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VERDICT OF \$4,000 ENDS FAMOUS SLANDER SUIT.

Miss Nannie B. Howeth Wins Her Suit Against Mr. Zora H. Brinsfield And Recovers Damages—Defendant Denies Accusations.

It took the jury in the Brinsfield-Howeth slander suit only about an hour Thursday afternoon to decide in favor of the plaintiff, and on the fourth ballot a verdict was reached awarding Miss Nannie B. Howeth damages in the sum of \$4,000 and placing the costs on the defendant, Mr. Zora H. Brinsfield, both of Dorchester county. The costs in the case will probably amount to between four and five hundred dollars. The case was opened Monday morning, and throughout the four days of the trial the court room was crowded with the morbidly curious, eager to hear the evidence in what promised to be a particularly interesting case, and to catch a glimpse of the plaintiff and her sisters, Misses Wilsie and Genevieve Howeth, who were in constant attendance at the daily sessions of the court. And those who attended were not entirely disappointed, for perhaps the most vicious attack upon a man's character ever made in the Wicomico county Court was that of Attorney Phillips Lee Goldsborough against the defendant in his closing address for the plaintiff.

Miss Howeth brought suit for \$15,000 for alleged slanderous public remarks directed against her reputation as a school teacher. Seventy-four witnesses, among whom were some of the most prominent citizens of Dorchester county, were summoned in the case, and during the trial about thirty-five were called to give testimony.

When Mr. Brinsfield took the stand in his own behalf he made a poor witness and firmly denied all of the accusations against him and his testimony conflicted with that of nearly every other witness during the trial. According to the testimony, the defendant made a statement to a school commissioner of Dorchester county to the effect that Miss Howeth was unfit to teach a public school. It was also shown that he had repeated his slanderous remarks to several persons and that he had endeavored to use his influence to keep her from securing a position as a teacher. It was also shown that other remarks of a damaging nature had been publicly made against her character by the defendant. The occurrences on which the case was founded happened in Dorchester county in 1905.

On account of the prominence of all the parties interested and the formidable array of counsel employed on both sides, the case has attracted considerable attention. Mr. Brinsfield stated on the witness stand that his income amounted to about \$11,000 a year, and that he was worth probably about \$75,000. Miss Howeth has always been highly respected in Dorchester county and has excellent family connections. She is about 23 years of age and is the daughter of Mr. Clay Howeth, a well known and respected citizen.

Attorneys Phillips Lee Goldsborough, Frederick Fletcher, of Cambridge, and James E. Ellegood, of this city, conducted the case for the plaintiff; and Attorneys John R. Pattison, of Cambridge, and E. Stanley Todd, of Salisbury, appeared for the defendant.

Fell Dead On The Street.

Mr. W. Grason Smith, a well-known resident of Dorchester county, and a member of the school board of that county, dropped dead here Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Smith came to this city on Monday, having been called as a witness for the defense in the Brinsfield-Howeth slander suit, which was being tried in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, and he had been recalled to testify only a few hours before his death. Mr. Smith, who was about 68 years of age, seemed to be in the best of health, and having been excused by the attorneys, started for the B. & C. & A. station to take a train for his home, at Williamsburg.

He was being driven to the station in a buggy, by Mr. J. D. Showell, Jr., when he complained of feeling tired, and a few moments afterward he fell dead. His remains were removed to the undertaking establishment of George C. Hill. The body was removed to his late home on the train leaving this city at 7.45 Thursday morning.

At the time of his death Mr. Smith was serving his second term as school commissioner of Dorchester county. He is survived by his widow and two children. One son lives in Baltimore.

GRADUATING EXERCISES GREATLY APPRECIATED.

Members Of Class Render Delightful Program To Large Audience And Are Presented With Diplomas Wednesday Evening.

Another school year was closed on Wednesday evening with appropriate commencement exercises by the graduates of Wicomico High School. The theatre, which had been prettily decorated for the occasion with the class colors, was filled to the limit of its capacity, and after the program had been rendered and the diplomas awarded, everywhere could be heard a murmur of applause for the graduates and the faculty of the High School.

The manner in which the salutatory address, class oration and address of the valedictorian were delivered manifested a genuine and unfeigned feeling of sorrow at this farewell meeting, and of respect for the principal and faculty after four years of pleasant association in the High School.

The graduates formed in a procession at the rear of the Opera House and marched down the centre aisle to the stage while the orchestra played the march "Ginger Bread," the opening number of the program. This was followed by the invocation, by Rev. Kingman A. Handy, pastor of the Division Street Baptist Church. After an overture, "Bridal Rose" by the orchestra, the salutatory address was delivered by Miss Mary E. Bowland. The address was the result of careful preparation and showed a marked degree of talent and was rendered in a clear, full voice which was distinctly audible to every one in the crowded theatre. A quartette, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," was next rendered by Messrs. J. Erman Hastings, A. Everett Williams, Ralph Dulany and Ralph Williams. "What We Owe Our Race," by Mr. Hartwell S. Adkins was the next number on the program. The oration, although difficult, was exceptionally well delivered and was greatly appreciated by the audience. This was followed by a selection "Loveland" by the orchestra.

Next came the valedictory, by Miss Nellie F. Hill. Her remarks of farewell were decidedly affective and deeply impressed the entire audience. After another vocal number by the quartette, the diplomas were presented to the graduates by County Superintendent H. Crawford Bounds. Mr. Bounds congratulated each member of the class as they came forward to receive the reward for their efforts during the years spent in the High School. The orchestra then rendered a musical number, "Smiles and Carresses," which was followed by the address to the graduates by John D. Worthington, Esq., President of the Harford County School Board, in which he gave some timely advice to the graduates. This was followed by the benediction by Rev. W. S. Phillips, and the program was concluded by a march, "Arrah Wannah," by the orchestra.

The members of the graduating class are: Hartwell S. Adkins, Mary Evelyn Bowland, Maude Brown, Della Dashiell, John Erman Hastings, Nellie F. Hill, Thomas Perry, Jr., Margaret Slemmons, Helen Mae Smith, Norman E. Smith, Annie Stanford Todd and Sarah Long Ulman.

The orchestra, under the direction of Mr. W. A. Kennerly, was composed as follows: Mr. Clarence A. White, piano; Mr. Jules Reibold, violin; Mr. H. Sterling, trombone; Mr. W. A. Kennerly, cornet.

Sale Of Valuable Property.

Today at two o'clock at the Court House steps the following property will be offered for sale by James T. Truitt and George W. Messick, trustees for the late Mrs. Margaret Parsons: Three lots on Park avenue—No. 1, having a frontage of 40 feet and a depth of about 175 feet; No. 2, 60 feet front, with a depth of about 175 feet; No. 3, 63 feet front and a depth of about 175 feet. After said lot shall have been offered in the above subdivisions, they will then be offered as a whole, with the understanding that if the sum of the separate bids shall equal or exceed the bid offered for the same as a whole, then the separate bids will be accepted; but if the bid for the same as a whole shall exceed the sum of the said separate bids, then the bid for the same as a whole will be accepted. One lot on Isabella street and a lot on Poplar Hill avenue will also be offered for sale by the trustees.

FORTY EIGHT STUDENTS WILL BE GRADUATED.

Eastern Shore College Of Business And English Will Hold Third Annual Commencement June 13th.

The third annual commencement exercises of The Eastern Shore College of Business and English will be held this year in the Masonic Temple on the evening of Thursday, June 13th. An exceptionally interesting program has been arranged and Dr. T. E. Martindale, pastor of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church will deliver the address to the large class of graduates. Several musical numbers will also be rendered by the Ladies Quartette, under the direction of Mrs. M. P. Trussell.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered on Sunday evening, June 9th at the Methodist Protestant Church by Rev. W. S. Phillips, and the class reception, to which invitations will be issued, will be held June 14. The annual alumni banquet will be given on the evening of Wednesday, June 12th. It is expected that an elaborate program will be rendered at the class reception.

The number of enrollments at the college during the school year is nearly double that of any previous year, but owing to the large number of students who have left the college to accept positions, the graduating class numbers about the same as last year.

There are 48 students to be graduated in the class of 1907. They are:

Bookkeeping.
Misses Clara E. Farlow, and G. May Mumford and Messrs. William T. Larmore, Carroll C. Bounds, John W. Downing, J. Earl Morris, M. Vance Dolbey, Larry W. Hammond, James B. Gordy, J. Calvin Donaway, W. Raymond Phillips, Kerney B. Hudson, Willis Parker, Norman Carey, I. Henry Wright, Edward H. Mumford, Howard T. Hearne, A. Percy White, Elmer C. Wilkins, George R. Hill, Lester Laws, Frank A. Boston, W. Elibu Johnson, Stirling S. Smyth, Victor Mitchell and Lennie Kelley.

Shorthand.
Misses Alverta Hearne, Edna M. Goslee, M. Florence Riley, Flossie D. Hearne, Zelma Saltz, Annie V. Riggan, Nellie M. Bailey, Bertha M. Jones, Laura Wailes, Grace F. Disharoon and Anna Schultz and Messrs. Archie H. Hardesty, Samuel J. Ross, Benjamin A. Johnson, A. Percy White, Leamon G. Tingle, Clifford P. Bethke, J. Earl Morris, John G. Melson, Smith Lankford, Wm. J. Humphreys and Harry Records.

Married One Year.

An informal reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Skinner at their home on William street Monday evening by the students and alumni of the Eastern Shore College, of which Mr. Skinner is principal. The event was in commemoration of the first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Skinner. Those present were: Misses May Mumford, Florence Riley, Clara Hardesty, Flossie Hearn, Miriam Trader, Ruth Smith, Florence Goslee, Minnie Anderson, Carolyn Briddell, Edna Goslee, Leona Lankford, Ruby Mills, Leola Melson, Laura Wailes, Minnie Nelson and Ploy Hardesty and Messrs. John Downing, Percy White, Lester Laws, Sterling Smith, Henry Todd, George Hill, Arley Shockley, Willis Carey, Will Fooks, Finley Gayle, Norman Carey, Benjamin Johnson and Alfred Parker.

Meeting Of School Board.

A meeting of the School Board was held Thursday with a full board present. The matter of disposing of a lot adjoining the colored church was brought up by the members of the board and the secretary was instructed to ask parties desiring to purchase the lot to appear before the board. The resignation of Miss Beulah White, a grade teacher in the Salisbury school was read, and several applications for positions and re-appointments were placed before the commissioners.

On the matter of the selection of an assistant, it was ordered that the same be done with the consent of the entire board, and not by individual members as heretofore.

It was resolved that the Board meet regularly on the fourth Friday of each month, or oftener, if necessary.

Mr. Clarence Russell Surprised.

A delightful surprise party was given Mr. Clarence Russell, at his home on Lake street, last Tuesday evening. Those present were: Misses Pauline Tindle, Virgie Tindle, Helen Hayman, Lola McDaniel, Agnes Malone, Minnie Calloway, Alice Farlow, Nellie Fleming, Clara Lank and Messrs. Herbert Bailey, Ralph Evans, James Hastings, Harry Phipps, Clarence Russell, Eddie McDaniel, James West, Raymond Elliott, Harry Hill and Claude Russell. After a pleasant evening, refreshments were served.

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

Nanticoke Lodge, Knights of Pythias to Ara J. Connolly, house and lot in Sharptown. Consideration \$450. Elizabeth E. Robinson, et al, to Ara J. Connolly, lot in Sharptown. Consideration \$800. R. Frank Williams and wife to Catherine W. Rider, lot in Camden district. Consideration \$100. Ida E. Elliott and Wm. F. Elliott to Louis C. Bounds, parcel of land in Trappe district. Consideration \$145. Vaughn S. Gordy et al, to Howard Waters, farm in Quantico and Salisbury districts, containing 378 acres. Consideration \$8000. Affria Fooks and wife to George W. Fooks, parcel of ground in Camden district, containing 22 acres. Consideration \$1107. Affria Fooks and wife to Oswald F. Layfield, parcel of land in Camden district. Consideration \$1189.80. Jay Williams—Attorney to Elmer H. Walton, lot in Hebron. Consideration \$1. Charles W. Bacon and wife to Benj. F. English, farm in Barren Creek district. Consideration \$800. W. Scott Disharoon and Clara Dashiell Disharoon to Ella M. Jones, parcel of ground in Quantico district. Consideration \$550.

Shot While Resisting Arrest.

Last Tuesday night about 12 o'clock Frederick Long, son of George Long, of near Kingstown, Somerset county, was shot and instantly killed by Deputy Sheriff William J. Shelton while resisting arrest. Long was arrested at his home by Sheriff George W. Brown Tuesday afternoon on an indictment for larceny, and taken to Kings Creek Station to be brought to jail at Princess Anne. While in the station, handcuffed, he asked permission to phone to his father for aid in his trouble. After being granted the request he started through the swamp toward his home. The sheriff followed, but soon abandoned the chase, and telegraphed to his deputy, Shelton, at Marston, that the prisoner had escaped. Deputy Shelton, Ralph Connor and Herbert Ward met Long on the county road. The deputy called to Long to stop. Long immediately fired two shots. Then Shelton fired. Long responded with two shots, whereupon Shelton fired again and shot him in the right breast, causing an internal hemorrhage. Long was placed in a carriage by the deputy sheriff to be taken to a physician, but died in a few minutes. State's Attorney Waters was immediately sent for, and a jury of inquest was summoned, Justice W. J. Coulbourn presiding. The verdict of the jury was justifiable homicide. When Sheriff Brown arrested the prisoner the latter was in his shirt sleeves. Long asked for his coat, which was given him, and it is thought by the sheriff that the revolver was concealed in the coat. When found the pistol was held in his right hand and the handcuffs had been filed through and were hanging on each wrist, showing that Long had had help on his journey before he met the deputy sheriff. Long was considered to be a desperate character in the community where he resided, and had said that he would shoot anyone that attempted to arrest him. He was about 25 years of age and had been in several escapades before.

Marriage Licenses.

Evans-Baker:—Theodore Evans 26, Sussex Co. Del., and Joanna Baker 18; Wicomico county. Jones-Morris:—Howard Jones 21, Sussex Co. Del., and Rosena C. Morris 22; Wicomico county. Parker-Richardson:—John Parker 25, Eva Richardson 20, Wicomico county. Lewis-Cooper:—Joshua E. Lewis 30, and Gertie Cooper 25; Wicomico county.

"The Bank of Ocean City."

Mr. Calvin B. Taylor, the well-known Berlin banker, has made arrangements for opening a bank at Ocean City next week. The name of the institution will be "The Bank of Ocean City." It has been the comment of many people for several years that much smaller places than Ocean City had banks, and the prophecy was freely made that Ocean City would soon have one. A large business is done there, especially during the summer months.

Notice!

There will be services (D. V.), in Spring Hill Parish on Sunday next June 2nd as follows: Spring Hill Church—10.30 a. m. Quantico—8. p. m. Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

BALTIMORE DAY, JUNE 27.

Adequate Transportation Facilities Have Been Arranged To Accommodate Visitors.

Baltimore Day at the Jamestown Exposition, June 27, will be one of the important dates of the season, and the Baltimore-Jamestown Commission, appointed to have charge of the building and the event, promises a day worth while to those who attend. The Governor, Mayor of Baltimore and Maryland's Senators and Congressmen will be among those of the distinguished guests invited by the commission, and every mayor of every city, town and village of Maryland will be invited. The day is regarded not only as Baltimore Day, but as a day of celebration for the whole State of Maryland and all the southern territory which is so peculiarly bound to Baltimore by commercial relations.

That the Exposition will be in fine shape by June 27 is certain. An official statement has been issued by President St. George Tucker of the exposition company, to that effect. The Baltimore and Maryland Buildings have both long been completed, and the Baltimore Building is a model of beauty in design and finish. It has fourteen finely finished rooms, protected by composite board over which exquisite designs of wall paper have been placed. Every room is handsomely furnished, and the big foyer room, with its cheerful open grate and genuine Maryland atmosphere, is an ideal place of comfort for social mingling. It will be the scene of many a gathering of Baltimoreans and their friends during the Exposition.

The programme for Baltimore Day has not been fully completed, but it will include adequate arrangements for music, and a semi-military feature will be added by the land and water division of the Maryland National Guard. There will, of course, be a list of speeches, and orators will include men famous in this section of the southland. The exposition management will turn the fair over to Baltimore liberally, and every facility will be provided for seeing everything in the best possible way.

Transportation facilities from Baltimore to the landing at Jamestown, and to Norfolk, Old Point, Newport News and the surrounding points from which the exposition can be reached by ferry, will be adequate. Hundreds are expected to go to Cape Charles and take the ferry over, and many will come up from Richmond to join their friends from Baltimore. All the local means of transportation will be used by those living in the counties, both by rail and water. The prospect now is that the attendance of Marylanders not living in Baltimore will be heavy, and while the figures may be larger, the members of the commission are hoping that there will not be less than 30,000 on the grounds on June 27, who are attracted directly by the interest in Baltimore Day.

To those who attend the exposition on this day there will be keen interest in the display of resources, natural and developed, in the Maryland section of the States Building. Many Baltimore firms are represented, as well as industries outside of Baltimore.

The Baltimore-Jamestown Commission is asking for suggestions for a slogan for the day, and hundreds of responses have been received. The slogan will probably be used in the form of ribbon streamers from buttons of the State colors, to be worn in the coat lapel. Both the Travelers and Merchants' and Merchants and Manufacturers' Association will send excursions, and all the other community organizations are working up local interest. The commission is urging all who can do so to go a few days before the date set aside for Baltimore, in order to avoid the rush at the last.

Medical Society Meets.

The semi-annual meeting of the Worcester County Medical Society met Tuesday afternoon in the Odd Fellows' Hall and was presided over by its president, Dr. John S. Aydelotte. The most important business transacted during the meeting was the passing of a resolution in which the members pledged themselves as a society not to make any examination for old line insurance companies for less than five dollars. After the recent investigations into some of these companies, they decided to curtail expenses by cutting down the examiner's fee, and as the medical department was about the only one shown to be free from graft, this action on the part of the companies has been resented by the profession all over the country, and they are taking a stand against it by refusing to examine for the companies, which have made this reduction. The meeting was addressed by Dr. Thomas B. Fletcher, of Baltimore, who spoke on "The Etiology, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Arthritic Diseases." This society includes nearly every physician in the county, and is one of the most progressive and flourishing in the state.

LOOKS LIKE COLONEL JONES.

Rank And File Of Montgomery County Endorse Spencer C. Jones For Governor.

Democratic politicians from all sections of Montgomery county gathered in Rockville Tuesday, it being the weekly field day of the numerous candidates for the nominations to be made this summer. It became very evident from the sentiment of the rank and file of the party in the county is against placing any obstacles in the gubernatorial aspiration of Col. Spencer C. Jones, and it now begins to look as if Colonel Jones will be allowed to name the county's delegation to the nominating convention without opposition.

It is true that several gentlemen prominent in the faction now in control of party affairs in the county—among them being State Senator Blair Lee and Robert G. Hilton—are much inclined to put up a fight against the Colonel, but the general feeling seems to be that such a course would be poor politics, especially as Montgomery county has no other candidate for the place. Of course if Colonel Jones is unopposed in the county the faction of which Mr. Edward C. Peter is the recognized leader would expect concessions from the Jones people, and as to retain control of the party organization in the county seems to be nearer to their hearts than anything else it is believed that Colonel Jones and his friends would allow friends of Mr. Peter to name the members of the State Central Committee for the county. In fact, Colonel Jones has already expressed his willingness to leave the selection of the governing body to the candidates to be named in August, and as all of the aspirants for these nominations are members of the Peter faction it would mean that a Peter organization would be chosen.

If there should be a fight over the control of the county's delegation to the State convention, Colonel Jones would have a good chance to win. Without the active co-operation of Mr. Edward C. Peter the anti-Jones faction could hardly accomplish much, and Mr. Peter is understood to be disinclined to put up a fight against Colonel Jones.

Many of those who were among the warmest supporters of Senator Blair Lee in his fight against Colonel Jones for the nomination as State Senator two years ago have announced themselves as in favor of Colonel Jones for the Governorship. Among these are former Sheriff Arthur Williams, Judge Lawrence A. Darby, Walter A. Johnston and nearly all of the aspirants for the various nominations to be made this summer.

There appears to be little doubt now that Colonel Jones will have the indorsement of his county for the nomination, and it looks very much as if he would not have to fight for it.

An Open Challenge.

The undersigned do hereby challenge any "Married Men's" baseball team on the Eastern Shore for a game of ball to be played on their grounds, or a series of games. This we think a good move to revive the national game among the old lovers of the sport who haven't time to devote wholly to any one sport. Each member of any team must be a married man and a qualified voter of his town, or have been a resident thereof at least six months prior to the game. We want once more to see purely amateur baseball established on the Shore and consider this a good move in that direction, besides having a good time among the "old has been's." Address all communications to "Married Men's B. B. Club, Federalburg."

Airship Causes Excitement.

Considerable excitement was caused at Kings Creek, this county, Tuesday evening of this week, by the flight of an airship over that village. When the airship was first sighted some distance away, all eyes were turned upward in astonishment, and as the machine drew near and the mechanism of the ship which was making considerable noise, could be heard, a larger majority of the small populace grew terror stricken. The machine was very near the ground, just clearing the houses, trees, and telegraph poles, and the conversation of the occupants was plainly audible to those few who had sufficient courage to stand their ground and the few that were frightened to such an extent that they could not run. The machine was adorned with two large red lights and made quite a spectacular appearance. The negroes of the vicinity took refuge in hay stacks, woods, corn houses, under beds, and in attics, from the monstrous affairs which they were positive was nothing less than the devil, and it was some time before they could be convinced that the machine was the work of human beings, and not something super-natural. It is supposed that the machine was on its way to the Jamestown Exposition, as it was headed in that direction. —Crisfield Times.

ARSON IN CECIL COUNTY.

Work Of Fire Bugs Causes Three Night Alarms To Follow In Quick Succession.

Residents of Eikton are thoroughly aroused over the work of fire bugs which resulted in three fires, two of which were in the Main street business section, near the Cecil County Courthouse. It is believed that in each case the incendiaries made use of coal oil. Shortly after 11 o'clock Friday night fire was discovered in the rear of the drug store of Robert B. Frazer, and had gained considerable headway when the alarm was sounded. The Singlerly Fire Company responded promptly and by good work confined the flames to the rear of the building, but not until they had eaten their way into the store and caused quite a loss to the building and contents.

Shortly before 1 o'clock the second fire broke out in the three-story frame building on the south side of Main street owned by Mrs. Hester C. Levis and tenanted by E. S. Waller, photographer. The building, which is located across the street from the Frazer building, was fired also from the rear and the flames had gained considerable headway when discovered. The fire company responded promptly and extinguished the flames. Had the fire not been checked promptly here the entire block, which is all frame, would likely have been destroyed.

The residents of the town had hardly returned to their homes when the third alarm was sounded. This time the fire bugs had set fire to the large stable and shedding owned by the Gilpin estate and located at the corner of North and High streets. The buildings were occupied by Ramo & George, ice dealers. The horses were gotten out in safety, but several ice wagons and other articles were consumed. The firemen again did good work, and prevented the spread of the flames, but the building was almost wrecked. The people by this time were thoroughly aroused and during the remainder of the morning the streets were patrolled by special officers. The heaviest loss was sustained by R. B. Frazer, both to his building and contents, all of which is covered by insurance. No arrests have as yet been made, but the authorities are determined to make a thorough investigation. The City Council at a meeting held Tuesday morning offered a reward of \$250 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the culprits.

Opposes Long Observed Policy.

Ex-Congressman Joshua W. Miles, in announcing his candidacy for the United States Senate, very emphatically opposes the long-observed policy of the Republican party, namely the concentration of government, without regard to the individual, constitutional rights of the States. President Roosevelt has made this party policy more prominent than any of his predecessors in late years. Mr. Miles very vigorously arraigns the high tariff system as an engine to promote private fortunes and trusts.

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1 Daily, 4 Daily except Sunday.

In addition to the above trains the Norfolk Accommodation leaves Delmar daily except Sunday at 3.30 a.m., Salisbury 4.04 a.m., arriving Norfolk 10.30 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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Order of Publication.

HIRAM J. COOPER vs. BENJAMIN DENNIS ET AL. No. 1666 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Md.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of the property in Willards Election District, in Wicomico County, owned by Lavinia Dennis, at the time of her death.

The bill states that the said Lavinia Dennis departed this life intestate on or about the 4th day of September, 1905, seized and possessed of a tract of land in said district adjoining the John B. Shockley lot, and on the East side of the Poplar Neck road, and being the property obtained by the said Lavinia Dennis from King V. White by deed dated the 26th day of April, 1900; that being so seized and possessed of said land, said Lavinia Dennis died as aforesaid, leaving a husband, Benjamin Dennis, and the following heirs at law: Hiram J. Cooper, who has intermarried with Mary Cooper; Edward C. Cooper, who has intermarried with Bessie Cooper; Margaret A. Pusey, who has intermarried with Levis Pusey; Ida B. Smith, who has intermarried with Thomas H. Smith; Gordon Lee Cooper, who has intermarried with Ida Florence Cooper; Greensbury Cooper, who has intermarried with Anna Jane Cooper; all of whom reside in Wicomico County and State of Maryland; and Arley M. Cooper, who has intermarried with Anna Elizabeth Cooper; and Robert Cooper, who has intermarried with Stella Emma Cooper; all of whom are non-residents of the State, and reside in the State of Delaware; that the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss to the parties entitled to interests therein, and that in order to make a division of said interests it will be necessary to sell said property. It is thereupon this 18th day of May, 1907, ordered by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, in Equity, that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Wicomico County once in each four successive issues before the 20th day of June next, give notice to the said non-resident respondents of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 15th day of July next, to show cause, if any they have, why the decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND.

Filed May 18, 1907. True Copy Test: ERNEST A. TOADVINE, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, issued by the Clerk of the Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland, at the suit of J. Hillary Riell against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William J. Conway and Nancy Conway, his wife, and to me directed. I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said William J. Conway and Nancy Conway his wife in and all that lot or parcel of ground in Tyaskin Election District, in Wicomico County and State of Maryland, on the West side of County Road leading from Green Hill to Nanticoke, and bounded on the North by property of Haste W. Conway, on the South by property of J. Hillary Riell, and the West by property of George Dashiell, and containing three acres of land more or less, and being property which was conveyed or attempted to be conveyed to Roy Smith by said William J. Conway and Nancy Conway his wife, by deed of record among the land records of Wicomico County.

And I hereby give notice that on Saturday, June 8, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the Court House, in Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described property, to satisfy said writ and costs.

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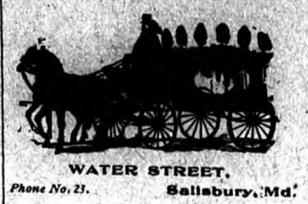
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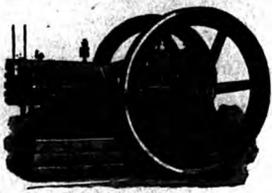
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Samuel Sipes, a young farmer, living a few miles north of Hancock, just over the Maryland border in Fulton county, Pennsylvania, gave himself up to the authorities, stating that he had killed a man. From the story given by Sipes, it appears that he had suspected for some time that undue intimacy existed between his wife and Dr. S. S. Hoop, a young physician. When he was satisfied that his suspicions were well founded he discharged his shotgun at Dr. Hoop, killing him instantly.

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A JAMESTOWN LETTER.

A Maryland Boy At The Exposition Writes Of The Big Event—Nearing Completion.

MR. EDITOR: A great deal has been said about the Jamestown Exposition, both for and against it, especially by those who were here on the day of the opening who were the knocking been done. Now I would like to say this much.

The condition of things on the Exposition grounds on April 26, was very bad, as there were very few exhibits in and the streets and pavements were anything but clear, still this does not mean that it must stay in this condition and a visitor there today would hardly recognize it as being the same place they saw on the day of the opening, for while it is not quite complete it has improved very much and is now in first class shape, the streets are all finished and the pavements are all down and clean, while there are exhibits in every building.

There are some buildings still under construction, but they are being pushed to completion as fast as possible and the directors say that it will positively be finished by June 15th so that if any one who wishes to see the fair and does not expect to come but once will wait until July 1st they will see all there is and it will pay anyone to come to see it. The naval display has been grand, the entire fleet will be here again on June 10 and will be illuminated on June 12, which is Virginia day, the illumination alone is worth the trip here.

The attendance to the Exposition has been about 3,000 per day on the average since the opening. This was paid admission and the passes will amount to as many more, so even though the papers have been knocking us and the fair not being finished, we have had quite a good attendance and it is increasing all the time.

Now good people put away your hammer, and stop knocking, talk up the fair for your sister state, and tell your friends to come. Be a Booster and DO IT NOW!
An Eastern Shoreman.

Commissioners Meet.

The County Commissioners had a busy session last Tuesday, approving bills and getting ready to strike the levy on Tuesday next. The law states that the levy shall be declared the first Tuesday in June.

Mr. Johnson reported having employed J. E. White to build a new bridge over Pryor's pond \$75. He reported the bridge completed, and the bill was ordered paid, one-half the sum to be charged to Somerset county.

The following pensions were granted: To Charlotte Bell, col., \$1.50 per month, order to H. H. Hitch & Bro.; Wm. Littleton and wife, \$1.25 per month, order to White & Wilkins.

There being some objection to the report of the commission on road in Nanticoke District, the report was laid over for final action until June 18.

The report of the commission on Deep Branch tax ditch was filed, and advertisement ordered for ratification on June 18.

The request for a reduction of assessment of the steamboat property of the B., C. & A. Ry. Co. was considered, and it is likely the Board will allow a reasonable reduction. The Commissioners decided to assess 240 acres of land held by the railway company as a right of way for this road.

The Board appointed G. Ernest Freeny road supervisor for Quantico District. Board adjourned to meet Tuesday, June 4.

Large Property Leased.

Mr. John Rush Street has leased for a period of ten years to Mr. Thomas H. Symington, of Green Spring Valley, the mansion house and large barn on his farm near Taylor, formerly owned by his father, the late Charles H. Streett, and until recently occupied by him. It will be remembered that these buildings were last fall especially equipped for the use of the Green Spring Valley Hunt Club, which kept there for a time nearly one hundred horses, and it is understood that Mr. Symington will put to a similar use in the near future. The farm is a beautiful one, containing over two hundred acres, situated near the Baltimore county line, and is admirably adapted to its proposed use.

Suicide Failed.

Mrs. Samuel G. Umstot, whose husband is an auctioneer at Cumberland, attempted to commit suicide Tuesday by drinking carbolic acid. Dr. Jas. M. Spear, who was called promptly thinks that the woman's life can be saved. Mrs. Umstot has been suffering from melancholia. She is 25 years of age and has been married only about two months.

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DEMOCRATS NOMINATE TICKET.

Advocates of Clean Aldermanic Sweep Successful in Frederick County Politics.

Frederick Democrats held their city convention in the basement of the Courthouse Tuesday and, after an exciting contest, nominated a ticket agreed upon by those advocating a clean Aldermanic sweep.

Two members of the present board—Messrs. John Herschberger and Joseph Douglass—carried their respective wards in the primaries, and the determination on the part of their friends to force their nomination had the effect of attracting a large number of people of both parties to see the fight. The convention was called to order by City Chairman Charles P. Levy. The first contest came in the selection of a chairman between Glenn H. Worthington and John K. R. Wood, the former winning by a vote of 20 to 18.

A recommendation by the committee on credentials and resolutions to nominate four of the five Aldermen at one time and the fifth immediately afterward precipitated another contest, which resulted in the selection of the five nominees at the same time.

The convention then ratified the Crawford primary nomination of George Edward Smith for Mayor and unanimously renominated Edward C. Shepherd for City Register. The following candidates for Aldermen were nominated:

George E. Wilcoxon, Henry S. Hahn, James H. Gambrell, Jr., Lewis Fraley and David Lowenstein. The names of Joseph H. Douglass and John Herschberger were put in nomination, each receiving about one-half as many votes as the successful candidates. The ticket is regarded as a strong one.

Drowned Off Terrapin Sands.

Mr. Geo. Miller, a native of Germany, who has only been in this country for 4 years, and has been employed by Capt. John W. Parks, of Holland's Island, commander of the schooner Elizabeth J. White, as a seaman, on this vessel, was drowned in Tangier Sound on Monday, while off Terrapin Sands.

Miller was ordered to clear away a jib rope and was standing on a foot rope, which broke and threw him into the water. Although a severe gale was blowing at that time, the vessel was brought about as quickly as possible, and a boat was lowered to search for the seaman, but were unable to find him.

Capt. Parks was on his way to Crisfield, with a boat load of fish, when this sad accident occurred. He has been running fish to this port all during the season.

Miller was about 22 years of age and lived on Holland's Island.

Well Attended Meeting.

There was a large gathering of Democrats at the Rutaw House, Baltimore, on Thursday last, and names of Col. Jones, Col. Schley, Mr. Henry Williams and Mr. Frank A. Farst were discussed in connection with the Governorship. There was a decided impetus given to the movement to nominate Col. Jones, it is said. The Democratic State Convention will be held in Baltimore on August 8th. The Second Judicial Circuit Convention will be held at Centerville on August 15th.

Cut His Throat—Will Recover.

Jease Robinson, about 25 years old, a farm laborer residing near Westminster was arrested Monday night on a charge of assaulting his wife, Mrs. Carrie Robertson, on Saturday night with intent to murder her. He declared, when he learned that his wife had sworn out a warrant for his arrest, that he would not be taken to jail alive, and made an attempt to take his own life by cutting his throat with a large pocketknife. He inflicted an ugly gash in one side of his throat and another into the bone in front, but did not cut deep enough to sever an artery, and will recover.

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Ellen Terry contributes her charming and fascinating "Memories of My Childhood" that give stories of her wonderful girlhood, and her debut, and pictures of the actors and the English stage of fifty years ago. Samuel Hopkins Adams presents in "Rochester's Pure Milk System," a graphic account of life saving by a municipal supply of plain, pure milk. In his "Reminiscences" Carl Schurz bluntly describes the Defeat of Chancellorsville and puts the blame where it belongs. "By Airship to the North Pole," by the arctic explorer, Walter Wellman tells about his arship and the dash he will make in it to the North Pole this summer. C. P. Connolly reaches an astounding climax in his "Fight of the Copper Kings" when he narrates the terrible underground battles of Helzoe and Amalgamated miners.

Besides its five stirring articles, the June McClure's has six brilliant and entertaining stories. "The Profile," by Willa Sibert Cather, tells of strange clashes and problems. Rebecca Lane Hooper, in "The Wilderness of Mr. Harcourt Peters," presents a witty and humorous social comedy. Henry C. Rowland's "Shiraz" tells of a lovable small boy and his adventures in the Orient. Viola Roseboro' contributes "Secret History," powerful tale of the Irish, politics, and rugged personalities. "One of the Gray-jackets" by E. Crayton McCants is a pathetic story of an old Lee Veteran. F. R. Weir's "The Tale of a Cayuse" is a humorous story of the merry West. There are also two artistic poems.

The illustrations vie with the text in excellence. Ellen Terry's Memories has several rare and beautiful photographs. F. Walter Taylor did the best single illustration of the month—for "The Profile." J. Montgomery Flagg drew several clever pictures for "The Wilderness of Mr. Harcourt Peters." There are fine portraits in the Schurz Reminiscences, "By Airship to the North Pole," and "The Fight of the Cooper Kings" are each embellished with several photographs—those of the latter were taken by the artist Frank E. Schoonover.

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The Silence Of The School Board.

The Wicomico News and the School Board seem to be absolutely determined to ignore the recent resignation of Mr. F. Grant Goslee from the public school, and the attacks which have been made upon the members in connection with the resignation. It is the unquestioned duty of the Board to answer the various statements which have been made, and especially is this true now that Mr. Goslee has made a statement, which is full and complete, and demands a thorough explanation on the part of the school authorities.

True, Mr. H. Crawford Bounds, Secretary to the Board, in last week's edition of the Salisbury Advertiser, did issue a signed statement setting forth his own position with reference to the resignation, and his own official connection therewith, but the people are entitled to more than this. They are entitled to a detailed statement from the members of the Board themselves, and no argument nor subtle reasoning of any kind can make it otherwise.

We shall not at this time attempt to discuss the merits of the controversy, nor the statement made by Mr. Bounds last week, nor by Mr. Goslee in this issue, but in view of the fact that the public is clearly entitled to all the light that can be thrown upon the subject. The Board, by its present attitude, has been placed in a peculiarly unenviable position, and its continued silence can only be construed as a tacit acknowledgment of the charges which have been hurled against it.

As public officials, these men can hardly afford to ignore the demands of the people, and we feel confident that even yet they will break the seal of silence which seems to have been imposed upon them. With the statements which have already been given to the public, it requires only the response of the remaining members of the Board to place the public in a position where they can themselves intelligently judge the merits of the controversy.

The public school system of any county is entirely too important an institution to have resting upon it the slightest taint of improper management of any kind and to any degree. From clippings which we have read and quotations we have seen, the matter has unfortunately gone even now far beyond our own borders, and it now becomes an act of simple justice to the people of Wicomico county that the School Commissioners should assert themselves, and refute, if they can, the charges made against them, and no longer meekly submit to the repeated insinuations of domination which have been heaped upon them.

We have always believed that the whole affair has been greatly exaggerated and its significance over-estimated, but at the same time there are vital principles

involved, which dare not be ignored by the school authorities, and it is because of these facts, and in justice to the people and the school authorities themselves, that a clear and succinct statement should be issued to the people promptly.

Editorial Jottings.

'Tis June—in name only.

"Silence is golden"—but not always.

The people are patiently waiting for the garbage system—and a few other things.

This may be the "Good Old Summer Time"—but who would have suspected it?

The School Board is still asleep—sleeping it may be, the "sleep of the just"—but we know not.

Candidates are appearing on all sides for various offices, and politics will be pretty lively before long.

The Democrats have concluded to have a long campaign, and already full county tickets are in the field in several instances.

The new electric light company is on its good behavior, and the people are carefully waiting to see that they "make good."

Our genial friend, former Street Commissioner James Kennerly, was "scent" home from Snow Hill on Thursday, a wiser but a sadder man.

It seems to be a difficult matter to get away from murder trials, and the Loving case bids fair to consume, for some time, a large amount of public attention.

When it comes time for the annual distribution of "plums," Mayor Mahool will find he has his hands full; and already the "plates" are being "passed up."

The ladies of Isabella street are contemplating raising a company for the purpose of having the "standing army" removed. Well, if they do, it will not be there long.

The President flayed the Railroad plunderers in his Indianapolis speech on Wednesday, but it requires even more than that to make a very decided impression upon them.

When the gas company begins the erection of that gas plant, just notice how much earlier the electric lights will be turned on—especially when the gas people begin to solicit business.

The trees on North Division street are out in all their glory, and it seems like a cold-blooded proposition to think of destroying the entire lot,—but even beauty sometimes has to give way before the onward march of progress.

The Democrats of the State seem to be entirely at sea as to the nominations for State Officers this fall. They will probably fix the "slate" however, in good shape, before the meeting of the State Convention, which is fixed for the 8th of August.

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan was at the Jamestown Exposition Thursday, and was the orator of the day at the Patrick Henry exercises. It is fortunate that at the same time the President went West; otherwise, the Western section of the country might have "tilted up" and a dire fatality resulted. There must have been some well-ordered plan in this noteworthy coincidence, for the preservation of the proper balance of the country.

It is singularly fortunate for the public that the resignation of a teacher from the public schools is an exceptionally rare occurrence—otherwise one of our esteemed contemporaries might be compelled to issue a weekly supplement containing the news.

With court in session at Snow Hill and in Salisbury, the lawyers of the circuit are decidedly on the "go," but this condition has its advantages as well as disadvantages, and is by no means an unmitigated evil—at least as far as the lawyers are concerned.

It is easy to talk about "tariff revision" when it is impossible to have it revised. But just wait until Congress convenes, and then see how the big manufacturers of the country stand in relation to the subject. It is ten to one, they they will want no tampering with the tariff.

It is a little difficult to understand just how Attorney-General Bryan reached the conclusion that the primary election law was applicable to the entire State, and it would be exceptionally gratifying to the lawyers of the State if he would give them the "processes" by which he arrived at his opinion.

What's the matter with the gas franchise? Who held it up Monday night? True, the Mayor was over at Snow Hill "courting" amid the recital of "scent"imental environments, but this would hardly account for the lack of action, and besides, the Councilmen are the ones who act primarily upon the application.

Mr. E. H. Parsons, formerly of Parsonsburg, one of the prominent Republicans of this county, was a welcome caller at our office during the week. Mr. Parsons has been in Wicomico for several days visiting his old friends, and returned to his home at Parksley, Va., yesterday, where he is getting along nicely.

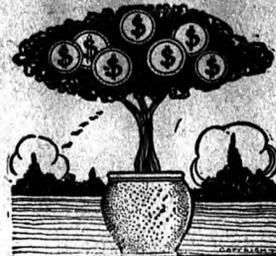
The New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad Company is having a hard time to please the public. The trains they are running are behind time, and the train they ought to have run, has been taken off. This train, which formerly left Salisbury at eight o'clock in the morning, was a great convenience to the business and traveling men of the Peninsula, and, it is to be hoped, will be replaced within a short time.

City Must Pay Damages.

The case of John Wesley Riffin, Jr. vs. the Mayor and Council of Salisbury, came up on Tuesday at the May term of the Worcester county court, at Snow Hill, and continued for three days. The suit was brought by Mr. Riffin on account of an attack of typhoid fever last summer, which he claimed resulted from a pool of water in front of his house on the Snow Hill road. This pool had been allowed to remain on the street for a long time by the city authorities, and nothing had been done to relieve the situation during 1906.

The plaintiff was, however, at the trial unable to prove any direct connection between the pool and the case of typhoid, and the court ruled against the plaintiff on the typhoid "count." It, however, allowed the case to go to the jury on the second count of the narr upon the question of the "comfortable use, enjoyment and occupation" of his premises, which the plaintiff claimed were seriously interfered with by reason of the peculiarly disagreeable odors which arose from the pool during the entire summer. Upon this count the jury awarded the plaintiff \$100.00 damages, and threw the costs upon the city, amounting to several hundred dollars, notwithstanding the fact that it was contended on the part of the city that no award could be given, as no actual damages were sustained.

Attorneys Elmer H. Walton and John H. Handy represented the plaintiff, and Attorneys L. Atwood Bennett and Robley D. Jones appeared for the city.



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THE COURIER.

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—The Salisbury Water Company is erecting a fuel house on the West side of Millstreet, opposite the water works.

—The Eastern Shore College will hold its third annual commencement in the Masonic Temple Thursday evening, June 13.

—There will be a meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the Hospital Monday morning, June 3, at 10:30 o'clock at the City Hall.

—LOST:—A mare mule, dark color, strayed from stable Monday night. Reward if returned to Alfred Townsend, at J. E. Lowe's stables.

—The Misses Day entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening in honor of the Misses Mills and Bedore, of Bridgeport, Connecticut.

—A committee of young men gave a dance Monday evening in honor of Miss Sarah Richardson, who is the guest of the Misses Gundy, at Cherry Hill.

—Any one having tomato plants for sale should write to E. William Perdue, Parsonsburg, Md., as he wants a large quantity of them for his planting.

—Mrs. A. L. Barker of Bridgeport, N. J., and Mrs. Joseph Bergen, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Caroline Ulman, at her home on E. Church St.

—An invitation has been extended to the Courier to be present at the commencement exercises at the Maryland Agricultural College, June eighth to twelfth.

—Messrs. U. W. Dickerson, Wm. M. Day, M. V. Brewington and W. B. Miller have been in North Carolina during the week looking after their timber interests.

—The ladies of the Missionary society of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church will hold a strawberry festival at Mill Grove on the evening of Thursday, June 6th.

—"The Wicomico County Fair" to be given under the auspices of The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church June 21st bids fair to being the greatest hit of the season.

—The King's Daughters wish to express thanks to Mr. E. C. Potter for his kindness in presenting them with one half of the proceeds of the moving picture entertainment Wednesday evening.

—Mr. John W. Sirman, who recently sustained several attacks of paralysis and for some time has been quite ill at his home in South Salisbury, is very much improved, and is now expected to recover.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dorman have closed their house in town for the summer, and moved out to the Dorman homestead near town. Mrs. Charles T. Leviness and children, will spend the summer with them.

—The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company has placed a number of fast freights in service on account of berry season, among them being the fast Boston berry train, known as number "10."

—Rev. B. G. Parker, will on Sunday night preach a special sermon in the old Presbyterian Church of Mardela Springs. Subject—"The Christian's Security amid Crumbling Creeds, Social, Economic and Political upheavals."

—To-day, Saturday, June 1st. The Salisbury Horse and Mule Co. will sell at public auction at the Court House door at 2 p. m., the large stables located on East Camden street, with lot in rear. For full particulars see posters.

—Miss Mary Evelyn Bowland, a member of the graduating class of the Wicomico High School, has been attending the schools of this city for three and one half years and has never been absent from the school a single day during this time.

—Miss Lillian White has returned to her home in Stockton. She was recently operated on for appendicitis at the Peninsula General Hospital, and has practically recovered from her illness. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Messick of this place.

—Baptist street, which leads from East Church street to the lake, has been greatly improved during the week by being properly drained, and now presents a most excellent appearance. The work was done under the supervision of Commissioner Serman.

—Have you been thinking of buying some article in the Jewelry line, if so now is your chance. Harper & Taylor's entire stock will be reduced 10 per cent. for 30 days from June 1st to 30th. This is our annual sale of 10 per cent, but never before on our entire stock. Your opportunity.

—The berry crop is now at its height, and large quantities are being shipped from the stations in Salisbury. There has been a heavy demand for refrigerator cars, and last Saturday sixteen car loads of berries were iced by the Salisbury Ice Company, and eleven more the first of the week.

—The funeral sermon of the late Mr. Edward Cordrey will be preached Sunday at 10:30 a. m. at the M. E. Church, Hebron, by Rev. H. S. Dunsay of Fruitland. There will also be regular services at the same church at 3 o'clock and Epworth League at 8 o'clock p. m.

—We know you are in need of some article in the Jewelry line, and why not by now, while Harper & Taylor are giving 10 per cent. off on their entire stock, which is composed of goods with quality and the latest designs. This sale commences Saturday, June 1st and 30th. Come early and continue until the make your selection.

—Dr. C. Brotemarkle, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, of Vienna, has moved to this city and opened offices in the Masonic Temple. He was formerly Surgeon-in-Chief at the Western Maryland Hospital, Cumberland, and comes to Salisbury highly recommended. Dr. Brotemarkle will make his residence on Camden avenue.

—The gold medal for the declamation contest by the students of the Wicomico High School was awarded by the judges to Mr. Irving Phillips after the contest Wednesday morning. This contest is not a part of the school work, and the medal is offered each year by Prof. J. Walter Huffington to stimulate an interest in oratory among the students.

—The stock of D. B. Cannon and Company was purchased on Monday by H. E. Todd and Company, and including a large stock of cigars and tobacco were removed to the warehouse of the latter firm on Main street. The purchase also included the brands of cigars formerly sold by D. B. Cannon and Company.

—At the meeting of the Council Monday evening a petition, signed by all residents on Main street, was filed with the Council asking for the removal of the old shed on the Toadvine wharf property. The petition stated that the shed was in a dilapidated condition and was an eye-sore to all persons passing it. No action was taken by the Council in the matter.

—About 300 people were in attendance at the banquet of the graduates and students of Wicomico High School Thursday evening, and the event was most enjoyable to those present. An impromptu program was rendered by the students after which the guests were banqueted in the class rooms. A delightful menu consisting of fancy ices, cakes and fruits was served.

—About sixty members of the Junior Epworth League connected with Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church enjoyed the usual annual outing of that society in Holland's woods last Tuesday afternoon. The picnic was under the supervision of the superintendent, Mrs. T. E. Martindale and the assistant superintendent, Mr. Robert L. Leatherbury.

—The Misses Louise and Ruth Gundy have returned to Salisbury after an extended trip through the Southern states. During their trip they visited Memphis, Chattanooga, Jamestown and Deval Bluff, Arkansas. They were accompanied on the return trip by Miss Sarah Richardson, of Deval Bluff, Arkansas, who will spend several weeks as the guest of the Misses Gundy.

—Resolutions have recently been passed at the General Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, by which there will be an increase of 20 per cent in the pastors, salaries during the present year. This action was deemed advisable because of the increased cost of living at the present time, and it is generally believed that practically all the churches will comply with the resolution.

—Mr. Cecil Goslee, of Salisbury and Mr. Curtis W. Long, of Allen, are among the graduates in the collegiate department, and Miss Tillie W. Bounds, of Quantico, Miss Pauline K. Goslee, of Salisbury, Miss Mabel W. Hayman, of Delmar and Miss Hilda W. Howard, of Hebron, in the Normal department, at Washington College, Chestertown, this year. The Commencement exercises will be held Thursday evening, June 13.

—Mr. George N. Crosby, a former school teacher of Wicomico county, died at his home in Philadelphia this week. Mr. Crosby, who was 74 years of age, received his education at Oxford Academy and was a native of Chester, Penn. Mrs. George W. D. Waller, of this city, who is a daughter of Mr. Crosby, accompanied by Mr. Waller, attended the funeral services which were held at his late residence in Philadelphia.

—Messrs. A. P. Fritz, Louis Dalmas, Ralph B. Rhodes and St. George Hill tendered their resignations as directors of the Salisbury Light, Heat and Power Company at a meeting of the company held last Friday evening in this city. Messrs. Wm. J. Downing, Samuel A. Graham, U. W. Dickerson and Wm. M. Cooper were elected to fill the vacancies thus created. It is expected that a large number of improvements will be made in the plant, including the installation of a new 300 horse power boiler.

—The interesting program entitled "Summer's Golden Message" will be rendered at Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, June 9, in connection with the Children's Day exercises. The entire day will be observed, and special services held. The scope of the interests represented by the Children's Day offerings was greatly enlarged at the last General Conference so that it now includes not only the entire educational work of the church, but also the Tract and Sunday-School enterprises connected with it, thus making the contributions of the day and the work of the Board very much more important than they have ever been in the past.

