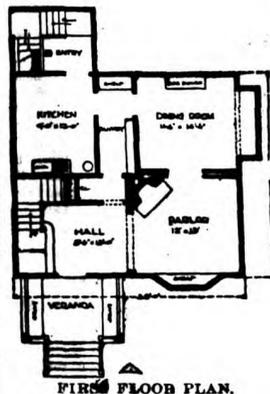
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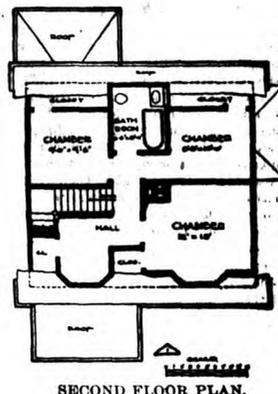
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PERSPECTIVE VIEW.



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

We show herewith design and plans of a cozy frame cottage with clapboard exterior, two stories and basement, shingled roof. The first story consists of a hall with wood cornice, a parlor with open fireplace and wood cornice, a dining room with sideboard below high windows, wood cornice and plate shelf, kitchen and pantry. There is a closet under the front stairway.
The second story contains three bedrooms, a bathroom and a large hall, which may be used as a writing room. Ample provision for closets is made.
The basement contains a laundry, with stationary trays; furnace room and coal bin. The house is twenty-eight feet wide and twenty-five deep. Its estimated cost is \$2,000.
HENRY WITTEKIND.

about sixty or seventy tons of hay and the soft feed in addition?"

"Woman, what are you trying to get at?" shouted Mr. Bowser, as he pointed on the table with his fist.
"The actual state of affairs," she replied. "There will be at least one month out of twelve when half your cows will be farrow or nursing their calves. Have you figured out that loss of milk?"
"But the calves alone will net me a thousand dollars a year."

What It Would Cost Him.
"Then you are greater than the beef trust. If every one of your thirty cows had a calf, the thirty calves might bring you \$200, but no more. In figuring on the expenses of the first year we will say that your hay and soft feed cost you \$1,700. That is a very close estimate. You must buy a team of horses wagon, milk cans, pails, churns, etc. You must allow at least \$500 for these things."

"Not on your life! Not if I know how to cipher! Why, you must take me for the biggest fool in the state!"
"You can submit my figures to any one you will. You have estimated your income altogether too high. The cows will give much less milk in the winter. Some of them may be ailing or die. The price of hay may go up. Instead of \$125 per week, you should figure on \$75. Out of this, even after you get started, must come the expenses of feed, help and the keep of your team. You will have to turn in and work yourself, and if there is any 'Bowser's Best' butter made you will have to allow me an extra girl in the house. Don't bob around on your chair now, but figure as a business man."

Figures Encourage Bowser.
"Don't tell me that I am hobbling around!" shouted Mr. Bowser, so loudly that he was heard in the next house. "One would think you were talking to an infant. I say you are wrong from beginning to end. I tell you there's at least \$5,000 a year clean profit in this thing for me, but of course you want to knock it in the head if you can. By thunder, what a jackass I am ever to sit down and talk to you about business!"

"I don't think you have lost anything by it," quietly replied Mrs. Bowser. "However, if you think I am wrong, please show me where. Can you buy cows for less than \$40 apiece? Haven't you got to have a barn? Haven't you got to have help? Haven't you got to have feed? Tell me where my figures are too high."

"What's the use? You don't want to be convinced, and you won't be. I am offered the opportunity of my life, and you stand in the way and try to make me out an idiot."
"You are hardly fair with me, Mr. Bowser. If you will show me where I

am wrong in my figures I'll cheerfully start a dairy farm with you."

"I'll bring you figures from a man who has run a dairy farm himself and made \$10,000 a year at it. I'll even bring the man himself."

A minute later Mr. Bowser was out of the house and on his way to the family butcher's. He had often heard that the butcher was formerly a dairy farmer, and that his sole object in selling out and moving into town was to educate his son in telling the difference between a knock-knee horse and a come opera. He found the butcher smoking his pipe and meditating, and he began:

"Mr. Bones, didn't you used to run a dairy farm somewhere?"
"I think so," was the cautious answer.

"And you made \$10,000 a year?"
"I have been charged with so doing."
"Well, now, knowing me as you do, what would you advise in my case? I can trade my house and lot for a dairy farm."