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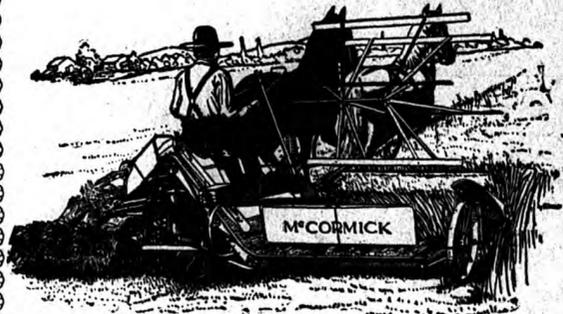


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Through Shaft 7.

By LULV JOHNSON.

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"Are you positive that this assault was committed on the evening of Thursday of last week?" asked the judge.

"About 10:30 on that evening," asserted Calman.

"It takes six hours to go from here to the mine," pursued the magistrate.

"I can do it in five on Tenny."

"Not better than that, though. Well, at 12 o'clock on that night I took a drink with Beecham, the accused, in the Golden Crown. Case dismissed until we can find out who did it."

The judge clambered from the bench, an elaborate structure of grocery boxes, and looked about expectantly. Calman stepped forward.

"I suggest that the fact that there really is a Golden Crown be proved," he said genially.

"Motion sustained," ordered the judge, and the entire party retired across the street to drink with such others as might already be there at Calman's expense.

But while the evidence was beyond question and Calman accepted the alibi, it was Beecham who had led the attack. Beecham not only bore a bad reputation, but he deserved it. Ever since he had come to Silver Springs he had headed all the villainy of the little mining camp, and more than once it had been remarked that the Lucky Hole produced a surprisingly large percentage of rich ore. No one had ever been able to prove that this ore came from other mines than the one to which it was credited, but suspicion lay heavy upon Beecham, who worried not at all.

For more than a year the Adle-etta mine had suffered from the deprivations of ore thieves. As the mine was on the other side of the range, it was a surprise that Calman should have charged Beecham with the theft of the rich ore. It was impossible to take it over the range, and by the divide it was a good twenty even miles. There was plenty of richer ore nearer at hand, yet Calman was positive that Beecham had recognized the man who had fired at him when an attempt was made to put the robbers to flight.

There were three marauders in the party, and they had vanished so mysteriously in their retreat that there were some who ascribed to the disappearance supernatural agencies. It was not humanly possible to drop out of sight in the bare, unwooded valley as the robbers had done.

But ghosts have no use for rich ore, and Calman held to a different opinion, in which he was upheld by Ruth Clare, the only woman at the Adle-etta. She was the sister of Ned Clare and acted as bookkeeper and stenographer to Calman.

"We'll get them yet," he promised as he recounted the result of the trial. "They are costing us more money all of the time, and it will soon reach a point where they will cut off the profits. I'm positive that it was Beecham I saw, and yet there were a dozen men whom I can believe who saw him taking a drink in the saloon not more than an hour after he was here. Why, he could not have made it in a balloon, and yet I'm still convinced that it was he at both places."

"Then it remains to be seen how he made his way so quickly," she said quietly.

"We simply must find out," he insisted. "I was counting on getting married this fall, but with the reduction in the profits I am afraid that we shall not make enough to reach the bonus."

"I don't mind waiting, dear," she said quietly. "But for the sake of all of us I want to see the mystery solved, and it must be solved."

Several days later Calman, coming into the office, found a little child installed there.

"Who's the youngster?" he asked carelessly.

"Beecham's little girl," she explained. "She was lost on the mountain. I found her with a sprained ankle, crying her poor little heart out. We must send her home."

"Beecham's child?" His voice was harsh. "Probably spying for her father."

"No, dear." Ruth laid a gentle hand on his arm. "Beecham is wrapped up in the little girl. She is all he cares for."

Her pleading won, and late that afternoon Ruth drove up to the Silver Springs House with the child beside her. Already searching parties had set out, but a gunshot signal brought them back, and Beecham rather awkwardly thanked the girl.

"I'll do as much for you some day," he promised, not realizing how soon he would be called upon to redeem his pledge.

The following week he brought the child over to see Ruth.

"She's been crying for you," he explained, "and I didn't have the heart to say 'No' to her. I know I'm not welcome here, but Daisy wanted to see you, so I had to come."

"I'm glad that you did," said Ruth cordially as she took the child in her arms. Beecham looked on approvingly. There were few women in Silver Springs as yet, and the little girl sadly

missed feminine care.

Ruth and the child were still romping when a man came running toward the office.

"Mr. Calman is hurt!" he cried. "They are bringing him to the house."

Ruth dropped the child and sped toward the little cottage where she kept house for her brother and his friend Beecham followed more slowly, carrying the whimpering child. Calman had been brought in by the time he arrived and lay on the bed, white faced, but uncomplaining. The mine physician looked grave.

"The leg is badly crushed," he said. "We can contrive bandages and splints, but I must have some things from the Springs, and I am afraid that they will come too late. It will be at least ten hours. By that time it will probably be necessary to amputate the leg."

Ruth's despairing cry brought Beecham to her side.

"You love him, don't you?" he demanded.

"We are to be married when he gets his raise," she explained.

Beecham looked from her to his little girl. Even in that moment Ruth regarded him curiously, for many things were to be read in his changing expression. Then he stretched forth his hand.

"Give me that list, Dec," he demanded, stretching out his hand for the memorandum the other had prepared. He darted from the house and ran rapidly toward the head of the valley.

An hour later, with torn clothes and dirt begrimed hands, he was back again. With the proper dressings Calman was soon made easy, and they turned to look for Beecham. He and the little girl were gone.

It was a week before he came again and Calman was able to see him.

"I'm going away," he announced. "I told you that I'd pay back what Miss Clare did for my little girl, and I did. Now I'll tell you how I did it. You were right about that ore. But I was in the Golden Crown, just as the judge said I was."

"The Lucky Hole backs up on that abandoned shaft 7. We blasted through one day. I don't think you realize how deep 7 shaft runs in. We fixed up a curtain covered with quartz in case any one came in, and we used to take your ore through our tunnel. That's how I could prove an alibi. I cut off the big trip to the pass and up the other side."

"I've made a deed for the Lucky Hole to your girl. It's to be her wedding present from my little girl. She had a way the kid liked, and I want her to have the mine. You can fix the tunnel up so as to take your ore's wagon through and cut off the long haul. That'll be worth something if the mine itself ain't. Will you shake hands, Calman? I know I'm an ore thief and all that, but I'm going to make a fresh break for the kid's sake. Will you shake?"

Calman gripped the hand.

"Why not stay here and work it out?" he asked.

Beecham shook his head.

"I want to get away where they can't tell the kid about me," he explained. "I've got to make a brand new start. It will help some if I know that you two are happy and married. It will be the first start of the new try."

He turned to Ruth, but did not offer his hand.

"The kid wanted you to have that," he said, offering a tin type. "She's got you to thank for this. When I saw her in your arms I realized that there were good women in the world, and the kid has a right to know 'em."

He turned abruptly and left the house. Ruth watched him turn into shaft 7 for the last time; then she came to Calman's side, but there were tears in her eyes for Beecham, who had made it possible that she should always be beside her lover.

Endowing Two Chairs.

The college president who figures in the following incident doubtless suffered a cruel shock at first, but when he found that his benefactor was acting in good faith and was thoroughly in earnest amusement over the situation must have made some light amends for his disappointment.

He was on a trip to secure an endowment for his institution when he received this letter from Lone Tree:

President—Can you preach at Lone Tree church next Sunday and then go home with me to dinner? Mother and me wants to endow two chairs in your college. Vary truly,
JONAS SMITH.

He joyfully accepted the situation after discovering that Jonas Smith was a very wealthy farmer, to whom the endowment of two chairs would work no hardship. After the dinner which followed the sermon the conversation came to the important subject in hand, and the farmer said: "Now, I know you can buy a good, strong, stout chair for 50 cents, but we want to do more than that for the college, and mother and me have decided that we are willing to give 75 cents each to endow two chairs, one for mother and one for me."

Friendship.

Friendship is a vase which when it is flawed by heat or violence or accident may as well be broken at once. It never can be trusted after. The more graceful and ornamental it was the more clearly do we discern the hopelessness of restoring it to its former state. Coarse stones, if they are fractured, may be cemented again; precious ones, never.—Landon.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Edited by JOHN KENDRICK BANGS.

The citizens of New London, Mo., recently declared against municipal ownership by a vote of 160 to 2. Thus again do we find the people deprived of their rights by a corporation ridden majority.

We do not credit the report that New York intends to place its most accomplished bunco steers in the pilot houses of the municipal ferry. It is more likely to get its helmsmen from the League of American Wheelmen.

An inquirer wants to know why a professor of Latin and Greek should not become a capable superintendent of a municipal cemetery. We see no good reason why he shouldn't, except that his familiarity with dead languages would be apt to put him on such chatty terms with his tenants that he would neglect his business.

A friend of ours has discovered that this talk about depreciation in street car lines is all tommyrot in so far as the cross-town lines are concerned anyhow. It is a well known fact, he says, that these lines never run down. They run across. We respectfully submit this argument to their honors the city fathers.

Without wishing to be at all invidious, we would call attention to the interesting acoustic furnished by the Municipal Ownership Bubble, which, strangely enough, signifies the ultimate ownership of public utilities under the municipal ownership idea. Try it and see:

Municipal Ownership Bubble.

A Detroit alderman wants Detroit to go into the making of bricks. In a recent speech he declared that "we are in the grasp of the brick trust, when we could reduce prices 100 per cent if we could manufacture our own brick." It is a pity the learned gentleman could not have figured out a reduction of 110 per cent, for then Detroit could have made bricks not only for nothing, but could a premium of 10 per cent as well. The free coinage of bricks would be an interesting economic diversion.

A request for the last annual report of the municipal electric light plant in a Michigan town of less than 2,000 inhabitants elicited from the manager the laconic reply, "About three thousand in the hole last year." The situation can be relieved, however, by the prompt action of the common council in passing an appropriation of \$3,500 for the purpose of the hole on behalf of the park department, thus showing a profit of \$500 on the books of the lighting commission.

The municipal pawnshop of Liege, Belgium, is not as popular as it was expected to be. The hope that being conducted for the people by the people to lend money as the collateral of the people a man could borrow \$500 on \$4.50 worth of jewelry has not been realized.

FUNCTIONS OF THE STATE.

Interesting Analysis Made by Bishop Stang of Fall River.

In a recent address in St. Mary's cathedral Bishop Stang of Fall River thus analyzed the functions of the state:

"The state should not absorb the rights of individuals, but should keep them inviolate unless they clash with the common good and the interests of others. The proper office of the government is to foster public well being and private prosperity by maintaining peace and good order, safeguarding family life, respecting religion and punishing evil doers."

"Civil authority may step in to interfere if through strikes there is imminent danger of disturbance to the public peace, if in workshops and factories there is danger to morals through the mixing of sexes or from any occasion of evil, if the health of laborers is endangered by excessive work or the want of sanitary arrangements or if labor is unsuited to sex or age, but the state should not intervene in or meddle with private concerns any further than is required for the remedy of the evil or the removal of the danger. The state should not only protect private ownership as something sacred and inviolable, but its policy should be to induce as many people as possible to become owners. The possessor of the poorest cabin will not change it for the dreams of a socialistic paradise."

A Wedding Suit in 1756.

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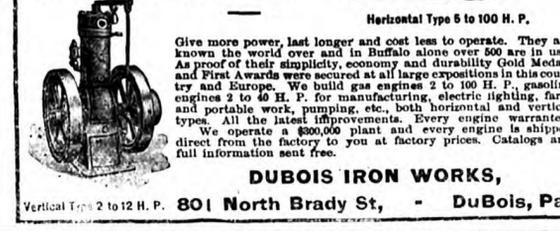
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The Dressmaker's Diploma.

Many New York women who patronize a new dressmaker for the first time propound an embarrassing question. "Have you a diploma?" they ask. "I didn't know what answer to make to the first customer that put that question to me," said one dressmaker. "I certainly did not have a diploma. I knew how to sew, but I had no certificate to that effect. Finally I found that many women have suffered so grievously at the hands of incompetent tailors that they were unwilling to trust their work to a person who could not show some guarantee of experience and efficiency, so, although I knew more about sewing than half the fashionable dressmakers in town, I actually worked in one such establishment for four months so that I could point to a printed diploma which says, 'Formerly with Miss A. of Fifth Avenue.' It pays any dressmaker to arm herself with credentials of that kind. She ought to have her diploma framed and hung on the wall like a doctor's diploma, so as to give confidence to doubtful customers."—New York Sun.

Great Schemers.

"These traveling men are great schemers when it comes to getting rooms assigned to them ahead of other guests who registered first," said a hotel clerk. "There were several guests on the waiting list for rooms yesterday. One traveling man came up to the desk holding his hand to his stomach, saying he was so sick he must have a room at once. He was accommodated. In a few minutes another traveling man who was among the list of guests waiting for rooms, came up and said he had boarded a sleeper at 2 o'clock in the morning and tried to get some sleep, but that it ran into an open switch and gave him such a shaking up he couldn't sleep. He said he was almost dead with exhaustion and loss of sleep and must have a room at once. Hardly had he gone to his room when a third one came up and said he, too, must have a room immediately. What do you suppose his reason was? He said a horse fell on him the day before, and he thought he was injured internally."—Kansas City Star.

Great Laughers.

The great laughers have been men—Shakespeare and Rabelais. I do not regard Cervantes and Sterne as laughers. They are smilers. They are not jolly roasters and guffawers. They are not fat, rotund, jovial hilarities. They are thin, lean, ironic smiles. A smile is a diluted laugh. Sterne is a diluted Rabelais.—James Douglas in M. A. P.

Like Talking Shop. A stockbroker whose mind is always full of business was asked a few days ago how old his father was. "Well," said he abstractedly, "he's quoted at eighty, but there is every prospect that he will reach par and possibly be at a premium."

A SLIGHT MISTAKE.

Result of Becoming Interested in Reading a Newspaper.

The prospect of a dinner will generally keep a hungry man awake. But the victim of absentmindedness seems at times unable to distinguish between what to eat and what to leave. This was the case with the man who went into a London restaurant, called for a newspaper and only when roused from his reading by a waiter ordered coffee and a ham sandwich. The waiter executed the order and deposited with the homely fare a large pasteboard check. The absentminded one went on reading his paper.

Some quarter of an hour after the waiter returned, "Anything more, sir?" he said. "Yes," snapped the man; "get me a fresh sandwich; the one you brought me was dry as a bone." The waiter looked down and gasped. "Lor!" he exclaimed, "here's the sandwich I brought! You've eaten the check!"

The Philosopher in the Strand.



Fashionable Thesplian (disapprovingly)—My dear fellow, surely that's a very short coat you are wearing. The Seely One—What's the odds? It'll be long enough before I get another.—Tattler.

Satire of a Logger.

In the pine clads hills of California the country folks had gathered at a neighbor's house to spend the evening in a social dance. The male contingent of the gathering was composed of farmers, mill men and logging hands; the fairer sex, the wives, sisters and sweethearts of the men and the district schoolteacher, who was the center of attraction of the young men and who seemed to be aware of her own popularity. During the evening an awkward, bashful and roughly dressed logging hand was introduced to the schoolteacher and asked if he might have a dance with her. The schoolteacher drew herself up haughtily and said, "No, sir-ee; I am particular with whom I dance," whereupon the logging hand replied, with an air of indifference, "I am not a mite or I would never have asked you."—Judge's Library.

What He Thought.

An Irishman who wasn't much of a hunter went out to hunt one day, and the first thing he saw to shoot at was a blue jay sitting saucily on the top of a fence. He blazed away at the bird and then walked over to pick it up. What he happened to find there was a dead frog, which he raised carefully at arm's length, looking at it with a puzzled air. Finally he remarked: "Well, begob, but ye was a devil of a foine lookin' bird befur Ol blew ther fithers off o' yerse."

Honeymoon Economy.

"Mary has developed into such an economical housekeeper!" "It doesn't seem possible." "She tells me that her dinners really don't cost her anything." "Good gracious!" "You see, she and George invariably go to her old home and dine with her father and mother."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Too Uninteresting.

"You women," complained Mr. Knox, "are forever discussing the faults of your neighbors. If you'd only gossip about their good points it would be more edifying." "Perhaps," replied his wife, "but who'd care to listen to us?"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Tough Luck.

Benham—where goes the girl I ought to have married. Mrs. Benham—It's too bad that I should have to suffer for your mistakes.—New York Press.

He Gives It.

"Does your friend, the magistrate, know anything of music?" "I think I may say he is a judge of time."—Baltimore American.

The First Year now.

For nature I've a yearning now; I want to see, and milk a cow; I want to hear the cattle low; I want to hear the rooster crow; I want to feel my fly line swing; I want to catch a good sized fish; I want to frolic with the lambs; I want to dig, and dig for clams; I want to wader in the brooks; I want to sit in leafy nooks; I want to hear the bullfrogs anore; I want to hear the bullocks roar; I want to hear the batydid; I want to lift the blessed lid. OK this routine day after day; I want to lift to get away. —La Touche Hancock in New York Press.

THE WORRIED SKIPPER.

"I hates to think of dyin'," says the skipper to the mate. "Starvation, shipwrecks, heart disease I loathes to contemplate. I hates to think of vanities and all the crimes they lead to." Then says the mate, "With looks sodate, 'Ye doesn't reely need to."

"It fills me breast with sorrer," says the skipper with a sigh. "To conjer up the happy days what care-less has slipped by. I hates to contemplate the day I ups and left me Mary." Then says the mate, "Why contemplate, 'If it ain't necessary?"

"Suppose that this here vessel," says the skipper, with a groan, "Should lose 'er bearin's, run away and bump upon a stone; Suppose she'd shiver and go down when save ourselves we couldn't!"—The mate replies, "Oh, blow me eyes! Suppose, ag'in, she shouldn't?"

"The chances is ag'in us," says the skipper in dismay. "If fate don't kill us out and out, it gits us all some day. So many periah of old age, the death rate must be fearful!" "Well," says the mate, "At any rate We might as well die cheerful."

"I read in them statistic books," the nervous skipper cries, "That every minute by the clock some feller ups and dies. I wonder what disease they gits that kills in such a hurry!" The mate he winks And says, "I thinks They mostly dies of worry."

"Of certain things," the skipper sighs, "me conscience won't be rid, And all the wicked things I done I sure should not have did. The wrinkles on me inmost soul compel me oft to shiver!" "Yer soul's fast rate," Observes the mate; "The trouble's with yer liver."—Century.



Cholly—I weally believe that pretty girl smiled at me, old chappie. Dobson—Never mind, Cholly; the poor girl probably couldn't help it.—Bohemian Magazine.

Stern Measures Necessary.

"Really," said Nervey, "I want you to be my wife. Come now, don't say 'No.'" "Mr. Nervey," replied the helress, "I wouldn't think of saying 'No' to you." "Ah!" "No. It wouldn't have any effect on you, so I think the best thing I can do is to yell for the police."—Philadelphia Press.

Her Modesty.

"Ah, my love," sighed the ardent lover, "if you only knew how beautiful you are!" "You mustn't speak of it," protested the modest girl. "I don't want to know." "Why not?" "Because it would make me too conceited."—Catholic Standard and Times.

In His Mind.

"Bradley says his grandfather lost his mind because of the loss of his fortune and—" "He's got that twisted a bit. He lost his fortune because of the loss of his mind. That's where he had his fortune."—Minneapolis Journal.

It Scared Her.

"Oh," he exclaimed when she accepted him, "this is heaven!" "What?" cried the girl suspiciously. "Do you mean there is to be no marrying or giving in marriage?"—Des Moines Register.

His Biased Opinion.

"Contentment is better than riches," said the philosopher. "Yes," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "but I don't see how a man can be contented unless he is rich."—Washington Star.

Easier to Remember.

Howell—You haven't returned that \$5 I let you have six months ago. Powell—You'd better let me have another five, old man; I never can remember anything less than ten.—New York Life.

Getting a Rest.

Bacon—Do you enjoy walking? Egbert—Oh, immensely! You see, I can't get my wife to walk at all, and when I'm walking I'm where I can't hear her talking.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Rollers.

"How's your business?" "On the rollers." "But you look prosperous." "I am, but I'm running a skating rink."—Kansas City Times.

A JUDICIAL WARNING.

Justice Brewer of United States Supreme Court on Public Ownership.

There is this important difference between public and private indebtedness: The individual may mortgage his home or other property, and if the purpose for which the mortgage is given proves a failure the property may be lost to him, and on his death his heirs simply receive so much less than they otherwise would, but the indebtedness casts no burden upon them. It may wipe out his entire property and they receive nothing. To that extent they may suffer if a failure to inherit property can be called suffering. But public indebtedness is of a different character. It does not wipe out property now existing, but it casts a burden upon the industries and toll of those who come after us. Interest and principal are met by taxes, and taxes continue from age to age until the debt is paid. They who come after us, who may receive little or no benefit from the debt, are called upon to contribute the proceeds of their labor to its payment. In other words, while private indebtedness does not mortgage or encumber future industry and labor, public indebtedness does. And in piling up public indebtedness we too often forget that the future will have its burdens—that there will be demands upon it for expenditures. Improvements and conveniences corresponding to the life of that day will be needed. So that there is injustice in creating a public indebtedness for improvements which will be mainly available in our day and only to a slight degree of benefit to those who come after us. Indeed, generally speaking, it is fair to leave each generation to determine what amount of public burdens it will assume, and each should take care of its own public indebtedness.—Leslie's Weekly.

Growing Flowers in Winter.

A long run of dark days in winter is bad for the florists. It matters little how cold the weather is, provided there is sunshine, for the heat can always be maintained to the proper point, and with sunshine flowers will bloom just as freely when the thermometer shows an outdoor temperature of zero as at the freezing point, though of course more money must be spent for coal. But when, day after day, for weeks at a time, clouds overhang the sky, nothing will grow as it should. The carnation buds develop slowly until they are half open and wait for sunshine, and if it does not come in four or five days the blooms decay. So also it is with callas and roses. They will open half way, then, without sunlight, will quickly spoil.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Medford's Plant Out of Date.

F. H. Farrar, superintendent of the city electric light plant, states that the plant is out of date and practically useless. According to his statement, the plant is worth about \$10,000, and it would require an expenditure of \$15,000 to make it serviceable, while a new plant would cost about \$20,000. The majority of the council favor the employment of an electrical expert to make a thorough examination of the plant and report on the same.—Electrical World.

The Country has Learned that after the tumult and the shouting of a popular election cry comes the still small voice of a treasury deficit, to be made good by increased taxes.—Trenton (N. J.) Times.

Barrymore's Dilemma.

Maurice Barrymore, the once famous actor, was once in London with a new piece which he was anxious to have produced. He had read it to a manager, and it had been decided that he was to play the leading role. About a week after it was supposed to have been definitely settled Barrymore received a note from the manager asking him to call. Barrymore called, and the manager said: "I like the piece, old fellow, but I don't see how I can use you in the cast. Your beastly American dialect won't do at all, you know. They won't have it." "Well, that's strange," said Barrymore. "They told me on the other side that they wouldn't have me on account of my beastly English dialect. What am I to do, give recitations on the transatlantic steamers?"

Long Sieges in Congress.

Samuel J. Randall of Pennsylvania was an avowed protectionist Democrat and a man who, his colleagues had learned, usually was able to get his way. Randall had first entered congress in 1862. He was a quiet, persistent, hardworking person who attracted little attention for several years. Then the Republicans, sure of their majority and wishing to expedite business, undertook to adopt rules which would prevent obstruction. The quiet Mr. Randall set himself against the attempt. He led the small Democratic majority with a skill so unusual that more than once he blocked the Republicans' way until it was too late to pass the measure. His endurance seemed unlimited. From one session lasting forty-six hours and twenty-five minutes, where Randall had forced the roll to be called seventy-five times, he came out as fresh as he went in. At another time in the fight over the force bill he was on the floor for seventy-two consecutive hours.—Ida M. Tarbell in American Magazine.

COUNTY.

Nanticoke

Mr. J. R. Travers was in Baltimore Tuesday.

Mr. J. F. Jester is visiting friends in Salisbury.

Capt. W. R. Kennerly, was at home for a few days this week.

Mrs. Hettie Dix of Baltimore is visiting relatives in Nanticoke.

Miss Ethel Willing has returned from a visit to friends in Washington.

Miss Sadie Turner spent Thursday with Mrs. W. A. Anderson at White Haven.

Mrs. Charles L. Parks and little daughter, Ada, spent Thursday in Salisbury.

Mr. Jay Williams of Salisbury, was the guest of Mr. H. James Messick Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kennerly are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Robertson, Misses Lottie Robertson and Pearl Young, are in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. Ray Disharoon and little son, Raymond, of Quantico, are visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Williams.

Miss Edith Shockley and Mr. J. E. Nether, our teachers, left Monday to spend their vacation with their parents.

Mrs. J. S. Watson and daughters, Inez, and Laura were guests of her brother, Mr. Hudson Travers at Trinity last Sunday.

Sharpshoot

Much scarlet clover has been harvested here this week.

Mrs. Charlie Covington left on Thursday for Wilmington.

George Zimmerman, our tonsorial artist is in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. B. I. Waller is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Gravenor in Camden, N. Y.

Mrs. A. R. Connolly and children are visiting Mr. Connolly in Wilmington.

Albin R. Windsor, of Baltimore, visited his mother, Mrs. Celia Windsor this week.

Miss Mattie Smith of Farnesat Del, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Oscar T. Smith.

W. Grason Smith who died suddenly in Salisbury on Wednesday was a cousin of J. M. Smith of this town.

A large dock lighter, built by the Railway Co. here for C. A. Crane & Co. of New York, sailed on Tuesday.

The Railway Co. received a car of Oregon pine timber this week and S. J. Cooper and Co. a car of western hay.

The teachers of the High School here treated their pupils to ice cream on a cake on the close of school, May 24th.

The Methodist Protestant Sunday School is rehearsing for Children's Day services to be held on Sunday night next.

Miss Berkeley Wright and her mother, Mrs. J. A. Wright left on Thursday for Baltimore to be gone about four weeks.

A C. Brody's "Alvaco" left here on Wednesday with his troop of educated bull dogs to fill a two week's engagement with a theatrical company in Richmond Va.

The cashier, assistant and directors of the Eastern Shore Trust Company's bank here were invited to Cambridge on Thursday to attend a meeting of all the officers of the company.

Parsonsburg

For Sale, 3 screen doors each, 50c Ernest C. Arvey.

Mr. J. W. Riggan of Salisbury, was in our town this week.

Mr. J. W. Winbrow has returned home from Newport News, Va.

The people here are bringing in their berry pickers from every direction.

Miss Edith Shockley has returned home from her school at Nanticoke.

For Sale, berry checks of the latest type \$1.00 per thousand. Ernest C. Arvey.

Mr. E. H. Parsons of Parkley Va. is the guest of his son Mr. A. K. Parsons and family, on E. Popular St.

Services Sunday as follows: Sunday School 9:30 A. M. Preaching 10:30 a. m. Class 11:30 a. m. Preaching 7:45 p. m.

Parsonsburg Council No. 134. J. O. U. A. M. request all members to be present Monday night. Business of importance.

While having a pile of wood moved Saturday, Mr. S. P. Parsons found where the rats had carried 24 young chicks about the size of a partridge.

Delmar

A Salvation Army Captain spent a few days in town this week.

Thomas A. Sturgis has recently opened a new store on Elizabeth street.

Mrs. Collins Vincent was taken to the Hospital at Salisbury this week to be treated for appendicitis.

Owing to the cool weather berries, have been coming in slow but the prices this far have been very good.

Baptismal services were held in the First Baptist Church here last Sunday conducted by the pastor Rev. Mr. Adey of Marion, Somerset Co.

Some excitement was created in our town this week occasioned by the attempted suicide of Mrs. Elwood Ford Mrs. Ford and her husband, who is employed on the N. Y. P. & N. R. R., is boarding at Marion Hearns' on East Elizabeth St. She took a mixture of carbolic acid and concentrated lye.

When discovered she was in her room lying upon the floor face downward with a handkerchief pressed into her mouth and throat as far as she could get it. A physician was quickly summoned and for a time recovery seemed impossible but at last reports she was improving.

Mt. Pleasant

Strawberries are getting ripe in this community.

Mr. Ernest Williams is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Martha Hammond of "Burbage's Grove" was in this place last Monday.

Mr. Grover Nicholson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Adkins of Willards.

Personal.

—Mr. Samuel Hitch spent a few days in Baltimore this week.

—Mr. E. B. Hitch is visiting Baltimore and Washington this week.

—Miss Bessie Bell, of Berlin, is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. M. P. Trussell.

—Messrs. Raymond K. Truitt and Tommy Kelly are among Salisbury visitors in Baltimore.

Mrs. G. R. Hambury and Miss Lucy Flammer are spending several days with friends in Baltimore.

—Miss Margaret Woodcock returned home Wednesday after a visit of several weeks in Wilmington.

—Mr. James T. Truitt spent last week in Baltimore where he visited his brother at Roland Park.

—Miss Maria Ellegood is attending the Commencement exercises of the Woman's College in Baltimore.

—Mr. C. W. Bradley, of Baltimore, spent several days this week with his family on Bush street, this city.

—Miss Laura Mercer, of Philadelphia visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary D. Ellegood, E. William street.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Polk and children who have been visiting Mrs. John Green have returned to their home in Baltimore.

—Mrs. Lee Winbrow and daughter, Gertrude, have been visiting Mrs. Howard Holland, at Berlin, during the past week.

—Rev. Kingman A. Handy returned this week from Richmond, Va., where he was in attendance upon the Southern Baptist Convention.

—Mr. Ernest Moore and family have returned from North Carolina and have taken their old residence on Church street, for the summer.

—Miss Ada Louise Scott, principal of the city primary schools, left last Saturday morning for Baltimore, where she will spend a part of her vacation.

—Mrs. D. S. Wroten left Thursday for Philadelphia and will be joined later by her husband. They will spend three weeks visiting friends in Dover, Del., before they return.

—Mr. George Stevens of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevens, of Camden, N. J., are spending some time with their father, Mr. Albert Stevens, on William street.

—Miss Myra Waller is expected home tonight from Washington, D. C., where she has spent a very successful year as a pupil at Washington Seminary, Connecticut and Florida avenues.

—Miss Martha Toadvine returned Thursday night from the Mary Baldwin Seminary at Staunton, Va., and will spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Toadvine.

Worked 23 Hours—Were "Skidded." Because they had been on the road 23 hours without rest, the crew of freight train No. 20 which left Delmar early last Saturday morning refused to work any longer and in consequence the train was held up at Kellar, Va., Sunday morning for sometime. The crew held a consultation at the latter place, brakeman Norman Venables acting as spokesman for the brakemen. It was finally decided that William Sullivan and James Sturgis should approach the conductor, Roland Phillips, and explain that under the law governing railroad employees, brakemen were not allowed to work longer than eight hours without rest, and that they would remain where they were until they had sufficiently recovered from the tiring effects of their 23 hours labor.

Mr. Phillips, however, persuaded them to continue the trip to Cape Charles, and this the men finally agreed to do, arriving in that city Sunday night at 9:00 o'clock.

Upon their arrival at their destination, it is alleged, they were reported by the conductor, and as the result, Norman Venables, the spokesman, received an immediate discharge, and Messrs. Sullivan and Sturgis a dismissal for 30 days.

Lost

Two small black pigs, with a little white about the nose. Strayed away May 25th. Reward if returned.

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MR. GOSLEE'S STATEMENT.

More Information For The Public Regarding Resignation And The Cause.

Mr. Editor:

While I have been reluctant to enter into a discussion of my resignation as a teacher in Wicomico High School, however, I feel now, that the time has come, when in justice to myself the public should be made acquainted with the facts.

On Monday afternoon March 26th, at the conclusion of the exercises celebrating Maryland Day, Mr. Huffington called the teachers of the High School together for a conference which Superintendent Bounds attended and at which he had some measures, he said, he wished to bring before the teachers. Those measures were the following:

To change from numbers to letters the method of marking reports of pupils; these reports sent to parents at the end of each term. Another was the basis on which pupils were to be promoted at the end of the school year. Another was, that for the sake of uniformity in the different classrooms that pupils, when asked anything, should rise before making their responses. No action was taken; in fact, Mr. Bounds said he knew some in the room differed from him in part of them, but he didn't want any argument on it.

The following Thursday, March 28th, the principal again called the teachers together to consider, the suggestions of Mr. Bounds. The first one he brought up was the one regarding the position of pupils while reciting in the different rooms. I took no part in the discussion until asked personally for my views and I then said, as I had said before, that in a teacher's own room, in the part of the work assigned to him, he should be allowed to do that work in his individual way. I believe that is necessary for the highest degree of success. Before any vote was taken, and after discussion, having made a previous engagement, I excused myself to the Principal and left, giving him my reasons. While the others were not taken up while I was there I consider them as belonging to the general policy of the school and was willing to do either of them in any way as long as the report sent to parents and the one sent to School Board agreed and filled the written instructions of the Board.

The following Saturday, March 30th, came the conference with Mr. Bounds and myself in his office in which I mentioned that I supposed he knew the Principal brought those measures up and he said he did not, further than Mr. Huffington told him he brought them before the teachers and they were voted upon. I finally asked him if I might do as I had always done, that is, without in any way having anything to do with the general policy of the school unless asked for an opinion, that in the subjects assigned to me in my own room I might do that work in my individual way. He said "No, if at any time you can't do anything and everything the Principal asks you to do, it is your duty to step down and out." Then my answer was this, "That's what I wanted to know." In the conversation which followed he told me (and all of this was in good humor) I had a case of "brainstorm," and I answered that it was very characteristic of him to put it that way, for I thought he felt that instead of a "brainstorm," with me, it was a case of "exaggerated ego." When we were about to conclude, I said, "Mr. Bounds, I am very much attached to the pupils in the school, and on the very best of terms with them all, and I want to ask you to say nothing about this, so they will not know it till I leave." He said, "I'll make two exceptions, the School Board and Mr. Huffington." I answered saying, "Of course the School Board will know, and it's right to tell Mr. Huffington."

After that day it was not mentioned between us again until Thursday, April 26th. I met him and asked him if I should collect the books I had given to the pupils, when I left, or if I should turn the record over to the Principal. He said either would do, but the latter, he thought, was all right. I then asked him when he considered the thirty days out, and he said just whatever construction I put upon it would be all right. He said they hadn't anyone for the place and didn't suppose they would get anyone as it was a bad time of the year, but that he had always looked upon me as doing what I thought was right, and if I was satisfied, he was satisfied, the Board was satisfied, and everybody was satisfied. I said, "Mr. Bounds, in the days to come, I don't want you to forget why I resigned." He said, "I don't know

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why, the Board asked me and I told them I didn't know." I then asked, "Do you say you don't know." He said, "I don't know and don't want to be enlightened." He later admitted he told them what I said. I then told him he hadn't a TEACHER in the county that would do what he was asking me to do. He said, "I'm not going to argue that but I have them that are doing it day by day." That is the last time the resignation has been mentioned between us. That same day I saw Mr. Chas. E. Williams, President of the Board, in town and as I DID KNOW why I resigned I thought I'd tell him. He expressed surprise for he had not heard of the resignation at all. I then gave him an account of it all. On the Monday following as I was coming over from the school at noon, Mr. Williams was standing in Commissioner Brewington's office, and as I passed, he called me in, and he, Mr. Brewington and myself, talked it over; they said Mr. Bounds was not in his office, and they didn't want the room closed and wanted me to continue till they could see or hear from him. I told them if they removed the condition on account of which I resigned, I would go right on, but I could not on any other terms. Mr. Williams advocated removing the cause and my going on to the end of the school year and then they would have the summer to think it over. Mr. Brewington refused to do it, because it would overrule Mr. Bounds, but finally agreed to the removal of the conditions imposed, until Mr. Bounds could be heard from as to whether or not any other teacher had been procured. I then asked that they notify Mr. Bounds and Mr. Huffington as to what they had done, and Mr. Williams remarked that Mr. Huffington had just passed. I stepped out and asked him to step back to Mr. Brewington's office and he did so and Mr. Brewington told him what they had done. Mr. Brewington then asked Mr. Huffington if Mr. Bounds had another teacher, and if so, when the same would be there. Mr. Huffington told him Mr. Bounds had a teacher and she would be there not later than Wednesday. They then asked me if I would fill the place the next day. I told them I would. As Mr. Williams had asked me if there was any trouble between the Principal and myself, I then asked Mr. Huffington in Mr. Williams presence, if there had ever been any trouble between himself and me. He answered that if there was, he never knew it. In regard to salary received, I will say that I have received pay according to published schedule of pay for teachers, that is, received the same pay as other teachers of equivalent legal qualifications, and holding similar positions, excepting for the last two years, I have seen no schedule covering the amount of my pay.

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SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTION IN 1907 TAX RATE.

Flat Rate of \$1.00 For Both State and County Taxes—Levy For Public Schools Increased Over \$5,000.00.

A commendable action by the County Commissioners was taken Tuesday when the county tax rate was fixed at 84 cents, a reduction of one and one-half cents over the levy of last year. The State rate will be 16 cents on the one hundred dollars, making a flat rate of \$1.00 for both State and County taxes. The State levy last year was 24 cents, showing a marked reduction for 1907.

Besides reducing the tax rate, a great deal has been accomplished in the way of public improvements, but perhaps the most commendable feature of this year's levy is the amount levied for school purposes—\$18,771.84—an increase of over \$5,000 over any previous levy. This was probably brought about by the seemingly deplorable condition of the school finances of Wicomico county. It will be remembered that it was largely owing to the lack of funds that the public schools were compelled to close earlier than usual this year, and this is indeed a commendable action on the part of the County Commissioners. The amount levied for school purposes is divided as follows:

For maintenance, \$13,500.00, which is an increase of \$500.00 over last year; \$2,500.00 for new buildings and repairs to old building; \$2,640.00 to meet bonds and interest on New High School Building, and \$181.84 deficit on last year's appropriation.

During the coming year the Commissioners purpose to further increase the mileage of shell roads in the county, and an item of \$2,500 has been levied ahead for the building of many small bridges and for the construction of the bridge across Tony Tank Creek. During the year the following number of miles of shell road have been built:

Sharptown District,	1 mile
Nutter's District,	1 mile
Salisbury District,	1 mile
Traskin District,	1 mile
Hebron,	1 mile

Improvements to the extent of \$2,500 were made to the interior and about the grounds of the Court House during the year.

The basis of real and personal property for taxation in the county is \$8,007,579.00, which is a slight increase over last year, and it is thought that with a fair valuation of the property in the county this basis could be increased \$10,000. It is known that there are hundreds of acres of land in this county that would bring several times its assessed value if placed on the market.

The following are the items which go to make up the assessable basis:

Real and personal property	\$8,236,259.00
Stocks of Corporations	1,772,320.00
Total	\$8,007,579.00

To this should be added an item of \$17,900 for bonds held by residents of the county. This basis brings in a revenue to the county at 84 cents on the \$100.00 of \$67,317.36.

The following table shows the assessable basis of the several districts of the county:

Barron Creek	\$ 305,599.00
Quantico	405,827.00
Traskin	297,642.00
Pittsburg	339,595.00
Parsons	1,080,471.00
Dennis	179,640.00
Trappe	320,050.00
Nutters	222,024.00
Salisbury	1,300,120.00
Sharptown	248,207.00
Delmar	361,973.00
Nanticoke	329,743.00
Garden	626,710.00
Willard	127,918.00

The principal items of the levy for 1907 are as follows:

Alms house	\$ 740.93
Alms House Supplies	833.19
Special Attorneys, including fee to James E. Ellegood in B. C. & A. case of \$5,000.	5,125.00
Bridges	765.55
Proposed new Bridges for 1907	2,600.00
Constables	144.60
City Councils	953.00
Clerk Court	2,342.78
County Commissioners	1,125.05
Court House	2,632.42
Court Expenses	2,784.87
Elections	2,894.67
Ferries	1,395.27
Hospitals	3,600.53
Insolventes	2,041.01
Jail	1,236.51
New Roads	389.07
Orphans Court	254.00
Pensioners	2,339.13
County Printing	992.15
Public Schools	18,771.84
Roads	9,095.51
State's Attorney	1,525.00
Sheriff	901.82
Treasurer and Assistant	2,800.00
Vaccination	228.50
Surplus	2,121.77

FRANCHISE FOR GAS NOT YET GRANTED.

An Agreement Has Been Made Between The Home Gas Company And The Council To Take Action Monday Night.

Because of an erroneous report it has been the general belief that a franchise was granted to the Home Gas Company at a meeting of the Council Monday evening. Such is not the case, however, as it would be illegal for the City Council to grant a franchise to a corporation until a certified copy of the charter, accompanied by the bonus tax, is filed with the State Tax Commissioner, and this matter had not been attended to at the time the franchise was agreed upon at the meeting Monday evening, and the papers incorporated the Home Gas Company had not been signed by the proper authorities at that time.

The Home Gas Company, which is composed entirely of local capital, was formed for the sole purpose of building a gas plant and furnishing gas to the people of Salisbury, and as these gentlemen contemplate conducting no other business, it would be useless to organize a permanent corporation until they knew to a certainty that a franchise under which a gas plant could be operated successfully would be granted by the City Council. For this reason the franchise has not been granted but it has been agreed upon by the Gas Company and the Council, and provided there is no hitch in the arrangements the franchise will be formally granted at the regular meeting of the Council Monday night.

After a long discussion last Monday evening, several minor changes were made in the franchise, chief among which was the clause governing the purchase of the plant by the City at the expiration of 25 years. The clause originally read that the City purchase the "plant" of the Company, and was changed to read that the "plant and the business" should be purchased by the City.

It was argued at a previous meeting that no director of the Salisbury Light, Heat & Power Company should serve as a director of the Home Gas Company, and a discussion of the matter was expected Monday night. This was avoided, however, by Mr. W. P. Jackson, who read a letter from Mr. M. V. Brewington to the effect that he would withdraw from the directorate of the Gas Company. Mr. W. B. Miller took the place of Senator Brewington on the board.

The directors of the company for the first year will be Messrs. W. H. Jackson, W. P. Jackson, W. B. Miller, J. H. Tomlinson, D. J. Wheaton, J. McFadden Dick and C. R. Disharoon. It is thought that the work of paving the streets will be held up by the Council until all of the gas pipes have been put down on the streets to be paved.

Local Barbers Organize.

An association to be known as the Barbers Association, of Salisbury, Maryland, has been organized in this city, of which every master of the shears and razor is a member. The object of the association, as set forth in its constitutions and by-laws is that "we may more successfully conduct our business, and give a uniform price to the trade."

It has been the custom, almost since the tonsorial art has been known in this city, to pay the barbers by the month, the charge depending on the number of times the customer was shaved each week. This plan has been the cause of considerable agitation among the barbers for some time, and at a recent meeting it was decided to discontinue the practice and the association has adopted the following prices for work done in the several shops, to become effective July 1st.

Hair cutting 15 cents, shave 10 cents, shampoo 15 cents, hair blocked 10 cents, whisksers trimmed 10 cents, hair singed 15 cents, face massage 25 cents, and razors honed 50 cents. A penalty of \$5.00 will be imposed on any member of the association who charges more or less than the established prices. The following are the members of the association: J. Frank Bonnevillie, president; James E. Ball, treasurer; F. M. Chatham, secretary; Roland E. Perry, E. J. Riggan, E. E. Twilley, G. J. Hearn, J. W. Hastings, W. L. Livingston, S. P. Maddox, W. E. Bonnevillie, Harvey Hastings, Sewell T. Beauchamp, William E. Hastings and W. H. Harmon.

TUG BOAT "WORCESTER" BURNED AT SHARPTOWN.

Fire Followed Explosion of Gasoline Which Resulted in Total Loss—Engineer Russell Narrowly Escapes Death.

The Gasoline Tug "Worcester," owned by Captain Thomas J. Russell, of Sharptown, Md., was burned at the wharf, at Sharptown, on Wednesday evening about 10.30. The cause of the fire was due to accumulation of gas in the bottom of the boat, ignited by a lamp accidentally brought in contact. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000, with no insurance.

About ten o'clock on Wednesday night a terrific explosion shook the village and greatly alarmed the people. The cry of fire immediately followed the explosion and the villagers rushed to the scene of the fire with fire engine and buckets.

The boat was at the wharf of S. J. Cooper & Son, and Robert Russell, the engineer, entered the engine room with a lighted lantern which ignited the gas from the gasoline which was supposed to have been escaping. In a moment the boat was covered with the flames and Russell barely escaped with his life, having his hair and head burned and he inhaled some of the fumes, but not enough to effect him seriously. The large tank had just been filled and contained at the time of explosion about seventy gallons. The boat was towed out into the river by the gasoline boat "Lizzie" and finally put on the Dorchester shore where she burned to the water's edge—a total loss. She was not insured, she was owned by Captain Thomas J. Russell and S. J. Cooper & Son. She was used as a towing boat on the Nanticoke and the Wicomico rivers and was kept busy and had much work in prospect.

Children's Day Exercises.

The interesting program entitled "Summer's Golden Message" will be rendered at Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, tomorrow (Sunday) evening. In connection with the exercises the following program will be rendered by the primary department:

March.
Chorus—"Our Festal Day."
Welcome—Phillip Mitchell.
"Sunbeams"—Mabel Brittingham, Blanche Tomlinson and Nina Hearne.
"They Speak of God to me,"—Alice Elliott, Marguerite Hitch, Myrtle Brittingham, Mabel Tomlinson and Gladys Jackson.
Recitation—Virginia Kennerly.
Chorus—"Pilot Me."
Recitation—Anne Humphreys.
"The Temple" by Ruth Hearn, Roxie Mills and Elsie Richardson.
Recitation—Reynolds White and William Duffy.
Chorus—Elsie Hayman, Jean Dashiell, Alice Elliott and Annie Humphreys.
Recitation—Edgar Phillips and Wilbur Rounds.
"Hearts and Flowers," by Winifred Phipps, Frances Moore, Jean Dashiell, Edna Cantwell and Gladys Maddox.
Chorus—"Very Little Daisy."
"A Daisy Chair," by eight girls.
Recitation—Franklin Kennerly.
Ladies Quartette.
Male Quartette.

The scope of the interests represented by the Children's Day offerings was greatly enlarged at the last General Conference so that it now includes not only the entire educational work of the church, but also the Tract and Sunday-School enterprises connected with it, thus making the contributions of the day and the work of the Board very much more important than they have ever been in the past.

"Hoodoo Doctor" Sentenced.

"Dr." Daniel Young, who made his debut in the colored society of Salisbury about two months ago, and was placed under arrest about three hours after his arrival for carrying concealed weapons, bid farewell to the "society" Tuesday when he was taken to Jessup to serve a six months sentence imposed by Justice Trader. Young made a decided hit with the colored people of Salisbury because he not only cured their "rheumatism" but told fortunes as well. He has been a continuous annoyance to the police and has been arrested several times. Last Monday evening after raising a row at Richard Dashiell's store on Church street, he was arrested and after a hearing he was sentenced to the House of Correction.

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Lavin Hastings and wife to Horace Fletcher, lot in Delmar district. Consideration \$750.
Salisbury Horse and Mule Company to Charles J. Birchhead, stables on East Camden street. Consideration \$1,625.
William S. Travers and wife to John W. Messick, lot in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$53.
Lulu F. Messick and William E. Messick, to John W. Messick, parcel of land in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$100.
John S. Larmore to John T. Horseman, lot in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$140.
Lillian M. Henry and Irving S. Henry to Minnie M. English, parcels of land in Sharptown district. Consideration \$500.
Camden Realty Company to Euphrates Carey, lot on Camden Boulevard. Consideration \$400.
Affria Fooks to Charles H. Guthrie, lot in Camden district. Consideration \$275.
Jesse D. Price, collector, and Elmer H. Walton, to Scott Nutter, parcel of ground in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$1.00.
T. H. Bennett and wife to Sarah E. Donaho, parcel of land in Barren Creek district. Consideration \$400.

Great Baptist Meetings.

"Two products are peculiar to the South,—cotton and Baptists," said Dr. B. D. Gray, of Atlanta, recently. He added, "the South is going to clothe the world with cotton and enwrap their souls in the garment of Truth."

The great meetings recently held in Richmond and Jamestown would indicate that these were truthful words.

The Southern Baptist Convention met in Richmond and the North American Baptist Convention in Jamestown. The latter represents the combined forces of the Baptists of the continent, 5,000,000 members, with Rev. A. H. Strong, D. D. L. D., President of Rochester Theological Seminary as President. The Northern Baptist Convention has recently been launched in Washington with Governor Charles E. Hughes, of New York, as President.

Rev. E. Y. Mullins, President of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky., delivered a profound and thrilling address at Jamestown on "The Contributions of the Baptists to American Civilization." His thesis was: Baptists have furnished to the world the sheet of ideals which have resulted in the onward progress of free political institutions in America. Thus America is in reality a Baptist Empire. Another contribution is the most spiritual interpretation of religion ever offered by any people. A third is the contribution to history of the most striking example of Christian unity and unity of theological thought which the world has ever seen. A fourth is the giving to America of the only complete idea of divine liberty, and fifth, the Baptist polity, derived from the New Testament, has furnished the spiritual analogues from which the American system of civil government has been derived.

Said Dr. Stephens, of Missouri: "Behold how God hath blessed American Baptists! Fifty thousand churches, five million members, one hundred million dollars invested in church property, and fifty millions in education, one million annually in State and local missions, and a million and a half in foreign missions. Twenty-five hundred missionaries under our home boards, 800 missionaries and 5,000 native helpers, with 1,500 churches containing 150,000 members in foreign fields. There are 215 colleges, seminaries and schools, representing a property valuation of \$150,000,000, conducted by 2,700 instructors and attended by 50,000 students.

"Never were the skies as bright, encouragements as great. Our denomination is growing in twice the ratio of the population. As our simple creed is better understood, as the light of investigation is revealing the more clearly the truth of God's Word, the world is growing more to recognize and acknowledge the orthodoxy of our faith. In fact, few anywhere have the hardihood to dispute it."

Rev. Kingman A. Handy, of the Division street Baptist Church, was a delegate to both conventions.

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SOUTH ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION.

Southern Amateurs Scheduled To Participate In Big Athletic Event At Jamestown.

Norfolk, Va.—The third annual track and field championship of the South Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union will be held at the Jamestown Exposition on Saturday, June 15th. On the same date the Gymnastic Championship of this association will also be conducted, and one of the greatest athletic meetings in the history of amateur sport in the territory governed by the South Atlantic Association, will be witnessed by those visiting the athletic field at the Exposition on this date. The track relay team of the Mt. Washington Athletic Club of Baltimore is entered for the one and two mile relay races, the Maryland Athletic Club and the Baltimore Athletic Clubs have also entered their relay teams and this race will be one of the features of the championships. There is also a one mile junior relay race for boys under 18 years of age. The gymnastic championships include competitions on the horizontal bar, parallel bars and Vaulting Horse. The championship events in track and field sports include: the 100 yard dash, 440 yards run, 880 yards run, one mile run, three mile run, 120 yards hurdle race over 10 hurdles 3 ft. 6 in. in height, 220 yard hurdle race over 10 hurdles 2 ft. 6 in. in height, pole vault for height, running high jump, running broad jump, throwing 16 lb. hammer, throwing 56 lb. weight for distance, putting 16 lb. shot and throwing the discus. These events are open only to the athletes registered in the South Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union, and the entries close with James E. Sullivan, Honorary Director of Athletic Events, Jamestown Exposition, Norfolk, Va., on Monday, June 10, 1907.

Valuable Property Sold.

The real estate owned by the late Margaret Parsons, situate on the west side of Park street, was sold Saturday at the Court House door by James T. Truitt and George W. Messick, trustees. The three lots, aggregating 163 feet on Park street and running back to the Margaret Parsons property 141 feet, were sold in three separate parcels, bringing \$4,175, the purchasers being Dallas H. Hearn, William F. Messick and S. P. Woodcock. The property was then put up as a whole and was purchased by Mr. D. J. Wheaton for the sum of \$4,250, averaging \$26.09 per front foot. This is considered a very fair price for the property, as the three houses on it are very much dilapidated and will have to be torn down within a short time. A lot situate on Poplar Hill avenue and one at the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad, were withdrawn by the Trustees. The lot on Poplar Hill avenue was withdrawn at \$700 and the lot at the depot at \$125.

High Water Causes Death.

William Peacemaker, aged 19 years, was drowned in the Potomac river Saturday night while crossing from Oldtown, Md., to Green Spring, W. Va., in a skiff, which struck driftwood and capsized in midstream. William Darr, the other occupant of the boat, had a thrilling escape. Grappling the cable of the ferry which crosses the river at that point, hand over hand he worked his way to the shore.

The river was beyond its banks as a result of the heavy rains of last week. A boatman, together with two of his passengers, was carried down by the current from a point near Patterson's creek and barely escaped drowning. Dr. Percival Lantz, of Frankford, W. Va., was called to the Maryland side to see a patient and, with the boatman and another passenger, was carried down the stream, control having been lost of the boat. They were washed over the rapids and thought they were lost when the boat suddenly shot toward the shore and the occupants grasped the overhanging branches of a tree and pulled themselves to safety.

Maryland Postmasters' Salaries.

In the twenty-fourth annual re-adjustment of postmasters' salaries based upon business for the preceding year, the following changes are announced for offices on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, effective July 1: Berlin, from \$1,900 to \$2,200; Cambridge, from \$2,200 to \$2,300; Centerville, from \$1,600 to \$1,700; Chestertown, from \$2,200 to \$2,300; Crisfield, from \$1,900 to \$2,000; Denton, from \$1,600 to \$1,700; Easton, from \$2,200 to \$2,300; Elkton, from \$1,700 to \$1,800; North East, from \$1,200 to \$1,300; St. Michaels, from \$1,100 to \$1,200.

Marriage Licenses.

Stewart-Lecates—Bertram H. Stewart 33, and Edna May Lecates 20, Wicomico county.

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Waller Jackson—Edgar Waller 24, and Ida Jackson 20, Wicomico county.

MAYOR'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

Commends City Council For Many Improvements During Past Year—Several Suggestions.

Mayor Harper sent to the City Council Monday evening his annual message which was as follows:

In compliance with the provisions of the charter of Salisbury, I beg leave as Mayor to submit for your consideration a brief report of present conditions, and some suggestions as to the needs and requirements of our city. The question of street paving, which has engaged your attention during the past year, is no longer a thing to be expected but a work accomplished. The improvements that have been made on portions of certain streets by the use of vitrified brick have been received with general satisfaction, and I would suggest that as soon as conditions are satisfactory the other main thoroughfares of our city be paved with whatever material in your wisdom may seem best and most durable, and I especially recommend the paving of Humphreys mill dam. I desire to commend you for the manner you have handled the business and of improving our streets. I think your action and manifested interest has met the approval of our citizens.

The general condition of our streets has been fair, but would suggest that it is economy from every standpoint to keep the streets in good repair, as it is not only more sanitary but speaks well for the corporation. I desire to call your special attention to the necessity of repairing our sidewalks, and of laying new sidewalks where needed. A city is judged by the character of its sidewalks as much as its streets, and while we are improving streets let the sidewalks in the resident portions of our city be repaired and relaid.

Our streets are under the able supervision of our Street Commissioner, Mr. G. E. Straman. I desire to commend him for his work and the faithful performance of his duties during the past year.

A fact that is generally overlooked by the observing citizen is, that the area of streets is constantly increasing, the traffic thereon is increasing enormously, which means a greater amount of work to keep the streets in proper condition. It is such that where oyster shells formerly would suffice now it requires brick or stone or some more substantial material than shells. There has been a great amount of improvements made to the streets during the past year, and quite a large quantity of shells spread upon the same. In passing I would note the grading and repairing of the following streets: West Isabella, Fitzwater, Pearl, West Main, Lake, High, Mill East Camden, Camden Ave., Newton, Wicomico, Maryland Ave., Winder, South Division, Snow Hill road, Locust, North Division, William, East Isabella, Railroad Avenue, Park, Chestnut, Bush and others. There has been placed upon these streets one hundred thousand bushels of shells. Our streets, because of their worn condition and the excessive rains during the past year, have been hard to keep in good condition. The money judiciously spent upon our streets is a proper and necessary expense, and an expenditure that brings good results.

I commend for your favorable consideration the Salisbury Fire Department. It is useless to go into details concerning this organization for its work speaks for itself. I would suggest that you deal with this important branch of the public service in a spirit that will cause it to be vigilant as it has always been.

Our Police Department is one of prime importance to the peace and happiness of this community. Upon it rests, to a certain degree, the responsibility for our safety and the proper observance of our ordinances. I am sorry to say that there has been some laxness on the part of the police in the enforcement of the city ordinances.

The law pertaining to the driving of automobiles seems to be very much violated, and there is not sufficient regard for the safety of the general public by the owners of the machines. The speed limit as required by law is very slow, and this law is violated every day. I would like to see this law rigidly enforced, because of the increased quantity of machines now in use, and while the State law covers this matter, yet I would recommend the passage of an ordinance regulating the operation of machines in the city.

An enforcement of the ordinance prohibiting the placing of material of any sort, or trash, and waste matter of any kind in the streets is suggested and this is a matter that should come under the observation of the Police Department and receive its attention. I would appreciate your cooperation with me in seeing that the ordinances of our city are enforced. I am glad to note a general observance of our laws relative to peace and order, on the part of our citizens, and the lack of fights and disorderly conduct that were formerly more frequent.

I desire to commend the Police Department on its efficient work in seeing that the State Laws concerning crap shooting and saloons are particularly observed, and sorry I cannot say observed to the letter of the law. Several criminals of this kind have been forced to face these charges because of the vigilance of the Department, and I trust there will be still more efficient work along this line.

The Gas question is of great importance at this time, upon the eve of our street paving, and a question which I have been agitating for the past two years, and I note with pride a strong probability of the question assuming some definite shape. I would suggest that a franchise be granted to the citizens of our town that are asking for it, clothed with proper safeguards for the citizens' welfare, and restricted in its powers so that the same will not be to the detriment of our citizens, and yet these restrictions should not be so drastic that the franchise cannot be operated under.

These matters I will leave to your good judgment, and believe you will act wisely in the matter. I would respectfully suggest that the paving of our streets be begun as early as possible as the installation of a Gas Plant will be, but not before.

The financial condition of our city is to be commended. This is partly due to the securing of the taxes from the B. C. & A. R. Co. by our Attorney, and partly due to the judicious manner in which you have handled the financial affairs of the city. During the past year problems of quite a little moment have confronted you and the same have been solved with wisdom and good judgment which has meant a sacrifice on the part of each of you. Just here I would state as well as suggest that in consideration of labor and responsibility attached to the position of Council that the Honor is hardly an adequate compensation for the services rendered, and while it may not meet with your approval individually, and if it does you would refrain on the ground of propriety, yet I would suggest that our Charter be so amended as to compensate the

Professional Cards.

BAILLY, JOSEPH L., Attorney-at-Law, Office in "News" Building.
BENNETT, L. ATWOOD, Attorney-at-Law, Office in Telephone Building, head Main St.
DOUGLASS, SAMUEL R., Attorney-at-Law, Office Corner of Division and Water Sts.
ELLEGOOD, FREENY & WALLER, Attorneys-at-Law, Offices first floor Masonic Temple.
FITCH, N. T., Attorney-at-Law, Office in "News" Building.
JACKSON, ALEXANDER M., Attorney-at-Law, Office in Masonic Temple, Division Street.
TOADVIN & BELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Offices in Jackson Building, Main Street.
WALLER, GEO. W. D., Attorney-at-Law, Office adjoining "Advertiser" Building.
WALTON, ELMER H., Attorney-at-Law, Office in "Courier" Building, Main Street.
WILLIAMS, JAY, Attorney-at-Law, Office in Williams Building, Division St.

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On Fitzwater street on Thursday, a pair of Double Lens Gold Eye Glasses. Reward if returned to P. S. SHOCKLEY, News Building, or to THE COURIER office.

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Pitched Ball Caused Death.

As a result of being struck over the heart by a pitched ball, Mr. William T. Kane, who was engaged in playing a game of baseball at Relay last Saturday afternoon, was instantly killed. Mr. Kane, who was not a regular player on the Relay team, had accompanied his brother, Howard Kane, the catcher. The Relay team was short of a player, and Mr. Kane was used as a substitute in right field. The Relays had for their opponents the Newark Athletic Club of Baltimore. Mr. Kane was at the bat when the ball struck him. He started to run toward first base and fell about 10 feet in front of the bag. He was carried to the grandstand, and several physicians, who were on the ground, tried to revive him, but he had apparently died as soon as he fell. He was 27 years old and leaves a widow and one child. He resided at Morrell Park. The body was taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lane, in Baltimore, from where his funeral took place Wednesday afternoon, interment being made in London Park Cemetery.

Wicomico River Line.

Steamer leaves Baltimore, weather permitting, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5.00 P.M. for Hooper's Island, Wingate Point, Deal's Island, Roaring Point, Mt. Vernon, White Haven, Widgeon, Allen Wharf, Quantico and Salisbury. Returning, steamers will leave Salisbury for Baltimore at 1.00 P.M., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, stopping at the above points. WILLARD THOMPSON, T. MURDOCH, General Manager.

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Order of Publication.

HIRAM J. COOPER vs. BENJAMIN DENNIS ET AL. No. 1666 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Md.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of the property in Willards Election District, in Wicomico County, owned by Lavinia Dennis, at the time of her death.

The bill states that the said Lavinia Dennis departed this life intestate on or about the 4th day of September, 1905, seised and possessed of a tract of land in said district adjoining the John A. Shockley lot, and on the East side of the Poplar Neck road, and being the property obtained by the said Lavinia Dennis from King V. White by deed dated the 26th day of April, 1900; that being so seised and possessed of said land, said Lavinia Dennis died as aforesaid, leaving a husband, Benjamin Dennis, and the following heirs at law: Hiram J. Cooper, who has intermarried with Mary Cooper; Edward C. Cooper, who has intermarried with Bessie Cooper; Margaret A. Pusey, who has intermarried with Levin Pusey; Ida B. Smith, who has intermarried with Thomas H. Smith; Gordon Lee Cooper, who has intermarried with Ida Florence Cooper; Greensbury Cooper, who has intermarried with Anna Jane Cooper; all of whom reside in Wicomico County and State of Maryland; and Arley M. Cooper, who has intermarried with Anna Elizabeth Cooper; and Robert Cooper, who has intermarried with Stella Emma Cooper; all of whom are non-residents of the State, and reside in the State of Delaware; that the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss to the parties entitled to interest therein, and that in order to make a division of said interests it will be necessary to sell said property.

It is thereupon this 18th day of May, 1907, ordered by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, in Equity, that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Wicomico County once in each four successive issues before the 20th day of June next, give notice to the said non-resident respondents of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 15th day of July next, to show cause, if any they have, why the decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND. Filed May 18, 1907. True Copy: ERNEST A. TOADVIN, Clerk.

ELMER H. WALTON, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, issued by the Clerk of the Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland, at the suit of J. Hillary Riell against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William J. Conway and Nancy Conway, his wife, and to me directed, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said William J. Conway and Nancy Conway his wife in and all that lot or parcel of ground in Tyaskin Election District, in Wicomico County and State of Maryland, on the West side of County Road leading from Green Hill to Nanticoke, and bounded on the North by property of Haste W. Conway, on the South by property of J. Hillary Riell and the West by property of George Distell, and containing three acres of land more or less, and being property which was conveyed or attempted to be conveyed to Roy Smith by said William J. Conway and Nancy Conway his wife, by deed of record among the land records of Wicomico County.

And I hereby give notice that on Saturday, June 8, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described property, to satisfy said writ and costs.

ELMER E. BRADLEY, Sheriff Wicomico County.

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Schedule effective April 22, 1907. West Bound.

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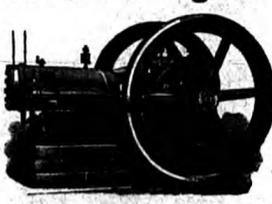
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TO ORGANIZE FARMERS' UNION.

For Mutual Protection And Advantage And To End Unfavorable Conditions.

Following the suggestion made by President Roosevelt in his speech on farming at Lansing, Mich., several days ago, farmers of Frederick county will effect this week an organization whose ultimate purpose will be to form similar organizations in every county in the United States.

The plan is to first effect a permanent organization in Frederick. A similar organization will then be recommended to every county in the State, with a view later on of holding a State convention of farmers. The plan will then be extended to other States, until a national organization is effected which will meet in national convention once a year in some city in the Middle West.

Immediately after the organization in Frederick arrangements will be made for holding the first annual reunion of farmers of Frederick county. The reunion will be held at the fair grounds about the middle of August and every effort will be made to have President Roosevelt deliver an address on farming. Secretary of the State Root and Governor Warfield will also be invited to make addresses. It has been proposed to establish headquarters for the organization in Frederick and to send a representative to other counties of the State to assist in organizing and to set forth its object.

"The object of this organization," said a well known farmer, "is for the mutual protection and advantage of farmers. When it is considered that Frederick county ranks third among the counties of the United States in productiveness of soil, it seems fitting that a movement of this kind should begin here.

"It is becoming more evident every day that something must be done to protect the farmer. Nine-tenths of the money spent in Frederick, and, in fact, in every agricultural community, comes from the farmer, and yet he is laboring under conditions of the most unfavorable character.

"The farmers of Frederick county raised about 1,200,000 bushels of wheat last year. Sometimes the yield is greater and sometimes less. Thousands of bushels were sold for 70 cents a bushel. Practically the entire yield went for under 80 cents a bushel. Recently the price jumped to 90 cents a bushel, but the advantage was of no benefit to our farmers, because they had none for sale. Every product of the farm is bringing a good price now, and if the farmers were wisely directed or mutually bound together their occupation would be one of the most profitable as well as the healthiest of callings. Fifteen years ago bran was thrown in the race by millers. Today it brings \$24 a ton in this county and is a product of food on the farm that could not be dispensed with.

"I think the question of farm labor could also be adjusted through efforts of a farmers' organization. Instead of farmers renting their places and coming to town to live, they should be getting rich in the occupation that they are so well equipped for."

It is understood that some well-known farmer in Middletown Valley will be made president of the organization.

Samuel Davis Found Guilty.

After being out all night battling for a verdict in the case of Samuel Davis, the slayer of Alfred Strickland, of Worcester county, the jury Saturday morning brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree, and declared the prisoner sane at the time he committed the murder and sane now, and adding, "but we recommend, because of certain evidence before us, the mercy of the Court."

Judge Lloyd ordered Davis to stand up and receive his sentence, which was that of death. Judge Lloyd said that the recommendation of the jury for mercy would no doubt be brought to the attention of the Governor, who now has the fate of Davis in his hands, the Court having no other course but to sentence in accordance with law.

There is no desire upon the part of most of the people of the county to have Davis hanged. The jury waited upon the Judge, through its foreman, before it rendered its verdict, and wanted the Court to sentence Davis to imprisonment for life in an insane asylum, but Judge Lloyd stated that such a thing was not possible. The jury then brought in the verdict as stated.

The plea of the defense was insanity and the prisoner was represented by ex-State's Attorney Robley D. Jones. The state was represented by State's Attorney William F. Johnson, who showed that Davis, while having a peculiar temperament, was sane when the shooting occurred, and that he was moved to kill Mr. Strickland after mature deliberation. The shooting occurred in the store of the murdered man, the prisoner taking the honor of noon, knowing that in all probability Mr. Strickland would be alone at this time.

TO EXTERMINATE RODENTS.

Great Destruction Wrought By Rodents Reaches \$100,000,000 Annually.

The great destruction wrought by rodents is pointed out in a statement which has been issued by the Department of Agriculture on "Methods of Destroying Rats." It declares that an "infallible method of extermination of these rodents would be worth more to the people of the United States in a single decade than the Department of Agriculture has cost since its establishment." It says the brown rat is the worst mammalian pest in existence, and adds: "If for each cow, horse, sheep and hog on the farms of the United States the farmer support one rat on grain, the toll levied on the cereals by these rodents would reach the enormous total of \$100,000,000 a year. Their prolificness is the chief obstacle to their extermination. If three litters of ten each are produced every year, a single pair, breeding without check and without loss by death, in three years would be represented by ten generations, and would number 29,155,392. The eleventh generation, due at the fourth year, would number over a hundred millions.

Bankers Entertained.

The directors and officers of the Eastern Shore Trust Company's different banks met in Cambridge Decoration Day for the yearly celebration, the guests of the company. Among them were the directors, secretaries and clerks of the banks at Cambridge, Federalburg, East New Market, Hurlock, Sharptown, Solomons and Prince Fredericktown. The company spent the morning in riding about the town and sailing. At noon special dinners were served at the Hotel Dixon and the Dorchester. In the afternoon a game of baseball between Cambridge and East New Market and a tennis tournament between Cambridge and Solomons and Prince Fredericktown attracted the visitors and some "took in" the Memorial Day exercises by the soldiers.

After supper the bankers met in the banquet hall of the Masonic Temple to discuss the affairs of the Trust Company in a social sort of a way, and afterwards attended an informal musicale in the parlor of Hotel Dixon.

Summer Season At Tolchester.

The steamer Louise, of the Tolchester Steamboat Company, made her first trip from Baltimore to Tolchester last Wednesday. She had on a fair sized crowd, among whom were the committee of the association and churches, which have bookings for the season. Many improvements are said to have been made at the resort since last season. The wharf has been divided into two sections by a picket railing down the middle to facilitate the handling of crowds, so that those coming off can use one side, and those boarding the boat may have free way on the other. A new large bath house has been erected, which will accommodate twice the number of patrons as did the former one.

Battled in Love—Suicide.

Frank Kefauver, aged about 23, a well-known young teacher, son of Lewis F. Kefauver, a well-to-do farmer, residing in a handsome new home at the eastern edge of Middletown, shot and killed himself about 9.30 o'clock Sunday night on the porch of Martin Coblenz, residing near the Kefauver home. A young man from Middletown was in the parlor with Miss Lizzie Coblenz at the time, and the two, startled by a pistol shot, opened the door to investigate and found Kefauver's lifeless body on the porch, with a bullet wound in the heart.

The young man, it is said, was in love with Miss Coblenz, and there being some opposition to his visits upon the part of her parents, he brooded over the matter.

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Washington County Tax Rate.

The Washington County Commissioners have fixed the tax rate at 68 cents on \$100, which is 3 cents less than last year's rate. The State tax rate will also be reduced this year from 23 1/2 cents to 16 cents.

The basis this year is \$23,018,160, against \$22,253,966 last year, an increase of \$764,191. The amount of money which 68 cents will yield on this basis is \$156,523.

Appropriations were made for the following purposes, among others: Schools, \$69,000; roads and bridges, \$27,621; tax collector, \$3,314; printing, \$4,600; out-door pensioners, \$4,600; Sheriff, \$2,300; Clerk of the Court, Orphan's Court and Register of Wills, \$3,452; County Commissioners' office and county auditors, \$4,900; insane, \$2,992; Washington County Free Library, \$1,496; Washington County Hospital, \$2,071; Bellevue Asylum, the county almshouse, \$8,813; court expenses and magistrate certificates, \$8,056; registration of voters, election supervisors and election expenses, \$4,971.

Besides the amount received from the levy, the county derives an annual income of about \$12,500 from the tax on mortgages.

Died From Stab Wound.

Mr. John H. Lauer, aged 49 years, died at his home, Mount Winans, Washington road, Thursday of last week from the wound received by being stabbed in the abdomen by Andrew Guoriglia, a billed Italian peddler, in a saloon on Hollins street on May 22nd. It is claimed that the dead man made a slighting remark to the Italian, and the stabbing followed. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon. Rev. Daniel L. Hania, pastor of Sexton Methodist Episcopal Church, Morrell Park, conducted the services. The burial was in Loudon Park Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. John, George and Jacob Lauer, George S. Smardon, Joseph Marshall and Herbert Burrier.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1907.

The Case of Miss Bond.

The case of Miss Bessie L. Bond, who was arrested on the charge of raising a ten dollar bill to a hundred dollar note, and who pleaded guilty to the indictment, and was sentenced to five years in jail at hard labor, is perhaps one of the most touching and pathetic cases ever recorded in the criminal annals of this country.

Miss Bond, who is extremely prepossessing and about twenty-five years of age, had been for a long time one of the most earnest and active workers in the Central Methodist Episcopal Church South, Edmondson avenue and Stricker street, Baltimore, of which she was a member. At the time of her arrest she was treasurer of the Missionary fund connected with the Church, and to this fact is attributed the indirect cause of her downfall. It is the same old story wrought out in various forms in the lives of hundreds of people—the unlawful and unauthorized use of trust funds. At the time she used the money it is probable that she never questioned perhaps even the propriety of its use, fully intending to replace it, and as the time drew near when it was necessary to turn over the funds to the proper church authorities the seriousness of the situation suddenly appalled her and its despatchness overwhelmed her. Even then, had she gone to the pastor and made a clear statement of the whole matter it is certain that any number of the members of the church would have rushed to her rescue, and provided the necessary amount. But she gave way to the innate impulses of humanity, to cover, if possible, the weaknesses and indiscretions of life, and having once determined to do so, one step followed another in rapid succession.

Having torn the necessary ten dollar note to secure the additional naughts, it then became necessary to give a plausible reason and excuse for her possession of the mutilated bills, and following quickly upon the heels of the crime against the Government, came the crime against herself—that of deliberate and repeated falsehood.

It is certain, however, that Miss Bond never fully realized the enormity of the crime she was committing nor the consequences it would bring to herself, if detected, and her act becomes all the more inexplicable and unfathomable when its utter uselessness is remembered and the small amount realized is considered. Her life up to this time had been as exemplary as any member of the church. Not only because of her connection with some of the best families in Baltimore, but because of her own force of character and prominence in church work, she was universally respected and honored and her act under such circumstances seems utterly incomprehensible. Even the United States Commissioner, by whom she was placed under bond for the

action of the Grand Jury, seemed to feel the incongruity of the situation and practically apologized for the part he was compelled to play in the veritable tragedy which was being enacted before him.

The idea that a woman of culture and refinement should be classed with common offenders and amid criminal environments be assigned to the overall factory of a common jail is so utterly repugnant to every feeling of right and propriety that it is little wonder that steps have already been taken to have her case brought to the attention of the President with a view of securing a pardon. And yet it would be difficult to understand upon what theory a full pardon could be asked or upon what grounds a justification could be made of official action of that character. That there should be a commutation of the sentence, however, will hardly be denied, and it is more than possible that an application of this kind will be successful.

A Purling Editor.

The following editorial jotting appeared in our issue of March 9th, last:

"The consummate nerve of a certain esteemed (?) Caroline contemporary which last week copied verbatim one of our editorials in its own editorial column and inadvertently (?) omitted to note the fact that it was copied—is a sample of up-to-date, Twentieth Century, third rate newspaper methods frequently too common among certain papers on the Eastern Shore! We would suggest to our purling friend that when he can no longer write his own editorials he run plate—tin or otherwise, but in the name of newspaper decency sail under your own colors. A parrot can copy!"

The self-same paper has once more extended to us the exceptional honor (?) of copying another editorial and again the editor forgot (?) to credit the source from whence it came. It takes precious little brains and less sense to run a newspaper exclusively with a pair of scissors and an ever ready paste pot, and if the editor of that particular journal is either too lazy or naturally too dumb, to write editorials of his own he ought to say so, or have common courtesy and innate honesty enough to give credit to the paper from which he makes his clippings.

The Mosquitos Are Doomed.

The war is "on!" The mosquitos are doomed! Their end is at hand! The bloody conflict of extermination and slaughter—and prevention—has already begun. The health authorities have decreed their death and everlasting and eternal annihilation. No more will the familiar pests be heard in the land of the living. No longer will the dreams of summer be haunted by visions of burning hands and fevered brows. No more will neck and face—and unprotected ankles—feel the stinging force of the quivering dart of the enemy. The decrees are signed! Their fate is sealed! He who harbors an open well or "clogs" a flowing gutter, becomes the arch-enemy of the human race. The banners are raised, "Down With the Cess Pools," and "Death to Mud Puddles."

The war is "on!"

Editorial Jottings.

Governor Warfield was quite a conspicuous figure at the Confederate Reunion at Richmond, and, as usual, proved himself fully equal to the occasion. You can place the Governor where you will, but he is always a distinct credit to himself and an honor to the State of which he is chief executive.

The all-important, all-absorbing, much-discussed and greatly agitated gas question has a remarkable faculty of remaining in "statu quo." However, even though no final action has been taken, the beginning of the end is apparently in view.

We appreciate the receipt of an invitation, which has been received through the courtesy of James E. Ellegood, Esq., an alumnus of the College, to attend the celebration of the 125th Anniversary of the founding of Washington College, and the Commencement exercises, which will take place Thursday evening next at Chestertown, the seat of the institution.

Personal.

—Mr Charles W. Long of Princess Anne was a visitor in this city Thursday.

—Mr. Ivy M. Jessup, of Chester, Georgia, spent a few days in Salisbury this week.

—Miss Bertha Sheppard is in Baltimore and Buckeystown, Pa., visiting friends.

—Messrs. Elliott, Culver and Truitt, of Delmar, were visitors in this city Thursday.

—Mrs. Irving Russell and son, Claude, are visiting friends in Seaford, Laurel, and Dover, Delaware.

—Miss Lillie Morris, of Philadelphia, spent a few days this week with her parents on Division street.

—Miss Blanche Moore, of Bush street, has returned from an extended visit among relatives in Canada.

—Messrs. George W. and George H. Kersey, are visiting relatives in Philadelphia, Pa., and Cedarville, N. J.

—Miss Annie Dashiell, who has been the guest of friends in Philadelphia, has returned to her home on Bush St.

—Mr. Jerome T. Hayman is taking a few days vacation from his arduous duties at the Land Office, at Annapolis.

—Mrs. B. B. Robinson and Miss Madge Robertson, of Princess Anne, were the guests of Mrs. J. McFadden Dick several days this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Nelson returned Monday from the funeral of Mrs. Nelson's mother which took place last Saturday in Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jackson have gone to Jamestown, R. I., for the summer. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wirt Leonard.

—Miss Laura Mercer, who has been visiting Mrs. Mary D. Ellegood, E. William street, returned to her home in Philadelphia, Wednesday.

—Miss Edith Weisbach, who has been studying in the Granberry Plano School, Carnegie Hall, New York City, is home for the summer vacation.

—Mr. Virgil F. Ward, formerly principal of the Snow Hill High School, has returned to his home in this city where he will spend a part of his vacation.

—Misses Richards and VanCleve, teachers in the Wicomico High School, visited the Jamestown Exposition during the week and have just left for a trip to Boston.

—Miss Martha Toadvine, who has just completed her second year's course at the Mary Baldwin School at Staunton, Va., has returned to her home for the summer vacation.

—Miss Ruth Hammond, of Berlin, returned on Saturday to her home from a visit to her sister, Miss Lizzie Hammond, one of the teachers of the Wicomico High School, of this city.

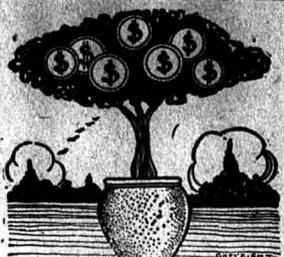
—Prof. J. Walter Huffington, principal of the Wicomico High School, expects to leave for the University of Virginia next week where he is to take a special course at the summer school.

—Miss Carrie Gayle has returned from Virginia where she has been teaching school and will spend her vacation in this place. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Young, who will be here for some time.

—Mrs. John L. Smith, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hillman, for the past three weeks, returned home Friday accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Belle Smith, of Salisbury.

—Mrs. Isaac Uiman and Mrs. Carrie Uiman on Tuesday attended the wedding of their brother, Mr. Cosmer P. Long, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., to Miss Florence Anabacker. The wedding took place at Delmonico's, New York City.

—Did you see the display of men's underwear at Kennerly & Mitchell's. See window.



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Town Topics.

-A 19 acre farm for sale cheap. Apply at once to the Courier office.

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-The annual alumni banquet of the Eastern Shore College will be given Wednesday evening, June 12th, at the Peninsula Hotel.

-Services at the Catholic Church here June 9th, as follows: Mass and Sermon, 10.30 a. m. Benediction and Sermon, 7.30 p. m.

-The Ladies' Aid Society, of Parnassus, will hold an ice cream Social on Mr. Tilghman's lawn Saturday June 15th, beginning at 6.30 p. m.

-A hot water heating plant is being installed in Judge Holland's office building on Division street. Mr. R. McKenny Price is doing the work.

-The large stables and lot belonging to the Salisbury Horse and Mule Company, on E. Camden St. was offered for sale and bid off by Mr. Charles J. Birchhead for \$1,625.00.

-Arrangements are being made for the annual examination of applicants for teachers in the Public Schools, and it is thought that they will be held the latter part of June.

-About 75 pupils of Mrs. M. P. Trussell's music class enjoyed their annual picnic at Lakeside Park yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Trussell gave the scholars a straw ride on the return trip.

-The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred upon Mr. William W. Banks, of Salisbury, at the Commencement exercises at Dickinson College. The presentation was made by President Reed.

-The steam saw-mill owned by Isaac Thomas Phillips, at Quantico, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

-The Mite Society of Wicomico Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Lankford Tuesday night. An excellent musical program was the feature of the evening, after which refreshments were served.

-The B. C. & A. Railway Company is making a big improvement to its wharf property on Mill street by the addition of a siding which is being run to the edge of the river, and will be used for transferring cargoes direct from cars to boats.

-The Ladies' Missionary Society of Wicomico Presbyterian Church held a successful lawn party at Mill Grove Thursday evening. Refreshments of all kinds were served by the ladies and the proceeds amounted to about 18 dollars.

-Hon. W. H. Jackson is making his arrangements to ship from his farm near town 179 fine specimens of Western cattle which are in prime condition. There will be nine carloads and the shipment will take place from Byrd's Siding this morning.

-Mr. Harry S. Brewington is making quite an addition to Camden by the erection of a \$3500 house upon the lot which he recently purchased from Governor Jackson. Mr. Brewington is now living in Princess Anne and formerly resided in Salisbury.

-Mr. Wm. E. Birmingham, Merchant Tailor of this city, has just received an order from parties living on the Isthmus of Panama, and he will make shipment in a few days. This speaks well for the merchants of Salisbury and shows the hustling qualities of its people.

-Have you been thinking of buying some article in the jewelry line, if so now is your chance. Harper & Taylor's entire stock will be reduced 10 per cent. for 30 days from June 1st to 30th. This is our annual sale of 10 per cent. but never before on our entire stock your opportunity.

-Rev. Mervin J. Eckles, formerly pastor of Wicomico Presbyterian Church of this city, and now pastor of Arch street Presbyterian Church Philadelphia, has been in Snow Hill for the last week recuperating from a recent operation. It is probable that he will be in Salisbury before he returns to the city.

-The graduating exercises of the Training School of Nurses connected with the Peninsula General Hospital will take place at the Hospital Building Friday evening, June 14th. Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor of the M. E. Church will deliver the address to the graduates, there being three in the graduating class. After the exercises a reception will be given at the Hospital. It is expected that nearly all of the physicians on the Eastern Shore will be here at the time, as a large number of invitations have been sent out.

-Mrs. M. P. Trussell has arranged to instruct a class of between 40 and 50 members of the M. P. Church, Laurel, Delaware, and prepare them for a concert which is to be given at a later date in that place, in connection with convention work. Mrs. Trussell will instruct the class Tuesday evening of each week.

-Mrs. Mary E. P. Williams died last Saturday at her home in Baltimore. Mrs. Williams is survived by Mr. Howard P. Williams and Miss Carrie Williams who have frequently visited Salisbury, and are well known here. Mrs. Williams was born in Salisbury but spent the greater part of her life in Baltimore.

-Mr. R. Frank Williams, real estate dealer, has recently purchased from the Hazard Powder Company, of Connecticut, the powder house and lot on Camden street, extended. Mr. Williams purposes to clean up and grade the property and offer the same for sale in building lots.

To the Editor of The Courier: Dear Sir: At the Annual Session of the State Council of Md., Daughters of Liberty, a rising vote of thanks was extended to you for your kind remembrance of our session in your paper.

Respectfully Yours, Mrs. Lelia E. Gwinn, S. C. Secretary.

-Mr. E. C. Potter has placed in White and Leonard's window some of the finest scroll work ever seen in Salisbury. He will give the child purchasing the most tickets to his Moving Picture Parlor first choice, and the next, second, and so on for ten prizes. Further information can be had upon application to Mr. Potter.

-We know you are in need of some article in the jewelry line, and why not buy now, while Harper & Taylor are giving 10 per cent. off on their entire stock, which is composed of goods with quality and the latest designs. This sale commences Saturday, June 1st and continues to the 30th. Come early and continue until you make your selection.

-Mr. John Huffington, of Allen, an Ex Confederate soldier, attended the Confederate reunion at Richmond, Va., this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Huffington and his son, Prof. J. Walter Huffington. It is the first time Mr. Huffington, who was a member of Co. F. 2nd Md. Regiment of Stonewall Jackson's Corps, has been in Richmond since the surrender.

-Herman, the little son of Mr. R. Frank Williams met with a serious accident yesterday. The little fellow was riding a bicycle on St. Peter street and in trying to pass between a team of mules which was standing at the curb and a carriage in the middle of the street, he lost his balance and ran into one of the mules. The mule became frightened and kicked him in the abdomen. It is thought that he is injured internally.

-Next week will be literary week at the Jamestown Exposition. During the week the National Editorial Association will meet there, and also the Maryland State Editors, Press Club, and the League of the American Pen-Women. The Maryland Democratic Editorial Association has arranged a full program for the event. Tuesday they will leave Baltimore and on Wednesday they expect to visit Fortress Monroe on Thursday a trip to Jamestown and Williamsburg has been arranged and on Friday a tour of the Exposition grounds will be made. The party will return to Baltimore on Saturday.

Fourth Of July Program. The Young Men's Culture Club and the Young Woman's Culture Club, of the Division Street Baptist Church, are jointly arranging for a glorious time in Salisbury on the Fourth. Committees were appointed at a recent meeting and everything arranged for this celebration. A grand all day festival, at which refreshments of all kinds will be served, will be held. In addition to this, there will be two baseball games, two motor boat races, one for boats over 30 ft. and one for boats under 30 ft., speeches by several prominent citizens; boat, foot, wheel-barrow and tub races; hammer throwing, shoe lacing, cake and apple eating contests; and to end the day, a grand display of fireworks in the evening.

This is a laudable undertaking on the part of the two Culture Clubs of this Church, and every citizen should give them a hearty help in every way possible to make the Fourth in Salisbury a glorious day.

Annual Rally. Tomorrow the annual Roll Call will be held at the Division Street Baptist Church. Special programs will be given as follows: 9.45, Bible School; 11.00, Roll Call and Rally. Sermon, "God's Inheritance," 2.30, Bible School, Hitch's Hall, California. 7.30, Young People's Rally, program of music and addresses. Mr. L. W. Gunby will address the meeting in the afternoon at Hitch's Hall.

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At the Spelling School.

By CAROLINE SPENCER.

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Burt Seymour, son of Farmer Seymour, had given a "sugaring off" party in the sap bush, and his invited guests numbered a dozen of the young men and girls of the neighborhood. Such parties are always given with the last run of maple sap and are simple affairs. The guests all gather at the sugar bush, where the sweet sap has already been boiled down to thick sirup, and seat themselves on a log while the sirup is boiled a little more and then served around on clean maple chips. There is snow yet left in the woods, and a dab of sirup dropped on the snow produces maple wax. There is a general stickiness, a general state of hilarity, and the girls go home with wet feet and the young men with wax on their chins.

In one sense this party referred to was a great success. In another it was a calamity. A sewing machine agent had been stopping at Farmer Halliday's for the last two weeks while he beat up the country. He happened to be a young man and a taking fellow, but there was no earthly reason for Burt Seymour to be jealous of him. Eunice Halliday and Burt had been engaged for three or four months, and while she was naturally flattered at the compliments paid to her by the agent, whose name was French, they didn't turn her head by any means. She saw from the first that Burt was inclined to be jealous, and she was therefore more circumspect, but Burt's jealousy still rankled. He took good care that the stranger shouldn't be invited to the sugar party, to which Eunice was duly escorted by the host, but cheek is a part of the stock in trade of agents of all sorts, and no one was greatly surprised when Mr. French showed up as cool as a snow bank and took the biggest chip in the collection.

As old Aunt Martha used to say, all girls that amount to anything have a spice of devilry in their nature. Be they ever so sweet and nice, there are times when they like to hector. When Eunice saw, with all the others, that the coming of the agent annoyed her lover and that Mr. French was inclined to put himself out in another and more agreeable way to make things a success, she came as near flirting with him as she could and miss it. The harder Burt scowled and the more he showed his vexation the more reckless she became. She didn't intend to go too far, but just far enough to punish him. He would be sullen and sulky going home, but she would make up with him before they reached the gate—that is, she thought it would be that way, but she was mistaken. Burt referred to the agent as a "snide," a "squirt" and several other things, and, although she only defended mildly, it was sufficient to keep his temper hot. He announced that he had been disappointed in her; that there was no such thing as loyalty known to her sex; that a few compliments from a "masher" were valued by her more than his enduring love, and when the gate was reached she announced that she wouldn't submit to be browbeaten, and he flourished his arm in reply and exclaimed:

"Farewell, false girl! I have loved you as no man ever loved before, but you have let a fool part us. I may be sunstruck this summer or die of a broken heart or commit suicide, but 'twill not matter to you. You will have simply broken one more human heart—shattered the faith of another man in woman's integrity."

Of course Eunice went into the house prepared to brave it out, and of course it wasn't fifteen minutes before her mother suspected that something had transpired and whisked her into the family bedroom to say:

"Now, then, has that Hattie Jones been saying mean things about you again?"

"No, ma!" replied the daughter as she burst into sobs.

By and by all the details were in the mother's possession. The girl did not deny that she had flirted a bit, but she had not really meant anything serious. She was deeply in love with Burt Seymour, and as she thought of his dying of sunstroke and going to his grave believing she cared for another man, no matter how many sewing machines he could sell in a week, it almost broke her heart.

"Well, now, stop crying while I talk to you," said the mother. "You should not have flirted, and Burt should not have made a fool of himself. He's gone away to chew the rag, as your cousin Ben puts it. He thinks he'll get a letter from you in a day or two asking his forgiveness. Then he'll take a week before coming around and condescending to make up. First and foremost, you are not to write him a line. Second and hindmost, he's got to come to you if there is any coming about it. Your father was just another such idiot when he was running after me, and I made him crawl. That's why I have always had the whip hand of him."

"But you know how set Burt is in his ways," pleaded Eunice.

"But you can be just as set in yours."

"But suppose he's found dead with my photo on his broken heart?"

"Suppose our old dog should bark his tail off! You are going to do just as I say, and that ends it. I'm your mother, and I know something about men, and I don't help you to bring that smart young man back within two weeks I'll never darn another pair of socks for your father."

One event invariably follows the other in the country. After the sugar party, about two weeks after, comes the last day of the district school, or the close of the term. Word goes out for ten miles around, and the 200 young and old who attend manage somehow to get into the schoolhouse. Then two persons choose sides, and the whole crowd lines up, and the schoolmaster pronounces the words. The spelling school for the Seymour district was announced for a date two weeks subsequent to the sugar party and the lovers' quarrel. No Burt called at the Halliday farmhouse to make up. The days passed, and poor Eunice went about with tears in her eyes. Even her father noticed that the daughter was looking red eyed and pale faced and asked the wife if a doctor had not better be consulted.

"Don't you worry, Joseph," was all the reply he got, and about all he expected, but to the daughter the mother said:

"Eunice, when the spelling school comes off I am going to bring that young man to the mark. He is one of the best spellers around here, isn't he?"

"Yes, ma."

"Well, so are you. Some folks say you are better than he is. If you are on one side and he on the other, you are going to beat him."

"But suppose I can't?"

"I'm just going to pray that you will."

"Then he'll be madder yet. Maybe he'll go right home and commit suicide."

"And maybe he'll go right home and get some sense in his head. I'm running this show, and I want you to do just as I tell you."

There was the usual big turnout when the evening came. The sewing machine agent had departed for other fields, and Eunice arrived at the schoolhouse in the company of her father and mother. Almost immediately she heard that Burt Seymour had come alone with his horse and buggy. She also heard that their misunderstanding was being gossiped about. The schoolmaster was well known to the Hallidays, and a few whispered words from Mrs. Halliday perfected her plans. It was announced that Mr. Burt Seymour and Miss Eunice Halliday would choose sides, and they found themselves at once the center of interest. Each sought to decline, but each was pushed forward. Each line when filled numbered eighty, and then the spelling began. The first five minutes did the business for twenty.

In a quarter of an hour there were only ten spellers on their feet. Five minutes later Eunice and Burt alone were left. They stood facing each other, though not looking into each other's eyes. Burt looked obstinate, and the girl had her chin in the air. It was called the greatest contest of the decade. For twenty minutes the teacher hunted out the hard words, but could trap neither. Then Burt was caught and went down, and the victory was awarded the girl amid cheers. Five minutes later the crowd broke up, and Eunice was hunting for her wraps when a hand was laid on her arm and a voice whispered:

"Eunice, how do you spell 'idiot,' 'for give' and 'love'?"

"The simplest way," she replied as she turned to Burt.

"Then ride home with me. I brought my buggy on purpose."

"Of course it worked," said Mrs. Halliday that night to herself after making a cackling noise in her throat.

"If it had been left to Eunice, now—but it wasn't. When a smart young man thinks he's smarter than an old married woman it's time he was spelled down a few and made to take a back seat."

Heirs of the Air.

The owls, solemn birds, strongly imbued with the obligations of the married state, mostly begin to sit as soon as the first egg appears, so that the eggs, having a fair field and no favor, hatch out in precisely the same order as that in which they are laid. With the majority of smaller birds another habit prevails, for these do not commence to sit in earnest until the full clutch, perhaps a dozen in number, is complete. This obviously means that the earlier eggs in the nest have had time to grow cold and must be warmed up again. As a result, the eggs are hatched out in the inverse order of laying. It is a good thing that bird life is devoid of litigation, otherwise what terrible arguments this difference between first laid and first hatched might lead to.

Soon to Be Eclipse.

"Is Jimmy, de porch climber, a star?" asked the green goods man.

"Naw!" replied the safe cracker. "He used to be a star, but now we call him de sun."

"And why de sun?"

"Because he is always getting spotted."—Pittsburg Post.

Real Tears.

"Don't you think it wonderful that an actress should shed real tears?"

"If some actresses," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "could see their own performances I do not see how they could help it."—Washington Star.

The Cause of Snoring.

This is not for you, because you never snore. No one ever does snore himself. It is always the other fellow. But you can read this and then tell that guilty other fellow how to break himself of his bad habit, for snoring is merely a bad habit and as such can be overcome. It is caused primarily by improper breathing—that is, breathing through the mouth instead of through the nostrils—so, first of all, care should be taken during waking hours to breathe correctly. The habit once formed of keeping the mouth as firmly closed as possible, he will be less likely to sleep with it open. Then see that your troublesome snorer has a proper pillow. He should sleep with his head as flat as possible, for if his head is pushed forward and the neck bent the tongue drops back against the soft palate and forms an obstruction which makes all the unusual sounds we hear when the air is forced past it.—St. James' Gazette.

The Last Match Saved Them.

The ship had lain becalmed in a tropical sea for three days. Not a breath of air stirred the mirrorlike surface of the sea or the limp sails that hung from the yards like drapery carved in stone. The captain resolved to wait no longer. He piped up all hands on deck and requested the passengers to also come forward.

"I must ask all of you," he said, "to give me every match that you have."

Wonderingly the passengers and crew obeyed. The captain carefully arranged the matches in his hands as each man handed him his store until all had been collected. Then he threw them all overboard but one, drew a cigar from his pocket and, striking the solitary match on the mainmast, endeavored to light it. In an instant a furious gale swept over the deck, extinguished the match and filled the sails, and the good ship Mary Ann sped through the waves on her course.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Cod's Bill of Fare.

An interesting exhibit in the South Kensington museum, London, illustrates the omnivorous nature of the cod's diet. Among the fish falling a prey to its voracious maws we note the young of the herring, dab, whiting and sand eel. Shrimps and young lobsters also form an important item in the cod's menu. The strangest part of the cod's diet perhaps is the sea mouse, whose thick covering of bristles might be thought to render it unwelcome to any stomach. Large whelks and shells of whelks with their indwelling hermit crabs are also largely devoured. From its partiality to mollusks, in fact, the cod may become an assistant to the shell collector. Woodward in his "Manual of the Mollusca" remarks that "some good northern seashells have been rescued unbroken from the stomach of the cod."—London Globe.

How Plutes Catch Quail.

The Plutes have a unique way of getting quail. For them there is no closed season or, indeed, any game law whatever. Seasons when the quail come down from the mountains to the spring the Indians make great preparation for their capture. They build a bough house with a long slender opening in the front formed of tall straight sticks set closely together. Within the house an Indian sits concealed, holding a long limber rod, which he operates dexterously through the narrow opening. In the early morning when the birds flock down for water he picks them off one at a time, killing them instantly. There is no report in this manner of hunting to frighten the others away, and the Indian often gets enough game in a single morning for the whole settlement.—Los Angeles Times.

Went to Bed For Dinner.

An amusing incident is told of the absentmindedness of the late Justice William G. Keogh of Ireland. It was at a bar dinner at his own house, and he had excused himself from the guests, who had already assembled, to go up stairs to dress. Time went by, but he did not reappear. The company sat patiently for some time till at length, when their appetites were getting the better of their manners and they were about to send a messenger in quest of their absent host, he appeared and explained with many apologies that imagining that he was retiring for the night he had undressed and got into bed. After an hour's sleep he awoke, and it suddenly dawned on him that his guests were waiting to dine with him below.

How to Stop Runaways.

The policeman had stopped the runaway very neatly. Now, though puffing a little, he was quite calm.

"It's nothing to stop a runaway," he said as he wiped his foam covered hands. "It is like jumping on or off a moving car—dead easy when you know how. What you want to do when you see a runaway tearing toward you is not to stand still, but to run all your might in the same way the nag's a-going. Then, when it catches up to you, you grab the bridle and keep a-running. Then you are not thrown, you are not trampled on, and in a minute or two the horse slows down. I've stopped a dozen runaways without an accident. It's part of our training, and the policeman who would refuse to take a chance would be disgraced the same as a soldier who would refuse to fight."—New York Press.

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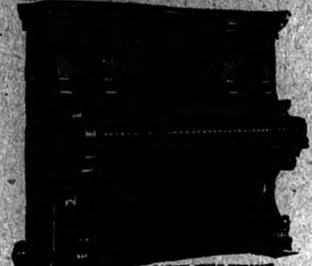
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HARLAN'S HOME RUN.

Supreme Court Justice Made Four Base Hit and Won Game. Justice Harlan of the United States supreme court, aged seventy-four, made a home run and won the game in a baseball contest...

When Justice Harlan went to the bat, the score was a tie, and the umpire had called two strikes and three balls. It was a critical and exciting moment. Justice Harlan smashed the sphere a wicked swat to deep center.

Ban on Roller Skating. The co-eds of the University of Nevada have been forbidden to roller skate as contrary to good morals.

Substitute For Watering Carts. In a German town it is proposed to substitute perforated pipes, to be run along the curbstones, for watering carts.

Progressive Boston Institution. A Boston bag, blue, carried by a Brooklyn woman, contained a lapdog. This is a step in advance of beer bottles and luncheons in them, says the Boston Record.

ONE RAIL FOR TRAINS TO GUARD COAL MINER

English Inventor Solves Problem by Quelling Gravitation.

SPINNING TOP THE PRINCIPLE.

Louis Brennan Shows How Automatically Balanced Cars Can Cross Rivers on Steel Hawseers—Notal May Travel at Tremendous Speed as Sleeping Car, Says Inventor.

Railroad men in New York were greatly interested the other day in the news from London of the announcement before the Royal society and scientific men of Louis Brennan's monorail invention...

He claims for his system that it will enable a train to race along at tremendous speed on a single rail; that the cars may be thirty or even forty feet in width; that practically all friction will be done away with...

Automatic stability mechanism is the secret Mr. Brennan, who is the inventor of the Brennan torpedo, has in his thirty years he has applied to the task succeeded in successfully working out. The principal is simple, being that of the spinning top, yet it seems to the observer that his car acts counter to the laws of gravitation.