"How many acres?"
"You can submit my figures to any one you will. You have estimated your income altogether too high. The cows will give much less milk in the winter. Some of them may be ailing or die. The price of hay may go up. Instead of \$125 per week, you should figure on \$75. Out of this, even after you get started, must come the expenses of feed, help and the keep of your team. You will have to turn in and work yourself, and if there is any 'Bowser's Best' butter made you will have to allow me an extra girl in the house. Don't bob around on your chair now, but figure as a business man."

Butcher Discourages Plan.
"Mr. Bowser," said the butcher, as he rose up and got behind the meat block, "go into the business of raising jackasses. You have had experience and can't help but make a success."

There would have been a row had not a couple of women customers come in. Mr. Bowser was forced to postpone the bloodletting to another time, and he went out and wandered up and down the street with bent head and back humped up. His dairy had soured on him. His "Bowser's Best" would never be on the market. He would never rub the backs of cows or fondle their calves. And men and women who took notice of him whispered to each other:

"Say, that's Bowser, that is, and Mrs. Bowser's got the better of him again."
M. QUAD.

Very Unusual.
I knew a girl—great glory, what a peach-erine was she! I couldn't figure how she saw her future lord in me. Fact is, she couldn't either, though in cold or sunny weather We gadded round to picnics, balls and theaters together. She knew me so completely that she couldn't fall in love—That is, at least, she didn't, though I wooed her like a dove. In brief, we never married; in its stead we're bully friends. So "happy ever after" is the way the story ends.
—S. W. Gillilan in J. J. See.

COUNTY.

Sharptown.

Mrs. Lizzie Robinson and daughter, Miss Alice, returned home from Baltimore this week.

Jethro Robinson, who has been at work at Bridgeville for the some time, moved his family there a few days ago.

Harvey Selby, of Philadelphia, has moved his furniture in the Drennon house, and will move his family about September 1.

The Maryland Manufacturing Company, removed work Wednesday, after a vacation of two weeks. This firm is engaged in the manufacture of shirts and gives employment to a number of hands.

Mr. T. C. Wheatley, of Dorchester, has purchased the Connolly property and is improving the buildings.

The tenness moved home from the camp on Monday morning, after spending ten days in the beautiful grove. The outing was very much enjoyed. The boarding tent and the refreshment table were well patronized; and the gate receipts were good.

Mr. Wm. H. Knowles has started his canny and is now canning tomatoes.

Mrs. Maud Elliott

Mrs. Maud Elliott, wife of William T. Elliott, of Sharptown, died Wednesday afternoon, after several weeks of intense suffering. She at first sustained injuries by a fall on the street, and while confined to her room from the fall, typhoid fever developed. Then other complications set in and on Friday last it became necessary to perform an operation, as the only hope of saving her life. This was done, but still other developments arose and soon terminated in her death.

She was the daughter of the late Rev. James S. Eaton, a Presbyterian minister well known in this county. She was twenty-six years old, and leaves, besides her husband, two small children. Her remains were interred yesterday afternoon in the Taylor cemetery, after funeral services in the Methodist Episcopal Church, by Rev. J. Harry Wilson. She was a member of the degree of Pookontas, and was buried with the honors of the lodge. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Husband, children, mother, brothers and sister have lost a dear friend who was tender and kind to them and was ever ready to do all she could to add to their comfort or pleasure. Her death, so early in life, is a sad one and has brought forth many a sympathetic tear.

White Haven.

Mrs. W. A. Anderson, who spent last week with relatives at Nanticoke, returned home Sunday.

Miss Pearl Young, of Nanticoke, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Anderson this week.

Miss Clara Culver, of White Haven, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Alma White.

Miss Myrtle Harrington, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with Mrs. W. A. Anderson.

Judge Ira E. Davis and wife, of White Haven, are spending the week at Mardela Springs.

Miss Mary Larmore, of Dover, Del., is the guest of Miss Nettie and Daisy Robertson this week.

Miss Andra Robertson, of Virginia, is spending a week or so with Mrs. Willie Leatherbury.

Miss Daisy Robertson and Miss Mary Larmore spent Wednesday with relatives at Mt. Vernon, Md.

Mr. Harry Dashiell, of Baltimore, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dashiell.

Mrs. A. I. Wingate spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lankford, of Capitola.

Mrs. Laura Price, Mrs. Stella Green and Mrs. Grace Dashiell, all of Habnab, spent Saturday with Mrs. A. I. Wingate.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lankford, of Capitola, entertained quite a number of friends and relatives Sunday.

Mrs. R. W. Stalon entertained a few friends and relatives of Salisbury Sunday.