At the exhibition he used a very small model, but sufficiently large to show how a car of any size will work. He caused it to run on a narrow rail about the big hall of the society at full speed. Sometimes the little vehicle was filled with ballast carelessly thrown in, and at other times it ran empty. In every case it rolled smoothly and never left the track.

Mr. Brennan says of his invention, or discovery, that cars may soon be carrying loads ten or even twenty times as heavy as those now drawn with power very much less. The vehicles may be made practically any width. A veritable hotel may be put on the rail as a sleeping car.

"The stability mechanism," Mr. Brennan says, "is carried by the car and enables it to turn the sharpest curves. If all the load of the car is suddenly shifted to one side the mechanism will correctly and instantly readjust the strain and keep the car level. The mechanism essentially consists of two flywheels driven by electric motors in opposite directions, so that the gyrostatic action and stored up energy may be utilized. The wheels are mounted on the highest class of bearings and are increased in exhausted chambers, so that journal and air friction is reduced to the minimum.

"The wheels will continue to run two or three hours after the power is cut off, so great is the energy stored up in them. They will not entirely stop for two or three days. The mechanism occupies but little space in the car. The wheels on which the car runs are placed in a row underneath the center of the vehicle instead of at the sides, as in the present day trains, and are carried on bogies or compound bogies, which are not only pivoted to provide for horizontal curves on the track, but for vertical curves also.

"By this means there is no ordinary curve that the car cannot with ease turn even at high speed without danger of leaving the track. We will at first use electric motors to run the stability mechanism, but any kind of power—gasoline, steam or what not—may be employed. The train will be ever ready for instant use, as the cost of keeping it ready will be so slight. The gear can quickly be changed when steep hills are to be mounted.

"There is practically no limit to the speed which can be attained. I think the invention means a wonderful saving in power, greater carrying capacity of cars and an improvement in transportation all around, which will be the wonder of the world."

The war department controls Mr. Brennan's invention and has succeeded in keeping the secret of its mechanism from all eyes. The rails which will be used need only to be of the same weight and size as rails on two rail tracks in order to carry the same weight of train, Mr. Brennan explains. Building cars will be manufactured, it is said, which will enable an army to lay tracks as the car moves ahead and move right on on the rail last laid. In this way an army may be transported anywhere with great rapidity.

Mr. Brennan's confident dream is a transcontinental line, furnished with a traveling hotel, with rooms fifteen to twenty feet wide, that will carry passengers in perfect comfort and safety at a speed of 120 to 150 miles an hour.

Plan to Benefit Working Classes. A new office has been created in Berlin by the British government to provide for a regular scientific investigation of the conditions of the Berlin working classes, with a view of obtaining ideas for the improvement of similar classes in England.

Geological Survey Will Make Tests of Various Explosives.

MINIATURE MINE TO BE BUILT

Instruction In Rescue Work Will Be Given There—Increase of Fire Damp and Coal Dust—Horrors Led to the Establishment of an Experimental Station.

Determined endeavors to stop the sacrifice of human lives in the coal mines of the United States are to be made at once by the fuel division of the geological survey, says a Washington special to the New York Times.

Plans have been drawn for an experimental station where tests of dynamites and powders used in blasting will be made to determine their safety in the presence of fire damp and coal gas. Explosives of all sorts will be hurled by means of a mortar into a mammoth boiler plate cylinder previously filled with gas, and the effects will be noted. If ignition fails after severe test the explosives will be known as "permissible explosives" and their use urged upon mine owners.

There will be experiments in rescue work. One part of the station will be fitted as a miniature coal mine and miners and operators taught how to save lives. In gas explosions hundreds of lives could be saved were it possible for the rescue party to enter immediately after the accident. Fire damp often holds the men back for hours while their comrades are slowly being suffocated or burned to death.

The government experts have found an apparatus in Europe which enables the rescue party to enter any place where there is gas. The miniature mine will be filled with dense smoke, and practical demonstrations with this apparatus will be made.

J. A. Holmes, chief of the technology branch of the geological survey, says: "There seems to be no end of gas and coal dust explosions. Instead of growing less, these horrors appear to be multiplying. In 1906 the coal mine death toll in Pennsylvania was 500, and 250 died as the result of gas or coal dust explosions.

"The United States is behind Europe in safeguarding the lives of the men in the mines. England and Belgium, where the mines are notoriously full of fire damp, have had for years experimental stations, and in these countries there are but few casualties in the mines.

"There are a number of 'permissible explosives' in England, and these only may be used. In England also the 'limit charge,' which must not be exceeded, is employed. Few of the states here have such regulations."

Coal dust rather than gas causes a large number of explosions. Officials of the geological survey have been watching the frequently recurring accidents in different parts of the country. Some of the recent mine explosions in one state—West Virginia—are as follows:

- Red Ash, March 6, 1906, 100 killed. Rush Run, March 18, 1906, 24 killed. Bluefield Coal, Dale mine, Jan. 4, 1906, 22 killed. Paint Creek, Detroit mine, Jan. 18, 1906, 18 killed. Fayette county, Paral mine, Feb. 8, 1906, 22 killed. Phillippi Century mine, March 28, 1906, 23 killed. Fayette county, Stuart mine, Jan. 29, 1907, 82 killed. Fayette county, Whipple mine, May 1, 1907, 21 killed.

The cylinder into which the explosive will be fired is to be made of heavy boiler plate. Safety valves will be placed along the top and left unfastened, so that when there is an explosion they will fly open. A series of portholes on the side covered with one-half inch glass will enable those conducting the experiments to witness the explosions from the observation house sixty feet away, from where the steel mortar will be fired.

Husband's Costly Lunch. A Woodbury man who had been enjoying himself greatly felt hungry when he got home about 1 o'clock in the morning.

"Where did you put the cold cabbage, dearest?" he called upstairs to his wife, who had coughed loudly to let him know it was useless to take off his shoes.

"On the second shelf in the pantry," she answered harshly. He found the cabbage and the oil, vinegar, salt and pepper, cut up the cabbage, dressed it to his taste and ate it with appetite.

"George, why didn't you eat the cabbage last night?" asked his wife when he appeared, rather shaky, for breakfast.

"I did; it was fine," said George; "so thoughtful of you to keep it, dearest."

"Why, it's on the pantry shelf," she cried. Filled with apprehension, Mrs. George searched the second shelf hurriedly. There she had left four yards of lace, worth \$20, in a bowl of starch. The lace was gone.—Boston Herald.

In Training. Now Johnny is plous With seraphs in tuns: The Sunday school picnic Approaches etison. —New York Sun.

Chance For Well Behaved Women.

Hon. William A. Kirby, a leading Democratic politician of Trappe, Talbot county, has built a new house, and the girls have proposed to Mr. Kirby to invite them to a housewarming on July 4, and the one that behaves the best and is the most charming is to become the bride of the owner.

Mr. Kirby is to be sole judge. Good looks will not enter into the contest, and all the Trappe girls are happy, as they are all very pretty. Mr. Kirby has accepted the terms and his neighbors have agreed to furnish fireworks, so that two celebrations may occur at the same time.

The carpenters have promised to have the house ready in time and there will be no delay. The girls are all looking out for invitations, as the arrangements have all been made for the housewarming.

Mr. Kirby has foregone his political fence-building for a time as a result of this more pressing engagement.

"Ad" Brings Better Hall.

The advertisement for a wife which Charles W. White, of near Elkton, Cecil county, inserted in a newspaper some weeks ago has brought him a bride. He received a number of replies, and one from Miss Helen M. Smith, of Luray, Virginia, struck his fancy. Monday Miss Smith appeared in Elkton. She liked White and White liked her, and they were immediately married. White, in his advertisement, said he was 47 years old, a farmer, sound and vigorous, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches tall, weighed 158 pounds, absolutely sober, never used tobacco, of strictly moral habits, possessing a will of iron and a hasty temper. He wanted a small woman for a wife who would try to make him happy and assist him in pulling in the dollars. He stipulated that she must be of good moral character and have a fair education. "No chronic scrapper need apply," he stated in his advertisement.

Fell In Church. Mr. Harold Mallison, who is associated with his father in frescoing and remodeling the interior of Mt. Pleasant M. P. Church, Crisfield, met with a serious, though fortunately not fatal accident, on Saturday last. Mr. Mallison was on a staging in the front part of the church about twenty feet high, when in walking his head hit against the rod in a chandelier and losing his balance he fell through a gap in the staging, a distance of over twenty feet to the floor. Mr. Mallison had a miraculous escape from death, falling to the floor in the only space of a few feet wide in the church which was not covered by benches or scaffolding. The young man lost consciousness before he reached the floor, and fell on his side and shoulder. He was removed to his home just across the street from the church, and a physician summoned. Though it was at first feared that he had been injured internally, he is improving rapidly and expects to be out again in a few days.

Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently.—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

Civil Service Examinations. The United States Civil Service Commission announces that examinations will be held in Salisbury the following dates:

- June 26, Chief Engineer, custodian service; First Class Steam Engineer, custodian service. July 3, Nautical Expert. July 10, Marine Fireman. Quartermaster's department at large. Assistant in Dairy Bacteriology (Male); Assistant Chemist, Engineer department at large; Assistant in Dairy Chemistry (Male). July 10-11, Assistant Examiner, Patent Office.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well.

Pepper and Onions and Garlic and— At a restaurant downtown, redolent of pepper and garlic, where swarthy representatives of Spain and all the Spanish-American countries gather every day at the lunch hour a lone American, accustomed to strictly unseasoned food, was glancing apprehensively at the bill of fare.

"What is chile con carne?" he asked the waiter. "Ah, senior, zat is pepper and a little meat and pepper again and once more pepper and!"

"No matter. What is bacalao a la vizcaina?" "It is delicious—codfish and red pepper and gar!"

"Forget it! What is olla a la Española?" "Ah! Zat is onions and pepper and garbanos and chorices and!"

"Bring me roast beef!"—New York Times.

Nervous Indigestion

The action of digestion is controlled by nerves leading to the stomach. When they are weak, the stomach is deprived of its energy. It has no power to do its work. If you want permanent relief, you must restore this energy. Dr. Miles' Nervine restores nervous energy, and gives the organs power to perform their functions.

"For many years I was an acute sufferer from nervous indigestion; at times I was so despondent life seemed almost a burden. I tried all kinds of remedies and various physicians with little or no relief, until one night last summer I saw Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure advertised. I resolved to make one more trial which I did in the purchase of one bottle of Nervine and one of Heart Cure. In a few days I began to feel better, which encouraged me so much that I continued the medicine until I had taken more than a dozen bottles. I am very much improved in every way in body, mind and spirits since. I make a special point to recommend the medicine, and feel a sincere pleasure in knowing that several persons have been benefited through my recommendations."

A. S. MELTON, Asheville, N. C. Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

PATENTS

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LADIES DR. LAFRANCO'S COMPOUND.

Safe, speedy regulator of female system. Druggists or sent by mail. Price, 25c. DR. LAFRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

COUNTY.

Allen

Cold weather and good prices for strawberries are the topics of the day.

Deputy Sheriff J. F. Waller passed through this place Tuesday afternoon last.

Mrs. Asher and her daughter Mrs. Martin, of York county, Va., are visiting Mrs. Baker at the parsonage.

Mrs. Rufus E. Simms and daughter, Miss Birdie, of Sliam, spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Simms.

Mr. Harry T. Messick left a few days ago for Brunswick, Ga., where he will locate and engage in the lumber business.

Mr. Theodore Goslee and daughter, and Mrs. Lee Johnson and daughter, of Salisbury, were in Allen a short while Wednesday.

Messrs. L. W. and W. T. Malone arrived home from Jamestown last Saturday, where they had been at work for the past 8 or 10 weeks.

Farmers in and around this place are having a bad time battling with the crows and blackbirds just at this time on account of the fact that they are pulling up all the corn as fast as it comes up.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huffington and son, Prof. J. Walter Huffington, left last Saturday for an extended trip to Richmond and other points in Va. Before returning they will visit the Jamestown Exposition.

Parsonsborg

Berry buying is the only excitement in town.

Mr. O. B. Parker, of Delmar, was in town this week.

Berry Checks \$1.00 per thousand, Ernest C. Arvey.

For Sale—Three screen doors, 2 ft. 6 in. by 6 ft. 7 in., Ernest C. Arvey.

Miss May Riggan is the guest of Miss Katie Parsons on Poplar street.

Mr. L. Hammond, of Delmar, was in town this week buying chickens.

Mr. Virgil Downing was in Philadelphia and Baltimore on business this week.

Miss Emma Parsons, of Parkley, Virginia, is the guest of her many friends here.

Services Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 9.30 a. m.; Preaching, 10.30 a. m.; Class, 11.30 a. m.; Preaching, 8.00 p. m. Prayer meeting every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody come.

Mr. V. J. Downing, owner of the shirt factory, gave a very pleasant entertainment Wednesday evening to his employees and friends. There were over one hundred present. Refreshments were served from 8 to 11, followed by an address by Rev. O. L. Martin. Music was furnished by Messrs. E. L. and E. C. Arvey. All report a good time.

White Haven

Mr. Bloxom and wife spent Tuesday in town.

Mr. George Burton has moved here from Salisbury.

Dr. R. W. Ravnor, of Baltimore University, is home for a while.

Mrs. Willie Leatherbury has gone to Baltimore for a short visit.

Mrs. Samuel Dolby and family, of Salisbury, are here to spend the summer.

Judge Davis and daughter, Mrs. W. W. Culver, left Wednesday for St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Adolphus White has purchased the property of W. W. Culver, at White Haven, and expects to locate here soon.

Sharptown

Thomas Covington is home from Norfolk and is quite sick.

James F. Anderson, of Dockland, Mass., is the guest of A. W. Robinson.

Wm. J. Bennett painted the residence of Mrs. Cella Windsor on Ferry street.

Children's Day Exercises will be held in the M. E. Church on Sunday night next. An interesting program is being rehearsed.

Mrs. H. E. Twilley left on Tuesday for Norfolk where she will join her husband for a few trips on the barge which Captain Twilley sails.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spear, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Spear, Miss Ada Walker and Miss Mary Willis spent several days in Baltimore this week.

There is a great display of straw hats at Kessler's & Mitchell's big double store. Every style known this season is there. See window.

Bryan—Lowe.

In the presence of many guests Rev. Bery A. Bryan and Miss Nellye Bounds Lowe were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon June 29, at 2.15 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill H. Tilghman, Wilmington, Dela.

The bride is a member of an old well known family of Maryland and resided in Wicomico county until recently. The groom is a graduate of the American University, Harrioun, Tenn., also a graduate of Westminster Theological Seminary of the class of 1906.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Franklin Bryan, brother of the groom. The couple were unattended. The bride was handsomely attired in a traveling suit of Champagne voile with hat and gloves to match and carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

A wedding breakfast was served to the guests at 11 o'clock. They were the recipients of many handsome gifts including cut glass, silver and hand painted china. Among the out of town guests present at the wedding were Miss Mattie Taylor of Brooklyn, N. Y. Miss Anna R. Bryan, Mrs. Whitefield Woodford, Rev. C. E. Redeker, and Rev. C. N. Elderdice of Baltimore; Miss Elizabeth Wilson and Mr. Charles S. Cooper of Mardela Springs; Mr. Joseph Pelley and Miss Edith Pelley of Phila; Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Strausbury of Cecil Co., Md.

Rev. and Mrs. Bryan on the return from their wedding trip will be at home at Chestnut Hill, Hartford Co., Md June 6.

New Council Organized.

The newly-elected City Council organized Monday night by the election of Mr. E. E. Twilley president, who succeeds Mr. W. U. Polk. Mr. Twilley was placed in nomination by Mr. Polk.

In drawing for the long and short term, the result was as follows: Long term of 2 years, Messrs. W. U. Polk and H. H. Hitch; short term of 1 year, Messrs. E. E. Twilley and F. L. Smith. These, with Mr. C. M. Brewington the hold-over compose the new Council.

Mayor Harber sent in the following appointments: Chief of Police, Woodland Disharoon; Assistant, James Kennerly; Night Watchman, James Crouch; Street Commissioner, G. Edward Sirman; Chief Fire Department, G. Edward Sirman; Police Justice, W. A. Trader.

Mrs. Mary Gibson Dead.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Gibson, wife of George Gibson, died June 3, 1907, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lottie Fields.

Mrs. Gibson was converted at the age of fourteen, and united with the M. E. Church, South, in her girlhood, and continued in the fellowship of God and the church until taken to the church of the first born in heaven.

She was more than a christian in name and profession; she was a christian in heart; she believed in and practiced a religious life.

Mrs. Gibson was a great sufferer but she endured it to the end without a murmur or complaint. She died as she lived. She leaves a husband, one daughter, three sons, two sisters and an aged father to mourn her loss.

The funeral was preached June 4, by Rev. J. W. Hardesty, at Riverside Church, from the text selected by the deceased: Prov. 31, 25-29. Interment was made in the Shad Point Cemetery.

Children's Day At Sharptown.

The Methodist Protestant Sunday School at Sharptown held its annual Children's Day services on Sunday last.

The literary and musical program was well rendered and highly enjoyed. The platform decorations were pleasing and the collection large. The following teachers reported the amounts given by their classes as follows: Mrs. H. W. D. Johnson, \$20.10; S. J. Cooper, \$11.00; J. Harvey Phillips, \$10.00; Mrs. J. P. Cooper, \$6.00; Miss Lena Cooper, \$5.50; B. H. Phillips, \$13.25; Mrs. J. J. Phillips, \$1.17; W. D. Gravenor, \$13.25; J. W. Phillips \$2.00; J. P. Cooper, \$15.02; Miss Maggie Twilley, \$4.00; Mrs. J. E. Cooper \$6.50; Miss Cora Bennett, \$4.10. Contribution from congregation, \$5.92 Total, \$162.81.

Trees Fountain.

An extraordinary curiosity is to be seen in the Swiss village of Gunten, on Lake Thun. It takes the form of a natural tree fountain, the water flowing continuously from a spout high up in the tree. About twenty years ago the water from a spring was conducted through a shaft, and the supply pipe was directed through the cut trunk of a young poplar tree which was rammed in the ground. After a short time the trunk rooted, branches followed, and now there is a splendid top growth.

A Rebuff.

"Miss May," began Mr. Hoamley, "would you—er—be mad if I were to kiss you?"

"Not necessarily," replied the bright girl, "but I would certainly be mad to let you."

Are we to mark this day with a white or a black stone?—Cervantes.

Collector's Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate

FOR CORPORATION TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1906.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale conferred upon the undersigned, by law, as Collector of Corporation Taxes for the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, for the year 1906, the undersigned, as Collector aforesaid, will sell at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in SALISBURY, Wicomico County, Maryland, on

Saturday, June 29th,

1907, at or about 2 o'clock, p. m., to satisfy the Corporation Taxes aforesaid, duly levied by the Mayor and City Council, October 1st, 1906, and now remaining unpaid, the following Real and Personal Property:

No. 1.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Water and Cathell Streets, in Parsons Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Maggie Williams, with costs.

No. 2.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on South Division Street, in Parsons Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Samuel T. Williams, with costs.

No. 3.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on North Division Street, in Parsons Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Mrs. Edith Waller, with costs.

No. 4.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Delaware Street, in Salisbury Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Charles W. West, with costs.

No. 5.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Newton Street, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to J. Thomas Taylor, Jr., with costs.

No. 6.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Race Street, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Larry King, with costs.

No. 7.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Camden Avenue, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Capt. R. B. White, with costs.

No. 8.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Camden Avenue, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Miss Alice Wood, with costs.

No. 9.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Catherine Street, in Salisbury Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Wesley Slemons, with costs.

The balance of the Corporation Taxes not paid will be advertised next week.

Term of Sale—CASH. HENRY J. BYRD, CITY COLLECTOR.

Stewart—Leates.

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Mrs. Edna May Leates became the bride of Bertram H. Stewart, of this city. The ceremony was performed in Trinity M. E. Church, South, by Rev. T. N. Potts, D. D., pastor. This was the first wedding ceremony ever performed in this edifice. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the wedding march was played by Miss Sallie Toadvine, organist. Owing to the sudden illness of the bridesmaid, the contracting parties were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart are well known in Wicomico county, and after a honeymoon in Northern cities will reside on Smith street, this city.

GREAT EXPOSITION Comprising a Multitude of High-Class White Goods

The very best productions are in this showing. Everything that is new and up-to-date and desirable is here in a Great Sale of White. Drop in and inspect the great values, and you will appreciate the remarkable advantage of buying here.

Table listing various linens and their prices, including 46-inch Persian Lawn, 46-inch Mercerized Batiste, 40-inch Lingerie Batiste, 46-inch Chiffonette Batiste, 40-inch Lawn, very sheer, 34-inch India Linons, French Nainsook, English Longcloths, French Madras, Egyptian Barred and Striped Dimities, Swiss, in checks and dots, and Butcher's Linen Finish.

BUY TABLE LINENS NOW

Table listing various table linens and their prices, including Union Linen Mercerized Damask, All-Linen Unbleached Damask, Full Bleached Pure Irish Linen Damask, Full Bleached Heavy Double Damask, Scotch Napkins, Irish Linen Napkins, Union Hemstitched Hucked Towels, Hemstitched Damask Towels, All Linen Hucked Towels, and Hemstitched Damask Towels.

Birckhead-Shockley Co. Salisbury, Maryland

Advertisement for W. F. ALLEN, Salisbury, Md., featuring 'GET THE BEST' and listing various seeds like Garden Peas, String Beans, Lima Beans, Sweet Corn, Beet Seed, Cabbage, Cucumbers, Cantaloupe, Watermelon, and Tomato Seed. Also lists 'LARGEST AND BEST STOCK STRAWBERRY AND DEWBERRY PLANTS IN AMERICA'.

Public Sale OF VALUABLE Town Property

The undersigned will offer for sale at the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, Saturday, June 29, 1907 AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., The Lot and Dwelling, Situate at the Corner of Church & Bond Sts., Salisbury,

formerly occupied by Mr. W. C. Gullett. The dwelling is supplied with sewer and water system, and one-half interest in a water tank, which supplies the house, will be included in the sale. This lot is 45 x 103 feet and is an exceptionally valuable property.

Terms made known on day of sale. S. P. WOODCOCK.

Roelma Lodge Instituted. Roelma Lodge, No. 206, A. F. & A. M., Sharptown, Md. was duly instituted and officers installed Wednesday evening, June 5th, by the following Grand Officers: James R. Brewer, M. W., Grand Master; Robert D. Grier, R. W., Grand Senior Warden; Dr. Jos. D. Clark, R. W., Grand Junior Warden; William M. Isaac, R. W., Grand Secretary; Rev. Henry Branch, R. W., Grand Chaplain; Graham Dukehart, R. W., Grand Marshal; J. F. Wheatley, Grand Senior Deacon; C. J. Gravenor, Grand Junior Deacon; George W. Fletcher, Grand Tyler.

The new lodge was called Roelma in honor of the Robinsons, the Elzeys and Marries, closely identified with the history of the town. Preston Lodge No. 207, A. F. & A. M., of Preston, Md., was duly instituted and officers installed Tuesday evening, June 4th, by the same Grand Officers.

Pianos

Steck, Krell-French, Painter & Ewing, Lagonda and International. Prices From \$200 to \$600

Organs

Miller and Mason & Hamblin. Bargains \$25, \$50, \$60, \$75 and \$85.

The Phonograph

Well, it furnishes more entertainment than any other musical instrument on the market. "Gem" \$10. "Standard" or "No. 5" with big horn, crane and a dozen records, \$27.50. Call and examine my stock, or write for catalogues. Terms to suit all.

W. T. DASHIELL, 243 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

W. D. TURNER & SON (Successors to W. J. BRITTINGHAM) MEAT MARKET S. DIVISION STREET

Extra Lot of Cattle and Hogs. We respectfully ask for a part of the public patronage.

Photo Fancies

Pretty name, isn't it? Yes, but the photos themselves are prettier. Now that Taylor is making them at a special price, you ought to take advantage of it. Any style you prefer without additional cost. Taylor, News Building

—Strawberry Checks \$1.00 per 1000 at THE COURIER office. —Porch Rockers at low prices at Ulman Sons.

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DEATH CLAIMS SEVERAL PROMINENT SALISBURIANS.

Sudden Death Of Mr. Edwin C. Gunby—Mr. George Huston Died At Keller, Va.—Eastern Shoreman Dies In West.

Mr. Edwin C. Gunby, a well known and one of Salisbury's most respected citizens died suddenly at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Slemmons, Thursday at about 2 o'clock, of heart failure, following a serious attack of acute indigestion. Mr. Gunby had been apparently in the best of health and his death came as a great shock to his large circle of relatives and friends.

Mr. Gunby was born at Fruitland, then known as Forktown, in 1851 and was nearly 57 years of age, at the time of his death. He had been connected with the L. W. Gunby Company since the business was first started and since the firm became incorporated in 1902, Mr. Gunby has been secretary of the concern. He was never married, and is survived by three brothers: Messrs. Louis W. and Somers S. of this city, and Charles Gunby, of Baltimore. Deceased had made his home with Dr. and Mrs. Slemmons for a number of years prior to his death.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon from the residence of Dr. F. M. Slemmons, with interment in Parsons Cemetery. The pall-bearers will be as follows: Messrs. Graham Gunby, Somers S. Gunby, John Slemmons, Fred L. Smith, and Drs. Louis L. Morris and J. Morris Slemmons.

George Huston.

Mr. George Huston, a former resident of this city, and a nephew of the late Spencer C. Allister, died Wednesday night at Keller, Virginia, after a brief illness. The remains were brought to this city Friday on the 3 o'clock train and the funeral services were conducted immediately afterward in the Trinity M. E. Church, South, by Rev. T. N. Potts, D. D., pastor.

Mr. Huston was twice married and is survived by his wife and one child. He is also survived by a daughter by his first marriage, Mrs. Marion Pryor, of Nutters district. Mr. Huston was the son of Mr. Joseph Huston, and was a cousin of Mr. George T. Huston of this city. The deceased was a member of the I. O. M., of Salisbury, the Red Men, of Nanticoke, and the I. O. O. F. of Keller, Va. The committee of the latter lodge accompanied the body to this city. He was employed in the lumber industry at Keller, by E. S. Adkins & Company.

The interment was made in Parsons Cemetery.

The services in this city were conducted by members of the I. O. M., who escorted the body from the train to the church. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Fred Carey, Clarence Kelly, Luther Tilghman, L. A. Parsons, Horace Tilghman and Frank Knowles. The guards were F. J. Booth, George Layfield, Sherman Waller, Ephraim Holloway, and Mr. Everett Parsons acted as conductor, all of whom are members of Blue Ridge Lodge No. 50 I. O. M.

Orlando B. Fish.

News was received here Wednesday night of the death of Orlando B. Fish, a former well-known resident of this city, who died at Pasadena, Cal., Tuesday of this week. Mr. Fish was 77 years old, and is survived by his widow and three sisters (Misses Priscilla, Lottie and Eliza, all of this city) and one brother (William Fish, of Shreveport, La.), also three daughters (Mrs. Benjamin Gray and Miss Nellie Fish, of Shreveport, and Miss Carrie, of Salisbury) and one son (Harry Fish, of Pasadena, Cal.). Mr. Fish was born here, and left this city for the South shortly before the war. He was at the head of the gas company of Mobile for a number of years. He had amassed a considerable fortune and was one of the most respected citizens of Pasadena.

George W. White.

Mr. George W. White, aged 20 years, of Salisbury, was found dead in bed at the home of Mr. Gus Q. Parsons, of Parsonburg, with whom he had been living, Monday morning. An inquest was held and it was decided that death was due to strangulation and that he had been dead about 8 hours when he was found. Mr. White was a son of the late James G. White, of this city.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. White, of this city, and the

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY LAVISHLY ENTERTAINED.

Celebrate Fifteenth Anniversary Coincident With The Silver Anniversary Of The National Organization.

The Salisbury Auxiliary of The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church celebrated its fifteenth anniversary, coincident with the celebration of the Silver anniversary of the National Society on Wednesday evening last, at the palatial home of one of its charter members, Mrs. Wm. H. Jackson. The drawing room was tastefully decorated with pink roses. A miniature bed of pansies decked the library table, while the spacious reception hall was decorated with large white magnolias.

There were 47 enthusiastic members present. As they renewed the history of this organization for the past fifteen years, it became manifest that the Society has been doing a noble work not merely locally, but it has generously contributed to the support of many Christian Institutions both in this and in foreign countries.

The President, Mrs. Stengle, made an earnest plea in behalf of the Thank Offering toward the Silver Anniversary Fund, after which the following excellent program was rendered:

Reading—"A Silver Offering, Why?" Mrs. M. A. Cooper.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. M. A. Humphreys.

Reading—"The Tithes of All I Possess," Mrs. T. E. Martindale.

Vocal Duet—Mrs. Jay Williams and Mrs. E. W. Smith.

Piano Solo—Mr. Everett Williams.

There were also represented at this meeting, "The Young Woman's Circle," and the "Mothers' Jewels," branch organizations of the W. H. M. S.

The "Mothers' Jewels" contributed largely toward the entertainment of the evening.

Among the selections were:

Recitation—"If I Knew", Margaret Smith.

Piano Solo—Arietta Smith.

Recitation—"Nothing to do", Sidney Johnson.

Piano Solo—Lucy Taylor.

Recitation—"Co-workers with God", Mamie Woodcock.

Piano Solo—Louise Windsor.

All of which were interestingly presented by the young folks and reflected great credit upon their Superintendent, Mrs. Alice Durham.

At the conclusion of the literary program, the charming hostess invited the company to the commodious dining room, which also was beautifully decorated with white roses and pansies.

Here refreshing ices, delicious cakes and fruits were served in great abundance.

Meeting Of School Board.

A meeting of the County School Board was held yesterday, at which Messrs. Brewington and Cooper were present. The following business was transacted:

Several letters from applicants for appointments to vacancies were read. Miss Laura Pearl White, of Pittsville, applied for Normal School scholarship.

r. Ward, principal of the Maryland State Normal School, reported that there were three vacancies at that school for Wicomico and one at the Maryland Institute.

The Board authorized that the regular annual teachers' and scholarship examinations be held July 1st, 2nd and 3rd, at the Wicomico High School. The Board also authorized the sale of a 12 foot strip of land adjoining the property of Mr. S. Q. Johnson, to Mr. Johnson, for the sum of \$90 and cost conveyancing.

The secretary reported the unorganized boards of trustees and the Board directed that a request be made to these boards to send in their organizations or declinations at once.

Mr. H. James Denson was appointed third trustee of Morris school, Trappe district. All accounts were approved. The Board adjourned to meet June 21st, if convenient to the president.

Notice !!!

There will be services in Spring Hill Parish (D. V.) on Sunday next, June 16th, as follows:

Quantico, 10.30 a. m.

Spring Hill, 3 p. m.

Mardela Springs, 8 p. m.

Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

ELABORATE EXERCISES CLOSE SCHOOL YEAR.

Forty-Eight Graduates Receive Diplomas From Eastern Shore College Of Business And English At Commencement.

That the Eastern Shore College of Business and English, of which Prof. M. T. Skinner is principal, has had a successful school year, was demonstrated Thursday evening when a class of forty-eight students was graduated in the Masonic Temple. The assembly room was decorated with orange and black, the school colors, and on the stage there was an abundance of carnations, the class flowers. The class motto, "There shall be no Alps," was stretched across the front of the stage.

The hall was well filled with the parents and friends of the graduates, and the following program was exceptionally well rendered and greatly appreciated:

THE PROGRAM.

Piano Duet—"Zampa," Herald, Mrs. and Miss Trussell.

Invocation—Rev. W. T. M. Beale.

Salutatory—Miss Edna M. Goslee.

Double Quartet—"Sleep Little Baby of Mine," Chas. Dennee.

Mutual Obligations—Elmer H. Walton.

Solo, Selected—Miss Beulah Melson.

Valedictory—George R. Hill.

Male Quartet—Selected.

Presentation of Diplomas—Mayor C. E. Harper.

Piano Solo—"Marche Grottesque," Finding, Miss Edith Weisbach.

Class Address—"The World of Business and the Qualities Necessary to Succeed in It," Dr. T. E. Martindale, Pastor of Asbury M. E. Church.

Double Quartet—"Love's Old Sweet Song," Motley.

Benediction—Dr. Adam Stengle.

Piano Duet—"Qui Vive," Ganz.

The Ladies Double Quartet was composed as follows: Mesdames Trussell, Grier, Fulton, Leatherbury, and Bennett, and the Misses Walton, Sirman and Day.

The class officers for the year 1907 are as follows: Howard T. Hearne, President; Victor Mitchell, Vice President; Samuel J. Ross, Secretary, and George R. Hill, Treasurer. A complete list of the graduates has been published in a previous issue of THE COURIER.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered last Sunday evening at the M. P. Church, by Rev. W. S. Phillips. The text was from the 12th chapter of Luke and 15th verse, "For a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth." The discourse was full of practical truths and suggestions for the guidance of the young graduates through life.

The alumni banquet was given at the Peninsula Hotel Wednesday evening and the commencement exercises were concluded last evening with the annual class reception in the College Assembly Room, from eight to ten o'clock.

Big Day On The "Fourth."

The two Culture Clubs, of the Division Street Baptist Church, are making preparations to have a gala time in Salisbury on the Fourth. In addition to the program, which appeared in THE COURIER last week, they have decided to have a grand street parade with the Salisbury Band, Company I, of the Maryland National Guards, and the Salisbury Fire Department. In addition to this, they are trying to secure the aid of several out-of-town speakers for the occasion.

There is a demand for fireworks also, but owing to the heavy expense incident to the program already arranged, they are asking voluntary aid for this purpose, and it is certain everyone interested in the celebration of the Fourth will be only too glad to help make the evening as pleasant as possible.

Cullison-Ball.

Miss Mary Stanford Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ball, was married Tuesday morning to Mr. Milton R. Cullison, of Baltimore, at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. S. W. Reigart. The bride wore a handsome travelling gown of blue Panama cloth, with hat and gloves to match. Mr. and Mrs. Cullison left on the early train for Baltimore, where they will leave later for their future home in Birmingham, Ala., where Mr. Cullison is engaged with the Alabama Railway Co.

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CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM.

Auditorium of Trinity M. E. Church, South, Will Be Prettily Decorated To-Morrow.

Children's Day exercises of Trinity M. E. Church South, will be held to-morrow morning in the large auditorium of the church, which will be prettily decorated with flowers and potted plants.

Opening Chorus—"Summer Voices Ringing." Invocation—Pastor. Song—"We Rally for Jesus." Responsive Reading. Recitation—"Children's Day," Frances Price.

Solo—"Fragrant Roses," Mary O. Brewington. Exercise—"Children's Service," Julia Potts, Mildred Short, Susie Whyland, Helen Bradley, Anna Belle Tilghman, Hanna Karlson.

Solo—"Honey Bees," Primary Class. Exercise—Edward Tyndall, Joseph Gayle, Willie Gayle, Elmer Huston, John Karlson, Willie Littleton. Recitation—"In the Meadows with God," Nannie Potts.

Solo—"Joyful Notes are Swelling," School. Solo—"Sing Aloud Your Anthem," Irma Tyndall.

Recitation—"Shine Just Where You Are," Sheldon Jones. Song—"Sunshine," School.

Exercise—"Little White Daisies," Jean Potts, Jeffy Mentzer, Pauline Bradley, Louise Price, Esther Karlson, Thomas Potts, Chester Culver, Ernest Whyland, Ellis Mentzer.

Solo—"So Must We," Primary Class. Recitation—"Forget-Me-Not," Helen May White.

Solo—"Rockabye Birdie," Jeffy Mentzer. Song—"Joy and Beauty," School.

Recitation—"A Tale of the Olden Time," Thomas Mitchell. Song—"Nature's Voices Swell His Fraise," School.

Recitation—"Attention," Merrill Culver. Solo—"Miss Lillie Mitchell." Song—"Praise Him," School. Benediction.

Death of William F. Porter.

Mr. William F. Porter, secretary of the Democratic City Committee of Baltimore, died in that city Tuesday last. The cause of his death was abdominal trouble.

Mr. Porter was recognized as one of the leading Democrats of Baltimore. The most important party service rendered by him was as secretary of the city committee. While that was his nominal position, he was really the manager of local Democratic campaigns for many years.

The most important public office filled by Mr. Porter was that of election supervisor, being a member of the board during the administration of Governor John Walter Smith. During the administration of Governor John Lee Carroll he was a tax assessor. Mr. Porter was impertinent to accept other political positions, but he declined.

Mr. Porter's profession was that of law. His special branch of law was real estate, in which he was an expert. He was well versed on values and by his ventures he amassed a considerable fortune. Among his real estate holdings was the Porter building, at the corner of St. Paul and Saratoga streets.

Death of L. Edward Boehm.

Mr. L. Edward Boehm, one of the most prominent citizens of Snow Hill, died of Bright's disease, at his home in that town last week.

Mr. Boehm was 65 years of age, and a veteran of the Civil War. He was a native of Baltimore; moved to Cumberland in early life, and lived there until the breaking out of the Civil War, shortly after which event he enlisted in an Ohio regiment and faced the shot and shells of the Confederates. After the close of the war he went to Snow Hill (about 35 years ago), and married Miss Louisa Hack, sister of Mr. James D. Hack, who with two sons, Messrs. Louis C. and Harold D. Boehm, of New York City, survive him.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Cumberland, where services were held at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with interment in Rose Hill Cemetery.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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

George W. Jackson to Mary Virginia Jackson, parcel of land in Delmar district. Consideration \$1.00.

W. J. Taylor and wife to Woodford A. Ramey, lots in Mardela. Consideration \$400.00.

F. P. Adkins, and wife to Levin J. Hastings, lot on Isabella street, Salisbury. Consideration \$175.00.

From Charles R. Disharoon, et al, to Isaac B. Harris, lot on Main street, extended. Consideration \$175.00.

Joseph H. Tilghman and wife to Isaac H. Timmons, parcel of land in Nutters district. Consideration \$500.00.

Ernest D. Fooks to James C. Davis, tract of land in Parsons district. Consideration \$800.00.

Oswell F. Layfield and wife to Afria Fooks, farm in Nutters district. Consideration \$600.00.

William M. Prior and wife to Jostah V. McGrath, parcel of land in Nutters district. Consideration \$1.00.

John E. Hyland and wife to T. E. Mitchell and F. M. Mitchell, lot in Salisbury district. Consideration \$700.

Henry S. Dalany and Ella C. Dalany to William M. Prior, farm in Trappe district. Consideration \$1000.00.

Samuel H. Inaley and wife to William P. Inaley, parcel of land in Trappe district. Consideration \$500.00.

Marriage Licenses.

Horseman - Brumley - Phillip L. Horseman 23, and Maggie L. Brumley 20, Wicomico county.

White-Hopkins - Augustus White 22, and Viola Hopkins 18, Wicomico county.

Cullison-Ball - Milton R. Cullison 22, of Baltimore, and Mary Stanford Ball 19, Wicomico county.

Mitchell-West - John H. Mitchell 21, and Mary West 18, Wicomico county. COLORED.

Williams-Critchett - Charles Williams 23, and Annie Critchett 25, Wicomico county.

Dashiell-Harris - Barney Dashiell 28, and Sarah Harris 27, Wicomico county.

Drowned on Sunday Picnic.

While on an outing with a Sunday-school Monday, Edwin Bien, the 11-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Bien, 1828 Pennsylvania avenue, Baltimore, was drowned while in bathing at Fairview.

The accident occurred before the eyes of half a dozen companions. One was a brother of the victim, Charles Bien. The swift current carried the lad farther away each time he came to the top and the body was under the water half an hour before being recovered.

The Sunday-school of St. Paul's English Lutheran Church made extensive arrangements for the outing, which was its first this season.

After reaching the grounds, a number decided to take a bath, among them was Bien. The cold water however deterred them and by the toss of a penny Bien was the first to plunge in. He remained under the water for several minutes it seemed to the observers and when he finally appeared at the top his hands were above his head and it was apparent that he was paralyzed from the shock of the cold water or had been taken with cramps. The second time he came to the surface efforts were made to save him and two boys dived after him.

His body after being recovered was removed to the home of his parents.

Gen. McKaig Dead.

Ex-Congressman William McMahon McKaig, 62 years old, died a few days ago, at Cumberland, at the Western Maryland Hospital, from locomotor ataxia.

Gen. McKaig was a son of the late Dr. Robert S. McKaig and was a native of Cumberland. He was a lawyer by profession, although he had not practiced for a number of years. General McKaig never married.

He was an ardent Democrat and held numerous offices of honor and trust. In 1877 he was made city attorney under the late Mayor Withers, and in 1879 was elected a member of the Maryland legislature, representing Allegany county.

In 1887 he was elected to the State Senate to fill a vacancy caused by the death of his cousin, the late A. Beall McKaig. In 1890 he was elected mayor of Cumberland, which office he resigned to accept the seat in Congress to which he had been elected in the fall of 1890, defeating Hon. Louis E. McComas.

Two years later he defeated Hon. George L. Wellington for the same office, serving two terms in Congress.

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UNITED STATES TIMBER SUPPLY

Three Times As Much Timber Used Each Year As The Forest Grows.

Every person in the United States is using over six times as much wood as he would use if he were in Europe. The country as a whole consumes every year three and four times more wood than all of the forests of the United States grow in the meantime. The average acre of forest lays up a store of only 10 cubic feet annually, whereas it ought to be laying up at least 30 cubic feet in order to furnish the products taken out of it. Since 1880 more than 700,000,000,000 feet of timber have been cut for lumber alone, including 80,000,000,000 feet of coniferous timber in excess of the total coniferous stumpage estimate of the Census in 1880.

These are some of the remarkable statements made in Circular 97 of the Forest Service, which deals with the timber supply of the United States and reviews the stumpage estimates made by all the important authorities. A study of the circular must lead directly to the conclusion that the rate at which forests products in the United States have been and are being consumed is far too lavish, and that only one result can follow unless steps are promptly taken to prevent waste in use and to increase the growth rate of every acre of forest in the United States. This result is a timber famine. This country is today in the same position with regard to forest resources as was Germany 150 years ago. During this period of 150 years such German States as Saxony and Prussia, particularly the latter, have applied a policy of government control and regulation which has immensely increased the productivity of their forests. The same policy will achieve even better results in the United States, because we have the advantage of all the lessons which Europe has learned and paid for in the course of a century of theory and practice.

Let it might be assumed that the rapid and gaining depletion of American forest resources is sufficiently accounted for by the increase of population, it is pointed out in the circular that the increase in population since 1880 is barely more than half the increase in lumber cut in the same period. Two areas supplying timber have already reached and passed their maximum production—the Northeastern States in 1870 and the Lake States in 1890. Today the Southern States, which cut yellow pine amounting to one-third the total annual lumber cut of the country, are undoubtedly near their maximum. The Pacific States will soon take the ascendancy. The State of Washington within a few years has come to the front and now ranks first of all individual States in volume of cut.

At present but one-fifth of the total forest area of the United States is embraced in National Forests. The remaining four-fifths have already passed or are most likely to pass into private hands. The average age of the trees felled for lumber this year is not less than 150 years. In other words, if he is to secure a second crop of trees of the same size, the lumberman or private forest owner must wait, say, at least one hundred years for the second crop to grow. As a rule, such long time investments as this waiting would involve do not commend themselves to business men who are accustomed to quick returns. But the States and the Nation can look much farther ahead. The larger, then, the area of National and State control over woodlands, the greater is the likelihood that the forests of the country will be kept permanently productive.

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Order of Publication. HIRAM J. COOPER vs. BENJAMIN DAVIS ET AL. No. 1666 Chancery. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Md. The object of this suit is to procure a decree for the sale of the property in Willards Election District, in Wicomico County, owned by Lavinia Dennis, at the time of her death.

The bill states that the said Lavinia Dennis departed this life intestate on or about the 4th day of September, 1905, and was intermarried with Besie Cooper, Margaret A. Pusey, who has intermarried with Levin Pusey; Ida B. Smith, who has intermarried with Thomas H. Smith; Gordon Lee Cooper, who has intermarried with Ida Florence Cooper; Greensbury Cooper, who has intermarried with Anna Jane Cooper; all of whom reside in Wicomico County and State of Maryland; and Arley M. Cooper, who has intermarried with Stella Emma Cooper; all of whom are non-residents of the State, and reside in the State of Delaware; that the said real estate is not susceptible of partition without material loss to the parties entitled to interests therein, and that in order to make a division of said interests it will be necessary to sell said property. It is thereupon this 18th day of May, 1907, ordered by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, in Equity, that the complainant, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in said Wicomico County once in each four successive issues before the 20th day of June next, give notice to the said non-resident respondents of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this court in person or by solicitor on or before the 15th day of July next, to show cause, if any they have, why the decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

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New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk R. R. Case Charles Route Train Schedule in effect May 26, 1907.

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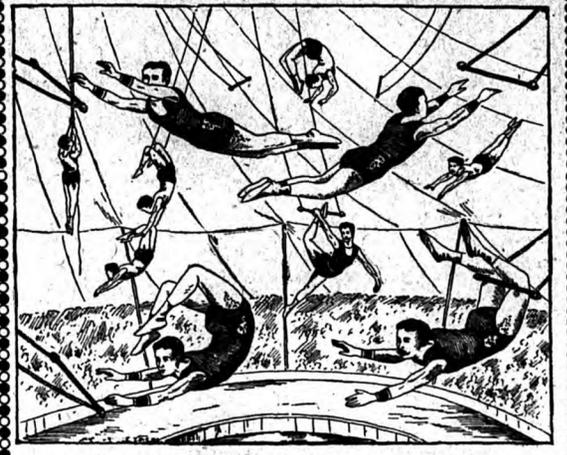
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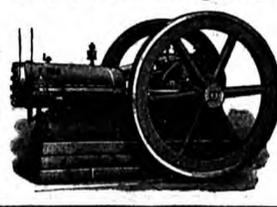
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GREAT VAN AMBURG SHOWS.

D. P. Phillips Tells of the Life of the Circus Woman—A Hard Life, But A Happy One.

Probably there is no class of women in public employment so little known to the generality of people as those who appear in the circus, and they are very generally misunderstood. They are comparatively few in number, and as they remain but a few days at most in any one city, people have not the opportunity to make their acquaintance or learn a great deal about them.

In a pleasant conversation with Mr. D. P. Phillips, one of the Van Amburg Show Managers, he declares that at least nine out of every ten circus women have circus parents. The remaining one marries into the business or gets into it through a brother, sister or some other relative. As a matter of fact, no manager of a circus, especially if his shows be a first class one, will engage a female performer in any capacity unless she is accompanied by some male relative. The reasons for this are many and obvious to any one who will give the subject a moment's reflective consideration. This rule is so general that exceptions to it are very rare.

"Dissipation, that omnipresent handmaiden of immorality," said the manager referred to "is an impossibility among circus women and is seldom indulged in by circus men, especially by performers and executive officers. Managers enforce the most stringent rules against dissipation in its every form and will accept no excuses for their infraction. The first offense brings a heavy fine as a penalty, and instant dismissal invariably follows a second violation. The very nature of their work makes it impossible to dissipate. Not only their livelihood, but their life itself depends upon a clear mind, firm muscles and steady nerves and dissipation destroys these. Their lives while on tour, are made up of the most vigorous activity. Their work is from early mornning until late at night, with no opportunity to gain any rest or recreation away from the show. Midnight must see them in their beds on the trains. After that hour the car doors are locked, and trunks and belongings are simply placed outside along the track and engagement is at an end.

"Circus women seldom marry other than circus men. They are most devoted wives and mothers, who take life seriously and soberly. I honestly believe that there is no other class of women in any sort of employment where they come in contact with the public which supplies so little food for scandal. Many of them are devout church women and real Christians.

"Their home life in winter is pleasant and agreeable. Some of them, but not many, work in the theaters in the winter time. It is a most curious fact that very few of them care to live in large cities, but make their homes on farms or in small towns. There they have their small circles of friends and relatives and pass the time away in the usual social functions and household, affairs, many of them preparing their wardrobe for the coming season on the road. Few of them ever become indigent or dependent upon their families or the public authorities. They, of all women in the world, most truly appreciate and enjoy the comforts and blessings of a home after being compelled to be away for six months in strange towns and among strangers every day, and in the narrow confines of a sleeping berth on a circus car every night.

"It is a hard life, but by no means an unhappy one. The rigorous labor and plain but good food and abundant sleep bring health and attendant good spirits and pleasant disposition. Charity in its truest sense abides among them. The slightest call for aid from them always elicits a ready and hearty response. The 100 women with a show like ours are surrounded by their male relatives and 500 other men, each one of whom considers himself the protector of their welfare and their honor, and woe betide any one who assails either. I maintain that circus women are a credit to their calling and an honor to their sex."

Don't forget the date, Tuesday June 25th, at Salisbury Md.

Little Boy Burned.

Blowing into the top of the chimney to extinguish the light from a coal-oil lamp, Floyd Donoho, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Donoho, of Georgetown, Del., was badly burned about the stomach at seven o'clock last week. The little fellow had just gotten up and was about to start down stairs when the light which had been kept all night was noticed to be burning.

He blew into the top of the chimney to extinguish the light and the flames gazed out igniting his clothing. After a fierce combat with the fire, his father and mother, who had in the meantime rushed upstairs, managed to smother it. The little fellow has suffered intensely but is expected to recover.

WOMAN IN BURGLAR BUSINESS

A Genuine Burglar Operating in Baltimore—One Who Can Use Jimmy If Necessary.

A female burglar is operating in Baltimore, according to a report made by Mr. William L. Lucas, 2614 Pennsylvania avenue, to the police. Mr. Lucas reports that a burglar, whom he has reason to believe is a woman, entered his bedroom last Sunday morning between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock and stole a vest from off a costumer which was standing beside the bed on which Mr. Lucas was asleep.

The burglar is thought to have been frightened away before getting more plunder by the striking of a clock which was in the room. The burglar overlooked a gold watch and chain and some money which was lying on a bureau in the bedroom from whence the clothing was stolen. Luckily, the thief also missed a large roll of money concealed in a pitcher which was standing upon a washstand in the same room.

Mr. Lucas forms the theory that the burglar was a woman from the fact that he was awakened by a slight noise in the room, and thought that he saw a female form vanish through the doorway as he did so. Being but half awake, he paid but little attention to the incident, thinking that he was dreaming, and went to sleep again. He was again awakened at about 5.55 a. m., by an alarm clock striking, and then discovered his loss.

Investigation showed that to obtain entrance to the house it had been necessary to use a jimmy on two doors, and this was done with a cleverness that signifies adept handling of the jimmy. Entrance was first obtained through a door to the summer kitchen which had been left unbolting. Then the door to the inner kitchen was forced, and also a door leading from the upper hallway in the house to the library adjoining the room in which Mr. Lucas was asleep.

The vest stolen is of black material, with blue, red and yellow threads mixed with it.

Seriously Injured in Saw Mill.

While working in a saw mill near Williamsburg, Mr. J. A. Covey, of that place, was quite badly hurt Monday by falling into the carriage which conveys the logs to the saw.

It seems that the boiler had been filled too full of water and had commenced to foam and that Mr. Covey had shut down the mill to remedy this, when in some unaccountable manner the carriage got started and Mr. Covey was thrown into the saw, his left leg being so badly cut as to necessitate its amputation just above the ankle. His right was quite badly fractured, but the fracture was reduced at the Hospital and it was reported on Tuesday morning that he is getting along very nicely.

Dr. Myers, of Hurlock, rendered medical assistance until the patient could be brought to the Hospital which was done on the noon train.

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If you wish to secure a large package sufficient for a complete Japanese Flower Garden, send your name and address, plainly written, with fifteen 2c. stamps to the Japanese Flower Culture Association, 74 Lafayette Street, New York, and the complete collection will be sent to your address, charges prepaid.

Cambridge Wins From Easton.

A number of the Cambridge bowlers went over to Easton Wednesday evening on the boat to try conclusions with the Easton bowling contingent upon the Easton alleys. While some of the boys did not bowl their usual strong game, still the team succeeded in winning from the Eastonians.

Additional interest has been created in the sport by the formation of a league of the towns of Easton, Centerville and Cambridge. Teams from each of these towns will compete among themselves for the championship of the shore.

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Masonic Lodge Instituted at Preston.

Mr. James R. Brewer, Deputy Grand Master of Baltimore; Rev. Henry Branch, Grand Chaplain, of Ellicot City; Mr. Graham Dukehart, Grand Lecturer, of Baltimore; Mr. Wm. M. Isaacs, Grand Secretary, of Baltimore, and a number of Masons of the local lodges gathered at Preston on Tuesday evening and instituted Preston lodge and enjoyed a sumptuous banquet. The Western Shore visitors came to Denton Tuesday morning and with the Dentonians drove to Preston in the afternoon. There was much interest in the event in Masonic circles, and the day was most propitious for it.

Mr. Robert D. Grier, Past Master of Wicomico Lodge, participated in the ceremonies. Col. A. W. Lisk delivered the address of welcome to the visiting brethren.

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

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Miss Florence Henry.

Miss Florence Henry, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Henry, of Cambridge, died in Baltimore last week, after a short illness.

Miss Henry had only been in the city a day, having left home Sunday on the boat with the intention of visiting Mrs. Tubman, who for several years has been a very dear and intimate friend. It is supposed that possibly the excitement incident to the trip caused the attack, which resulted in her death.

She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Misses Annita and Elizabeth Henry, and two brothers, Messrs. Sidney H., of Wilmington, and Robert G., Jr. of Cambridge.

Mr. Richard D. Hynson Dead.

Mr. Richard D. Hynson, a prominent lawyer and wealthy citizen of Chestertown, died Sunday morning. Mr. Hynson was a member of the board of managers of the Maryland House of Correction, a member of the board of visitors and governors of Washington College, a member of the vestry of Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church, and vice-president of the Chestertown Bank, in which he was one of the largest stockholders.

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The Eastern Shore College.

The Commencement exercises of the Eastern Shore College Thursday evening brought to the attention of the public one of the comparatively recently founded institutions of the city, and the remarkable progress which has been made in the three years of its existence.

There were forty-eight students graduated at that time, twenty-six of whom were in the bookkeeping department, the remaining twenty-two having finished the stenographic course—a record unequalled by many older schools of this character during the first few years of their careers.

An institution of this kind should have the general support and co-operation of the people of the community in every possible way. As larger and more systematic efforts are being put forth all the time for the proper training of its students, there should be a more hearty encouragement on the part of the people of this locality than there has been in the past. There should be a peculiar pride in the fact that a college of this kind has been founded here, just as there is in various industries and enterprises which form the basis of our commercial life and activity.

While it is only natural that we should be vitally interested in the material growth and prosperity of Salisbury and its constantly expanding industrial concerns, still the mental and moral development of the community is of even greater importance, and a keen interest should be taken in the progress and welfare of an institution which has for one of its principal objects, the advancement of the moral standards of the youth of the community as well as the development of their mental faculties and capabilities.

The future of the College is already fortunately assured, but with a fuller appreciation and realization of the objects of the institution, we can but believe there will be a larger co-operation on the part of the public and a greater interest evinced in its material growth and continued success.

A Judge's Unfortunate Course.

The editorial which recently appeared in the Cecil Whig under the caption "Judge Crothers' Mistaken Course" is an exceptionally strong one, and a well merited public rebuke to the course recently pursued by Judge Crothers in connection with recent democratic politics in Cecil County.

No Judge can take an active part in partisan politics and command the respect which is due him by virtue of the office which he holds. The very position demands an absolute withdrawal from all participation in the control and management in any way of any political party, and it seems utterly impossible that any one occupying a position of this character could so far forget the respon-

sibility resting upon him as to utterly fail in this vital particular. Maryland is justly proud of its judiciary, and it is peculiarly unfortunate that one so recently elevated to the bench should pursue a course tending to lower the high standard which, with few exceptions, has been rigidly maintained throughout the State.

The Death Of Senator Morgan.

The death of Senator John T. Morgan, of Alabama, removes from the United States Senate one of the oldest and most influential members of that body. Senator Morgan was first elected to the Senate for the term commencing March 4, 1877, and has been continually re-elected since that time. In point of continuous service, there is but one Senator who has a longer record—Hon. Wm. B. Allison, of Iowa, who was elected in 1873.

Senator Morgan was one of the earliest and most persistent advocates of the Isthmian Canal, and was possibly as well versed upon the subject in every particular as any statesman of the day. He was a firm believer, however, in the Nicaraguan route, and when the tide turned toward Panama he continued to fight to the very end for his convictions along this line.

It is very possible that it will be many years before Alabama sends to the upper branch of the National Legislature a man of Senator Morgan's sterling qualities and breadth of character.

That School Resignation.

"It is high time we were being allowed a rest so far as this school muddle in Salisbury is concerned. Mr. Goslee has resigned, apparently because he didn't want to be dictated to, and that's about all there is to it. It doesn't make matters any better to keep up the discussion."—Delmar News.

Our Delmar friends about struck the nail on the head. At the same time while the discussion was in progress, it is unfortunate the School Board did not officially give their version of the controversy. Mr. Bounds clearly stated his position and the commissioners should have done the same thing.

Editorial Jottings.

The street sprinkler has been permanently retired from business.

The President is on his vacation! What in the world will Washington do now?

It is almost time, Salisbury is getting the baseball fever. The fans never wake up until the season is nearly over.

The people are delighted that a franchise has been finally granted to a gas company, and the all-important question now is when will the plant be in operation.

We appreciate the receipt of an invitation to attend the commencement exercises of Goldey Commercial College, of Wilmington, Del., on the 17th inst.

When that seventy-five year gas lease was granted, we wonder if the City Council ever heard about a long term franchise which was once granted in Philadelphia.

The Republican State Central Committee met on Wednesday, and fixed Wednesday, August 14th, as the day for holding the State Convention—at which time a winning ticket will be named.

The Texas Legislature made a mistake, by which the sale of liquor throughout the State for twenty days was unlawful. It's an awful shame the mistake did not cover an indefinite period of time instead of only twenty days.

"Ohio Democrats Hopeful" says a headline in the Baltimore Sun. It has been a long time since they were pifal, however."—Annapolis Evening Capital. Yes, and we imagine it will be many a weary year before they will be again.

It is more than possible that Hon. P. L. Goldsborough, the Republican leader from Dorchester county, who was a conspicuous figure at the State Central Committee meeting in Baltimore on Wednesday, was looking for indications of a gubernatorial wind setting toward Cambridge.

Pennsylvania has endorsed its "favorite son," Senator Philander C. Knox, for the Republican Presidential nomination next year. If the number of these endorsements of favorite sons continue until next June at the rate they are now being turned out, the National Convention at that time will be a lively affair.

The political pot is "a-boiling" throughout the State, and it is about time Wicomico is waking up. There are rumors flying around that the present Senator will be up against a pretty "stiff proposition" for another nomination, and there are any number of "receptive"—fearfully receptive—candidates for the State's Attorney's "job." We fear our old friend and former partner will have a lively tussle if this time next year he is able to tack after his name "State's Attorney for Wicomico County."

Personal.

—Miss Louise Gullett is visiting relatives at Vienna.

—Miss May Serman is spending some time in Philadelphia.

—Miss Nora Whiteley has returned from a visit to friends in Seaford.

—Mr. Sewell Beauchamp was at the Jamestown Exposition Monday.

—Mrs. Donald Higgins, of Vienna, was a visitor in this city Thursday.

—Mr. P. D. Rawson, of Buffalo, is visiting his grandson, Dr. D. B. Potter.

—Mr. George E. Serman, Jr., is spending ten days in Baltimore and Annapolis.

—Former Mayor Orlando Harrison, of Berlin, was in town the first of the week.

—Mr. Ernest Fooks, of Philadelphia, is spending some time with relatives in this city.

—Mr. Percy Trussell attended a dance given at Laurel, Delaware, Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Sophia Shortt and daughter, Miss Willie, visited friends in Princess Anne Sunday.

—Mrs. George F. Sharpley is reported seriously ill at the home of her parents, at Georgetown, Del.

—Miss Minnie Rowens, of Easton, Md., spent part of this week with Miss Nora Whiteley, Division St.

—Mr. Lawrence Edgcombe, of Newark, N. J., is spending his vacation with his wife and family in this city.

—Mrs. Mary E. Hearn, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of her son, Mr. Oliver Hearn, on William street.

—Miss Alice Bennett, of Riverton, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett, Wednesday and Thursday.

—Mr. George S. Grier, Jr., was in Salisbury several days this week, the guest of his brother, Mr. F. A. Grier, Division street.

—Mr. Harry Adkins is spending the vacation with his parents in this city. Mr. Adkins is a student at the Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md.

—Mr. Raymond K. Truitt was the guest of Mr. Frank Young, of Pocomoke, during the week. While there, he attended a dance given Thursday evening.

—Mr. William M. Day, accompanied by Mrs. Day and son Charles and daughter, Ethel, returned this week from a four day's automobile tour through Delaware.

—Kathleene, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nealy, is ill at Crisfield, where she went a few days ago to participate in the Children's Day Exercises in that city.

—The following Salisburyans were visitors at the Jamestown Exposition this week: James L. Powell, Lacy Thoroughgood, Leonard Higgins, H. Crawford Bounds and J. K. Evans.

—Misses Nina Venables, Wilade Adkins, and Mr. Clarence Wheaton, are among the students at Western Maryland College who will spend the summer vacation with their parents in Salisbury.

—Misses Lettie Leatherbury, Louise Perry, Ora Disharoon and Laura Elliott, and Messrs. Claude Hearn, Harvey Roberson and William Phillips, were in attendance at a dance given at Pocomoke Thursday evening.



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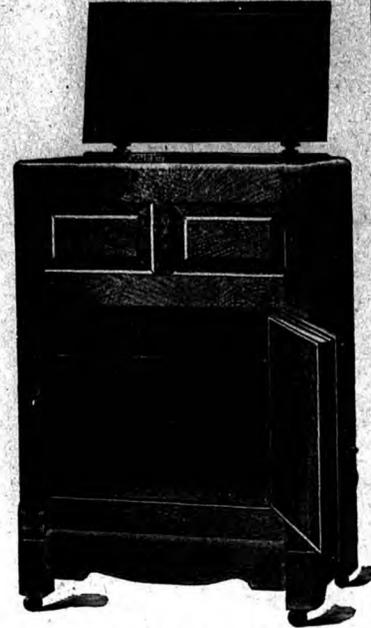
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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

For Sale: Fresh Cow. E. P. Downing.

—Mr. S. P. Woodcock is advertising in this issue a comfortable home in a nice location.

—Mrs William W White and children left Wednesday for a two weeks' trip to Philadelphia, Chester and other cities.

—Lost—A Black Seal pocket book containing a smaller pocket book and some bills. Reward if returned to THE COURIER office.

—Mr. Augustus White and Miss Viola Hopkins were married Saturday night at 10:00 p. m. at the parsonage by Rev. T. N. Potts.

—LOST—A bunch of four or five keys, one of which was a Postoffice lock box key. Finder will kindly return to Mrs. M. P. Trussell, Main street.

—The two youngest sons of Mr. Orlando Harrison, of Berlin, have been recently treated at the Peninsula General Hospital, and are getting along nicely.

—Mrs Belle Leonard, who has been quite unwell for some time, returned home from Baltimore Sunday somewhat improved. She was accompanied by Dr John S. Fulton.

—A number of members of the Salisbury Fire Department are attending the Fifteenth Annual Convention of the State Firemen's Association which is in session at Annapolis.

—Congressman William H. Jackson attended the meeting of the Republican State Central Committee meeting in Baltimore on Wednesday, and took an active part in its proceedings.

—A large building, two stories high, 50x62 feet is being erected for Messrs. Wheatley and Co., liverymen. The stable is being built on the property of Mr. Charles Reed near Railroad Avenue.

—Mr. John W. Brown extends a card of thanks to Mr. C. J. McHenry, of the Knabe Piano Company, for his assistance at the moving picture show at Ulman's Opera House Thursday evening.

—Rev. B. G. Parker, will on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 preach in the old Presbyterian church of Madela Springs. At night the Children's Day Services will be held in the Branch Hill Baptist Church.

—The large schooner "William L. Franklin," Capt. E. W. Robertson, arrived in port yesterday morning from Melrose, Va., with a cargo of lumber consigned to The C. R. Disharoon Company.

—The Hebron Camp will convene this year on August 3rd, and will continue until the twelfth. The grounds are being cleared up and preparations are being made for an unusually large attendance.

—Miss May V. Beauchamp, of this county, has succeeded Miss Nellie McDonald as teacher of Garland school, No. 14, second district, of Harford County. Miss McDonald is now principal of Edgewood school.

—There will be a picnic at Parker's Chapel, Saturday evening, June 22, beginning at 6 o'clock. Ice-cream, cake, and strawberries will be served. Proceeds to go for the benefit of the church. All are invited to attend.

—Mr. W. B. Tighman, Jr. has sold the farm on the river road which he purchased from Mr. W. A. Ennis, to Mr. Olin Elzey for \$3500. The farm is only a short distance from Salisbury and contains about 70 acres.

—Miss Maggie Edwards of Smithfield, Va., was entertained by a number of friends Monday evening, the feature of the evening being a straw ride. Miss Edwards is the guest of Mrs. William Bonneville, of Lake street.

—A committee of young men gave an informal dance in the Masonic Temple Wednesday evening. The affair was largely attended and Messrs. W. A. Kennerly and Clarence A. White furnished music for the occasion.

—Judge Holland has made quite an improvement at his office building on Division and Water streets, by having a new cement sidewalk laid to conform to the new grade. Mr. R. McKenny Price has been doing the work.

—Yesterday was generally observed through the country as Flag Day. All state departments and state institutions made a special display of the Stars and Stripes, in obedience to the proclamation of the Governor, recently issued.

—The County Commissioners for Somerset County have fixed the levy for 1907. The rate will be \$1.09. The amount of property subject to county tax is \$5,308,130, and the amount of property subject to state tax is \$5,030,907.

—On and after Saturday, June 22nd, the following wholesale houses will close every Saturday at 3 p. m.:
Turner Bros. Co.
B. L. Gillis & Son.
W. E. Sheppard & Co.

—Mr. W. A. Crew has been laying, for Hon. W. H. Jackson, a new cement sidewalk in front of the store of the Dorman & Smyth Hardware Company. Mr. Crew will also lay a similar one in front of the Ulman property on Dock street.

—Judge Charles F. Holland left Monday for the Jamestown Exposition in his yacht, and expects to be away some little while. His guests include the following: Miss Julia Daubell, Miss Mary Parsons, Miss Mildred Dougherty and Mr. Samuel R. Douglass.

—Have you been thinking of buying some article in the jewelry line? If so, now is your chance. Harper & Taylor's entire stock has been reduced 10 per cent for thirty days, from June 1st to 30th. This is our annual sale of 10 per cent, but never before on our entire stock. Your opportunity.

—It was decided at a recent meeting of the City Council that nothing will be done in the way of additional street paving until after all of the gas pipes have been put down in the streets to be paved. This will probably postpone the paving for at least one year.

—The farm in Trappe district, between John Twigg's store and Prilland, formerly the property of William T. Cantwell, was sold at the Court House last Saturday to Mr. Levin J. Gale for a consideration of \$450.00. The farm contains 45 acres.

—Messrs W. B. Miller and M. A. Humphreys made rapid runs to Princess Anne last Sunday in their automobiles, the former making the run in about forty two minutes, and the latter in just an hour. They were accompanied by parties from Salisbury.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Downing, of Wilmington, Del., made a flying visit to their parents in this city Thursday. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Isabella R. Turpin, who will make quite an extended visit to Wilmington, Philadelphia and Elkton.

—The summer schedule of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company went into effect last Monday. The fare to Ocean City from Salisbury this year will be \$1.00 for the round trip. There will be the usual Thursday excursions, the fare being ninety cents.

—The Salisbury Light, Heat & Power Company is daily expecting the arrival of a huge 300 horse power boiler for use at the electric light plant. It was shipped from Erie, Pa., last week, and weighs 40,000 pounds and is said to be one of the largest boilers ever shipped into this State.

—An examination for the Internal Revenue Service will be held at the post-office in this city on Sept 4th 1907. For application blanks, and for full information relative to the examinations, qualifications, duties, salaries, etc., address Secretary, Board of Civil Service Examiners, Post Office, City.

—At the 39th annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Eastern, held at Port Deposit last week, Rev. E. R. Rich was elected secretary and Rev. F. B. Adkins, assistant. St. Peter's church, of this city, was represented by Rev. David Howard and Mr. Thomas Perry, lay delegate.

—It is expected that not less than 100 cars of cabbage will be shipped from the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia to western cities this season. This is a new feature in the produce shipping industry for this section, this being the first year that cabbage in any quantity has been shipped in refrigerator cars.

—Mrs. Mary E. Cantwell, widow of the late Wm. Cantwell, died Friday night at the home of her son, Wilmer Cantwell, on Broad street. Mrs. Cantwell was 75 years of age. Funeral services took place Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. T. E. Martindale. Interment was in the M. E. Churchyard.

—There is a city ordinance against the throwing of paper and other refuse in the street, and as this ordinance is openly violated by many people, Street Commissioner Serman requests us to state that from now on the provisions of the ordinance will be rigidly enforced and that the fines prescribed will be collected.

—A decided improvement was made on the lower end of Main street this week, when the dilapidated awning was removed from the front of the building now occupied by Mr. W. A. Ennis as a grocery store. The awning had been in a deplorable condition for a long time and was considered a dangerous projection over the sidewalk.

—Miss Grace Hardesty who has been spending the winter with her brother in Morgantown, Va., returned home Wednesday evening. She was accompanied by Miss Blanche Hardesty of Shinnston, W. Va., and Miss Mearie Hardesty, her brother's daughter, from Morgantown, who will spend several weeks visiting at the home of Rev. J. W. Hardesty.

—We know you are in need of some article in the jewelry line, and why not buy now, while Harper & Taylor are giving 10 per cent off on their entire stock, which is composed of goods with quality and of the latest designs. This sale began Saturday, June 1st, and will continue till the 30th. Come early and continue until you make your selection.

—A chance for Wisconsin county students to secure a free scholarship at the State Normal Schools will be given July 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, when competitive examinations will be held for the several appointments. The vacancies are as follows: Baltimore Normal 3, Chestertown Normal 1, Probstburg Normal 1, and one vacancy at the Maryland Institute.

—The Home Gas Company have opened their books for subscriptions to the capital stock of the Company. The shares are \$100.00 each, and the officers of the Company are anxious to have the entire issue subscribed for by the 26th of this month, at which time the books will be closed. Those desiring to subscribe can do so by call at the office of Attorneys Toadvin and Bell.

—Mrs. Gardner R. Spring, of this city, expects to leave town in a few days for an extended trip abroad. She will be accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Robert Naylor, and her sisters, Mrs. James Benny and Mrs. Henry Coles. The party will sail from New York on Saturday, the 22nd, on the Steamer "Astoria" of the Anchor Line, and will visit England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales before their return. They expect to be away until the fall.

—It is rumored that a new summer resort will be located on the beach about two miles south of Ocean City. The Maryland Beach Company has been formed and officers of the company, with a surveyor, have been laying out the town during the week. There will be a line of bay steamers connecting the place with Ocean City and it is also expected that a trolley line will be run from the new resort to Ocean City, and up the beach to Fenwick's Island and other points of interest.

Lacy Thoroughgood Is Going To Spread The Tale of His Immense Stock of Shirts all Over "Sail Ho, Where Away?" "Goin' To Sea." "Well, Go To Sea And Report At Once."

The above conversation came in rapid chunks from the American flag ship and the officers of the deck, on last Monday, in the harbor at Jamestown. A boat was at once lowered, the crew tumbled in, up went the oars, a flash, and they bent their backs as the oars flashed in and out of the water and they started out after the stranger. It was a pretty chase for about a mile, and they soon discovered that they were gaining on the stranger. Soon they also discovered that the reason they were gaining was that the stranger was coming towards them. The sail grew more and more distinct as they grew nearer, and its peculiar shape attracted their particular attention. Soon they were near enough to make it out, when one of the crew looked over his shoulder and yelled: Why, that sail's made of a shirt, and it's got some words on it. They soon came near enough to read the words on the sail, and all it said was "A SPECIAL SAIL OF THOROUGHGOOD SHIRTS." "DARN that Thoroughgood" said the officer in the stern, in a stern voice, I wonder what they want to come away down here and advertise for, why don't you fellows stay home and advertise your shirts and not come way down here, he yelled at the man in Thoroughgood's boat. Well, you see, said the Thoroughgood man, we heard up our way that by the time you people got through with this Jamestown Exposition you would not have a SHIRT to your backs. Speaking about shirts Lacy Thoroughgood bought Seventeen Hundred Dollars worth of shirts this spring for his two stores and as the weather has been so cool they are lingering and the price to-day is low enough for every man to have a half dozen.



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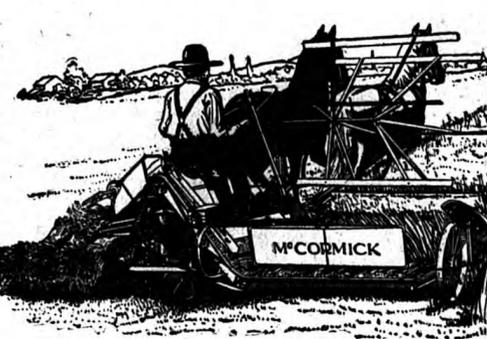


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Thanks to the Weather.

By JOANNA SINGLE.

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It was the weather in the first place, thought Edith very dearly as she watched the rain beat against the window. If she and Richard had not been caught in a sudden shower to the utter ruin of her very prettiest dress, she would never have been irritable and quarreled with him about nothing at all, and she would not have expected him to take the fault upon himself when she alone—after the weather—was to blame. And now it had rained for nearly a week, and the inaction was driving her wild. She could only think, think and vainly try to overcome her pride and send for him.

For the thousandth time she drew from her dress his last letter and read it:

Dearest—We have been friends and neighbors and sweethearts all our lives and should not let anything come between us. I love you, and if you will just send one word saying you want me I will come at your call and forget the nothing we quarreled about. Should we let anything so childish part us? I look for a word from you. If it does not come, I shall know that you really meant to break our engagement and shall of course not trouble you. But you couldn't have meant it, Edith? Fraternally yours,

RICHARD COPELAND.

That was all, but she had sent him no word, thinking that in time he would come anyhow, and then she would let him coax her out of her anger. But he had not come, and she could not fall to respect him for refusing to be played with.

So she was very wretched and blamed her own pride and the weather. The rain beat down warmly and intermittently, and all nature expanded and thrived under its moist influence. Edith looked across the fields to the south to Richard's home, which one day was to have been also hers, and saw him out in the rain on his horse, coming from the town a few miles away. How often they two had ridden about the country together! And now it was all over. He would never come back to her—unless she sent for him. Could she do it? It was early in the afternoon, and she might send her little brother over with a note. She hesitated; then she went to her room and sat down to her desk. It would be a relief to write to him, even if she could not bring herself to send it to him.

Dear Richard—Will you come to see me tonight? I was horrid, and I am very sorry. If I had not been wet and cross I should not have thought of coming because you rode to town with Fey. Of course you could not help her overruling you. She always was forward. Forgive me and come back. You know that I love you—always. EDITH.

She sat looking at it. Then her heart misgave her. It had been two long months since they parted, and he might no longer care for her. He might care for Fey. The neighbors had said he had been to see her. The letter was altogether too unguarded. She could not tell him she loved him. So she carelessly thrust it into her dress with the letter from him.

She tried to busy herself about the house, but somehow she could not work. She was restless and felt as if her mother and sister saw it and would know that she fretted for Richard. She tried to read in her own room, but it seemed like a prison.

Along about 3 o'clock she felt as if the day had been years long. She could bear it no longer. She put on some heavy shoes and an old water-proof riding habit, wound her hair closely under a little cap and stood before the glass thinking what a fright she looked and rather rejoicing in the fact. What was the use of being beautiful when Richard no longer loved her?

She slipped out to the barn and saddled Ginger, her little mare, mounted, and rode quickly out of the gate and northward, as she did not want to pass Richard's house. Her mother saw her ride off in the storm and wondered if the girl was going crazy, but was too late to call after her. At first Ginger wheeled and refused to believe that she was expected to splash her dainty hoofs through such pools of mud and water, but after a few snorts of protest Edith convinced her with the quirt that this wind and rain were really to be faced, and the little beast settled into a spiteful trot.

Edith rather rejoiced in buffeting the storm. The rain and wind cooled her hot cheeks, and the open air relieved the unbearable tension of her nervousness. For the first time since the trouble with Richard she allowed herself the unrestrained luxury of tears. Here out in the open, with the sting of raindrops in her face, she was free from prying eyes. She did not need to keep up her pride, and she could be as wretched as she really felt. She did not look about her, but rode mile after mile, letting the mare take her own course.

After riding an hour or so she noticed that the storm abated and, looking up, saw that the clouds were less dark. Here and there was a gleam of blue, though the warm wind still blew intermittent drops into her face. She drew her collar closely about her neck and pulled her cap over her eyes and rode on with her own thoughts.

At last an idea came to her. Why

not phone to Richard—just call him up and talk to him in the old way about nothing in particular and, if he made it easy for her, ask him to come to see her that evening? Strong in this new resolve, she looked to see where she was and realized that after a long detour they were about a mile below Richard's house, which they must pass. She could not go back, for it was probably near evening. The sun threatened to break through the clouds near the horizon. The rain had entirely ceased. She felt tired, but happier and quiet after the relief of tears.

Then she remembered a way through Richard's fields that they had often taken. She would have to pass a bad slough, but that could not be helped. He must not see her in her present plight. She realized that her face was swollen and her eyes red with weeping and that she was covered with mud. Her hair was flying wildly, though the dampness always made it the curlier. She turned into the pasture after dismounting to open a heavy gate, and as she rode along she removed her cap and, transferring her hairpins to her mouth, let the reins fall on Ginger's neck while she shook out her long hair and prepared to coil it more closely. But Ginger gave a sudden jerk, and in calling "Whoa!" the pins fell from her mouth into the mud and water. Then she laughed long and heartily and gave the wind its will with her hair. No one would see her anyway.

As she neared the slough she felt very warm and unfastened her habit at the throat. Ginger was plunging and snorting through the mud and stopped once with a jerk that almost threw the girl from her saddle. The wind caught at her dress, and before she realized it the two luckless letters were spread out in the mud. It was no laughing matter, for Richard would be sure to find them, and the mud was so deep she could not possibly dismount. She drove Ginger as close to them as possible and was leaning over reaching for them so attentively that she did not see Richard till he rode up almost against her.

Her eyes met his defiantly conscious of her floating hair and her soiled face and above all the telltale letters. She wished her writing was finer—she could see that hateful "I love you" from where she now was! He lifted his hat and was getting down to hand her the letters when she stopped him. "Richard Copeland, you right away. Don't touch them. I will get them myself."

"You can't. You'd get stuck in the mud. Let me."

"If you do, I'll—hate you."

"You do anyway, and, besides, I won't look at whatever it is you seem to value so." He coolly dismounted, but she sprang down ahead of him and snatched at them, sinking to her knees in the slush. Ginger started, and Richard called "Whoa!" but gave the poor beast a sly cut with his whip that sent her on a mad gallop for home. He held Colonel by the bridle. Edith faced him.

"Now, Edith," he said, "hate me or not. You will have to get on Colonel and be taken home. Come—dear."

"I'll die here first!" He mounted and, riding close to her, suddenly caught her in his arms and drew her struggling and angry to the saddle in front of him.

"Edith," he said, "I couldn't help seeing the 'I love you' on the letter you were so anxious about. Was it written for me?" Suddenly she felt that she could bear it no longer. She turned her face against his shoulder and cried, while he smoothed back her long hair and held her very close. Her pride was quite gone. She was in tears and a fright generally. She felt that it was positively a miracle that he could still love her. He kissed the only available place, which happened to be her left ear. Then he asked her again about the letter.

"I meant it for you," she owned, "but I couldn't send it, and I was miserable."

He laughed softly and bade her look up, and Colonel somehow understood that he was expected to go very, very slow.

Crow's Way of Opening Clams.
The crows that live along the seashore live on sea food. At times they show a gull's dexterity in picking eatables from the tossing water with their bills. Their ingenuity, however, is taxed by the hard shells of clams, which they can neither pry into nor break with their bills. Like some gulls, the bright crow will seize a clam and fly to a great height and drop it on a ledge of rock. That breaks the shell, and the crow gets the meat. Near Vancouver, B. C., the crow rides around on the backs of hogs that are rooting in the low ground of the tide. The hogs crush the shells of clams and mussels in their jaws and then drop them on the ground in order to separate the meat from the shell. The crow jumps in and gets the meat for itself. On the other hand, the remarkable story comes from Africa that crows there carry stones to a considerable height above a nest of ostrich eggs and let them fall on the tough shells, and then feed on the exposed albumen.

The Scope of Indigestion.
Indigestion is not only the most prevalent of all diseases, but is the most far reaching in its complications, says Dr. Latson in Health Culture. In recognition of this fact a brilliant medical man has said:

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The Twins.
The Harmon twins looked so much alike as babies that their parents could scarcely tell them apart. As they grew older it became evident that to Grandmother Harmon at least the twins were a unit.

"You were asking me how much the twins weigh," said Grandmother Harmon to a neighbor. "When I went out that afternoon I put one of them on the scales at the grocery and found they weigh just twenty-six pounds."

"Do they always weigh exactly the same?" inquired the neighbor, and Grandmother Harmon looked quite impatient.

"The twins?" she said. "Of course; why not?"

The neighbor had no reason to give, but she rebelled a few days later when in answer to her inquiry Grandmother Harmon said:

"Where are the twins? Oh, they got a cinder in one of their eyes, and their mother has taken them down to the oculist's to have it removed, they were fussing so over it."—Youth's Companion.

Where Diners Had to Be on Time.

Closely parallel to the fog end of the Euston road and visible from it at various turnings is a street which belongs to few men's London. It is a dingy, granite paved, populous street of no attraction. Yet this street has known better times and sadder guests. In the house he knew as 43, now obliterated by a big new warehouse, Dr. William Kitchener entertained his fellow wits and gourmets. He had ample means to ride his three hobbies, optics, cookery and music. His dinners were often elaborate experiments in cookery, and the guests had to recognize this fact. Five minutes past 5 was the minute, and if a guest came late the janitor had irrevocable orders not to admit him, for it was held by the mythical "committee of taste," of whom Kitchener was "secretary," that the perfection of some of the dishes was often so evanescent that "the delay of one minute after their arrival at the meridian of concoction will render them no longer worthy of men of taste."—T. P.'s London Weekly.

Duel Averted.

Carducci, the great Italian poet, came near having a duel one day. He possessed a fine spirit of contradiction and had the characteristics of a fighter. Once while traveling in Lombardy he was in a railway compartment with an army officer, who did not recognize him. Conversation turned upon the latest literary productions. They spoke of a poem by the author of "Odes Barbabares," which had just appeared.

"This Carducci," exclaimed the officer, with enthusiasm, "is a superb genius, the greatest since Dante, the equal of Dante himself."

"Humph!" said the other. "A genius? That's too much to say. I find him mediocre."

"Mediocre, sir? You don't know anything about it."

"Oh, you are incapable of judging."

"I?"

"You?"

"Sir?"

"Sir?"

The officer handed his card to his disputant. The other smiled. "There's mine." And on it was the name "Giosue Carducci, professor at the University of Bologna."

The officer, removing his hat, politely bowed.—Le Cri de Paris.

Hopi Indian Traditions.

The Hopi Indians of Arizona have no written literature, but an almost boundless store of oral traditions, which are handed down unimpaired to each generation in turn and which form the guiding principle of their religious belief and of their whole life. Says the Craftsman. Every clan, and there are a number of family clans making up the various Hopi towns, has its own kiva, or underground ceremonial chamber, entered by a ladder through a square opening in the roof, which is but a foot or two above the general level of the ground. Here the education of the boys is carried on, beginning at the age of seven or eight years. They are instructed day by day in the literature, history and myths of the tribes, the priests being the teachers. Without writing and without books the Hopi have an extensive literature, and that the utmost accuracy is observed in its oral transmission from generation to generation is revealed by certain comparisons with the records made by the Spanish explorers in the sixteenth century.

An Ancient Irish Custom.

In the district known as "the barony of Forth," in County Wexford, Ireland, is to be found a race of hardworking, industrious peasants living in thatched cottages with clean, whitewashed walls which by their perfect whiteness at once arrest the attention of the visitor. These people differ in many respects from the inhabitants of the other parts of the same county and have habits and customs peculiar to themselves. When a funeral takes place two wooden crosses are provided. On the way to the cemetery a halt is made at a certain spot by the side of the road. Here prayers are said for the deceased, after which one cross is deposited in a hawthorn bush or under it. The procession then goes on its way, and after the interment the other cross is fixed at the head of the grave. This strange custom dates from time immemorial, as the great pile of crosses by the roadside indicates.

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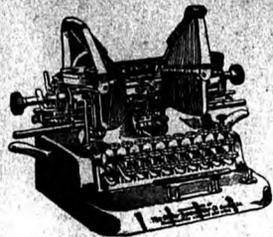
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Korean Financier.

A Korean countryman named Yi Taku has come to the conclusion that something should be done to prevent the collection of money to pay the public debt becoming such a drain on the circulation medium as to cause embarrassment to the merchant class, says the Korean Daily Times. He suggests that Koreans give up such luxuries as their gold rings and silver hairpins and other objects of intrinsic value; that these be conservatively appraised and stored carefully in some safe deposit and used as bullion to back a paper currency which will circulate among the people. Whether this is feasible or not it shows that the Koreans are willing to look the difficulties of the situation squarely in the face and desire to meet all valid objections halfway.

Memorial Day.

Rather the garlands rare today. Snow white roses and roses red; Gather the fairest flowers of May. Heap them up on the heaps of clay. Gladden the graves of the noble dead. Pile them high as the soldiers were Piled on the field where they fought and fell; They will rejoice in their new place there Today, as they walk where the fragrant air Is sweet with the scent of the asphodel. Many a time, I've heard it said, They fell so thick where the battles were. Their hot blood rippled and, running red, Ran out like a rill from the drifted dead, Staining the heath and the daisies there. This day the friends of the soldiers keep, And they will keep it through all the years. To the silent city where soldiers sleep Will come with the flowers, to watch and weep And water the garlands with their tears. —Cy Warman in Pilgrim for May.

GRAND MIMIC WAR SCENE.

Reproduction of Monitor-Merrimac Engagement at Jamestown Exposition. There are many people now living in the vicinity of Hampton Roads who will remember the terrible days of March 8 and 9, 1862, to the last hours of their lives. On those days the bravest of them risked the missiles of death and thronged the shores to become eyewitnesses of the most unique naval engagement in the history of the world, the struggle between the Merrimac and the Monitor.

To those who witnessed this famous event as well as to those millions of visitors to Norfolk, Va., from all parts of this and other countries to whom the details of the battle are familiar as matters of history one feature of the Jamestown exposition will be of especial interest. This will be the spectacular reproduction of the great engagement which occurred just off the exposition grounds in Hampton Roads, and the presentation will be given in as realistic manner as the perfect equipment of the present day will allow. The historical location so near the actual scene of the occurrence lends added interest to the reproduction, and it is sure to be one of the decided attractions of the exposition.

The scene of the battle will be cyclorama and will be as grand a sight as the human eye ever beheld. The scene opens the day before the battle between the ironclads and shows the sun just setting upon the leaping flames of the burning Congress and the sinking Cumberland, with her cannon booming and her crew cheering as the ship settles beneath the waves and the brave fighters going down to death rather than surrender. The victorious Merrimac is seen slowly steaming away to the shelter of the Confederate shore batteries to await the coming of dawn to complete the work of destruction.

This sunset scene will be one of the most gorgeous ever beheld and will be a revelation of this character of scenic effect. Twilight comes on, and the lurid light of the burning vessels casts its reflection upon the waters, revealing the other vessels of the federal fleet, to which it seemed as a forecast of their own doom on the morrow. As the darkness appears the stars twinkle and the scene becomes tranquil. Then come rolling clouds, forked lightning and peals of thunder, and a storm bursts in all its fury. Rain falls in torrents, and the scene will have every appearance of reality. After the storm has subsided the stars again show themselves and the moon appears in all her glory.

After a while the day begins to dawn, and the sun peeps over the eastern horizon, and the audience beholds the most beautiful sunrise that can be imagined. Out on the water they will see the Merrimac steaming down upon the Minnesota. The Confederate ironclad has been repaired after her damages from ramming the Cumberland the evening before and draws closer and closer to the federal ship. The Minnesota lies helplessly stranded in shallow water, but suddenly from the rear darts the Monitor. The Merrimac puts on all steam, and soon the battle between ironclads is on. The cannon will be seen in action, and the crack and roar of the guns will be as real as it was during the time of the great fight. The audience will be thrilled with the working of each gunboat, and every movement will be in harmony with the most authentic records of the great battle. Just at the climax the curtain will be drawn, and the audience will be left to determine which was victor.

The engagement will be so reproduced that no exception can be taken by the visitors from any section of the country. The Merrimac and Monitor used in the reproduction will be made of steel, and by the effect of the new appliances of electricity they will appear to the spectators the actual size of the vessels when they were engaged in this historic battle.

POLICEWOMEN FOR LORAIN.

Ohio Society Leaders Offer Their Services, and Mayor Accepts. Disgusted by unpunished crimes in the way of robberies and pocket picking, society women of Lorain, O., recently offered their services to Mayor King as policemen, says a special dispatch to the New York World. "Huh! A good joke," he remarked. "Imagine a bunch of the Four Hundred dressed in picture hats and peekaboo waists patrolling the streets in search of criminals!"

But he promised to accept their services and said he would swear them in the next day. "I'll use as many as report for duty," he told them at the end of their interview. The women declare they are in dead earnest, but the mayor thinks they will change their minds after a night's sleep. "I'm game, though," he said the other night. "I'll put them on duty if they come around. We need a few more policemen or some policewomen."

Exposition of Barnyard Fowls.

Baron Rosen, the ambassador of Russia at Washington, has informed the department of state that La Societe Russe d'Oisellerie has organized an exposition of barnyard fowls to be held at St. Petersburg next autumn, with a section devoted to fowls raised in foreign countries, says the New York Evening Sun. The Russian government extends an invitation to exhibitors from the United States.

GLOVES OF WHALE HIDE.

Attempt to Find Profitable Use For a Wasted Product. Newfoundland whalers, seized with a spirit of enterprising economy, are reported to be attempting to place whale hide on the market for the manufacture of whale leather, says the London Express.

It is not surprising that such an attempt should be made. It must vex the spirit of any whaler of well balanced mind to see after all the hardship and danger of his calling an enormous and altogether disproportionate bulk of his quarry cast away. From a large right whale of, say, forty-five to fifty feet in length about 250 barrels of oil and one and three-quarter tons of baleen, or whalebone, may be obtained. The remainder of the gigantic carcass, which may be as much as fifty tons, has hitherto been considered useless.

The average whale hide if laid out on the ground would cover a surface of nearly 1,500 square feet, at which rate one whale if its hide could be made into boots and shoes would well stock a west end (London) boot shop. It is also hoped that the intestines of the whale will be made remunerative. This product is described as very thin and tough and suitable for glove manufacturers. Regarding the use of whale for glove making, a London firm gave their opinion that the only satisfactory skin yet found for fine gloves is goatskin.

"It is not unlikely, however," they said, "that whale intestines could be manufactured into good motoring and driving gloves, for which reindeer at present holds the field against all other skins. "At various times many skins have been tried, such as the skins of crocodiles, cats, pigs, calves, lambs and even rats. Many of the men's cheap dress gloves on the market are made in Naples of the skins of the local sewer rats. But practically all the skins mentioned have been found treacherous. Glove skins must not only be pliable, but also perfectly tough and firm, since they have to be sewed up right at the edge. If whale intestines be found to possess these three qualities no doubt there would quickly be a market for whale gloves."

TRAMP BENEFACTOR.

Aged Wanderer Planting Nut Trees For Good of Coming Generations. There wandered through Kenner's, Pa., an old tramp who a generation or two hence may come to be regarded as a second "Johnny Appleseed," says the Philadelphia North American. He is planting nut trees, so that the youth of the land in years to come will not be deprived of shellbarks and walnuts. Not many years ago there was hardly a farm in the east that did not have at least one walnut tree, and there was not a stream which did not have growing along its banks hundreds of shell-bark and hickory trees.

The demand for black walnut timber and the need for hickory wood in carriage manufacturing has made both these varieties of trees exceedingly scarce, and it will not be long before the joy of gathering the nuts will be lost to most children. During the last three years the old tramp has been planting thousands of nuts. He seeks the out of way spots, since he wants the trees to have a fair chance to grow. The rocky sides of hills, the abandoned land at the edges of creeks are sought out, and when their benefactor is but a memory, brown cheeked youngsters will reap the fruits of his kindness and bless him.

GAMBLE WITH DEATH.

Youth Sells \$1,500,000 Inheritance For \$80,000. A stake of \$80,000 played against a fortune of nearly \$1,500,000 with a human life as the final determining factor are features of an unusual transaction entered into recently at Santa Monica, Cal., says the Pittsburg Dispatch, between Henry C. Keating and a syndicate of four men.

In about three years, if he lives, Keating will fall heir to \$1,500,000 of an estate to be settled at that time when the younger heirs will become of age. The syndicate gave Keating \$80,000 for his interest in the estate, taking the risk of losing the \$80,000 if Keating dies before the estate is settled, as the other heirs then come into the whole estate of \$5,000,000. Should Keating survive the settlement of the estate the syndicate will make \$1,420,000, less the interest in the \$80,000 and various legal fees.

The syndicate is composed of J. C. Steele, formerly postmaster of Santa Monica; Benjamin Hunter, until recently city attorney; Robert W. Miller, secretary of the board of education, and A. W. McPherson, manager of the Edison Gas and Electric company.

Greatest Migration in History.

No migration in history is comparable to the great hordes that have crossed the Atlantic during the last twenty years to enter our territory, says the National Geographic Magazine. In 1905 1,026,499 immigrants were admitted. In 1906 1,100,735, and in the present year the total will exceed the record of 1906 by many thousands. Since June 30, 1900, 6,000,000 have been admitted, of whom probably 3,500,000 have settled permanently in the United States.

PRESIDENT PLAYS HOOKEY.

Calls Off Cabinet Meeting to Be Photographed. Little Freddy Jones played hookey from Grant school recently and got spanked for it. The same spring weather tempted Theodore Roosevelt, president of these United States, and he fell as little Freddy Jones did, says a Washington special to the New York Times. But the president got away with it, probably because there is no one in spanking authority over the president except the senate, sitting as a high court of impeachment.

One of his most successful photographs, one that will best serve to illustrate history pages, describing a strenuous president, is a snapshot of the president jumping a powerful horse over a fence. He has long wanted to get another of those pictures, or two or three of them, for the historians, of course. He wanted to please as many historians as possible. For days the horses and the camera and the fence and the president and the photographer have been waiting for an other trial. The other day was just the warm, soft, spring weather to make blood and horses jump well together, and the sun was all that a photographer could desire.

"Bully!" cried the president, and summoned the horses and Lieutenant Fitz-Hugh Lee, his military aid, who rides to hounds himself. "But it is cabinet day," ventured the shocked Loeb. "Bother!" protested the president. Then he set his teeth. That was another attempt to hamper him with precedent. "Call it off," he told Loeb.

Loeb, shocked, because the cabinet has met twice a week on the same days and at the same hour since Washington's day, telephoned the cabinet members suggesting that if they had nothing important to bring up the cabinet meeting would be postponed a day and the president would go riding. Of course they hadn't. But Attorney General Bonaparte is understood to have laughed outright.

WONDERFUL NEW MARKET.

Great Variety of Articles Required by Panama Canal Commission. Henry Harrison Lewis, writing in Harper's Weekly, calls attention to the unprecedented stimulus which the construction work on the Panama canal should give to American manufactures of all kinds. "A fair working idea of the great variety of articles required by the commission," says Mr. Lewis, "can be obtained by scrutinizing a single requisition recently received from the isthmus.

"The articles mentioned in this single requisition appeal direct to more than twenty different classes of manufactures, such as manufacturers of railway supplies, car factories, tube works, manufacturers of tools, blacksmith supplies, rope works, cotton mills, manufacturers of barbers' supplies, paint and varnish works, oil refineries, manufacturers of tools, glass works, split redmies, manufacturers of office supplies, nail works, makers of high explosives and manufacturers of agricultural implements.

The quantities required by this requisition are worthy the attention of any manufacturer or dealer. For instance, it calls for more than 800 tons of dynamite, 20,000 gallons of red oxide roofing paint, 250 tons of white lead in oil, 300,000 pounds of black powder, 150,000 bawn railroad cross ties, 4,000 mule shoes, 1,000 single beds, with springs, and 1,500 single mattresses, 20,000 gallons of kerosene, 4,000 feet of steel rope and 350 pounds of rubber bands."

PIG IN CLOVER.

Italian Villagers, Led by Fanatical Old Woman, Treat it as Miraculous. A fanatical old woman in the village of San Giovanni, province of Foglia, Italy, declared recently that she had had a vision in which she saw a pig on the back of which was an image of the sacred heart. Her statement was believed by the superstitious villagers, who sought until they found a porker which seemed to fit the bill, says a special cable dispatch from Rome to the New York Sun.

It proved a fine thing for the pig, which is now not only reputed to be a miraculous animal and is revered as such, but is housed sumptuously and fed on the choicest morsels. Its triumph, however, may be short lived, as the parish priest, who is outraged by the veneration paid the beast, threatens to burn it. The villagers, however, pin their faith to the porker, and the priest, fearing for his own safety, has refrained from meddling.

Good Manners of the Mind.

A man is known by the company his mind keeps. To live continually with noble books, with "high crested thoughts seated in the heart of courtesy," teaches the soul good manners.—T. B. Aldrich.

There are no points of the compass on the chart of true patriotism.—Whitrop.

What Would You Do

If three good physicians should pronounce your case hopeless. If they should decide that you could not live longer than six weeks. And if you should get well, after using only \$12.00 worth of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine, what would you advise a friend in like condition to do?

"I have to thank you for saving my wife's life two years ago. We had continued with the doctor until the third doctor, like the two previous ones, said that nothing could be done for her. That she had better be taken home from the hospital to quietly wait her time, which would not be over six weeks at the most. I brought her home, and then I thought probably Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine might help her, so I got a bottle of each and some Nerve and Liver Pills and commenced to give them to her. We soon seen an improvement, and encouraged by this we continued giving the medicine. We gave her eleven bottles in all of the medicine. She takes it occasionally now if she feels the need. I am in the ministry, and have been for 44 years."

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COUNTY.

Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Pusey, of West P. O., spent last Sunday with relatives in this place.

Miss Esther Nichols is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus E. Simms near Siloam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Phoebus, of Salisbury, spent Sunday last at the home of Mr. J. J. Griffith.

Mr. Lee Griffith, who has been in Georgia in the lumber business for the past few weeks, returned home a few days ago.

Mr. Guy Long has gone "away down South in Georgia" to engage in the lumber business. Guy is a fine young man and we wish him abundant success.

Mr. Harry T. Messick, who went down in Georgia a few months ago to look after his lumber interests, came back to this place Saturday last and moved his family, Thursday, to the above named place, where he will in the future engage in the manufacturing of lumber.

Cool weather has greatly hampered the growth of cantaloupes, lima beans, corn, etc. Nearly every farmer in this section has had to plant his corn crops over two or three times on account of the cool weather, crows and blackbirds. It is certain that if the cool weather, crows and black birds last much longer, less corn will be raised in this section than last year.

One of our wide-awake and up-to-date merchants, Mr. Geo. M. Phillips, received and unloaded another carload of western corn this week. Mr. Phillips and Mr. B. T. Hitch have received several cars of corn and hay this season and have all along supplied the needs of all buyers in this section, which has been a great kindness on the part of these gentlemen, as we understand the margin they sold their goods on was very small, thus showing that the monetary consideration was not altogether what they had after. It is a great benefit to our people to have such enterprising men as Mr. Hitch and Mr. Phillips in the community.

Sharptown

George F. Gootee returned home from Baltimore Thursday.

W. D. Gravenor and wife are spending this week in Baltimore.

Capt. E. W. Bailey and Capt. Wm. M. Martino are home for a few days.

Mr. Thomas F. Long, purser on the Steamer Tangier, is on a trip to the Exposition this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, John W. Humphreys and Miss Annie Dashiell, of Salisbury, were in town on Sunday last.