Mr. Lofton Robertson, of Washington, D. C., is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Lottie Robertson.

Mr. Willie White has been quite sick this week, but is now convalescent.

The editor of the Courier should indeed be congratulated on his plain talk in regard to the unsatisfactory telephone service. We thought the local service were the only ones who had to contend with such rotten service. It is simply disgusting to be in a conversation with some one and to be cut off by central, as has been the writers experience on several occasions, and then again the operator will say, "The party you wish is engaged. I will call as soon as through." My experience is they would never call. So you have then another half-hour's job trying again to get central, with possibly no better results than at first, and again they will have the audacity to say, "You have been talking over five minutes," while you have been cut off possibly once or twice and must pay for the interruption for which central is alone responsible. Such service as has been since July the 1st is intolerable and is worse than rotten, as the editor puts it.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was a party given in honor of Miss R. Gladys Wingate at her home at White Haven Wednesday evening. Those present were: Misses Daisy and Jetta Robertson, Clara and Margaret Culver, Rebecca and Ella McLane, Pauline Denson, Edyth Ross, Anna and Jennie Whyte, Jessie Richardson, Vida Taylor, Lula Dolbey, Lula and Annie Larmore, Dollie Robertson, Messrs. William Catlin, Vance Dolbey, Ogle Bloodworth, Rufus Jones, William Larmore, Paul Blood-

worth and Frank Thrift. The out of town guests were: Misses Mary Larmore, of Dover, Del.; Andrew Robertson, of Norfolk, Va.; Annie Lankford, of Salisbury; Viola Lankford, of St. Mary's; Messrs. Loney Austin, John Earl and Jacob McFartyre, Princess Anne; Smyth Lankford, of Salisbury; Fred Livingstone, of Norfolk, Va.; Randolph Whyte, of Loney Beach, William Wilson and Charlie Larmore, of Mt. Vernon. The house was beautifully decorated with potted plants and roses, the prevailing color being pink. Music was rendered by Messrs. Vance Dolbey and Fred Livingstone. Refreshments consisting of ices, cakes and fruits were served at 10.30. All reported a fine time.

Mrs. Charles Leatherbury entertained Tuesday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Audrey Robertson, of Norfolk, Va. Those present were, Misses Hattie Dashiell, and Daisy Robertson, Ellen Windsor, Clara Culver, Minnie Robertson, Lula Dolbey, Ella Walnwright, Messrs. William Larmore, Ogle Bloodworth, Rufus Jones, Russell Raynor, Vance Dolbey and Harry Robertson. The out of town guests were Messrs. Harry Kenney and Grover Layfield, of Green Hill; Fred Livingstone, of Norfolk, and Miss Mary Larmore, of Dover, Del. Miss Robertson is a charming young lady and all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

Hebron.

All the canning factories are busy. Misses Bessie Freeny and Denala Phillips have returned home from a visit to Miss Ruby Owens, of Columbia, Del.

The members of the Junior League will hold a picnic today at the church.

The correspondent at White Haven should be corrected in his statement that Hebron team did not play a picked team from Providence. He said "Bounds from White Haven pitched the last three innings." That is true; but he is not from White Haven but on the contrary is from Mt. Vernon. The team was made up of young men from Providence, Delmar and Mt. Vernon. The Hebron team played White Haven and Mt. Vernon 5 to 1 in our favor.

Mardela Springs.

Mrs. Dr. L. N. Wilson and daughter, Helen, are spending this week at Ocean City.

Miss Nettie Bowlin and Miss Agnes Riall, of Pocomoke City, are spending a few days with Mrs. A. E. Acworth.

Mr. Marion F. Wilson, of Philadelphia is spending a few days with relatives in town. Quite a number of our folks attended the annual celebration at Green Hill Church this week.

Rev. J. L. Straughn is in town.

Eden.

A festival and basket supper will be given at Friendship M. P. church, Wednesday afternoon and evening, August 29th.

Musicalphone and magic lantern entertainment will be given at Union M. P. church, on Friday evening, August 31, 8 o'clock.

Mt. Pleasant.

Some of the farmers in this section are beginning to take down their fodder.

Messrs. Jacob Lewis, Emory Dennis, Ernest Williams and Walter Lewis left Tuesday for Virginia where they will work in the timber business.

There will be a festival today at St. John's Church grove near Powellsville.

The tomato crop is coming on at full blast in this section.

Mr. Grover C. Nicholson was the guest of Mr. C. Kennedy Lewis, of Willards, last Saturday and Sunday.

Humors of Life At Delmar.

(Communicated.)

The Delmar News man, having resumed business at the old stand, has begun with his muck-rake to give the municipal government of our town a pretty thorough raking. Having cleaned up his own side, he comes over into Woomoo and rakes our Commissioners for the condition of the streets and does not fail to rake the poor old justice of the peace and the bailiff for not enforcing the town ordinances. Some time ago when a Washington muck-raker was making a tour of the West, he had occasion to stop a few hours at a station in one of the towns. A newspaper man reported having seen his rake and said it required two goddola cars to transport it and that there was a lack of old Speaker Joe Cannon's hair still hanging in its teeth. Those that have seen us in the last few days may have noticed that we were minus our whiskers. Should anyone desire to know the whereabouts of those whiskers, they might call up the Athletic Editor of the Delmar News and examine his muck-rake.

One evening a short time ago, while wending our way homeward through one of the principal streets of our town, we halted in front of a residence to exchange a few words with a friend, when a large dog emerged from the adjoining yard and with all the grip of his jaw-bone inserted his teeth into the rear of one of our legs, after which he returned to his domicile seemingly as contented as though nothing at all had occurred to mar the pleasure of the occasion. Well, perhaps his pleasure was not marred but ours was. That dog always having had a reputation for good conduct, we failed to understand for a time why he should have a grievance against us in particular. Subsequently, however, we remembered that it was on the evening of the day in which the bailiff had made his rounds collecting dog tax, and that we had written the ordinance providing for the collection of that tax. But how that dog found out that we had anything to do with it, still remains a mystery. W. A. C. W. Delmar, Del.

Important Real Estate Sales.

The real estate brokerage firm of S. P. Woodcock & Co. this week sold a large tract of land formerly owned by the late Col. William J. Leonard, located in Parsons district on the East side of the Delmar road and containing 800 acres. This is one of the largest land deals made in Woomoo county for some time. Mr. W. E. Brighton, of Virginia, was the purchaser, and the consideration was \$22,000.

There were five dwellings upon this farm—one of which is the old homestead where Col. Leonard was born and raised. It was from this old home that Col. Leonard left for the Civil war and about which he composed some touching and beautiful poetry while confined in the famous Libby Prison, as a prisoner of war.

Mr. Woodcock also sold to James Deaver, of Pennsylvania, another farm belonging to the Leonard estate, on the opposite side of the road. This farm contains 170 acres and sold for \$8,400.

Other sales reported by Mr. Woodcock are: Dulany farm, near Fruitland to F. L. Wailes, \$8,000; the Alex Carey farm, in Nutters District, 170 acres, to T. H. Malcomb, for \$1,800; the Thos. Bailey farm, in Nutters District, 160 acres, to J. S. Swigart, for \$8,500; the Anderson farm, 4 miles from Salisbury, on Woomoo river, containing 250 acres to A. M. Anstey, of New York City, for \$8,000. Mr. Anstey is a prominent broker in New York, and was for years manager of Stewart & Company's mammoth business. Mr. Anstey and Judge Hilton settled Mr. Stewart's estate. The Hepler farm on Woomoo river, containing 440 acres, was sold to H. L. Anstey, of New York, for \$4,000.

Has Original Copy Of First Baltimore American.

The Baltimore American this week celebrated the 134th anniversary of its foundation and published, as is their custom on such occasions, a fac simile of the first issue. It might be interesting to know that Mr. B. Frank Kennerly, of this city, has one of the original copies of this first edition and now has it framed and hung in his clothing store on Main street. The paper was then known as the Maryland Journal and Baltimore Advertiser. Except for a few tares made by mice, the copy seems to be in almost as good a condition as the day it was printed. The copy was formerly owned by Mr. Kennerly's great grandfather, the late Isaac Kennerly, who was born the same year as The American started publication, 1773. This copy was at one time loaned to the late Emory Williams, father of Mr. G. Sellman Williams, of Princess Anne, who was for a time the Salisbury correspondent for the paper. He kept the paper some time before returning it to the owner, and it is presumed that at that time The American used this copy to make the plates from which they each year print the fac simile copies.

School Teachers Appointed.

The Woomoo School Board was in session yesterday, and the full membership was present. The contracts with the following school teachers were confirmed:

Walston Switch, Miss Mattie E. Windsor; Fooks, Miss M. Elizabeth Burriss; Bivalve, Miss Mary E. Bounds; Trinity, Miss Lula English; Tyaskin, Miss Helen Watts; Mardela Springs, Miss Blanche Owens; Rileys, Miss Margaret Laws; Gordys, Miss Pearl English; Royal Oak, Miss Catherine Bussells, Johnsons, Miss Ethel Campbell.