Mrs. C. J. Mooney left this week for Crisfield to spend a few days with her sister. From there she will go to Rehoboth for the summer.

Misses Myrtle Kennerly, Blanche Kennerly, Sadie Bradley and Ruby Cooper, of Riverport, were the guests on Saturday and Sunday of Miss Mary E. Cooper.

The gasoline boat Ericliffe, which was burned at Annapolis on May 28th, has been purchased by the Crisfield Packet Co., of Crisfield, and is now here at the railway for repairs. She is in charge of Capt. J. S. Shelton, of Somerset county. When the steamer is finished she will be run as a freight and passenger boat from Crisfield to Smith's Island, Tangier Island and Ford's Wharf.

St. Luke's.

Strawberry picking is the order of the day.

The unwelcome cold weather is still lingering with us.

Mr. Columbus Bunnis and wife of Virginia, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Pearl Sullivan, of Snow Hill, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Davis, of this place.

Mrs. John Watson, of Salisbury, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Elijah Keiley, this week.

Mr. Ernest Bunnis, while riding with Mr. Irving Causey, had the misfortune to fall from the cart and was badly injured.

Mr. Laudie J. C. Lavfield and wife have returned home after an extended visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lavfield.

Kelly.

Mr. Geo. W. Fooks attended services in Salisbury Sunday.

The early strawberries are almost gone, and the Gaudys are going in now.

Messrs. Walter and Fred Collins spent Sunday with their brother, Mr. Marion D. Collins.

Mr. Elijah Parsons has sold his tract of timber to Mr. James E. Dickerson, consideration \$500.00.

Mr. Irving Powell and some more gentlemen of Salisbury passed through our village Sunday in his automobile en route to Snow Hill.

Mrs. Marion D. Collins and little daughter, Emma, and Mrs. Charlotte J. Fooks spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fooks.

Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. Ernest Williams is still on the sick list.

"Tis June—but where are the sunny days and songs of the birds?"

Master Homer Lewis was at the home of Mr. W. G. Nicholson last Tuesday.

Mr. Grover Nicholson spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Burton Baker.

Messrs. George Parker and Calvin Rayne, of Salisbury, were at this place last week.

Miss Nora Shockley, of Wesley, is spending strawberry time with her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Laws.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins, of Wilkards, were the visitors of her father, Mr. W. G. Nicholson.

Parsonsborg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkins of Salisbury spent Sunday with Mr. E. P. Wilkins and family on Main St.

Mr. William White and family of Salisbury were the welcome guests of Mr. A. J. Fighman and family on Poplar street Sunday last.

The dwelling of J. E. Jackson on East Poplar street was totally destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon in spite of all could be done. Most of the furniture and bed clothes were saved. The week's wash and cooking utensils, stove, and other things that were locked in the kitchen, where the fire originated, were burned also.

Three Nurses Graduate.

The Peninsula General Hospital School for Nurses, Class of '07, held its annual commencement exercises in the reception room of the hospital building last evening. While the class was small, there being only three graduates, an unusual interest was manifested in the exercises by the large audience present.

The graduates are: Mrs. Florence S. Smith, and Misses A. Pauline Meredith and Bertha C. Holloway. The following program was rendered: Prayer, Rev. S. W. Reigart; conferring of diplomas, Mr. W. P. Jackson; address to graduates, Dr. T. E. Martindale, and benediction by Rev. S. W. Reigart. The program was interspersed with delightful musical selections by Mrs. Harry C. Tull, and by a quartet composed of Mesdames E. C. Fulton, F. P. Adkins, W. S. Gordy, and Miss Nannie Gordy. A male quartet composed of Messrs. Fred P. Adkins, William Sheppard, Edgar Laws, and Prof. W. P. Dashiell also rendered several pleasing selections.

Gas Now A Sure Thing.

The plant of the Home Gas Company will be erected immediately at the intersection of Cemetery street and the N. Y. P. & N. Railroad tracks, where a lot has been purchased from Dr. E. W. Humphreys, and the work of erecting the plant is to be started at once with the view of an early completion.

After a heated discussion at the council meeting Tuesday evening the franchise was granted to the Home Gas Company. Under the terms of the franchise the company has the right to operate a gas plant and furnish gas to consumers in this city at the rate of \$1.25 to the public and \$1.15 per thousand cubic feet to the city, for a period of 75 years. The franchise was granted for 25 years, subject to a renewal of 50 additional years, the council reserving the right, however, of purchasing the plant and the business at any time after the expiration of 25 years, at a price to be named by the City Council and the Home Gas Company.

To Bridge Tony Tank Creek.

The people of Trappe district, who for some time, have been working for a new river road and bridge across the Tony Tank Creek, have at last, through the kind work of Congressman Thomas A. Smith, secured the consent of the War Department at Washington, and the work will be begun and rushed through with all dispatch possible. The delay in the matter was caused by some of the residents along the creek who objected to a stationary bridge across the stream, but the difficulty was finally overcome by the Commissioners deciding to put in a sliding draw, and thus avoid any trouble.

Contractor Otis Lloyd has the contract in hand, and will go to work as soon as possible, and expects to have the piling completed during the summer.

Straw Ride Thursday Evening.

A party of young people gave a straw-ride Thursday evening. They drove to Miss Dora Jones, of Quantico, Md., where they were invited to a house party. A few Quantico people were invited and all reported an extraordinarily pleasant evening.

Refreshments, consisting of ices, candy and fruit, were served at 11 p. m.

Those composing the Salisbury party were: Mrs. W. A. Kennerly, chaperon, Misses Stella Waller, Clara Dashiell, Mattie Windsor, Katherine Bussells, Addie Waller, Edith Abbott, Catherine Darby, and Margaret Edwards, and Messrs. Raymond Wimbrow, Norman Hitch, Geo. Lankford, Marcellus Bounds, Raymond Ruark, Wm. Smith, Harry Ward, Thomas Perry, Charles Day, Solomon Shockley and Wm. F. Fooks.

George S. Grier.

Mr. George S. Grier, father of Messrs. F. A. and R. D. Grier, of this city, died at his home in Milford, Delaware, June 8th, aged 80 years.

Mr. Grier was born at North Shields, England, August 11th, 1820. He was the father of 17 children, 12 of whom are living. Mr. Grier was a skilled mechanic and the first steam engine south of New Castle, was installed in his shop by him. He was for 45 years a member of the M. E. Church, and has been an Odd Fellow since 1860. He was the owner and inventor of 9 patents, among which are the fruit evaporator, the multiple saw set and the cable car. Eight of his sons bore the body to the grave after the funeral services.

DEATH CLAIMS SEVERAL PROMINENT SALISBURIANS.

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following brothers and sisters: Messrs. John, of Salisbury, and James, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Misses Lillie and Carrie White, also of Salisbury, and Mrs. Gus Q. Parsons, of Parsonsborg.

The funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon by Rev. O. L. Martin, at the M. E. Church at Parsonsborg. The remains were interred in the family burying ground near Melson's.

Buried At Sharptown.

The remains of James M. Williams, who died in Philadelphia last week, were brought to Sharptown Saturday and interred by Undertakers W. D. Gravenor & Bro., in the M. P. Cemetery, after funeral services by Rev. H. W. D. Johnson, assisted by Rev. L. I. McDougle. The interment was made in the private burial lot of his surviving brothers, Wm. H. Williams, of Sharptown, Victor Williams, of Philadelphia, Garey Williams, of Montreal, Canada. His nephews, and Miss Selby, a niece, of Philadelphia, accompanied the remains to Sharptown. The deceased was 69 years old. For several years he was draftsman in the moulding department of Cramp's Shipyard, in Philadelphia. He was charitable, kind and of a good moral character.

Collector's Sale

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate

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CORPORATION TAXES

FOR THE YEAR 1906.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale conferred upon the undersigned, by law, as Collector of Corporation Taxes for the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, for the year 1906, the undersigned, as Collector aforesaid, will sell at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in SALISBURY, Wicomico County, Maryland, on

Saturday, June 29th,

1907, at or about 2 o'clock, p. m., to satisfy the Corporation Taxes aforesaid, duly levied by the Mayor and City Council, October 1st, 1906, with costs, for the said year 1906, and now remaining unpaid, the following Real and Personal Property:

No. 2.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on South Division Street, in Parsons Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Samuel T. Williams, with costs.

No. 4.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Delaware Street, in Salisbury Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Charles W. West, with costs.

No. 5.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Newton Street, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to J. Thomas Taylor, Jr., with costs.

No. 6.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Race Street, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Larry King, with costs.

No. 7.—Personal Property situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Camden Avenue, in Camden Election District, and assessed in 1906 to Capt. R. B. White, with costs.

No. 10.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Handy's Alley, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Martha E. Gordy, with costs.

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English Longcloths...10c, 12c to 15c
French Madras...10c, 15c, to 25c
Egyptian Barred and Striped Dimities, 8c, to 15c
Swiss, in checks and dots...15c to 25c
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Public Sale OF VALUABLE Town Property

The undersigned will offer for sale at the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland,

Saturday, June 29, 1907 AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,

The Lot and Dwelling, Situate at the Corner of Church & Bond Sts., Salisbury,

formerly occupied by Mr. W. C. Gullett. The dwelling is supplied with sewer and water system, and one-half interest in a water tank, which supplies the house, will be included in the sale. This lot is 45 x 103 feet and is an exceptionally valuable property.

Terms made known on day of sale.

S. P. WOODCOCK.

Children's Day Exercises.

Children's services were held in the M. E. Church at Sharptown on Sunday night last. The program was well rendered. A large audience greeted the speakers and seemed to enjoy the occasion. The offering was made by the classes, through the following teachers:

- B. P. Gravenor...\$11.85
Miss Ida Connolly...12.50
C. J. Gravenor...6.80
L. T. Cooper...10.75
Rev. L. I. McDougle...42.55
Mrs. L. I. McDougle...8.10
Miss Alice Willing...10.15
J. Frank Wheatley...10.45
H. G. Elzey...2.00
Mrs. Annie McWilliams...2.75
Miss Maggie Wheatley...4.48
Mrs. Annie Knowles...7.62
Miss Ada Walker...7.23
Mrs. Laura Covington...6.61
Mrs. Lola Elzey...11.60
Mrs. Clara Bennett...4.10
Collection from congregation...4.70

Total—\$168.89

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Wharf At Upper Ferry?

The residents of Trappe district have decided to petition the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company to build a wharf at the Upper Ferry. For a long time they have been working to get this wharf, but there seemed to be a division among the residents as to where it should be located, some desiring it at the Upper Ferry and others favoring the Lower Ferry. On Saturday night last a meeting of the residents of the district was held in the Post Office at Whayland, and a vote was taken for the location, which decided in favor of the Upper Ferry.

It is hoped that the railroad officials will consider the proposition favorably, as a wharf at this place would be a great convenience to both the residents of that district, and the merchants of Salisbury, who have a lot of trade going from here to that district.

At a meeting of the directors of the Ocean City Pier and Improvement Company, at Ocean City Wednesday, it was decided that the company operate the amusements on the pier, and Captain Christopher Ludlem was appointed manager. The skating rink and pool rooms were leased to Mr. John D. Showell for the season. The large pier is nearly completed and presents a handsome appearance.

Photo Fancies

Pretty name, isn't it? Yes, but the photos themselves are prettier. Now that Taylor is making them at a special price, you ought to take advantage of it. Any style you prefer without additional cost.

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CARELESSNESS REVEALED BY EXAMINATION OF PIPES.

Mains Laid by Gas Company Rendered Worthless by Apparent Negligence of The Street Paving Contractors.

Mr. Thomas W. Shallross, representing Mr. Miller, the Wilmington contractor, who recently laid the gas mains on Main, Dock and Division streets, under the present vitrified brick paving, was in town yesterday and made a careful test of the pipes laid at that time.

It was discovered as soon as the testing apparatus was applied to the pipes that there was something vitally wrong with the system, as the pipes refused to stand even a half-pound pressure. Arrangements were immediately made with the Salisbury Water Company, and through the courtesy of the Superintendent, Mr. Ralph B. Rhodes, the pipes were connected with the water system for the purpose of making another and more complete test, but it was found that the pipes would not stand even the slightest pressure when tested in this way.

The plans and specifications were at once consulted and a number of the connections running to the curbs on Dock street were located and examined, and it was found that in some instances the pipes had been entirely cut off by the street paving contractors in placing the new curbs along the street. In others, they had been bent and crushed out of the way so as to make room for the paving, which rendered the connections practically useless. Only an exhaustive and minute examination of all the connections of the system will reveal the total damage to the mains and the repairs necessary to render the pipes available for any practical purpose.

There is a decided question as to the parties upon whom the responsibility of this apparent gross negligence will eventually fall, but it is thought that the paving contractors, Messrs. B. F. Sweeten and Son, will be compelled to bear the burden of the blame.

The examination was made by request of the directors of the Home Gas Company, who, under the terms of the present franchise are to take over the pipes laid by the Salisbury Gas Company, provided satisfactory terms can be agreed upon.

Would Build New Roads.

At a recent meeting of the School Board, requests were made for new buildings and repairs as follows:

Delmar—addition to present building, to contain two rooms below and assembly hall above; estimated cost, about \$1,500. Mar del a—two-room building; estimated cost, \$800.00. Double Mills—new one-room building; estimated cost, \$400.00. Willard—new two-room building; estimated cost, \$800.00. Friendship—new one-room building; estimated cost, \$400.00. Repairs, ranging in cost from \$25.00 to \$200.00, are asked for the following schools: Quantic, Gordy's, Morris, Powellville, Charity, Sharptown, Rockwalkin, Wango, Pittsville, Fruitland, Tyaskin, Shad Point, Bivalve and several other schools.

Successful Demonstration.

A practical demonstration of the Patrol Fire Extinguisher was given early in the week by Mr. W. J. Collins. The demonstration was the result of an argument to the effect that it was impossible to put out a gasoline fire on water. A barrel filled with straw was saturated with machine oil and gasoline and thrown overboard in the river ignited. A terrific blaze, which spread over a large surface of water followed, and while the fire was at its height the chemical apparatus was brought into use and in an exceedingly short time the flames were extinguished, thus proving the value of such apparatus in connection with a gasoline boat.

Enjoyable Bridge Party.

Mr. Howard Ruark entertained a number of friends at a bridge whist party at his home on William street Thursday evening, after which delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Miss Nell Waller, of Princess Anne; and the Misses Louise Perry, Laura Waller, Bessie Trader, Ora Disharoon and Mary Cooper Smith and Messrs. Edgar Laws, Harvey Roberson, Herman Hodson, William Sheppard, Claude Dorman and Howard Ruark.

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO BRIDGE LAKE HUMPHREYS.

N. Y. P. & N. R. Co. Has Purchased Right of Way And Will Fill In Old Mill Pond—Citizens Want Roadway Built.

The announcement that the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company is contemplating extensive improvements to its property across the Humphreys mill pond has been met with general approval by the citizens of Salisbury, particularly by those who are interested in shipping and receiving consignments of goods, and those who are constant travellers on the railroad.

The company has recently purchased from the heirs of the late Thomas Humphreys an additional 89 feet across the pond for a consideration of \$1800.00, and contemplate tearing down the present wooden bridge and filling in the pond, with the exception of about forty feet in the center, which will be left open for a channel. This will be bridged by a steel truss, on stone abutments. When this has been completed a double track is to replace the old single track, which will make a double track system from Delmar to Fruitland, thus greatly relieving the congested freight and passenger traffic between these points.

It is estimated that the proposed improvements will make necessary an expenditure of several thousand dollars, and it has been suggested by Salisburyans, particularly those living in the neighborhood of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk station and South Salisbury that a roadway and walk for pedestrians be constructed across the mill pond in connection with the proposed railroad bridge at the same time the improvements are being made by the railroad company. This is, indeed, a much needed improvement and as the city is making rapid growth, both in South Salisbury and beyond the station, and as at present it is necessary to travel a considerable distance from one point to the other, it is evident that the time is not a great way off when it will be necessary to bridge Lake Humphreys, and it would seem that the improvement could be made at a lower cost to the city, if it were done at the same time that the work is being done by the company.

As yet no definite plans have been formulated by those interested in this movement, but it is thought that in the near future a committee will be appointed to lay the matter before the council, with the view, if possible, of making the improvement at once. A great percentage of the city's population is interested, and this step, if taken by the city authorities, would indeed be a great stride toward the advancement of Salisbury's welfare.

Miss Norma R. Turner Married In Baltimore.

That Dan Cupid is an adept in affairs of the heart was again demonstrated last evening in Baltimore, when Miss Norma R. Turner of this city, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Knapp, of Arizona. The marriage was the culmination of a brief but ardent courtship on the part of the Western lover and while the bride's father, Mr. W. D. Turner, of Main street, this city, was aware of the matrimonial intentions of the young couple, their decision to tie the nuptial knot at this time, and in Baltimore and not at the residence of Mr. Turner, in Salisbury, came as a surprise. It had been expected that the ceremony would be performed at a later date in this city.

Only about a year ago Miss Turner completed a course of instruction at the La Salle Seminary of Boston, and shortly afterward, while on a visit in Baltimore, she met Mr. Knapp. Then followed the courtship, in the breezy Arizona manner, which resulted in the marriage ceremony last evening.

Mrs. Knapp is well known in Salisbury and is a young woman of many accomplishments. She is a niece of Mr. Oscar A. Turner, of Baltimore, a former Salisburyan and a multi-millionaire. Mr. and Mrs. Knapp will arrive in Salisbury on the boat Sunday morning and it is expected that their honeymoon will be spent at the home of the bride's father. The young couple will be accompanied by the Misses Lillian and Hope Turner, sisters of the bride, and Mr. John Turner, her brother, who were present at the wedding last evening.

For Sale: Fresh Cow. E. P. Downing.

PLEASING MUSICAL GIVEN BY MISS ALICE WOOD.

Delightful Program Rendered Wednesday Evening In Honor of Miss Nettie Jones of The Peabody Institute.

Miss Alice Wood gave a musical Wednesday evening at her home on Camden avenue in honor of Miss Nettie Jones, of Baltimore. The guests included: Mesdames M. A. Humphreys, F. P. Adkins, H. B. Freeny, Lloyd U. Watson, H. C. Anstey, E. C. Fulton, H. C. Tull, T. E. Martindale, W. S. Gordy, Jr., George F. Sharpley, D. C. Weatherhead and the Misses Nettie Jones, Nancy Gordy, Maria Ellegood, Mary Lee White, Emma Powell, Clara Walton, Dorothy Wilcox, Edith and Vera Weisbach, Lillie and May Humphreys, Laura Elliott, Wilkie Woodcock, Mary Cooper Smith, Victoria and Sara Phillips. Refreshments consisting of punch, ices, cakes, nuts and bon-bons were served at eleven o'clock.

The following program was rendered:

Piano Solos—"Venetian Love Song"—Nevin; "Poupee Valsante"—Poldini. Miss Jones.

Vocal Duet—"See The Pale Moon."—Campana. Mrs. M. A. Humphreys, Miss Ellegood.

Piano Solo—"Eccossaisen"—Beethoven—Reinecke. Miss Weisbach.

Vocal Solo—"Adoration"—Telma. Miss Elliott.

Piano Solos—"Serenade"—Sinding; "Rustle of Spring"—Sinding. Miss Jones.

Quartet—"Last Night"—Kjerulf—Rees. Mrs. M. A. Humphreys, Miss Ellegood, Mrs. F. P. Adkins, Mrs. T. E. Martindale.

Piano Duet—"Military March"—Schubert. The Misses Weisbach.

Vocal Solo—"O, Dry Those Tears"—Teresa Bel Riego. Mrs. E. C. Fulton.

Violin Solo—"Arabesque"—Wranzell. Miss Walton.

Vocal Solo—"The Call Of The Roses"—Nevin. Miss Wilkie Woodcock.

Piano Solos—"Ballade"—Chopin; "Hark! Hark! The Lark"—Schubert. Miss Jones.

Annual Institute Program.

The following program has been arranged by County Superintendent H. Crawford Bounds, for the tri-county institute of Wicomico, Worcester and Somerset school teachers, which will be held at Ocean City August 26th to September 6th:

Manual Arts and Science—Prof. W. A. Hammel, Instructor in Manual Training and Physics in State Normal College, Greensboro, N. C.

Mathematics—Prof. Robert F. Anderson, Instructor in Mathematics in State Normal School, West Chester, Pa.

Interpretive Reading, Literature and Pedagogy—Prof. Cheltenham, Superintendent of Public Schools, Ashburn, Pa.

Latin—Prof. J. Walter Huntington, Principal of Wicomico High School, Salisbury, Md.

English Composition—Dr. Henry S. Wert, Assistant Superintendent of Baltimore City Public Schools.

Language—Miss Sarah C. Brooks, Principal of Baltimore City Training School.

Music—Miss Christine Richards, Supervisor of Music in Wicomico Public Schools.

Ferry Contracts For Sale.

As there were still some objections to the proposed new road from Bivalve to Windsor Cove, in Nanticoke district, the matter was laid over for further consideration at the meeting of the County Commissioners Tuesday. The Commissioners ratified the report of Elisha W. Morris, E. P. Parsons and George F. Adams, commissioners of Deep Branch Tax Ditch. The pension of Amanda Nelson was continued and an order for \$1.25 was sent to Mitchell and Goslee to furnish goods.

Mr. Harrison, representing the York Bridge Co., spent some time before the Board, showing drawings for a new bridge at foot of Main Street. The drawings show a bridge with 16-foot driveway and a walk-way for pedestrians of 5 feet on the North side.

The Board decided to sell contracts for ferries for 1908 as follows: Wetpquin Ferry, Saturday, June 29th, at 10 a. m.; White Haven, 3 o'clock, p. m. same day; Wicomico Creek, same day, at 10 a. m.; Upper Ferry, same day, at 8 p. m.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Received At The Clerk's Office in Salisbury For Record During The Past Week. W. W. Culver, Jr., and wife to William K. Leatherbury, real estate in town of White Haven. Consideration \$100.

FOURTH OF JULY PROGRAM. Street Parade Will Take Place At Noon—Two Games Of Ball—Fireworks at Night. The citizens of Salisbury are responding nobly to the call for the grand patriotic celebration in Salisbury on July 4th.

IRATE LOVER'S DOUBLE CRIME. Lodey Davis Mortally Wounds His Sweetheart And Then Commits Suicide. Angered because she would not promise to be his bride, Lodey Davis shot and probably mortally wounded Miss Besie Lambertson, of Worcester county, and then, returning to the scene of the first shot, he put an end to his own existence.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD Bulletin.

LOW-RATE NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS. "It soothes, while it awes the mind," is the phrase used by the great American author, Nathaniel Hawthorne, in writing of Niagara Falls, and its many phases of beauty and grandeur. To those who have never viewed this magnificent spectacle, it will prove an enthralling revelation of majesty, beauty, and power that must remain forever a delightful memory.

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Death Of George W. Covington. Capt. George W. Covington, aged about fifty-five years, died at his home in Josterville, Md., May 24th, 1907, of complication of diseases. He was a sailor from early life, and was known as a "boy captain."

Below is the program, not official, but a rough draft to show what is being planned for Salisbury on that day: 9:00 to 9:30—Opening address on Festival grounds.

Shortly afterward, Mrs. Lambertson thought she heard a moaning noise, and she called her husband, and after a short time they found their daughter lying in the woods. She was too weak from loss of blood to tell them what had happened, but later told the story as related above.

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Resolved, That in this hour of bereavement and affliction, we tender our sympathy and regards to the sons, also the widowed grandmother of the boys. May she live long, and we hope they may take the advice of their aged grandmother through the walks of life, and care for her as she has cared for them for many years.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes and inserted in the papers and a copy forwarded to the family of the deceased Brother. Committee. GEO. H. KERSHAW, Recording Secretary.

Resolved, That we testify our love and esteem for our deceased Brother and his family our sincere condolence and sympathy, and indulge the hope that the Supreme Ruler of the Universe will temper the blow so as to wipe away the tears of sorrow and heal the wounds caused by the open grave.

Resolved, That in the loss of our Brother his place is vacant in our Tribe, and may we long remember his counsel and his defense of the great principles of Redmanship. Be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, to two of the county papers and one to the Baltimore American for publication.

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Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company Schedule effective June 10, 1907. Table with columns for West Bound, East Bound, and South-Bound Trains, listing times for various stations like Baltimore, Ocean City, Berlin, etc.

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FREDERICK CITY FINANCES.

City Register Shepherd Makes Creditable Report-City's Bonded Indebtedness.

The annual report of the financial condition of Frederick has been prepared by City Register E. Clarence Shepherd, and will be submitted to the Aldermen. The report shows the source of all revenue and the total expenditure of the city government. The receipts for the year were \$85,636.48 and the expenditures were \$81,647.65.

The taxable basis of Frederick is about \$4,055,000 and the rate of taxation is \$1.10 on the \$100. The law provides that 10 per cent. of the taxes must be maintained as a sinking fund for the city. Heretofore this fund has been absorbed by the expenses of the city, but since the incumbency of Mr. Shepherd it has been held in tact and has amounted to during the past three years more than \$16,000.

Frederick city has a bonded indebtedness of \$579,500 and a floating debt not secured by bonds of \$32,250, making a total debt of \$611,750. The first of this debt began in 1865, when General Early levied the sum of \$123,000 upon the citizens as a war tax. In 1865 bonds to the amount of \$55,000 were issued for a city hall and market house, and the same year \$34,500 worth of bonds were issued for a water supply. About the same time bonds to the amount of \$250,000 were issued to aid in the construction of Frederick and Pennsylvania Railroad. Then, in 1870, bonds to the amount of \$50,000 were issued to widen and improve Carroll creek. In 1894, \$35,000 new reservoir bonds were issued, and in 1898, \$35,000 was raised by a new issue of bonds to add Fishing creek to the water supply.

In Memory of Celia A. Whiteley.

It is not always that one can write of a beautiful character to departed friends a labor of love, penning a few lines to the memory of such an one. In the long past, nigh on to seventy years ago, on the head waters of "Blinkhorn," in an old log cabin and in a beautiful oak forest, Celia Whiteley (then Connelley) attended school with the writer, and some fifty others. We roved and played together. Now the last one of these will soon be called, like our dear friend, to pass the portals of death. In girlhood Celia Connelley was meek and was beloved, giving evidence then of the future beautiful character of her womanhood. She was early called from school to take charge of her father's store, owing to his meeting with an accident making him a permanent cripple. In the bloom of womanhood, among others who sought her hand in marriage was Alexander Whiteley, one of nature's noblemen, especially in the higher qualities that make a perfect man; if we can attribute such words to mortal man. It was a union we may suppose of God Almighty's making. Just in the meridian of life he was called away to his higher home; and the widow traveled the onward path; but not alone—she was blessed with several exemplary children to aid and cherish her through life. And as she had lived the humble Christian life, so she passed in her seventy-seventh year of age, to meet the Lamb of God and her beloved husband, with other dear ones, in the Haven of Rest.

Passing out of the Shadow
Into the purer light,
Stepping behind the curtains,
Getting a clearer sight;

Laying aside the burden,
This weary mortal coil,
Done with the world's vexations,
Done with its tears and toil;

Tired of all earth's playthings
Heart sick and ready to sleep,
Ready to bid our friends farewell,
Wondering why they weep.

Passing out of the shadow
Into the perfect day,
Why should we call it dying—
This beautiful going away?

Preston, 6th mo., 1902. K

Plant A Japanese Flower Garden.

Your home can not be complete and up-to-date without containing some of these charming imported semi-arid annuals. The seed should be in the ground by July 15th to obtain beautiful results this summer and autumn.

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As the supply for this season is limited and the object is to introduce the cultivation of Japanese Flower Gardens throughout the United States, only one lot will be sent to the same person, and all applications should be forwarded immediately.

If you wish to secure a large package sufficient for a complete Japanese Flower Garden, send your name and address, plainly written, with fifteen 2c. stamps to the Japanese Flower Culture Association, 74 Lafayette Street, New York, and the complete collection will be sent to your address, charges prepaid.

PERFORMING DUMB ANIMALS.

Marvelous Feats Of Elephants And Educated Horses Big Feature Of Van Amburg's Shows.

Not all of the many sides of interest of a circus pilgrimage is seen upon the bills. Could our readers but follow the magnificent horses all day as they go about the show ground they would be surprised by the revelation of horse sense.

There are to be counted with the Van Amburg Shows almost 300 head of horses, and they are all beauties, "perfectly lovely." Each of these horses can find the car in which it travels at night and can find its proper stall. In the morning when the train is unloaded it knows where to go and where to stand. It knows when its cage or den is ready to be taken to the ground; it sizes up the situation and where its load should be taken. The horse will find its proper place in the big horse tents, and when the parade is ready it knows where it should fall in. These circus horses know as much about the performances as do the people with the show. It has been claimed, and is probably true, that the ring and performing horses know when they will be needed in the ring, that they can tell by the music of the band.

The circus horses know when to pull and when to lay down; they know how to stand up in a moving car and they know how to hurry in case of a storm. They can do everything but talk.

To select the kind of horses which have given the Great Van Amburg Shows a national reputation for having the finest horses of any show on earth, much time, intelligence, patience and perseverance was required. For the baggage and heavy work the Percheron type of draft horse was selected, and for the hippodrome races was chosen thirty clean-cut Kentucky thoroughbred runners. Each year new stock is selected, always from the same breeds, and those that have been scarred, blemished or injured are culled out.

The mating up of the different teams is an object lesson to the eye, uniformity of size, color and style always predominating. When to the 300 head of beautiful black, dapple gray and bay horses is added the sixty-eight cute Shetland ponies, it is not strange that the lengthy street parade of the Van Amburg Shows is a most imposing and pleasing sight.

When the Great Van Amburg Shows exhibit here, citizens will not only find the circus and menagerie exceedingly worthy of their patronage, but they will find that the Van Amburg Horse Stables compose a veritable horse fair and they should always be visited. The visitor should not ask what becomes of these horses if they become crippled, as they will be displeased with the answer, which is that they are fed to the animals.

The big show comes to Salisbury Tuesday, June 25th.

Items Of Interest In Other Counties

Wm. J. Kirbin, Esq., of Snow Hill, has announced his candidacy for the State's Attorneyship for Worcester county. Mr. Kirbin is running as an independent Democrat and says that his platform is the submission to popular vote of the question as to the legality or illegality of the issuance of liquor licenses in that county.

Governor Warfield has announced the appointment of Mr. James W. Haucock, Republican, as one of the Supervisors of Worcester county in the place of the late James Edward Boehn.

The recent Firemen's Convention in session at Annapolis adopted the following scale of benefits, payable to its members in case of accident: For loss of one leg, \$75; loss of both legs, \$150; loss of one arm, \$60, loss of both arms, \$125; loss of one eye, \$50; loss of both eyes, \$200; an injury resulting in permanent disability, \$300; sick benefits, \$10 for first week, \$1.25 for additional days—total not to exceed \$50.

The Accomac Traction and Power Company has sold its bond issue of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars to a Philadelphia banking concern. The proposed line runs from Onancock to Tazewell, on the N. Y. P. & Railroad, thence to Accomac Court House, and thence to Battle Point on the Metompkin Bay. The distance for the entire line is nine miles. It is expected that active operations will be begun within a week and the road completed by the first of October.

Bridgeville seems to be the center of the strawberry belt in this locality this year, and it is said that an average of twenty-eight cars have been shipped from that point daily since the season commenced. More than twenty thousand dollars has been paid to farmers residing within a radius of twenty miles of that town in a single week.

Accidents will happen, but the regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurt.

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Mrs. R. L. Redden, living on Tilghman St., Salisbury, Md., says: I still think well of Doan's Kidney pills. I made a statement for publication in 1903, and it gives me pleasure at this time, May 9th, 1907, to reiterate all I said in favor of them in my former statement. I suffered from abnormal kidneys for four years or more. My kidneys failed to perform their functions and the poison which should have passed off with the secretions, passed again into the blood and affected my whole system, causing not only excruciating backache and misery through my loins, but my back became so weak at times as to prevent me from attending to my ordinary household duties. I spent sleepless and restless nights, and weary, languid days, and there seemed to be no help for me. I was told about Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box at White & Leonard's drug store. It is the only medicine that ever gave me any real, lasting benefit. They cured me and I have not had any return of the complaint since, my blood was purified, and my general condition was wonderfully improved. I also want to say a word in favor of Doan's Ointment as I think it has no equal, and I would not be without it in the house. It will cure itching piles, eczema or any skin eruption, and any sufferer should try Doan's Ointment.

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Fear Wheat Crop Failure.

Considerable alarm is being expressed by farmers throughout Kent county in regard to the wheat crop. Investigations this week have revealed the fact that the grains of wheat have not formed to the mature size, as should be the case at this time, and the bloom has been washed or blown from the heads, leaving them in an immature state. Experienced wheat growers say that when the bloom falls from the grain it should be entirely filled out and in a milky state. A large percentage of the grains have formed only from a quarter to a half of their normal size and show no indication whatever for a larger growth. Some have expressed the belief that the grain will yet fill out and make a good yield, but more experienced farmers declare the grains are as large now as they will become, and will ripen at their present size.

Many heads are found which do not contain half a dozen grains.

Mayor Interfered.

Charles P. Collins, Glen Echo's auto-chaser, was advertised to appear on the Glen Echo Park stage last Monday evening and go through the pantomime of chasing an automobile and arresting the chauffeur, but Mayor Garrett disarranged the plans and forbade Collins to appear in any such stunt.

In anticipation of the performance a very large crowd journeyed out to Glen Echo, and, while disappointed so far as Collins' part in the show was concerned, had the satisfaction of seeing him in the role of park bouncer, and during the entire evening he was surrounded by a crowd of the curious.

Communicated.

Whaleville Md. June, 17, '07. Editor THE COURIER Salisbury, Md. Dear Sir:—Will you please insert the following in your next issue.

Hurrah! For the Box Social! The Ladies Aid Society of the M. F. Church of Whaleville, will hold on the evening of June 29, 1907 at the I. O. W. R. M. Hall a Box Social and Festival combined.

Music and recitations will be some of the features of the evening.

Come one! Come all! The proceeds for the benefit of the M. F. Church.

Ladies Aid Society of M. F. Church.

Marriage Licenses.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 1907.

Mr. Miller And The Comptrollership.

The Baltimore American, in its issue of last Sunday, among a number of other prominent Republicans of the State, mentioned the name of Mr. Walter B. Miller, of this city, in connection with the nomination for State Comptroller this Fall.

During the week Mr. Miller was asked if he desired to issue a statement of any kind in connection with the article which appeared in last Sunday's paper, and he merely replied that he was in no sense a candidate for the office and knew nothing of the matter until his name and cut appeared in the recent issue of The American. He even went further and stated that he did not see how he could accept the nomination even if it should be tendered him by the party, but as no official action had been taken, he did not feel that he was called upon to make any statement of any character in connection with it.

As Mr. Miller has never sought public office, we were confident that he was in no way a candidate for this or any other position in the gift of the people, and fully agree with him in the attitude he has assumed upon the subject at this time. At the same time, speaking for the Republicans of this county, many of whom have expressed themselves in relation to the matter, we feel sure it would be a source of gratification if this nomination should come to him. If it were tendered in the right way, we hardly feel that he could afford to ignore it or "turn it down," and can assure him of the cordial and hearty support of his own party.

Locally, it is a well recognized and universally conceded fact that Mr. Miller would make an ideal candidate for the State Comptrollership, and in case of his election, few counties would be more ably represented in that body than Wicomico. It is to be regretted that more men of Mr. Miller's force of character and general versatility, as well as broad-minded grasp of the public questions of the day, have not been placed in positions of prominence and power in the political arena of the State.

Mr. Kerbin And The Worcester County Liquor Question.

The platform of Wm. G. Kerbin, Esq., who announces himself as an independent Democratic candidate for State's Attorney for Worcester county is a most excellent one, and one which should be adopted by both parties in that county this Fall. Mr. Kerbin believes in the right of submission to popular vote of the question of granting or not granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors throughout the county, and advocates the passage of such a law by the next Legislature.

We fail to understand, however, how Mr. Kerbin, if elected, would be in position to carry out, or

even attempt to carry out the provisions of his own platform, and confess it is exceedingly difficult to understand how a State's Attorney could officially effect the matter one way or the other. The platform is unquestionably all right, but the fight should be made along the line of the Legislative tickets.

There is no principle more fully and absolutely established among American institutions than that of local self-government, and every locality ought to have the right to determine for itself this vital question which effects more than any other single issue, the peace, prosperity and order of the people of that particular section. While we have always believed in, and fought for, local option, and the prevention of the sale of intoxicating liquors, and think it is one of the greatest moral principles involved in the political life of the day, still if this or any other community should by a majority vote decide in favor of intoxicating liquors, there is no reason why the community in general should not abide by the result as cheerfully as it does in the result of the various elections for public office. Under these circumstances there should be an arousal of the public conscience and the creation of an increased sentiment in favor of the total abolition of the liquor business so that the next election would result in its complete overthrow.

The continuation of the traffic in Worcester, in view of the saloons at Ocean City, affects to a certain extent every county along the line of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway. Upon many of the excursion trains constantly leaving the resort, there are a number of men under the influence of liquor, and for several years past, it has been only by constant and active efforts on the part of the company, through uniformed officers, that proper order has been maintained. Every principle of equity and justice demands that the people of the county have a right to express their views in a legal way upon the matter, and we have little fear as to the outcome when the final struggle takes place.

The "Advertiser" And The State Senatorship.

The Salisbury Advertiser has been getting a regular "hump" upon itself recently and is making wonderful "splurges" in the political field. It has been in such a quiescent and dormant state for such a long period that its sudden exhibition of life is rather startling, and grave fears are entertained—by a certain political organization—as to the ulterior motives which are producing these brilliant flashes in its meteoric career.

The rattle of "heavy artillery" in the School Board matter was followed by a death-like silence, just at the time when the public was expecting the final and all-important "death-dealing charge." Its "guns" apparently were "spiked" on the verge of victory and the triumphant coup d'etat turned into a dismal failure. Undismayed, however, by so trifling and unimportant a matter as this, it once more breaks forth into two "four-column scare-heads" and caps the climax by running a miscellaneous collection of odd-sized cuts under the caption—"Wicomico Gentlemen who are in the Public Mind for the Maryland Senate from this County this Fall."

The Advertiser evidently found news exceptionally scarce last week, and the space simply had to be filled, and how, pray tell, could it be filled better than by the production of these time-honored half tones (?) some of which were long since laid on the shelf, as having served their purpose.

It's an "awful" easy way of obtaining prominence—this "being mentioned" for public office—and it is quite possible that some of those named by The Advertiser may have been "mentioned"—but diligent inquiry during the past week fails to reveal any serious indications of such "mentioning," unless perchance it may have been in the inner sanctuary or sanctum sanctorum of The Salisbury Advertiser.

We believe we once heard that Mr. Thomas Perry was mentioned for a place of this kind—perhaps eight years ago—but if after that boom had been carefully laid to rest by a discriminating party, he has been mentioned since, there have been few traces left in the minds of a reflective public. His cut evidently needed using, and as the possibility of its use at some future time was not only exceedingly remote but practically out of the question, and as that particular space needed filling,—it had to go in, even though it was an odd size and a bad fit.

The Advertiser very evidently intends to get into the political "game" in this county this Fall, and we fancy many sleepless nights and weary vigils are in store for the Democratic organization, and The Wicomico News, its official organ.

Some Democratic Candidates For State's Attorney.

We might suggest to our Democratic legal brethren that a general announcement on the part of the Democratic Bar of Wicomico county for the position of State's Attorney for this county might not be out of order. At present a list of "available" candidates among the legal profession, who are entirely willing to accept the nomination for this particular office at the hands of the Democratic party seems to be about as follows:

Joseph L. Bailey, Esq., of Quantico fame, State's Attorney for eight years and not averse to another nomination.

L. Atwood Bennett, Esq., a former member of the House of Delegates of Maryland.

George W. Bell, Esq., one of the "old guard," and an important factor in the race.

F. Leonard Wailes, Esq., a member of the firm of Illegood, Freeny & Wailes (nothing further need be said).

Samuel R. Douglass, Esq., a nephew of Judge Holland, and one of the proverbially "logical" candidates for the place.

Alexander M. Jackson, Esq., the latest acquisition to the Wicomico Bar, and in the "fearfully receptive" class.

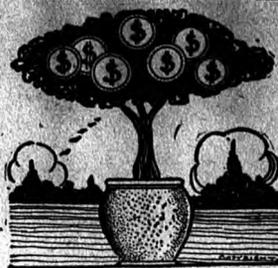
George W. D. Waller, Esq., ex-candidate for the same office on a fusion ticket, ultra-conservative and anti-organization.

Editorial Jottings.

More detachments have been sent to the scene of in-"action" on Isabella street and the "standing army" has been materially reinforced during the week. It's about time the whole army was being buried.

What's the matter with the "River Road" bridge? Every old thing seems to hold the project up. However, the County Commissioners have promised definite action next week, and before long this long-promised and eagerly-sought-for highway should be opened to the public.

While The Advertiser was making up its Senatorial list last week, how in the world did it come to omit the name of the Mayor? Hasn't his administration given us paved streets and a gas franchise, and all sorts of things? Base ingratitude! The Advertiser should revise its list and include the Mayor's photo in its collection.



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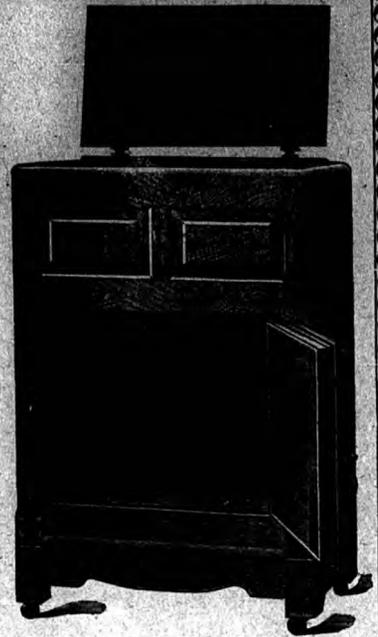
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The Busy Corner **NOCK BROS.** Main & Dock

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We are showing this week a full line of the latest patterns in Wide Embroideries and Swiss Flouncings. open eyelet, blind and shadow effect, all match sets. These goods were bought under price, and we sell them under price. They are the season's latest novelties.

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HARVEY WHITELEY, 205 South Division St.

THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Mr. John W. Brittingham has just been elected Treasurer of the State Firemen's Association which has been in session recently in Annapolis.

—Mr. W. C. Powell, the well known contractor of this city, has just been awarded the contract for the new Methodist Episcopal Parsonage at Georgetown, Del.

—The Baltimore Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company awarded the contract during the week to Capt. Otis S. Lloyd for the building of a large pier and freight house at Tangier Island.

—Checks have just been received for \$4000 by Solon Conclave Improved Order of Heptasophs to pay the benefits of the late Wm. B. Tilghman and Thomas E. Taylor, who were members of the order.

—Miss Nina Grace Venables who has been attending Western Maryland College during the last year as a member of the Junior Class, was awarded a gold medal at the exercises of that institution Wednesday evening.

—James E. Ellegood, Esq., who is a member of the Board of Visitors of Washington College, Chestertown, attended the exercises Tuesday commemorating the 125th anniversary of the founding of that institution.

—So far the cold weather does not seem to have interfered with the strawberry crop and the general impression is that the yield will be an unusually profitable one. This week will be about the last of the season in this county.

—On and after Saturday, June 22nd, the following wholesale houses will close every Saturday at 3 p. m.:
Turner Bros. Co.
B. L. Gillis & Son
W. E. Sheppard & Co.

—On and after Monday June 24th the following meat stores will close their places of business at 7 o'clock p. m., except Saturdays.
D. S. Wroten.
L. S. Short.
W. D. Turner.

—The Young Woman's Circle connected with Asbury M. E. Church, was entertained on Tuesday evening last by Mrs. J. A. Parks, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Lucas. An enjoyable program was rendered and refreshments were served.

—The total distribution of the State School Fund for the quarter ending June 15th, according to the apportionment of the Comptroller, amounts to \$306,407.50. Wilcomico will receive \$6,537.53, Worcester \$6,037.73 and Somerset \$7,448.54.

—Extensive improvements have been just completed in the studio of Mr. Taylor, the Main street photographer. The walls and ceiling have been redecorated and Mr. Taylor now has one of the most up-to-date and well arranged studios on the Shore.

—Miss Mary L. Porter, daughter of Mr. Wm. T. Porter, returned Tuesday to her home, from Western Maryland College which she has been attending for the past three years. Miss Porter has led her class each year and expects to graduate next June.

—The heaviest shipments of strawberries known in Salisbury for many years were made last Saturday, when forty-two refrigerator cars loaded with berries left Salisbury on the Boston train. Several times this week the shipments have been almost as heavy.

—Mrs. Holloway and daughter, Miss C. Nettie Holloway, recently left for Virginia, and will be away for probably six weeks. During their absence they will spend most of the time with Mr. Louis Holloway, and family, and will also visit the Jamestown Exposition before their return.

—The Mutual Lumber Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000 by the following gentlemen: Harry T. Messick, B. Frank Messick, Wm. F. Messick, Guy Long and Percy Trussell. The directors for the first are: Harry T. Messick, B. Frank Messick, Clyde C. Crawford, Harry Jones and Guy Q. Crawford.

—At the meeting of the School Board yesterday it was ordered that Messrs. Toadvin and Bell be employed as attorneys for the Board at a cost of \$50 per year. The secretary was ordered to ascertain from the trustees of Quantico and Powellville schools the cost of making necessary repairs to the schools and out-buildings.

—In another column of this issue, the County School Board advertises for bids for the building of a single story school building at Double Mills, Barren Creek district, and a two room building at Willards, the plans of which are now on file at the superintendent's office. The bids will be received 10 a. m. Friday June 28th.

Personal.

—Mrs. Annie Phipps is visiting in Snow Hill and Berlin.

—Mr. Lynn Perry of Philadelphia is in town for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ulman have returned from the Jamestown Exposition.

—Miss Rebecca Smyth is visiting Miss Anna Rose Cohn, at Norfolk, Va.

—Mrs. George W. Nealy left yesterday for a visit among friends at Crisfield.

—Mr. Rowland Post, of Vienna, is spending several days with friends in this city.

—Miss Ruth Kennerly left yesterday for an extended visit to Baltimore and Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday with relatives in this city.

—Misses Alma and Nellie Laukford have returned to their home on William street for the summer.

—Mrs. J. T. Taylor, Jr., and daughter, Ethel, of Princess Anne, visited friends in this city Wednesday.

—Miss Mamie Phipps has returned after a five weeks' visit at Altoona, Pa., Philadelphia, and Wilmington, Del.

—Mrs. D. S. Wroten, who has been visiting friends in Philadelphia for the past two weeks, has returned home.

—Mrs. W. B. Tilghman and Miss Clara Tilghman have just left Salisbury for a trip to Missouri and other places.

—Mr. C. A. Turner, of Hampton Va., and a former Salisburian, visited relatives and friends in this city on Sunday last.

—Miss Caroline Laukford, of Pocomoke City, spent several days this week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Costen Goslee.

—Miss Nell Waller, of Princess Anne, is the guest of Miss Louise Perry, at the home of her parents, on William street.

—Mrs. W. S. Hopkins, of Baltimore, has been in town for several days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Leatherbury.

—Misses Nan Ayres, Elva Ridings, and Helen Dirickson, of Berlin, and Miss Lee, of Chicago, visited friends in Salisbury Tuesday.

—Mrs. John Green and son, William, left Tuesday for a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends in Baltimore and Washington, D. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. Levin Melson, of Bishopville, and Mrs. J. W. Nelson, of Delmar, Del., are visiting Mrs. W. J. Downing on Park Ave.

—Misses Martha Toadvine and Ora Disharoon attended the annual alumni dance at Washington College, Chestertown, during the week.

—Mrs. J. W. Coloma, returned to her home in Bridgeville yesterday after a visit to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Adam Stengle, Division street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Young, of Portsmouth, Virginia, returned home Tuesday after two weeks' visit to their daughter, Mrs. R. F. Gavle, of this city.

—Miss Nettie Jones, a member of the faculty of the Peabody Institute, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Preeny.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. Morris Slemmons, of Baltimore, and Mr. John Slemmons, of Philadelphia, attended the funeral of Mr. E. C. Gunby, on Sunday last.

—Miss Mary A. Wilcox, teacher of English in the Girls' High School of Philadelphia, returned to her home on William street, last evening, for the vacation.

—Mr. Harry F. Roberts, of Queens-town, has been in town for several days, having been called home on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Augustus Roberts.

—Miss Nettie L. Huffington, of Bi-valve, and Miss Wilsie Lowe, of Salisbury were among those who graduated at the State Normal School in Baltimore on Thursday last.

—Mrs. A. J. Benjamin and Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglass Wallop have closed their home on Park avenue and opened a cottage at Ocean City which they will occupy during the present season.

—Mrs. Elizabeth S. Dryden, of Pocomoke City, Mrs. W. Brice Costen of Clarkburg, W. Va., and Mrs. Joseph B. Dulany, of New York, are the guests of Mrs. M. Wallace Ruark, on William street.

—Mr. Harry W. Nock, who has entirely recovered from a recent attack of typhoid fever, returned to Wilmington, Del., on Monday, and resumed his position with the Delaware Charter Trust and Guarantee Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Cullison, of Baltimore, are the guests of Mrs. Cullison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Ball, Division street. Mr. and Mrs. Cullison will leave the latter part of next week for their future home in Alabama.

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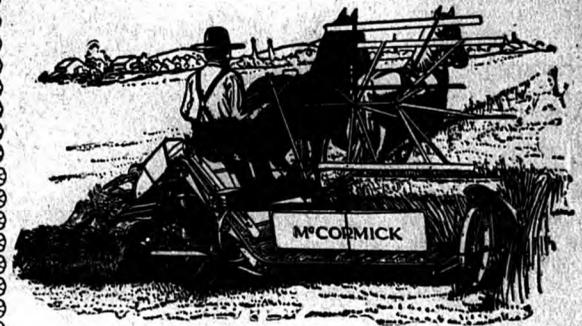


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GIRL'S LONG TRIP TO WED.

Traveling Alone From London to Alaska Town on Miner's Dare.

A lonesome trip of 12,000 miles from London to an obscure mining town in the arctic circle, as a result of a dare to keep a date for a wedding set seven years ago is the final chapter in the romance of Miss Clara G. Askwith, who recently passed through New York bound for Candle City, Alaska, where in July 1 she is to marry W. J. Wells, a successful gold miner, says the New York Mail.