Plans for the success of the coming Tri-County Institute were discussed. The School Board will pay a visit to the institute and note the work done.

School for the whites will begin September 10, and for the colored, October 29.

A Correction.

It was stated in the columns of this paper last week that Charles Campbell had been arrested and brought before Justice of Peace, Thomas J. Turpin on the charge of stealing \$20.00 and a coat. It seems that in some unaccountable way the wrong name was sent in, Elijah Campbell, of South Salisbury, being the man who was arrested and held for the action of the Grand Jury by the Justice. The article was entirely correct with the exception of the name, and Mr. Charles Campbell, who lives near the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad station was in no way concerned in the matter.

Notice!

There will be services (D. V.), in Spring Hill Parish on Sunday next, August 29th, as follows: Spring Hill Church 10.30 a. m. Quince 7.45 p. m. Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

Populous Cheese.

A professor of the Swiss Dairy school at Sonthal has compiled statistics of the number of micro organisms found in cheese. His experiments lead to the conclusion that every gram (one-thirtieth part of an ounce) of fresh Emmenthaler (Swiss) cheese contains between 90,000 and 100,000 living germs. After two months the number has increased to 800,000. Cream cheese contains a still larger number of animalculae, a gram harboring after three weeks 750,000, rising to 2,000,000 after a month and a half. These figures apply only to the center of the cheese, while close to the rind families numbering 5,500,000 bacteria may be found in every gram of cheese. In about one and a half pounds of cream cheese, the professor estimates, there are as many germs as there are human beings on the face of the globe. It is supposed that all or most of these micro-organisms are "friendly" ones and assist in the digestive process. We hope so. —Grocery.

August Furniture Sale

We do not handle furniture that is especially made to sell cheap. All through this list note the prices. They are plain enough and have been made honestly, and as for the character of every piece with the newness of the factory rubbed until it glissens with a high luster, it sparkles fresh from the polisher.

Table with columns for Bed Room Suits, 3 Pieces, SIDE BOARDS, and Bed Room Suits, 3 pieces. Lists various items and prices.

ROUSING CARPET BARGAINS

As a Special Inducement to Add Increased Interest to This Sale.

Table with columns for BRUSSELS, INGRAIN CARPETS, and INGRAIN CARPETS. Lists various carpet types and prices.

Birckhead - Shockley Co. Salisbury, Maryland.

TIGER TO WEAR BOOTS.

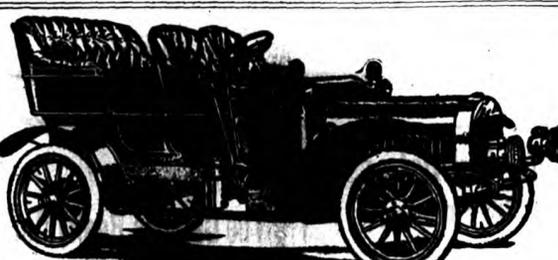
How Rajah of the Bronx Zoo Will Take Daily Outings. Rajah, the royal Bengal tiger pet of the little folks at the Bronx zoo, New York, is to be treated as no other captive man eater has ever been. He is to have regular exercise to restore his health and strength. A famous Chicago naturalist examined him a few days ago and said exercise was the only cure for his drooping spirits. Exercise is an easier remedy to prescribe than to administer when a huge tiger is the patient, but the zoo directors have hit upon a plan which is to be carried into effect, says the New York American. Rajah has been measured for a steel muzzle, fitted with strong leather straps. Immense leather boots with toe clips of steel will also be made to cover his wicked claws. A stout collar and sixty yards of steel chain will complete the equipment. A spot has been selected in Bronx park where there is plenty of grass and shade, and if the tiger takes kindly to the fresh air cure the outings will occur daily. Armed guards will be on duty while his highness suns himself.



Spring and Summer, 1906.

We wish to call especial attention to the above illustration, which is from life—drawing and accurately portrays the popular GARMENTS that are worn this season. We put the best efforts forth in having our clothes made, and have always in mind that success is acquired only by giving to the people what they desire, and giving it to them at the right price. Our clothing is widely known as the highest standard of Ready-to-Wear Garments. The styles are correct and are produced to compete with the best custom-made. Men's Fine Shirts, Hats, Suits, Underwear, Neckwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Etc., in endless profusion of styles. All new.

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