Miss Askwith, who arrived on the Minnehaha, was the guest overnight of the family of W. Scott Patmore, auditor of the Cafe Martin, who are old friends of her family, but she cut short her visit so as to speed across the continent without loss of time. From Seattle she will take a steamship to Nome, whence she will make her way to Candle City by sled.

The marriage ceremony will be performed by Justice J. C. Kepner immediately upon the arrival of the bride. Candle City is 300 miles north of Nome and is one of the northernmost cities in the territory. Miss Askwith is taking this trip because her fiancé, in a letter, accused her of not having enough nerve to keep the date of the wedding on account of the immense distance that separated them.

Since he went to Alaska seven years ago Mr. Wells has become possessor of valuable gold mines, and these need his constant attention.

"Either you or I must make the trip to keep our pledge to each other," wrote Wells to her. "It is not impossible for me to leave Alaska. Have you the nerve to travel here to me?"

To which she replied promptly: "Expect me in Nome on July 1. Make arrangements for wedding. I accept your challenge to make the trip."

Wells took a mining engineering degree in a London technical school in 1900. At that time he became engaged to Miss Askwith, and it was agreed that the wedding would not take place until Wells had made his fortune. He left England for Alaska a few weeks later.

"Miss Askwith comes from an estimable family in London," said Mr. Patmore. "She and Mr. Wells have been friends since childhood. They were schoolmates for several years and never were apart from each other for any length of time."

MUSICAL AUTOMOBILE.

Milwaukee Mayor's Machine Can "Honk" Ragtime or Grand Opera.

Mayor Sherburn Becker of Milwaukee is the possessor of a horn upon which, when attached to his automobile, any tune can be played from ragtime to grand opera, says the Chicago Record-Herald. The horn is said to be the first and only one so far manufactured. The tunes are brought out by utilizing the exhaust steam.

There is no additional mechanism beyond one extra pipe into which the steam passes and is released into the twenty-eight brass tubes or pipes corresponding to the pipes of a church organ. A keyboard of brass keys of sufficient range to permit playing in the keys of G, C and F is the means of manipulating the mechanism.

It is said that every tone of the church organ can be duplicated. By a manipulation of the ordinary automobile mechanism the forte tone can be produced and likewise the pianissimo. By running the car on high gear and throttling the motor down low each explosion into the muffler produces a fine tremolo. Mayor Becker entertained large throngs in the Milwaukee parks the other day with his automobile music.

Opportunities Illustrated.

Nine Italians whose aggregate wealth, \$52,000, represents five years of hard labor in local mills left Pittsburgh the other afternoon for their homes in sunny Italy, where, they say, the money will last them a lifetime. Seven of the nine men have large families in the old country, says the Philadelphia Record. The largest amount possessed by any one of the nine on reaching Pittsburgh five years ago was \$17.

The Survival of the Fittest.

[If baby is a weakling, kill it.—Boston Scientist.] When Dr. Oaler long ago announced that any one who'd passed the turn of forty years was just about all done, we slugged our aged grandfathers with an anvil in the chest. And he amid our falling tears was laid away to rest. We often missed the dear old man, but if we knew from modern science that the fittest must survive.

And now we learn from Boston that the little children who are not quite physically fit must be disposed of too. We've chloroformed the baby, we've poisoned little Jim; As Willie was a weakling, we took an ax to him. Bedelia fell and broke her arm one afternoon at play. And as we feared it might not knit, we threw her in the bay.

The family's sort of shattered now, we broke it up a bit; But those of us who still remain undoubtedly are fit. And yet we read the daily press with pale and haunting fear And dread that some new scientist will presently appear To prove that he's the only man who should remain alive And kill us all in order that the fittest may survive. —James J. Montague in New York American.

THREE DAY OCEAN LINER.

Naval Engineer Predicts Monster Ship Going Forty Miles an Hour.

J. R. Oldham, a naval engineer, believes that the limit in the size of ocean crossing steamers has been by no means reached, and in perhaps less than twenty-five years the three-day transatlantic liner will be going some, says the New York World.

The rate of speed will be forty miles an hour, and the length of the ship 1,200 feet, only about 400 feet more than the length of the Lusitania and the Mauretania. The beam of the coming monster will be 125 feet and her depth eighty-one feet.

"There will be sixty boilers, with 400,000 feet of heating surface and twelve smokestacks," continues the engineer. "A special feature will be the extra large pumping power, with boilers and pumps located well above the water line.

"I propose that certain compartments containing 2,500 tons shall be kept full of water, so that in event of grounding they could be emptied in twelve minutes, enabling the ship in most cases to float off, as 2,500 tons would represent one foot of water."

To compensate for this loss in freight space the engineer suggests an extra tax on the traveler of \$25, which he would be doubtless glad to pay. The chief peril in navigating this coming mastodontic product of man's genius would be for smaller craft which might happen to get in its way. The big ship while going at top speed would exert an energy equal to forty railroad trains, or practically 3,250,000 foot tons.

The measurements of such a vessel would be: Length1,200 feet Breadth125 feet Depth81 feet Draught40 feet Gross tonnage67,500 tons Passenger accommodation4,700 Engines170,000 horse power Speed per hour35 nautical miles Cost\$17,000,000

DOUBLE PANSY.

Wonderful Piece of Floral Culture Developed at Pittsburgh.

While a body of scientists were discussing museum exhibits in the natural history museum room at Carnegie museum in Pittsburgh the other afternoon a plain blue jeaned gardener was watching the growth of a wonderful piece of floral culture, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Within a gunshot of Carnegie institute Mr. Illig, head gardener of a Pittsburgh floral company, developed a double pansy.

No such flower has ever grown before. Representatives of two great western houses visited Pittsburgh to view the bloom.

It is not a freak, but by careful cultivation, like the large Lawson carnation, the double pansy has been raised. There are eight leaves of maroon, purple and graduated shades on the single stem, while two buds are growing beside it.

The plant has been removed from its bed to an earthen jar. It will take several years to discover whether the seeds will propagate. If they do, Pittsburgh will have the honor of having produced something that neither Burbank nor Burroughs has yet been able to do—a double pansy.

TO LIVE WITHOUT COOKS.

Kansas City Women Adopt Community Plan of Providing Meals.

Tired of the trouble their cooks made, eight west side women of Kansas City have set out to solving the domestic help problem, says the New York Sun.

A few days ago each of them discharged her cook, locked up her kitchen windows, put the pots and pans and plates away and joined the Colony club.

A two story house within a block of the homes of all the members was rented, and Miss Anabel Harf was employed as chef. Two other women were hired to help her. They live in the house.

Each of the eight families has its own table, and each furnishes its own table linen and silver and contributes its quota of the kitchen utensils. The chef arranges the menus. At the end of each month the cost will be computed, and each family will pay its proportionate share.

So successful has the experiment proved already that several other families want to join.

Nature Faking.

When baby comes to your knee at night And begs in his plaintive way For a tale about wolves that growl and bite, Be heedful of what you say, Don't tell him of Little Red Riding Hood, To grandma the sweetmeats taking, Who met a wolf as she crossed the wood, For that would be nature faking.

When baby cries in the dead of night And keeps up a fearful noise, Don't tell of the bears outside that bite And feed upon naughty boys, Don't tell of the big black bear outside, When his tummy fangs is aching, Nor picture his fangs nor his jaws so wide, For that would be nature faking.

When baby comes to your knee at night And asks in his plaintive way For a story, tell him about the fight You had with a fish one day, And tell him about the time you had A pike from the water taking; You'll be a dry and a prosy dad, But you won't be nature faking. —Detroit Free Press.

KIDNAPING A CONSTABLE.

Tables Turned on Pennsylvania Official by Autoists.

Citizens of Matamoras, Pike county, Pa., are greatly incensed over the dastardly attempt that was made on a recent Sunday afternoon to abduct Tommy Manwaring, their chief of police, says a Port Jervis, N. Y., special dispatch to the New York World. Matamoras was incorporated a short time ago, and Tommy was selected as its police force. When the selectmen pinned a tin plate on his chest and presented him with a sapling, the chief was directed to keep his eye peeled for violations of the speed limit ordinance.

"Nothing but lightning'll get by me," was Tommy's reply. Then he sat down by the roadside and waited. His first chance came the other Sunday, when he waved his magic wand and brought to a sudden stop a machine in which was seated Under Sheriff Hoek and a party of ladies and gentlemen from Orange county.

"Go, that time," cried Tommy, triumphantly. "Might as well come to the lockup."

"Are you a regular detective?" asked one of the ladies, apparently in great alarm. "Betcherlife," said the chief. "Here's the dokeymentry proof," and he pulled back the flap of his coffee sack and showed his junk.

"Might as well admit you've got us," said one of the auto party. "We didn't think we were going so fast. Will you kindly permit us to take the ladies as far as the bridge? They want to take the 4:20 train on the Erie. You can go with us and bring us back."

Chief Manwaring's gallantry asserted itself, and he climbed into the "Phew" wagon. To his amazement the machine did not stop when it reached the bridge and before Tommy was aware of it he was in New York state. Then the occupants of the auto requested him to jump out and run along behind.

"Pretty slick trick, by gum!" said the chief when he told his Matamoras constituents a few hours later, "but I'll get 'em yet, got damn 'em."

WORLD TOUR IN WAGON.

Sign Painter Will First Travel in the United States.

August Koehler of Cincinnati, a sign painter, recently started, with his family, for a trip around the world in a wagon, says the Columbus Dispatch. He expects to be gone at least seven years and will first make a tour of the United States. Koehler says he is making the trip to improve his family's health. Koehler is a big, strong, intelligent man and states that before his marriage he worked his way from one end of the land to the other. He has three children. The oldest is a girl of eleven. He expects to support himself on the journey by doing work as a sign painter. After completing his American tour he intends to "do" Europe and other parts of the world.

Koehler is a skillful mechanic and built his own wagon. It is drawn by a large horse. Koehler has spent a long time preparing for the trip, and about two months ago he secured a line dog, Dash, and has been training him to act as the family's protector. Said Koehler: "I am a believer in fresh air. My wife and one of the children are not strong, and I believe this trip will give them vigorous health as well as a rich education. I believe that our American trip will harden us physically to such an extent that we will be glad to tour Europe in the same way. We have included a tent in our equipment."

RAIN OF BALLAST STONES.

Strange Happening as Train Rushes by a Station.

Trackmen scattering in fear from the path of a Pennsylvania express train at Wayne, Pa., the other day were the innocent cause of a rain of ballast stones on the station and its platform filled with people, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. They left a pick with its handle projecting above the track, and the express rushed upon it and caused it to so turn and twist among the stones as to send them flying in all directions.

For one brief instant persons on the platform thought that the train had left the track as they stood in the full glare of the headlight and the roar of the wheels, the heavy stones falling about them. Then the express passed. The headlight no longer blinded the people, the roar no longer deafened them, and they saw what had sent the stones.

Windows had been broken, and stones lay everywhere. Many had passed close to those on the platform, and some of these persons had been struck and slightly bruised, but no one was badly hurt.

Biggest Cranberry Bog.

The largest cranberry bog in the world is being established just outside of Siasconset, Mass. When completed it will cover 500 acres, of which 300 will be under cultivation by July 1, writes a Siasconset correspondent of the Boston Herald. The work of laying out and cultivating the bog was begun more than two years ago, and since then a force of more than 100 men has been at work. The bog is located on what is for the most part a natural swamp bordering on a pond from which water is distributed over the swamp by a pumping station.

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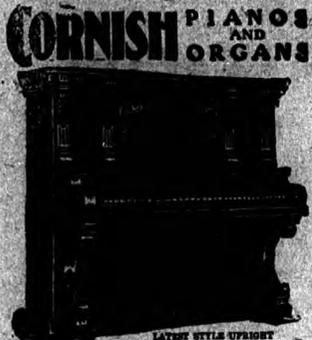
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Cost of Undertaking, However, Had Been Entirely Overlooked by the Promoter—Gets Into a Scrap With a Young Man.



"A STRAIGHT BILLION DOLLARS" and uttered no words of sarcasm. She just made up her mind not to oppose him, no matter how wild and impractical his scheme.

They had left the dinner table fifteen minutes before Mr. Bowser reached that point where he either had to talk or burst, and he began by asking: "I suppose you wouldn't object to going to Europe next fall on our own steamer, would you?"

"Well, hardly," she smilingly answered. "Then you can begin to prepare for it. Do you think we can hunt up fifty or a hundred of our relatives to go along and help us to spend \$10,000,000 or \$15,000,000 in Paris and London?"

"Possibly." His Time Had Come. "A hundred different times, Mrs. Bowser, I have told you that I should die a billionaire. You have always laughed at me, but the time has come when you can grin over it no longer.

"I may have been a little off in my figures about chicken farms, dairies and raising asparagus, but there is no mistake here. It's a billion dollars as straight as a string. It isn't in my pocket tonight, but it will be within a month. You might go down tomorrow and look around and see what you can find in diamonds to please you."

"Thanks, dear," replied Mrs. Bowser, while the cat looked around in a puzzled way to see if he was in the right house.

"You don't ask me any questions. Haven't your curiosity as to how I'm going to make our eternal fortunes?" "I am waiting for you to tell me. I have the utmost confidence that you have struck something good and are able to see it through."

travel at the rate of about three miles a minute. What is the matter with sending passengers and freight the same way? All you have to do is to enlarge the tubes and increase the air pressure. See? If mail can be sent two miles, why can't passengers and freight be sent 2,000?"

"The tubes are underground, of course. Passengers descend in elevators, step into cages furnished in the most elegant manner, and at a signal they are sent flying at the rate of 800 miles an hour. They feel no motion. They play poker or read their papers or magazines, and the first they know they are across the continent. The carrier pigeon isn't in it. The thunderbolt has got to bump itself to keep ahead. Two hours from New York to Chicago! Can you find any fault with that?"

"Not a bit," replied Mrs. Bowser. "We charge the same as the railroads, but reduce the time more than one-half. Five hundred million passengers carried every year, and accidents utterly impossible. We take away every pound of freight from the railroads. Receipts amount to billions and billions of dollars. Any fault to find with that?"

"None at all. Whose idea is it?" Mr. Bowser drew himself up and slowly lifted his hand and pointed a finger at his forehead and whispered: "Mine—all mine! It suddenly came to me two or three days ago when I was eating luncheon, and the vastness of it took me like a blow in the solar plexus. I can hardly grasp it yet, but I realize that the pyramids of Egypt are not in it. Columbus was not in it when he discovered America. It's my idea—it's Bowser's idea—the same Bowser you have sneered at. Am I a fool, Mrs. Bowser, or have I got a brain or two in my head?"

"But you haven't paid out any money yet?" she asked. "Only a trifle. I have paid a draftsman \$50 to draw me a section of the tubes to be used. Fifty dollars against a billion! Ha! Ha! Ha! Well, where do your arguments come in? Got any facts and figures to prove that I ought to be in an idiot asylum?"

"No. You seem to have struck it at last."

"Then I'll run over and state the case to the board. He has always intimated that I hadn't brains enough to take care of a fifty cent piece. I want him to gaze at Billion Dollar Bowser."

for a minute. "But he was too excited to finish, and Mrs. Bowser did not seek to detain him. On the contrary, she was glad he was going to the butcher, even though she knew what would happen when he returned."

Mr. Bowser reached his family butcher shop treading on air. The butcher was having an easy time of it as he waited for customers and begrudgingly cut out and threw aside a few bones. He heard the story from beginning to end without comment and then looked up and dryly asked: "Mr. Bowser, how many million dollars have you got on hand?"

"Why, what has that got to do with it?"

"Where was the money to come from?" "Who is going to pay for the tubes, the land, the cars, the stations, the machinery?"

"Why—why?" "You can figure on at least half a million dollars per mile, and it will take cold cash. If you have got \$400,000,000 handy, you can start your line to Chicago. If you haven't, you'd better go home and play Mrs. Bowser a few games of euchre and then seek your head and go to bed."

"This to me, sir—this to me!" exclaimed Mr. Bowser as he turned whiter than the dead. "Yes, you might come off the perch."

"Sir, you are an infamous scoundrel, and I can lick you in two minutes!" Then Mr. Bowser left the shop to walk up and down the streets. He scented the budding foliage; he heard the beetles whiz by his ears; the notes of some night bird came plaintively to his soul, but he heeded not these things. He knew that Mrs. Bowser had played it low down on him, and he wanted to fall on her like a brick house and crush her all at once. Then along came a young man who had an appointment to meet some one's hired girl at the gate. He was whistling and feeling at peace with all the world when there was a war whoop in his ear, somebody grabbed him, and then a woman looking out of the window saw two human figures locked in a deadly struggle. One of them was Billion Dollar Bowser. He wanted! M: QUAD.

The man who gambles is a deluded fool, but the man who gambles when he continues to lose is a colossal fool—Henry Sutphin.

The Great Van Amburg Shows! At Salisbury Tuesday, June 25. The show this year is bigger and better, and in a more commanding position than ever before to maintain their unrivaled standing and rank, and to amaze and delight their thousands of patrons with Many New And Exclusive Features. A Few Of The Many Features You Will See: Marion Sheridan and her Troupe of Performing Lions; A Herd of Performing Elephants, including Babe, the largest elephant in the world; Rosedie, the beautiful Ten Thousand Dollar Horse; Jake, the largest Gorilla ever exhibited in America, is five feet ten inches in height and weighs 150 pounds, has tremendous strength, marvelous agility, and his powerful arms are a wonder to behold; a wonderful display of trained animals. 400 People. 250 Horses and Ponies. 20 Funny Clowns. BRING THE LITTLE ONES TO SEE ELEPHANTS BABY CAMELS LIONS MONKEYS. An Endless Program of Startling Events. SEE THE SPECTACULAR STREET PARADE Starting from the Show Grounds at 10 A. M. 2--Performances Daily--2 Afternoon at 2 o'clock. Night at 8 o'clock.

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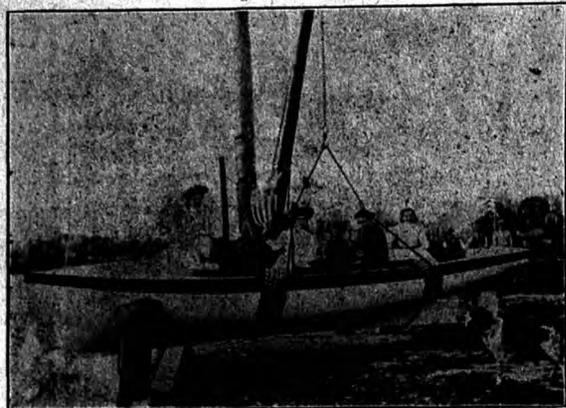
If weak, worn-out, nervous, cannot sleep; have indigestion, headache, neuralgia or periodic pains, it is because your nerves are weak. It is the lack of nerve force that makes the stomach, heart, lungs, etc., work imperfectly—become sick. Dr. Miles' Nervine cures the sick when it restores nerve strength, and puts the power behind the organs to do their work.

"Almost three years I suffered from nervousness, indigestion, and palpitation of the heart. I could not eat or sleep with comfort, or walk or talk without suffering. Altogether I was in a bad condition. My doctor did not seem to do me any good. I had tried so many remedies that I did not have much hope of any of them doing me any good. Dr. Miles' Nervine was suggested by a friend. I got relief from the first and after a few days I felt like a new person. It not only relieved my heart and nerves, but has invigorated my whole system. I am very grateful because since I have stopped using it, I have had absolutely no return of my old troubles."

MRS. HOWARD FORD, 60 Summit Ave., Worcester, Mass. Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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The Gasoline Launch "Karl"



Snapshot of the craft just before the launching. The "Karl" was built by Rev. David Howard, of this city. She is 20 feet in length, with a 6-foot beam and has a speed of 8 knots per hour.

COUNTY.

Sharptown

Mrs. Mary F. Wright, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. W. G. Wright.

Miss Indiana Wheaton, of Chincoteague, is the guest of Miss Lena Cooper.

Mrs. L. T. Cooper and daughter, Miss Mary, were in Baltimore on Wednesday.

Mr. A. C. Brody is filling an engagement this week in Gwynn Park, Baltimore, with his troupe of trained bull dogs.

Mrs. J. C. Peele, of Baltimore, who has been visiting Miss Berkeley Wright, returned home Thursday accompanied by Miss Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Caulk, and Mrs. Louise Higgins spent Sunday and Monday last at Federalburg, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willis.

The remains of Daisy, the seventeen-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Phillips of West Collinswood, N. J., were brought here on Thursday and interred in the Taylor Cemetery.

S. T. Carter, of Girdletree, has purchased the barber outfit of George Zimmerman and opened for business on Thursday. Mr. Zimmerman left for New Castle, Del. Mr. Carter has rented an adjoining room in the Phillips block and may be found at his place of business at all hours.

Salathiel Bennett, died on Monday after an illness of general debility at the age of seventy-nine years. He leaves several grown sons and daughters. He was a man of exemplary character and was noted for his piety. He was, for a number of years, a member of the M. E. Church. His remains were interred in the Taylor Cemetery, on Wednesday after funeral services in the M. E. Church, by the pastor, Rev. L. I. McDougle.

Riverton.

Our shirt factory has again resumed operations.

Our little village is still alive, though not often heard from.

Mrs. J. E. Taylor and daughter, Alice, spent several days in Delmar.

As strawberry season is almost over, preserving of strawberries is now the business of the day for women.

Rev. E. P. Perry and family, of Delmar, and Rev. Mr. Harriman and wife of Mardela, took dinner at C. H. Cooper's on Wednesday of this week.

Capt. W. J. Kennerly, of the Porto Rican S. S. Vasco, and son of Capt. G. Kennerly, of this place, was married in San Juan, Porto Rico, on the 26th of this month.

The students home for vacation seem to be enjoying themselves. They are Misses Lettie Bennett and Lena Wright from State Normal, Fred Taylor from Washington College and James Bennett from Westminster.

Children's Service at the M. P. Church here passed off very nicely. The Church decorations, by a few of the young people, were very tasty. Misses S. J. Taylor and Bertha E. Cooper had charge of the recitations and Miss Alice C. Taylor the music. The entertainment consisted of recitations, solo and duets, and was all that could be asked for. The collection was \$27.54.

St. Luke's.

Miss Bessie Layfield was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Livingston, Sunday last.

Messrs. George and Walter Inasley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Adkins, of Fruitland.

Mr. John Elliott and daughter, Mrs. Sarah Owens, have moved to their new home near Nazareth.

Mr. Wm. Taylor, of Eden, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Nora Chislev, Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. Mary Layfield and daughter, Pansy, were the guests of Mrs. Lulu Dykes Sunday evening last.

Mr. John W. Riffin, Jr. and wife, and sister Annie, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brown Sunday last.

Mr. Columbus Ennis and wife have returned to their home in Wyattsville, Va., after visiting friends and relatives here.

Messrs. Clarence Glasgow and Thomas Polston, of Sylva, Va., visited relatives of this place Saturday and Sunday last.

Parsonburg.

Strawberries are almost a thing of the past.

It is very fine to see the good old summer time.

Parsonburg Camp will commence August 16th instead of the 9th.

The berry growers here are paying three cents per quart for capping berries.

All members of the Parsonburg Jr., Order Band will meet next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Parsonburg Council No. 144 Jr., O. U. A. M. request all members to be present on the next three meeting nights.

Services Sunday as follows: Sunday School 9.30 a. m.; Preaching 10.30 a. m.; Class 11.30 a. m.; Preaching 8.00 p. m.; Prayer meeting every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Mt. Pleasant.

Strawberry season is coming to a close in this section.

Mr. Webster Coulbourn, of St. Martins, was in our neighborhood last Sunday evening.

Master Lawrence Collins of Powellville, spent Sunday with his cousin, Master Ray Lewis, of this place.

Misses Lizzie Bethards, Julia Rayne, Nora Shockley and Alice Bethards were the guests of Misses Sadie and Annie Lewis, las: Sunday.

Display Of Fancy Goods.

Ladies of Salisbury and vicinity, who appreciate the opportunity of seeing, handling, and possessing these fine articles, are invited to call at Mrs. G. W. Taylor's Millinery Store, week beginning June 27th to July 3rd, where there will be on display an exclusive line of Linerie and Fancy Waists (hand made). They will also meet Miss Anderson of New York, a designer and importer of reputation. An inspection will interest them. Mrs. Taylor will exhibit a new line of trimmed hats, mid-summer style, all new ideas and very much below the regular price.

—We know you are in need of some article in the jewelry line, and why not buy now, while Harper & Taylor are giving 10 per cent off on their entire stock, which is composed of goods with quality and of the latest designs. This sale began Saturday, June 1st, and will continue till the 30th. Come early and continue until you make your selection.

—Have you been thinking of buying some article in the jewelry line? If so now is your chance. Harper & Taylor's entire stock has been reduced 10 per cent for thirty days, from June 1st to 30th. This is our annual sale of 10 per cent, but never before on our entire stock. Your opportunity.

—LOST—A bunch of four or five keys, one of which was a Postoffice lock box key. Finder will kindly return to Mrs. M. P. Trussell, Main street.

Amateur Theatricals.

The Ladies' Guild, of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church is arranging to render three one-act plays in the Opera House in the near future. The entertainment promises to be one of considerable merit and an enjoyable evening is expected. The plays, which are being staged under the direction of Mr. P. N. Anstey are: "Sunset," "Change Partners," and "Petticoat Perfidy." Those who will participate are: Mesdames E. C. Fulton and J. M. Toulson, the Misses Annie E. Dashiell, Mabel Fitch, Bessie Trader, Lettie Leatherbury, and Messrs. H. W. Owens, Clarence A. White, S. R. Douglass, and A. M. Jackson.

Earlier Light Service.

In order that the electric lights in the business section of the city may be turned on earlier than the lights in the residence sections, the Salisbury Light, Heat and Power Company has arranged to connect the business houses on a separate wire. This is a much needed and most noteworthy improvement, as there has been considerable complaint among the merchants that the lights are not turned on early enough in the afternoon. By this new improvement the business section can be lighted at a small cost by the Company.

To Improve Property.

Messrs. D. J. Wheaton and Lloyd U. Watson are contemplating extensive improvements to Mr. Watson's residence on N. Division street. The present structure, which is the old Birkhead property, will be moved to one of the lots recently purchased by Mr. Wheaton, on Park street, where it will be remodeled. The old building now standing on Park street will be torn down. A handsome brick and stone residence will then be erected on the lot on Division street which will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

Circus Next Tuesday.

Next Tuesday the Van Amburg Shows will exhibit in Salisbury, and provided the weather is favorable a large crowd is expected to be in town. Perhaps the most interesting features of this show are the menagerie and the horse stables. It is said that 300 head of black, dapple gray and bay horses and 68 Shetland ponies may be seen, and a visitor to the show grounds will be well paid for a visit to the stables. The show will exhibit on the Wimbrow lot in South Salisbury.

Collector's Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate

FOR CORPORATION TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1906.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale conferred upon the undersigned, by law, as Collector of Corporation Taxes for the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, for the year 1906, the undersigned, as Collector aforesaid, will sell at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in SALISBURY, Wicomico County, Maryland, on

Saturday, June 29th,

1907, at or about 2 o'clock, p. m., to satisfy the Corporation Taxes aforesaid, duly levied by the Mayor and City Council, October 1st, 1906, with costs, for the said year 1906, and now remaining unpaid, the following Real and Personal Property:

No. 4.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Delaware Street, in Salisbury Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Charles W. West, with costs.

No. 6.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Race Street, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Larry King, with costs.

No. 10.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Handy's Alley, in Camden Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Martha E. Gordy, with costs.

Term of Sale—CASH.

HENRY J. BYRD, CITY COLLECTOR

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46-inch Persian Lawn 18c to 40c
46-inch Mercerized Batiste 40c
40-inch Langerie Batiste 15c to 25c
46-inch Chiffonette Batiste 35c
40-inch Lawn, very sheer, 10c to 18c
34-inch India Linons 8c, 10c, to 25c

French Nainsook 15c, 20c, to 35c
English Longcloths 10c, 12c to 15c
French Madras 10c, 15c, to 25c
Egyptian Barred and Striped Dimities, 8c, to 15c
Swiss, in checks and dots, 15c to 25c
Butcher's Linen Finish 12c to 15c

BUY TABLE LINENS NOW

Union Linen Mercerized Damask 48c
Four Pretty Designs, 66 inches wide
All-Linen Unbleached Damask 50c
Five Designs, 70 inches wide.
Full Bleached Pure Irish Linen Damask 89c
Good Assortment of Pretty Patterns, 72-in. wide
Full Bleached Heavy Double Damask \$1.00
Seven Beautiful Designs, 72 inches wide.
Full Bleached Heavy Double Damask \$1.25
Five Pretty Designs, 72 inches wide.
Scotch Napkins, 21x21 inches, Pure Linen, Full Bleached. \$1.50

Irish Linen Napkins, heavy dinner size \$2.00
Ten Pretty Designs, 22x22 inches.
Union Hemstitched Hucked Towels 12 3/4c
Assorted Patterns, 17x34 inches.
Hemstitched Damask Towels, all linen 25c
Assorted Patterns, 20x36 inches
All Linen Hucked Towels 25c
Plain White Spoke, Stitched Ends, 19x35 in.
Hemstitched Damask Towels 50c
Fine quality Linen, Fleur de Lis, Polka Dots, and Lilly of the Valley patterns. 21x40 in.

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Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the School Board until 10 A. M. Friday, June 28th, 1907,

for the erection of a single story school building at Double Mills, Barren Creek District, size 20x30 feet; also a two room building at Willards; to be built according to plans and specifications on file at this office. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board, H. CRAWFORD BOUNDS, Secretary.

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MOVING PICTURE COMPANY TO BE INCORPORATED?

Apparent Wealth-Producing Scheme Inches Prominent Local Men—Mr. Charlie Herman Engaged As Lecturer.

It began to look blue for Mr. E. C. Potter, the pioneer moving picture man, and Mr. John Brown, who seemingly holds second place in the mad rush for riches in this up-to-date scheme for making a fortune, Thursday, when it became known that a brand new concern had been organized and that the assembly room of the Masonic Temple was to be turned into a moving picture gallery.

A meeting was held Wednesday evening and the following prominent Salisburyans were let in on the ground floor: Messrs. W. J. Downing, S. King White, R. Frank Williams, A. M. Jackson, Ashland Malone, M. V. Brewington, J. M. Toulson, J. McFadden Dick, M. D., H. C. Tull, M. D., Harvey Morris, and last but not least Charlie Herman, ex-shoemaker, and late stereopticon lecturer, who recently returned from an itinerary of the lower end of Wicomico county.

It was a spirited meeting and it was about decided to incorporate an organization to be known as the "Motion Picture Company of Salisbury, Inc.," with a capital stock of \$125, divided into 10 shares of \$12.50 each, when a contention arose over the nature of the proposed exhibit. It was claimed by the majority that it would be a source of greater income, and at the same time, prove of greater benefit to the Democratic party to make a tour of the county and exhibit campaign pictures of the "fearfully receptive" candidates for State's Attorney. This was at once objected to on the ground that a display of the aspirants for this office would have a tendency to puzzle the voters.

This was finally settled and it was agreed to conduct the show in the Masonic Temple, but owing to the political belief of the majority of the incorporators it was feared that things might become too "hot" and cause a fire, and possibly burn down the building. It is still a matter of conjecture as to where the machine will be put in operation.

Then came the serious argument of the evening caused by the nomination and election of officers. The usual method was to be used when there came a suggestion from the representative of the "Old Woman" to the effect that such a method was out of order and that the Crawford County system of nominations should be used. The suggestion was snuffed under, but as is usual where a number of aspiring candidates are in the field the meeting finally adjourned without an officer being elected.

It was decided however, that the "Motion Picture Company of Salisbury Inc.," secure the services of the eminent lecturer, Mr. Charlie Herman, to display the pictures, and that as Charlie's politics are not known to a certainty, he has been instructed not to speak on the subject until after the election this fall.

Program For The "Fourth."

The Culture Clubs of the Division Street Baptist Church have made elaborate preparations for an appropriate celebration in this city on the Fourth of July. The following program has been arranged and will be followed during the day:

9.30 a. m.—Game of base ball between Salisbury and Princess Anne on the Tilghman lot near the Hospital.

11.00 a. m.—Grand parade, in which will appear the Salisbury Concert Band, Company I, Maryland State Militia, base ball teams, pony carts, single and double driving teams, automobiles, including runabouts and touring cars and several advertising floats. The parade will form at the B. C. & A. steamboat wharf and march up Main street to Dock street, Camden avenue to Newton street, Newton to Loant street, Locust to Division, thence to William street, thence to Church street and then down Division and Main streets to starting point. The parade will be immediately followed by drill and sham battle by the members of Company I.

2.00 p. m.—Patriotic address.

3.30 p. m.—Base ball game between Princess Anne and Salisbury.

4.00 p. m.—Rowing and swimming contests. Tub, wheelbarrow, sack and running races.

7.00 p. m.—Shoe-lacing, and pie-eating contests.

8.00 p. m.—Speaking.

9.30 p. m.—Grand display of fireworks. All interested in the fireworks will kindly leave their donations at THE COURIER office at once, in order that there may be a grand display.

FIVE O'CLOCK RECEPTION IN HONOR OF GUESTS.

Home Of Mr. And Mrs. James E. Ellegood The Scene Of Delightful Social Event On Thursday Last.

An informal reception was given Thursday afternoon at five o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ellegood, N. Division street, in honor of Miss Martha Kirby, of Alameda, California, Miss Nettie Jones, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Harry Mayer, of Dover, Delaware, who are the guests of Miss Maria Ellegood.

A large number of friends were invited and the guests were lavishly entertained.

On the reception committee were Miss Martha Kirby, Miss Nettie Jones, Mrs. Harry Mayer and Miss Maria Ellegood.

In the dining-room were Mesdames Fred P. Adkins, M. A. Humphreys, and Misses Mary Lee White and Irma Graham.

The invited guests were: Mesdames H. C. Tull, W. U. Polk, A. F. Benjamin, H. L. Brewington, M. V. Brewington, S. R. Graham, George Collier, E. W. Smith, T. E. Martindale, E. C. Fulton, Herbert Anstey, C. A. White, Robt. D. Grier, Wm. S. Gordy, Jr., C. T. Leviness, Jr., D. B. Cannon, Robert L. Leatherbury, L. Atwood Bennett, Manning Hank, of Berlin, R. H. Phillips, William M. Cooper, and Lloyd U. Watson; Misses Mamie Gillis, Mary Leonard, Lucile Trussell, Laura Elliott, Bertha Sheppard, Jean Leonard, Margaret Todd, Bessie Trauder, Florence Grier, Mary Cooper Smith, Mary Colley, Wilsie Woodcock, Alice Carey, Victoria Wailes, Nannie Wailes and guest, Miss Simpson, Nannie Gordy, Louise Perry, Eva Catlin, Clara Walton, Elizabeth Jacobs, of Parsonsburg, Nannie R. Fulton, of Baltimore, Martha Toadvine, Belle Smith, Lizzie Wailes, Laura Wailes, Elizabeth Leonard, Wailes and Miss Miller, of Baltimore, Emma Powell, Emma Wood, Alice Wood, Margaret Woodcock, Dorothea Wilcox, Mary Wilcox, Louise Veasey, Elizabeth Johnson, Sara Phillips, Edna Adkins, and Miss Strang.

In the evening the reception committee and a few gentlemen were entertained.

A Troublesome Pistol.

When Douglass Jackson, a colored youth, carefully examined his pistol and loaded the weapon ready for emergency, at the colored camp-meeting at the "chicken yard" last Sunday, he was evidently not familiar with the vigilance of the Salisbury police force. He only had time to conceal the revolver when he was tapped on the shoulder by Chief Woodland Disharoon, and after the usual formalities in such cases he was installed for safe keeping in the county jail.

His grandmother was notified and on Monday, after she had said she would go on his bond, he was released, only to be locked up again on the warrant sworn out by John Jackson, also colored, charging him with stealing the troublesome pistol from his home last week.

Shortly after his reinstatement in the jail another complication arose when the boy's father made his appearance and claimed that the pistol was not the property of John Jackson, because his pistol was 48 calibre, and the gun in question was only of the 38 calibre type—and meanwhile young Jackson remained a prisoner.

Owing to the number of complications in the case and the countercharges of those implicated, it was finally decided by Justice W. A. Trader, to conduct a trial Saturday morning, at which time the true facts relative to the ownership of the pistol will be thrashed out and the guilty parties brought to justice—and Jackson is still a prisoner.

School Contracts Awarded.

At a meeting of the County School Board yesterday contracts were awarded for the building of two new schools in this county. The contract for the school building at Willards, which is to be a two room structure, was awarded to Mr. H. A. Adkins for \$768.00. Mr. A. M. Bounds secured the contract for the new one-room building at Double Mills, for \$442.50.

—All the barber shops of Salisbury will be closed next Thursday, July 4th.

CIRCUS DAY CROWD WENT HOME REJOICING.

Thousands of Spectators Witness Performance Afternoon and Evening—Japanese Family Star Feature.

And the circus came to town—Tuesday!

From early morning until late at night Salisbury was in a jolly turmoil and the little boy was in his element. With the breaking of the day, the great Van Amburg Shows rolled into town and almost with the tolling of the midnight hour, it had silently folded its tent, like the Arab, and had stolen away, leaving only a confused memory of elephants and peanuts, snake-charmers and acrobats, the red leonade fiends and the little Japanese wonders.

There is always something about a circus which attracts attention and long before the people of the town were even stirring, the clatter of the incoming crowds could be heard upon the paved streets. By ten o'clock the sidewalks on Main, between Dock and Division streets were filled to the limit of their capacity; at eleven the street had narrowed down to about six feet in the centre, and at noon, after the arrival of the boats from down the river and the hundreds of teams from the surrounding country, traffic was at a standstill and had it not been for the persistent efforts of the Salisbury police force, it would have been utterly impossible for the parade to have made any showing.

Then came the parade in all its splendor—prancing horses, the clown and his inevitable donkey, steam calliope and all—the identical features that have amused generations. The usual announcement was made that free exhibitions of daring feats would be given immediately after the parade and this announcement came as a relief to the congested thoroughfares of the centre of the city—for it is human nature to be present where one can get something for nothing.

This exhibition over, the crowd swarmed around the ticket wagon and procured admission to the big show and it was here that the really marvelous features of the performance were seen. The ring-riders, tumblers, acrobats and clowns amused the people for about two hours, but the act which created the most applause was the family of Japanese children in their marvelous exhibition of acrobatic skill.

Of course, agents of the circus made the rounds of the seats selling tickets for the "high class" vaudeville concert after the big show, but as has been said by an eminent American "You can fool all of the people some of the time, and some of the people all the time but you can't fool all of the people all of the time", and from the small number remaining it was evident that Salisburyans had stayed for a concert before.

The side show attracted large crowds all day and, according to reports, several of the "sports" or the city not only saw the snake-charmer and human pin-cushion, but made strenuous efforts to locate an elusive pea to their own chagrin and loss, and a great profit to the operator and his assistants.

Taken as a whole, the Van Amburg shows were a creditable organization, and the employees were decidedly above the average circus followers.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that examinations will be held at the Salisbury post-office for applicants to fill vacancies in the following positions. The examinations will be held during July and further information can be had at the post-office:

Electrotypist's helper, Electrical Engineer and Draftsman, Forest Ranger, Assistant in Arboriculture (male), Veterinary Inspector, Special Agents and Examiners, Assistant in Grain Standardization (male), Assistant steam Engineer, Experts and Special Agents (males and females), Immigrant Inspector (male), Apprentice Inspector (male or female), Sawyer and Carpenter, Assistant in Soil Bacteriology (male), Second Class Steam Engineer, Marine Fireman, Farrier, Micro-Analyst, Laboratory Inspector (male) and Telegraph Operator.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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

Rosa C. Layfield and James C. Layfield to Samuel A. Graham, parcel of land in Nutters district. Consideration \$200.00.
Whited H. Upham and wife to Grant Sexton, farm on Spring Hill road. Consideration \$2000.00.
C. Howard Millikin, trustee, and R. Lee Waller and wife, to the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, lots on Division street, Salisbury. Consideration \$5.00.
George D. Inley and wife to William B. Messick, parcel of land in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$300.00.
Elvora J. Waller and husband to Mary E. Walker, lot in Sharptown. Consideration \$175.00.
Jav Williams, trustee, to William J. Wright, tract of land in Barren Creek district. Consideration \$5.00.
Wilbur F. Turner and wife and Carrie W. Turner to Sadie R. Turner, lots in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$1.00.
Wilbur F. Turner and wife and Sadie R. Turner to Carrie W. Turner, lots in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$1.00.
Carrie W. Turner and Sadie R. Turner to Wilbur F. Turner, lots in Nanticoke district.
E. S. Adkins and Company, et al., to J. McFadden Dick and Alfred F. Freeny, farm in Nutters district containing 300 acres. Consideration \$100.00.
Mary Frances Humphreys, et al., to N. Y. P. & N. R. R. Co., additional right of way across Humphreys Mill Pond. Consideration \$1800.00.
F. Marion Slemmons and wife to Sidney Morris, parcel of land in Trappe district. Consideration \$100.00.
Camden Realty Company to Oscar R. Carver, lot on Camden Boulevard. Consideration \$200.00.
Glen M. White and wife to Albert F. Robertson, lot in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$50.00.
Eliza Truitt and husband to Margaret Tubbs, lot in Dennis district. Consideration \$75.00.
Purnell Rounds and wife to K. Dale Adkins, lot in Parsons district. Consideration \$1200.00.

County Proceedings.

Both the Orphans' Court and the County Commissioners were in session last Tuesday and the following business was transacted:

ORPHAN'S COURT.

Jav Williams, W. J. Steton and Wm. B. Tlghman, Jr., filed a petition for the sale of additional real and personal property of the late W. B. Tlghman. This property consists of some farm and timber lands situated in Worcester county; several building lots on Locust Street, Salisbury; and 17 shares of the capital stock of the Salisbury Building, Loan & Banking Association Order for sale of the above property was passed.

Administration account of Jay Williams, adm of Theodosia S. Catlin, was approved.

Receipt and release of Laura E. Gordy to Paul E. Whavland, executor of Clayton W. Gordy, was approved.

Mrs. Clara L. Parsons, widow of the late Capt. A. F. Parsons, was appointed guardian of Esther L. Parsons, her daughter.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Commissioner Wright reported the sale of keeping Vienna Ferry to Albert Webb at \$265.00, one-half to be paid by Dorchester county. Bond of Mr. Webb was approved.

The Board agreed to give Delliah Cordray a pension of \$1.50 per month; order to Charles E. Bennett to supply goods.

A committee, headed by Mr. L. W. Gunby, appeared before the Board and asked the Commissioners to furnish shells for the road from the Fruitland road to Shad Point. The matter was laid over until the next meeting.

Mr. Harrison of the York Bridge Co., was again before the Board in the matter of the new bridge across the river at Main street, this city. He was ordered to prepare plans and specifications for advertising for bids.

The Board decided to begin work on the Tony Tank bridge as soon as suitable arrangements could be made with the contractor.

Method Of Testing Milk.

The inhabitants of the Island of Jersey, from whence came the celebrated Jersey cattle, have a very simple way of testing milk to tell pure from impure. They simply boil the milk in an enameled sauce pan. If it boils without curdling it is said to be fit for use. If it curdles before it begins to boil, they consider it impure, and it is not used as food by the people or their most valuable calves.

Accidents will happen, but the regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurt.

DEMOCRATS FACE DEFEAT.

Delegates To State Convention From Baltimore Will Not Be Elected by Direct Vote.

Chairman Platt, of the Republican Committee, has notified Chairman Rusk, of the Democratic Committee, that he will appoint the Republican conferees in the near future, and a meeting could then be held at which the arrangements for the joint primaries could be made. This meeting will probably be held, if agreeable, at Governor Brown's headquarters.
It was thought that the Democrats would elect their delegates to the State Convention by direct vote, but this has been changed, and they will be chosen just as will the Republicans, by district conventions. Each ward will send 10 delegates, who will in turn nominate the representative for that ward, and the convention is then to elect the delegate-at-large.

The indications are also that the delegation will be unpledged, inasmuch as Baltimore city has no candidate to offer. Ex-Governor Brown could have the votes of the local delegation, but he persists in saying that he is not a candidate.
There is surely nothing to hope for by any Democrat this year. The party is split asunder, and no matter whom they nominate, his defeat is apparent. Should Governor Warfield be renominated, it is contended, the politicians would slaughter him at the polls, and if any other is named unacceptable to the Governor he will as surely be beaten. This is the opinion of the most prominent party men in the city.

According to Governor Warfield, the revolt in Howard County is even more widespread than he believed. He said the Democrats did not intend for any snap judgment as was that which characterized the convention held last week. To insure party support in the fall the proposition is made to submit the names of those who were chosen in convention to the Democrats in the county, who should have an opportunity to ratify the selection made. A Crawford county system of voting is proposed. If the ticket in whole or in part is ratified, then the objectors promise to give in their support, but should the plan offered be turned down the candidates must take their chances. It is suggested that these primaries be held the latter part of July.

If the proposition should be accepted, and there does not seem at this time that the concession will be made, then the fight will be made against the county commissioners, one of the members nominated for the House and the three delegates to the State convention. For the others there is said to be no objection.

Governor Warfield has on his war paint. He is conferring with some of the leading Democrats in the State and has asked them to join him. He had a conference during the past week with ex-Governor Smith, but nothing came of this. Last Saturday he had a talk with Judge Crothers. That gentleman would like to have oil poured on the troubled waters.

The real tug of war will come in the State convention. A Warfield delegation is to be sent by Anne Arundel if Dr. Wells is in control, and the Governor himself will be a delegate. There is always a contesting delegation from Anne Arundel, and no reason is advanced why the precedent should be disregarded this time. If there is no departure the fun will begin when an effort is made to unseat the Warfield delegation.

Some of the leaders counsel a conciliatory policy, and their efforts may bear fruit, but it looks like a war to a finish between the Governor and his opponents.—Baltimore American.

Marriage Licenses.

Stockley-Dunn:— Archie Shelling Stockley 19, and Mav Alice Dunn 17; Wicomico county.

Ross-Ross:—Henry H. Ross 21, and Clara E. Ross 18; Wicomico county.
Holiday-Dashell:—Wallace Linwood Holiday 30, and Lida B. Dashell 24; Wicomico county.

Band-Horner:—Herbert C. Band 28, and I. Pearl Horner 25; Wicomico Co. COLORED.

Redding-Parsons:—Joseph W. Redding 24, and Maggie Parsons 22. Worcester county.

Brown-Ennis:—Claude Brown 20, and Bertie Ennis 18; Sussex county, Del.

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BIG DAY AT JAMESTOWN.

Baltimore Day Was Of Unusual Interest At The Exposition Thursday June 27.

Norfolk, Va.—Baltimore Day, June 27th, was a day of unusual interest at the Jamestown Exposition. The citizens of the Monumental City excellently demonstrated their appreciation of the great world's Fair on Hampton Roads by turning out in large numbers. Not only were there many Baltimoreans in attendance, but the residents of the entire state were there in great numbers. Prominent citizens from all parts of the state were invited to join the Baltimore-Jamestown Committee at the Baltimore Building and listen to addresses by Governor Edwin Warfield and Hon. J. Barry Mahool, Mayor of Baltimore. An invitation to speak was also extended to Cardinal Gibbons.

The Baltimoreans were particularly interested in the Day and three of the most prominent business organizations, the Travelers & Merchants' Association, the Merchants & Manufacturers' Association and the Chamber of Commerce chartered steamers for the occasion.

In addition the Baltimore-Jamestown Committee, which was made up of representative citizens who are members of the three organizations named, as well as others, there was a special steamer on which the Governor, Mayor and other special guests were brought to the Exposition.

The following program was rendered: Assemble at 10:00 Baltimore Building.

Presentation of Building by Mr. Wm. F. Hurd, Chairman of Building Committee, was received by Mr. R. F. Baker, Chairman of the General Committee.

Prizes were distributed to the winners in the contest for the best Baltimore and Maryland songs. After that will be sung "Baltimore" composed by T. A. Murphey of Maryland, the prize winner.

Address by Mayor J. Barry Mahool, following which was sung the song "Maryland", composed by Miss Minnie Hicks of Galena, Maryland, prize winner.

Address by Governor Edwin Warfield. Reception by the Governor, Mayor, Executive Committee at the Baltimore Building.

Music was furnished by a stringed orchestra from Baltimore all day, and several soloists.

Death Of W. S. Dickinson.

William S. Dickinson, one of Pocomoke's foremost business men, died Monday at the Pennsylvania Sanitarium, Philadelphia, of valvular heart trouble, after an illness of three months.

Mr. Dickinson was born January 13, 1862, in Pocomoke City. He was the son of the late W. S. Dickinson, of this place, who died in Glasgow, Scotland in 1891, and who was the founder of the large department store which still bears his name.

He is survived by a daughter (Miss Myriam) and two sisters (Mrs. William H. Wolverson, of Stockton, N. J., and Mrs. J. Shiles Crockett, of Pocomoke City).

Mr. Dickinson was known throughout the wholesale markets of the large cities of the country as far as the Middle West, having a large furniture store connected with his other departments, and he leaves an estate valued at \$100,000.

Davis Will Not Hang.

Governor Warfield, on Tuesday, commuted the death sentence of Samuel K. Davis, who was convicted of murdering Alfred G. Strickland on December 22, 1906, at Klej Grange, Worcester county, to life imprisonment.

Davis was found guilty in the first degree at his trial at Snow Hill several weeks ago. The jury in bringing in its verdict recommended mercy. Davis, it was alleged, is of unsound mind. He is now confined to the Worcester county jail.

The petition for clemency that was presented to the Governor was indorsed by Judge Lloyd, who sat in the case, the state's attorney who prosecuted Davis and all the members of the jury who convicted him of murder.

TEACHERS and SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS.

The Annual Teachers and Scholarship Examinations will be held in the Wicomico High School, Salisbury, Md., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday,

JULY 1ST, 2ND, 3RD, 1907, beginning at 9 a. m. each day.

There are Vacant Scholarships as follows: Maryland Institute—One, male or female. Baltimore Normal School—three, male or female. Frostburg Normal School—One, male or female. Chestertown Normal School—One female. St. John's College—One male.

By order of the Board: H. CRAWFORD BOUNDS, Secretary.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

LOW-RATE NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSIONS.

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Those who have once visited Niagara Falls and wandered amid its historic environments or viewed its varied scenes of wonder, delight to return to gather new impressions of the falling waters, the dashing rapids and the great gorge.

This year the Pennsylvania Railroad will run a series of attractive personally-conducted excursions to Niagara Falls on July 3 and 17, August 7 and 21, September 4 and 18, and October 9.

Tickets will be sold at very low rates for the round trip and will be valid for return passage within ten days.

A special train in charge of an experienced tourist agent, will be run on each date from Philadelphia, carrying parlor cars, dining car, and high-grade coaches.

Tickets will be good going on the special train and to return on any regular train within the time limit, permitting excursionists to stop off at Buffalo and view the beautiful metropolis of Lake Erie.

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ELLEGOOD, FRENEY & WAILES, Attorneys-at-Law, Offices first floor Masonic Temple.
FITCH, N. T., Attorney-at-Law, Office in "News" Building.
JACKSON, ALEXANDER M., Attorney-at-Law, Office in Masonic Temple, Division Street.
TOADVIN & BELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Offices in Jackson Building, Main Street.
WALLER, GEO. W. D., Attorney-at-Law, Office adjoining "Advertiser" Building.
WALTON, ELMER H., Attorney-at-Law, Office in "Courier" Building, Main Street.
WILLIAMS, JAY, Attorney-at-Law, Office in Williams Building, Division St.

Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company

Schedule effective June 10, 1907.

Table with columns for West Bound, East Bound, and Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company. Includes times for various stations like Ocean City, Berlin, Salisbury, etc.

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, Roaring Point, Mt. Vernon, White Haven, Widgeon, Allen Wharf, Quantico and Salisbury.
Returning, steamers will leave Salisbury for Baltimore at 1.00 P.M., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, stopping at the above points.

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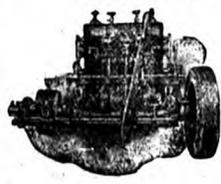
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THE TRANSIT PROBLEM.

A New York City Undertaking Costing Twice as Much as the Panama Canal.

The July *American Magazine* contains an article on "Manhattan: an Island Outgrown," which is the best description yet made of the extraordinary transportation improvements now being made in and about New York City. The transit problem in New York City to-day has become the most difficult, complicated and vexatious which faces any American city; and twice as much money is being spent to solve it as is being expended on the construction of the Panama Canal. That trans-oceanic ditch will cost \$200,000,000.

The Pennsylvania Railroad alone is spending \$100,000,000 to tunnel the two rivers and build a terminal in Manhattan. The McAdoo tubes under the North (or Hudson) River will cost \$75,000,000 more. The New York Central Railroad is going to erect an enormous new terminal station and bring all its trains into the city by electric power. The Belmont tubes under the East River to Long Island City and the city subway tubes from the Battery to Brooklyn represent the expenditure of millions more. And new subways under the East River and North through the city are being planned, while a new bridge is under way across the Blackwell's Island. The creative artists of the twentieth century are undoubtedly the engineers (the creative instinct is not dead; it is merely working in another medium;) and New York City will soon contain one of the greatest achievements, and achievement even more radical than at first glance it appears, for it is made possible by electricity and represents for the first time on a thorough going scale the change in motive power on railroads from the steam locomotives of the past seventy years to the electrically driven train. In a short time—probably three years at most—four railroad systems will bring their enormous traffic into the very heart of Manhattan Island under a puff of smoke or sound of steam. Underground, in silence and clear air, they will come and so depart again, while the Hudson River steamers pass over the Washington Express and the carriages on Park Avenue roll above the Bay State Limited. The achievement is stupendous and unique.

Harmony in Harford.

The Republican convention at Belair, Harford county, was the quintessence of harmony Monday. There was not a ripple to disturb the outward calm of the 60 or fewer men who within a few minutes ratified publicly the work of the two caucuses which were necessary before all the wrinkles were ironed out.

Of late years the Republicans never let their troubles be aired in convention. Whatever griefs they have are carried down to the hall of the Odd Fellows lodge, where many a would-be Republican statesman sees his political future die aborning. It is no secret that Mr. Allen, as a leader to the Hanna opposition, came to Belair with plenty of fighting material, but a careful survey showed that the convention was in control of Mr. Hanna and his friends and he submitted gracefully to the inevitable. Delegate Ramray, of the Third district, kicked over the traces for a minute or two an nominated Mr. Joseph T. Hoopes for County Commissioner. He had to be spoken to before he withdrew Mr. Hoopes' name and accepted the slated choice, Mr. J. Lawrence McCormick.

The Republicans also regard it as a shrewd move not to make any nomination against Register of Wills Bay and State's Attorney Stiffer. Both of the gentlemen were without competitors in the Democratic primaries and are regarded as invincible. The Republicans have made the most of the opportunity, however, by withholding nominations against them until some future time. They no doubt think that by placating their friends, the rest of the Democratic ticket will not be so hard to beat.

The ticket nominated was as follows: House of Delegates—Otho N. Johnson, Second district; J. Wesley Henderson, Fourth district; John W. Famous, Fifth district; Louis A. Vosbury, Sixth district. Sheriff—Joseph L. McVey, Sixth district. Judges of the Orphans' Court—John A. Porter, First district; J. Wilson Galbreath, Fourth district; Augustus A. Huff, Fifth district. County Commissioners—W. Boyd Bell, First district; S. Martin Bayless, Second district; J. Lawrence McCormick, Third district.

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THE JULY McCLURE'S.

"The Story Of Sheelah" By Maude Radford—The Early Life Of Ellen Terry.

The July *McCLURE'S* is unique in its features. There are six of them and a more interesting issue of any magazine would be hard to find. "Will the 'America' Fly to the Pole?" by Walter Wellman is a fairy story of reality—and graphically describes his airship "America" and the dash he will make to the pole next month. Ellen Terry in "When I was Married" tells of her romantic marriage to the painter, Watts, when she was not quite sixteen. She also tells of several years of her early life on the stage. Anecdote after anecdote make her memories charming. Carl Schurz dramatically paints "The Battle of Gettysburg." "The Contession and Autobiography of Harry Orchard," who now figures so large in Idaho, are most astounding, and give one a key to the man's character in the story of his first deadly errors. C. P. Connolly brings out most amazing and melodramatic Montana history in "The Fight for the Minute Healey," in which contest "almost every crime in the calendar was committed." Georgine Milmine's "Mary Baker G. Eddy" takes up the story of "Mrs. Eddy and Witchcraft," and shows Mrs. Eddy's strange belief in witchcraft and Malicious Animal Magnetism.

In fiction this July *McCLURE'S* is also striking. "The Story of Sheelah" by Maude Radford, comes first and shows us a bonnie Irish lassie, Sheelah, and her brave and good heart. Mrs. Wilson Woodrow adds another fascinating "Zenith" story in "Her that Danced," and strikes a deeper note than in any other Zenith tale she has given us. In "Patsy Moran and the Warnings," Arthur Sullivan Hoffman introduces to us a man who believes in signs and warnings and sees many of them in the course of an evening's adventure. There are also two poems: "Turnpike Crochies," by Sarah N. Cleghorn, and "Judgment," by Frances S. Lyman.

The illustrations are by Sigismund de Ivanowski, F. Walter Taylor, and James Montgomery Flagg. One of the illustrations in Terry's "Memories" is from a painting by the artist C. F. Watts, which, with the photographs that accompany it, make this portion of the magazine very beautiful. The other articles are also pictured with striking portraits and views.

Met An Accidental Death.

The funeral of Mr. Edward Asbury Young, engineer on the Western Maryland Railroad, who was killed at Shaw, Va., Saturday, occurred Monday afternoon from Centre Street Methodist Protestant Episcopal Church, Cumberland. Rev. William A. Melvin, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, who was a warm friend of Mr. Young, officiated, assisted by Rev. W. W. Barnes, pastor of Centre Street Church. Interment was in Rose Hill Cemetery. Otho Lodge of Masons had charge of the funeral.

Mr. Young was not on duty when he met his death. The accident was unusual. He had been down the road selling tickets for the benefit of the widow of an engineer, who is severely afflicted. He was riding on the engine and was standing between the engine and tender, bent over, watching the forward wheels of the tender truck revolve. Something had gotten wrong and Mr. Young was trying to detect it. The train was moving more than 30 miles an hour. The position assumed by Mr. Young has a tendency to cause dizziness, and he was seen to pitch suddenly from the engine. His forehead was crushed in and one of his hands was cut off. When the train was stopped and the crew rushed to his rescue he was dead. Mr. Young was of unusually striking physique.

Young Lover Suicides.

Roger Montgomery, 19 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Montgomery, of near Ijamsville, Frederick county, committed suicide early Monday morning at the home of George Netkirk, near Monrovia, by shooting himself through the heart. Young Montgomery called on Miss Lola Netkirk, daughter of Mr. Netkirk, Sunday afternoon, and they took a drive, returning about 9 o'clock in the evening. He remained at her home until nearly 12 o'clock, and before leaving made arrangements to go with her to Braddock Heights on July 4th.

About 3 o'clock in the morning the family were startled by a revolver shot, and soon afterward Miss Netkirk's brothers, who went to investigate the shooting, found the body of Montgomery lying in the yard. He was still alive, but died a few minutes later.

No cause can be assigned for the act, and Miss Netkirk, to whom the young man has been paying devoted attention, is prostrated over the occurrence. The wound was directly over the heart, and indications pointed so strongly to suicide that an inquest was deemed unnecessary.

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Knocked Out And Robbed.

Philip Arnone, aged 55 years, an Italian, who resides near Morantown, Alleghany county, was assaulted and robbed early Monday morning as he was leaving Eckhart on his way home. Four men are alleged to have taken part in the assault and one, George Bone, is now in the Prosburg lockup, having been committed by Justice Decker, of Eckhart. Another man, named McIntosh, is said to have signed a confession yesterday that he was one of Arnone's assailants.

Arnone had drawn his pay and that of his son, both being employed by the Union Mining Company. When passing the Engel slaughter house, four men sprang upon him. He was knocked down and frightfully beaten. After being made insensible, his money was taken. His nose was broken, cheek bone split and all his front teeth knocked out.

Second Suicide In Family.

Mrs. Frank Moals, 30 years old, committed suicide Monday evening while suffering from mental depression at her home, Breathedville, W. a high ground county. She killed herself with a double-barrel shotgun. No one was in the house at the time she committed the deed. Mrs. Moals had sent her young daughter to a nearby store and in her absence she placed the muzzle of the gun against her abdomen and pulled both triggers. She was found soon afterward lying upon the floor dead. A gaping wound was made in her abdomen and the floor was covered with blood. She had been in ill health for more than a year, and at times was very despondent. State's Attorney Long decided an inquest unnecessary. Her husband and daughter survive.

Mrs. Moals' father committed suicide when she was quite young.

Dr. A. W. Harris Installed.

Dr. A. W. Harris was formally installed as president of the Northwest University at the Auditorium in Chicago, Thursday night. Vice-President Fairbanks made an address. Bishop W. F. McDowell of Evanston, president of the board of trustees, delivered the installation speech, and Dr. Harris was also heard. Dr. Harris who was formerly head of the Jacob Tome Institute at Port Deposit, has been acting as president of the Northwestern since last July, and his administration has been highly successful. Three representatives of the University of Chicago attended the exercises, and Prof. F. W. Shephardson spoke on behalf of the Rockefeller institution.

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

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The Loving Case.

The defense in the Loving case is in many respects similar to that made by the lawyers in the famous Thaw trial in New York, and the case is attracting wide-spread notice and unusual comment.

The statements in relation to the murdered men which are said in each case to have temporarily affected the minds of the prisoners, were made,—in the Thaw case by the wife, and in the Loving case, by the daughter,—and in both instances it is claimed that it is not so much whether the statements were true in fact, as whether they were believed by the men themselves, and acted upon as such.

While this may be partially true, it is utterly impossible to defend such a doctrine upon any ground of right or justice. Suppose, for instance, Judge Loving's daughter had related to him the story she now tells in Court (as many now actually believe) simply for the purpose of covering her own dissipation of the evening before, is there a man anywhere who would declare that Loving was justified in striking down an innocent man because he happened to believe him guilty. Such a doctrine is monstrous and indefensible!

If Theodore Estes was guilty of the offense laid at his door by Miss Loving he was guilty of one of the most heinous crimes known to the law and upon due trial and conviction would have received the punishment commensurate with the crime he had committed. There is no human being so vile nor wretch so degraded, but who is entitled to the full protection of the law, and to a trial by a jury of his "peers."

Even if Loving had been in possession of the most convincing evidence possible of the guilt of the man he murdered, he would not have been justified in taking his life; but how much stronger becomes the case against him and utterly indefensible his act when it is remembered that he knew nothing of the guilt or innocence of the man whose life he was taking. His crime under the circumstances becomes an act of simple vengeance, wrought out in the most cold-blooded and deliberate manner possible. No defense of Estes' conduct was allowed, no statements of the evening before permitted, absolutely no opportunity given even for a word of explanation—the man was shot down on the threshold of life and hurried into eternity before he could realize the awfulness of his doom.

No one more than Judge Loving—a man not only trained in the law, but one who had himself

worn the robes of judicial office—knew the fearful and awful injustice of such an act, and his acquittal would be a veritable travesty upon justice and an incentive to crimes of a similar character.

The Fight in The "Bloody Fifth."

The war cry is raised, and the fight is "on" in the "bloody Fifth!" Mr. Wailes, of the Ellegood law aggregation, has served notice upon his legal brethren from the same district that he must have all the delegates—or none—and there's the rub. No compromise! No one-third of a delegation apiece! No friendly truce "patched up," and the "fight carried to the convention." It must be a "scrap" to the finish, and the "double-headed" monster of opposition must be swept aside on the day of the primaries.

But what of the opposition! Messrs. Bennett and Douglass are putting on their war paint and marshalling their forces in battle array. With sharpened lances and glittering shields, they loudly declare that when the fight is over and the smoke of battle clears away, that Mr. Wailes will look like the point of a cambric needle, as seen through the wrong end of a long distance telescope. The on-coming foe must be met and conquered in a common cause. Never mind about a division of the spoils—such minor details can be attended to later! Immediate danger confronts them, and the enemy must be crushed!

Truly and verily there will be something "doin'" in old Parsons this year—the bailiwick of the former Clerk (not Ex-), the generalissimo of the "Court House" battalion of the Democratic forces.

The Celebration Of The Fourth.

The celebration here next Thursday promises to be a great success, and there should be a hearty and general co-operation on the part of the citizens of the town. It has been some time since the Fourth was generally observed in Salisbury, and in view of the elaborate program which is being prepared by the committees in charge, the people need not, as has been their custom for several years, leave the town in large numbers for various places at which to spend the holiday. As far as possible the citizens should remain here and help make the day a memorable one. Not only should the places of business be decorated, but the residences as well, and everybody should aid in the attempt to make the occasion worthy of the event which is being celebrated.

A Legislative Candidate.

There are rumors that our fellow townsman, S Ker Slemons, will be a candidate for the Legislature from Wicomico.—Delmar News.

In view of the fact that Mr. Slemons is the associate editor of the News, and the above jotting appeared at the head of its editorial columns, it is rather a "cute" way of informing the public, and particularly the Democratic organization, that Mr. Slemons will have to be reckoned with in the Democratic primaries. But what's the use of being the editor of a paper if you can't make it count!

Editorial Jottings.

Let the eagle scream!

And the circus came to town!

Next Thursday will be the "Glorious Fourth."

Baltimore had a great day at Jamestown Thursday.

Governor Warfield has a double dose of war paint on, and there's trouble in the camp.

It is fortunate there are not many Orchards like the one in Boise. The fruit would be bad.

Salisbury is contemplating a glorious time on the Fourth and an old-time celebration seems to be at hand.

It's a shame the Democrats are having such a "scrap" over the county nominations—for the next set of local officials for Wicomico will be Republican.

Of all the baffling things in the world the "black-eyed pea" is the most elusive. It's a case of "now you see it—now you don't." And it's fearfully expensive—this not seeing it!

The Democratic Party in Wicomico is having troubles of its own. There are about 13 offices to be filled and about 50 candidates for the places. The more the merrier!

Governor Brown is sitting on the "lid" in Baltimore, and says he has the Democratic "plans" for the campaign this Fall in his hip pocket. Well, he may have, but we doubt it!

The "old guard," headed by Congressman J. Fred. C. Talbott, is watching intently the growing boom of Mr. Joseph D. Baker, of Frederick, for the Governorship, and it is said will effectually lay it to rest within a short time.

Republican harmony is in the air, and everything is pointing to success this Fall. The Wachter and organization forces in Baltimore are having regular love-feasts, and what will be done to the Democrats this year will be a caution.

The people are patiently—oh, so patiently—waiting for the garbage system. Now that the paving has been indefinitely postponed, the Mayor and Council can well afford to take this progressive step and comply with the requests of the citizens of the town.

The demand which is being made by Baltimore for larger representation in the General Assembly is eminently right and proper. The city has about one-half of the population of the State and more than half its taxable basis, so that its present representation is manifestly unfair and unjust.

Among the features of the parade next Thursday will be the marching of Company I, Maryland National Guard. What's the matter with the Mayor and Council getting in front of the Isabella street "standing army" and marching around town? The city officials with such a bodyguard would take the "first ribbon!"

Surely, surely, Mr. Bryan is not losing his hold upon the affections of the Democrats of the country; and yet it begins to look like it. On Thursday, in the Pennsylvania State Convention, a resolution endorsing "our peerless leader and statesman, William Jennings Bryan, the Jefferson and Jackson of the Democratic Party of today," was overwhelmingly snowed under amid an outburst of applause. Oh, how the mighty are fallen!

The New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company is rapidly redeeming itself and the opening of the double track Monday to Delmar is a rapid stride in the right direction. This gives the company a double track now to Eden, with the exception of the stretch across the bridge over Lake Humphreys, and as noted last week, arrangements are being made to replace at once the present bridge with a double track structure.



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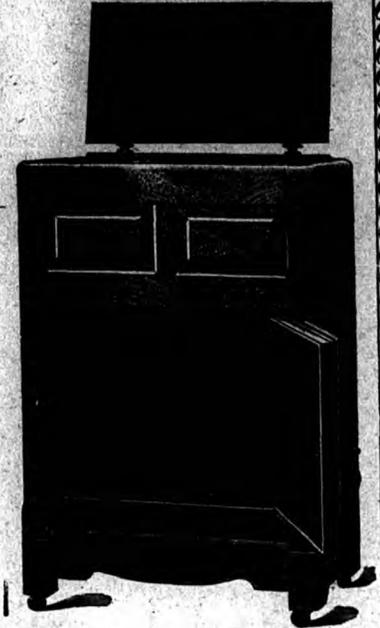
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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Mr. Wilbur F. Nock has accepted a position with Messrs. B. L. Gillis & Son.

—Miss Minnie Hearn has about recovered from her recent illness and is out again.

—"Sport," the dog owned by Master Henry Mitchell ran mad on Saturday last, and had to be killed.

—Rev. B. G. Parker will preach in the Old Presbyterian Church of Mardela Springs on Sunday night at 7.45 p. m.

—The department stores of R. E. Powell & Co. will be closed the entire day of July 4th. R. E. Powell & Co.

—A patriotic sermon will be delivered Sunday morning at the Wicomico Presbyterian Church by Rev. W. T. M. Beale, pastor.

—There will be preaching in the O. S. Baptist Meeting house Saturday and Sunday next at the usual hours, by Elder S. H. Durand.

—It was decided at a meeting of the Council Monday night, to pave the sidewalks on West Locust street. The work will be done at once.

—The Board of Lady Managers of the Peninsula General Hospital will meet Monday morning, July 1, at 10.30 o'clock, at the City Hall.

—The gasoline boat "Wicomico" came to Salisbury Tuesday morning with 103 passengers who came to this city to attend the circus.

—Next Thursday, the Fourth of July, will be generally observed by the merchants of Salisbury, and the stores, banks, and business houses will be closed all day.

—Notwithstanding the cool weather during the spring and early summer, it is expected that the peach crop in this section will be an average yield, from present indications.

—The estimated value of the strawberries shipped from Marion Station this year is \$175,000, one hundred and ninety carloads having been shipped to the large cities from this point.

—Mrs. S. J. Smith, wife of Rev. S. J. Smith, a former pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, of this city, died at her home in Stewartstown, Pennsylvania, Wednesday, of tuberculosis.

—Mr. Harry C. Dashiell left last Friday for Ann Arbor, Mich., where he will attend the summer school of law. Mr. Dashiell is the son of Mr. S. Frank Dashiell, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Somerset county.

—Despite the warm weather, a dance was given in the Masonic Temple Thursday evening, and the young people seemed to enjoy the event. Music was furnished by Messrs. W. A. Kennerly and Clarence A. White.

—Children's Day Services will be held tomorrow (Sunday) at Charlyt Methodist Protestant Church. Special services will be held in the evening at half past seven and an interesting program has been provided.

—The M. E. Church South, of Shad Point, will hold a picnic and basket social afternoon and evening, at Shad Point, July 4th. The Allen Concert Band will furnish music for the occasion and a good time is assured.

—The Young Woman's Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church will give a musical Monday evening, July 1st, at the Masonic Temple. Admission 25 cents. Come and be delightfully entertained, and also help a worthy cause.

—On and after Saturday, June 22nd, the following wholesale houses will close every Saturday at 3 p. m.:
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—A successful lawn party was given Thursday evening by the Ladies' Guild, of St. Peter's P. E. Church, on the lawn of Mr. Thomas Seabree, on Division street. The fete was well attended and about \$35.00 was realized, which will be used for the benefit of the choir.

—Among the recent arrivals at Ocean City, who will spend the summer at that resort, are five young men from Peru, South America. They are accompanied by Prof. C. S. Richardson, of the Maryland Agriculture College, who has taken a cottage for the season.

—The Washington Hotel, at Princess Anne, has been sold to Colonel Barker, and the former owner, Mrs. L. A. W. Franklyn left Saturday for New York; from thence she will sail, in the near future, for a trip abroad. It is understood that the hotel will be re-opened in a short time.

—The ladies of the Riverside Methodist Episcopal Church will give a basket suppey in the grove near the church, July 2, if the evening is favorable, and if not, July 8, beginning at 4 p. m. Ice cream and cake will be served. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. Everybody is invited to come.

—Beginning tomorrow, a song service of three-quarters of an hour will be held every Sunday evening during the summer months at Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, in charge of the pastor, Rev. T. E. Martindale. Short addresses will be made and special features will be introduced.

—Children's Day will be observed with an innovation at the Methodist Protestant Church next Sunday. The usual entertainment by the children will be omitted, except a brief program by the primary department during the regular Sunday School session. At the morning church service the pastor will preach a sermon to the children, and an appropriate service will be held in the evening.

—Mr. Perry Anderson, a well known resident of near Salisbury, died Wednesday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Virginia Pollitt, aged about 65 years. He was the son of the late Andrew W. Anderson. Mr. Anderson was never married and had lived on the Bell farm with his sister for a number of years.

—Mrs. Mary W. Nock, who has been with the Baltimore Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company for more than two years in the general offices, in this city, has tendered her resignation to the Company to take effect the last of this month. Miss Susie Walter has been appointed to fill the vacancy thus created.

—Several rafts of mine props have been brought up the Wicomico river and are being loaded on cars at the new switch which the B. C. & A. Railway Company recently constructed on the wharf near the pivot bridge. The props will be shipped to the northern market by Messrs. Glen Perdue and Walter C. Humphreys.

—In addition to a ten per cent. increase last December, all train dispatchers on the Pennsylvania Railroad have been notified of another increase of ten per cent., to take immediate effect. Under the new schedule of wages dispatchers on the Maryland Division receive \$140 and those on the Delaware Division \$133.10 per month.

—A fine specimen of wheat is on exhibition at the office of J. A. Jones & Co. It is seven feet in height and is filled with well developed kernels of wheat. It was grown on the Davis farm in Worcester county and was taken from a twenty-acre field of wheat of the same quality. The farm is for sale by J. A. Jones & Co.

—The congestion of freight traffic on the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. tracks between Salisbury and Delmar came to an end a few days ago, when the new double track system was put into effect. The double track extends South as far as Eden at present, and it is understood that in a short time the entire road will be improved in the same manner.

—The following assignments of students from Wicomico county at St. John's College, Annapolis, has been issued by Major Thompson, Commander of Cadets: George M. Austin of Mardela Springs, junior class, cadet major, to succeed Hugh A. Coulbourn of Crisfield; First lieutenant and quartermaster, Walter Bailey, of Quantico; captain of Co. B., Marvin A. Melson, of Rockawalkin.

—Company I, First Regiment, Maryland National Guard, in charge of Captain H. Winter Owens, will leave this city July 5th, for the annual encampment at Fort Howard, near Baltimore. The company will join other companies of the First Maryland Regiment which will camp with the regular army regiment stationed at Fort Howard. They will be instructed in the coast defense during the encampment.

—Mrs. Viola Poore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Hudson, of near Pittsville, was shot and instantly killed by her husband, in Wilmington last Friday night. After the shooting, Mr. Poore sent a bullet through his own breast. Jealousy and the result of being taunted by his wife are said to be the cause of Poore's shooting his wife and then himself. The young wife's father was notified and he assumed charge of the body which was brought to Pittsville for burial.

—Among the students at Washington College, Chestertown, who received normal diplomas at the commencement exercises last Wednesday were the following from this county: Lillie Woolford Bounds, Quantico; Pauline Kenney Goslee and Viola Miriam Goslee, Salisbury; Mabel Washington Hyman, Delmar; Hilda Howard, Hebron. Those receiving bachelor of art degrees were: Cecil V. Goslee, Salisbury; Curtis W. Long, Allen. The second honor oration was by Cecil Vernon Goslee.

—According to the statement of Mr. C. Lee Gillis, secretary of the Salisbury Lodge of Elks, who spent several days in Philadelphia last week, extensive preparations are being made for the Elks' Convention which will be held in that city next month. He says that Mr. O. J. Schneck has arranged to have a tally-ho coach, drawn by several prancing horses for the use of Salisbury Elks in the parade. The headquarters of the local lodge will be at the Davis Hotel, of which Mr. Schneck is proprietor.

—Mr. E. C. Potter, when asked what effect the proposed new moving picture show would have on the business here, said: "Since I have been in this city, I have endeavored to secure the best pictures procurable for my exhibitors and I believe, judging from the large crowds which attend every performance, that I have pleased the public. I shall continue to give a good, clean show, and I have no reason to believe that my business will be affected in any way." Mr. Potter is the pioneer moving picture man in Salisbury and his pictures have always given entire satisfaction to the public.

Union Lawn Party.

Salisbury is to have something else unusual—a Union Lawn Party, given by the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Methodist Protestant and Presbyterian Churches. Next Tuesday evening, July 2nd, is the time, and the beautiful lawn of Mrs. Annie Wailes' residence, opposite Main St., the place. The nicest sort of refreshments, including Crane's Ice Cream, will be served at reasonable prices. The Endeavorers of these two churches who worked together so successfully in entertaining the Maryland Endeavorers nearly a year ago, will do their best to entertain all their friends on this occasion. The social feature of this fete ought to attract a large gathering.

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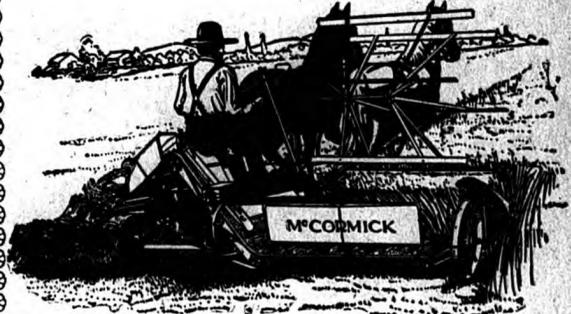
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Old Time Way of Making a Point. Hare and the Fox.

HOUSEHOLDER AND THE RAT.

How the King of the Forests Settled the Case of the Shepherd and Wolf That Devoured a Lamb—Sage and Officeholder.

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One day as the hare lay in her form six feet under ground she heard the voice of the fox calling her to come out, and upon reaching the surface she was greeted with:

"My dear friend, I am come to give you good news. The foxes have decided that they will no longer devour the hares. You can come out now and caper around as much as you please and feel no fear."

"What has brought about the change?" asked the hare as she showed no inclination to caper.

"Why, we all got together and decided that there was crying need of reform. Things have been going the old way too long. Under the new order of things the foxes and the hares will caper in brotherly love. Come out and embrace me."

"Some other time, but not just now," replied the hare.

"Then you doubt my word?"

"Oh, not at all."

"But you must suspect my intentions?"

"I can't say that I do, but the nub of the thing is this: Under the old order of things I knew you to be a fox, full of tricks and up to all dodges, and if you pursued me I knew that I had to outrun you to save my life. As a reformer I don't know how to take you. You may intend no ill, but until I see you gorging yourself on corned beef I shall stick close to my hole and let some other hare try experiments."

Moral.—Where there is need of reform there is more need of caution.

Shepherd and Wolf. Having become tired of looking out for the wolf, the shepherd one day went to the lion and charged that a lamb had been seized and devoured on a certain date and prayed that the wolf might be put on trial.

"It was certainly wrong," replied the lion, "and I will summon the wolf into court and see that justice is done. Come around tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock."

The shepherd was there at the hour appointed, as was also the wolf. The shepherd stated his case and so sur-



THE SHEPHERD STATED HIS CASE. rounded it with lamb chops and wool that there seemed no doubt of his winning the verdict. Indeed, when he came to take the stand the wolf acknowledged eating the lamb, but added:

"And ever since that date I have suffered from gastritis and the wool in my teeth. It was the fault of the shepherd in not giving me time to eat my lunch in a leisurely way, and I pray for damages against him."

"But he was seizing my property by violence," protested the shepherd.

"Then he should have been on the watch and chased me away," replied the wolf.

"But there is a law against stealing mutton."

"And neither Coke nor Blackstone defines lamb as mutton, and it was lamb I ate."

"Gentlemen, this case is as clear as mud," observed the lion after a moment's thought. "The shepherd has lost a lamb, for which he should be paid, and the wolf has suffered with an indigestion, for which he should be recompensed. My decision is that the account between them is square, and for my time and trouble I will take a fat ewe."

Moral.—Justice to all.

Householder and Rat.

The householder, having been told that the skin of a rat was worth a nickel, went out and bought him a trap and some cheese and prepared a surprise in the cellar. An hour later he found a rat in the trap and was beginning to rejoice when the rodent said:

"Do not go so fast. In the first place, I was only investigating to see whether

It was really cheese or not. In the next, it was unfair to take advantage of my ignorance and innocence. In the third, by killing me you only gain 5 cents, while if you wait a bit you may capture six or eight rats at once and profit sufficiently to pay for your trap."

The householder thought it over and concluded that the logic was sound, and the rat was set at liberty. Thereupon the vermin notified his kind throughout the neighborhood, and from thence on the trap was useless.

Moral.—In seeking to gain too much we may lose all.

Don't let one criminal get away in hopes to convict a whole legislature.

Sage and Officeholder.

One day as the sage was sitting under his favorite tree and debating on the mutability of things of earth he was approached by an officeholder, who said:

"Oh, sage, I am in the shadow of trouble and would have thy advice."

"If she finds fault about your getting home at 2 o'clock in the morning then divorce her," was the reply.

"It is not of my wife I would speak. She cares not at what hour I return from the lodge."

"Hast thou bought a new milk cow and found the amount of milk suddenly dropping from twelve to three quarts a day? I could have told thee all new milkers were vanity."

"It is far more serious than that, O sage. I have been holding office for ten years past."

"And the pickings have been good?"

"Not as good as I could have wished for, but still very fair. In the ten years I have accumulated about \$60,000."

"Go on."

"The people are beginning to talk about me. There are hints that I have fed at the trough long enough. There are more than hints that I am crooked. In fact, there is a demand that my books be examined."

"And if they are?"

"It will be shown, O sage, that I am ahead of the game."

"Canst not talk of a long and honorable career?"

"That kind of hot air doesn't go any more."

"Are there no newspapers to be subsidized?"

"Nary one. In fact, it is the papers that are whacking at me."

"How about taking the bull by the horns and boldly demanding an investigation? It often works successfully."

"Alas, but I fear the bull!"

"You can't claim to have drawn the money on a lottery ticket or found it in the road?"

"No one would believe the yarn."

"Well, you are in a fix, for sure," mused the sage, "and I see but one way out of it for you. You are not yet out of office. The pickings are still to be picked. Get a hump on you and steal a second \$50,000 and use the first to enable you to retain the last."

"And if even then I am convicted and sent to prison?"

"Why, we'll start a reform movement and have you pardoned out as a martyr the first thing."

Moral.—Honesty is the best policy—when you can't do better.

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A Different Story.

"If you please, ma'am," said the servant from Finland, "the cat's had chickens."

"Nonsense, Gertrude!" returned the mistress of the house. "You mean kittens. Cats don't have chickens."

"Was them chickens or kittens that master brought home last night?"

"Chickens, of course."

"Well, ma'am, that's what the cat has had."

Far Gone.

Helen (bantering)—You don't love me.

Dick—Oh, I'm crazy about you.

Helen—Oh, I am afraid it is a case of "out of sight out of mind?"

Dick (desperately)—On the contrary, it is a case of "in sight out of mind."—Chicago News.

Not Even St. Patrick.

Angry Scot—Look here, Mr. O'Brien! I've the verra greatest respect for yer country, but ye mauna forget this: Ye can sit on a rose, and ye can sit on a shamrock, but O man, ye canna sit on a thistle.—Sketch.

In the Near Future.

"I'm awfully frightened way up here," said the fair young thing in the airship.

"Worry not, Clarissa," replied Harvey Giltricks. "Your fears are groundless."

"A Good All Round Man."

Fathers and Sons.

Bez pa to me in solemn tones: "Such things I don't enjoy."

I greatly grieve that you should fight That model little boy.

"For he is good and does what's right, And he is just and fair."

And I would have you imitate His virtues great and rare."

Then pa he ticked me good and hard And let it go at that.

And I went off to the baseball game Where all the bleachers sat.

And when that just, fair man cried "Foul!"

Pa rose up with the host And hollered with his might and main To lynch him on a post.

—McLanburgh Wilson in New York Sun.

The Horse He Wanted.

A Scotch farmer bought a horse. Going home he thought a drink would refresh it, so he got a pail of water, but the animal would not take it. On reaching home he gave it a feed of corn, but it would not touch that either. "Ye're the vera horse for me if ye only work!" the farmer was heard to say.—Dundee Advertiser.

Bohemian Magazine.



THE PRESIDENT'S FAVOR.

He Thought He Could Do Better if He Had the Cashier's Position.

"Mr. Smithly," said the bank president as he called the cashier into his private office and motioned him to be seated. "I want to ask you a few questions. Is it true that you have just purchased a home at a cost of \$35,000?"

"I—I have, sir," replied the cashier as he turned pale.

"And that you own an automobile worth \$5,000?"

"Y-yes, sir."

"And a yacht worth \$7,000?"

"Y-yes, sir."

"And three race horses valued at \$15,000?"

"I—I do, sir."

"And a dog worth \$2,000?"

"Y-yes, sir."

"And that you sometimes lose vast sums at poker?"

"Y-yes, sir."

"And live at the rate of \$50,000 a year?"

"P-pretty near that, sir."

"Mr. Smithly," continued the bank president as he lowered his voice, "I want to ask you a favor. Your salary is \$2,000 a year, is it not?"

"It is, sir," replied the cashier as he arose from his chair and sighed and wiped the perspiration from his forehead. "I—I suppose I am to hand in my resignation at once, sir?"

"Not at all, my boy—not at all! I just want to ask you if you won't change jobs with me for a few years. I don't seem to be able to make much headway in this institution on my meagre salary of \$20,000 a year."—A. B. Lewis in Judge.

Grim Humor.



"I never do have any luck. Now a raging toothache has begun just at the moment that I was going to take my life, and the nearest dentist lives at least three leagues from here."—Pele Mele.

The Exhilaration of the Woods.

"Do you find hunting and fishing very exciting?"

"Not very," answered the man who devotes some time to outdoor life. "The real excitement comes afterward when you get into an argument about nature faking."—Washington Star.

Real Need For Hurry.



The Gentleman with the Bonnet Box—Don't step me and chap! Don't step me! I've got a new hat for my wife in here, and if I'm not quick it'll be out of fashion before she's worn it!—Drawn by H. M. Bateman in Sketch.

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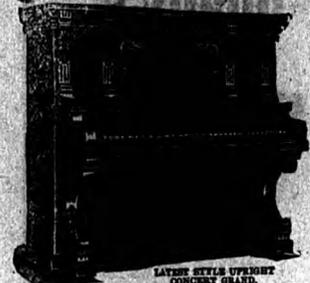
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MORGAN OF ALABAMA

Anecdotes Related About the Veteran Statesman.

INSTANCES OF HIS ENDURANCE

How He Made the Long Distance Speaking Record—Sample of His Ability as an Advocate—Loved to Joke—How He Named a Street.

Six years ago, just as the Fifty-seventh congress was passing into history, Alabama's veteran statesman, the late Senator John Tyler Morgan, made the long distance speaking record, forced an extraordinary session of the senate and killed the asset currency bill of Senator Aldrich, who in these last hours of congress shared the leadership with Senator Hale, says the New York Tribune.

On another occasion Senator Cullom, as chairman of the foreign relations committee, was anxious to get a vote on certain amendments to a treaty and insisted on a night session.

This wonderful endurance of the Alabama senator is all the more remarkable when it is considered that he was feeble in early life and his disabilities were a great trial to him during his army career.

They tell to this day in Alabama this story to illustrate Mr. Morgan's ability as an advocate, says the New York Herald: A negro of well known thieving proclivities was on trial for stealing a mule.

It is not generally known perhaps that Senator Morgan was once threatened with arrest for alleged complicity in the assassination of Lincoln, says the Washington Post.

Of course Senator Morgan was not only innocent, but actually did not hear of Lincoln's death until a week after it had occurred. He was then a farmer in Dallas county, his practice of law having been prohibited by the federal authorities, and he was plowing corn when he heard that an order had been received by General McArthur, at Selma, to arrest him and send him to Washington for complicity in the Lincoln assassination.

Senator Morgan was as courteous as he was able in debate and always enjoyed a joke. In the old days he liked nothing better than to cross swords with the late Senator Hoar, says the St. Louis Republic.

"FELLOWSHIP FARM"

Co-operative Colony Near Boston Organized by Socialists.

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Promoters Believe That Double Basis of Holding Property Will Insure Success of Scheme—Street Called Maiden Lane Laid Out For Spinners.

Forty Socialists have organized a co-operative settlement, called Fellowship farm, on a beautiful seventy-five acre tract of land in Westwood, twelve miles from Boston. Here the Socialists are planning to live and work, some going back and forth to the city, others raising fruit, vegetables and poultry, says a Boston special dispatch to the St. Louis Republic.

Forty acres have been divided into individual holdings, and the rest of the land, with large barns upon it, is for collective ownership and use. The plan of the settlement, which was made years ago, but not carried out until this spring, is to cultivate the personal and social elements of those who participate in it.

Unlike other co-operative schemes of living, it has a double basis. A man living on a farm may have a deed for one of the acres, which is his exclusive property, but he also has a co-operative interest in the community holdings. He can be his own landlord, working on his own soil and living in his own house, meanwhile enjoying the pleasure of having congenial persons near him and the privileges of a big fellowship house, which it is the intent of the leader, the Rev. George Littlefield, to build.

Each of the forty men has agreed to give \$2.50 a month, and when any one person has paid in \$300 he gets a deed to his acre and is not obliged to pay anything more. If he is ill or in trouble, there is an emergency fund to help him out, and if he desires to leave his occupation at any time he can return to nature and dig a living out of the soil.

Mr. Littlefield has had this scheme in mind twenty years, but not until the present time was he able to perfect it. Mr. Littlefield is a Harvard graduate and a Unitarian minister. Before his college days he saw much of Dr. Edward Everett Hale and Edward Bellamy and was so fired with enthusiasm with their views that he sold his printing business and studied to become a minister.

"The ministry did not satisfy me," he said in telling the story of his hopes and ambitions. "The Bible says, 'Feed my sheep,' and I found that most of the ministers were only talking to them. I felt that I must do something besides talk. Preaching the golden rule under present business conditions is like trying to grow flowers in the subway."

There are five reasons why other schemes of co-operative living have failed. "First—Groups of people with ideals have pulled themselves up by the roots and been transplanted artificially to a wilderness. They got lonesome and wanted to get back to their old occupations and ways of living."

Second—Most of the persons who form these schemes are not working people. They are impracticable and fanatical dreamers, who do not understand how to do the practical things of life. "Third—Most of the plans start with a common pocketbook, common land, and a common dwelling, and there is no chance for the individual."

Church Yell In Place of "Amen."

Religious enthusiasts at Waukeg, Ia., have supplanted the "amens" and pious ejaculations of a former generation with this church yell, which was introduced at a revival, says a Waukeg dispatch: "Faith, hope and charity, noblest Christian graces three. We will ever practice thee, glory, hallelujah."

Siberian Railway Improvement. The Russian government has decided to double the track of the Siberian railway. A second track will be laid between Artyshak and Irkutsk during the present year.

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Sharptown

Miss Rae Eaton visited friends in Hebron last week.

Capt. Frank Lowe spent a few days with his family last week.

Mr. Wm. T. Elliott and son, James, are in Baltimore this week.

Miss Edna Bennett has returned home from a visit among Laurel friends.

Miss Maggie Twilley visited her brothers in Wilmington last week.

Miss Carrie Calloway, of Cambridge, is the guest of Mrs. Louis Moulry.

Messrs. S. J. Cooper and Company received a car load of corn Wednesday.

Mr. Ross Walker, of North Carolina, is visiting his father Mr. J. J. Walker.

Miss Mary Wheatley is visiting her brother, Mr. Samuel Wheatley, at Eldorado.

Mr. William J. Gravenor, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days with his family.

Mrs. Joseph A. Balfey and family have moved into their new home on Church street.

Mr. C. A. White, of THE COURIER, was in town Monday. He was accompanied by Mrs. White.

Mr. P. T. White, cashier of the bank, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, near Fruitland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brodvey returned home on Tuesday from Baltimore, where they have spent a week.

Mr. J. Willing, who has been spending a few days at the Ellis Hotel, has returned to his home in Baltimore.

Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Cassaway, and son, William, his father, and sister, Laura, and Miss Sallie Mitchell, spent Wednesday at Ocean City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips and daughters, who have been spending a few days with Mrs. A. Hearn, left Tuesday for Bivalve to conduct a Holiness tent meeting.

Moonlight excursions are becoming quite popular. On Friday night of last week, Capt. E. W. Bailey, W. M. Martino, B. H. Phillips, Olan Phillips and Rev. H. W. D. Johnson made a trip to Laurel.

On Monday night of this week Mr. B. H. Phillips gave an excursion in honor of Misses Laura Cassaway and Indiana Wheaton. Quite a number of young people were guests on the trip and all enjoyed themselves very much.

The failure of the Saturday papers from Salisbury to reach here is a serious disappointment to the readers at this place. There is no reason why the papers do not reach here on Saturday and it is to be hoped that the irregularity will be remedied.

Mr. Charles Connolly died on Friday of last week, after a lingering illness, at the age of seventy-five years. He leaves a widow and several grown children. He was a member of the M. E. Church for several years and lived a quiet life. He was a kind neighbor and good citizen. His remains were interred in the Taylor Cemetery on Sunday afternoon after funeral service in M. E. Church by Rev. L. I. McDougle, assisted by Rev. H. W. D. Johnson and James Robinson.

Nanticoke.

Miss Ella Messick spent last week in Baltimore.

Mr. W. D. Turner, of Salisbury, spent Wednesday in Nanticoke.

Miss Mary C. Hill, of Salisbury, is visiting Miss Sadie Turner.

Miss Teresa Turner, of Salisbury, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. R. G. Evans, of Salisbury, visited friends in Nanticoke last week.

Mrs. Edith M. Towdine and son, Walter, spent Tuesday in Salisbury.

Miss Pearl Young has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. John Pyle, of Baltimore, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James K. Bishop.

Misses Vernie and Helen Messick spent Sunday with the Messes Walter.

Miss Annie Conway spent Thursday with her cousin, Miss Annie Jester, at Festerville.

Mr. Newell Messick, who has spent several months in New Jersey, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Sadie Williams of Baltimore, was the guest of Mrs. T. J. Walter for several days this week.

Master Harold Conway, of Wetpquin, is spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. E. S. Turner.

Masters Barton Webster, of Mt Vernon, and Kirwan Messick, of Baltimore, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Thos W. Young.

Mr. Bernice Burton and Misses Helen Burton and Alma Willing, of Tyaskin, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. A. F. Turner, Sunday.

Miss Ora L. Willing, who is a student at the Peabody, came home Wednesday to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Willing.

Miss Grace Messick is taking a several weeks' trip with her brother-in-law and sister, Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Keenerly. While away they will visit Jamestown and take in the Exposition.

Mrs. William S. Travers returned Sunday from a week's visit to Baltimore. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. John M. Lansdale, and Misses Louise and Alice Lansdale, who will be her guests for several weeks.

Lost

On Monday last, in Salisbury, a Black Leather Pocket Book containing quite an amount of money. Liberal reward if returned to J. MITCHELL COLLINS of THE COURIER OFFICE

Parsonsborg.

"Bill Bailey" comes to town quite often, and makes things very lively at times.

Arrangements are being made for the picnic which is to take place on the camp ground, July 13. The committee promises to make every thing delightful for all who come. The camp-meeting privileges will be sold that day at 2 o'clock. The program will probably appear in THE COURIER. Come one and all. Bring your wife and children and sweethearts

Charles B. Houston Dead.

Hon. Charles B. Houston, one of the best known citizens of Delaware, died at Atlantic City Monday night of a complication of kidney troubles. Mr. Houston was about 60 years of age. He was a brother of the late Dr. Isaac Houston and a son of the late Robert Houston, of Delaware. Mr. Houston was well known here. In 1881 he formed a partnership with Messrs. Thomas and Vandalla Perry of this city under the name of Houston, Perry & Co. and commenced the operation of large lumber mills at Millsboro, Del. He afterwards was President of the same company after it had been made a corporation. The deceased was a Democrat and served as State Senator for four years. He was a director of the Farmers Bank of Georgetown, and also a director of the D., M. & V. Railroad. He was an uncle of the Misses Mary and Letitia Houston of this city. He leaves an estate valued at \$100,000.

Personal.

—Miss Rebecca McLain is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Otis S. Lloyd.

—Miss Marguerite Grier is visiting relatives in Milford, Del.

—Miss Bessie Bell, of Berlin, visited friends in this city Thursday.

—Miss Mamie Gillis has as her guest Miss Fitzgerald, of Baltimore.

—Mrs. Margaret P. Trussell was a visitor in Laurel during the week.

—Miss Emma Dav is visiting Mrs. Lawrence Chaffinch, at Easton, Md.

—Misses Grace Lindale and Jane Williamson are the guests of Miss Annie E. Dashiell

—Mrs. Thomas H. McKov, formerly of Salisbury, is the guest of Mrs. Vandalla Perry.

—Rev. and Mrs. Manning Hank are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Annie Wallis.

—Miss Dora Kent and Miss Edna Parsons are visiting Miss Annie Restine, at Cape Charles, Virginia

—Mrs. L. Wood Wingate, of Clarksburg, W. Va., is the guest of Mrs. Otis S. Lloyd, Camden avenue.

—Messrs. Paul T. Collins and S. G. L. Hitch, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting friends and relatives in Salisbury.

—Mrs. Harry Imier of Wilmington, Del., will spend several weeks with Miss Mamie Phipps on Lake street.

—City Collector Henry J. Byrd resumed his duties at the City Hall Thursday, after an illness of several weeks

—Mr. Minos Trader, of New York City, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trader, of Walnut street.

—Miss Gertrude Moore, who has been on an extended visit to relatives in Kansas, returned to her home in this city Friday.

—Miss Elizabeth Kelly, who has been attending school at the Holy Cross Convent, Baltimore, returned to her home in this city Friday.

—Miss M. Grace Darby left Thursday for Jamestown, also for a visit with friends in Wilson, N. C., Washington, D C., and Southern Maryland.

—Miss Maria Ellegood is entertaining Miss Kirby, of Alameda, California, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ellegood, N. Division St.

—Mr. Arthur Trader, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trader on E. Walnut street. Mr. Trader is a clerk in the Land Commissioners' office, Annapolis.

—Misses Frances Williams and Emma Lou Smith have been the guests, during the week, of Miss Aline Wallop at a house party at the "Virginia," Ocean City.

—Miss Simpson, of Westminster, Miss Wallis and Miss Miller and Mr. Buchanan Shreeve, of Baltimore are being entertained by the Misses Wallis, at a house party this week.

—Misses Nau Ayers, Helen Dirickson, Mrs. L. L. Dirickson, Jr., Miss Lee and Messrs. Victor-Hammond and Levin Dirickson, of Berlin, attended the dance in the Masonic Temple Thursday evening.

—Mrs. E. F. Sparrow and daughter, Jeannette, of Oklahoma City, Mrs. M. B. Phillips, of Baltimore, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Culver, of Tyaskin, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Brewington, Main street.

ENJOYABLE BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Large Number Of Guests Entertained in Honor Of Mr. B. H. Phillips' Birthday Anniversary.

Mr. S. J. Cooper and daughter, Miss Lena, gave Mr. Branch H. Phillips a birthday dinner at 7 o'clock p. m. on Thursday in the spacious dining halls of the Cooper residence on Main street, Sharptown.

The home was beautifully illuminated and the table and dining halls were tastefully and artistically decorated. The social features were of a high order and were much enjoyed.

Mr. B. H. Phillips was toastmaster. "Here's to Sharptown." "May your sorrow be as light as the air and your joys as deep as the Nanticoke," to which there were many responses. The following menu was served:

- Bread
- Loaf Biscuit
- Vegetables
- Beans Peas Tomatoes
- Beets Onions Radishes
- Meats
- Chicken Beef
- Salads
- Potatoes Tomatoes Eggs
- Peanuts Pickles Prunes Nuts
- Floating Island Ice Cream
- Cake Oranges
- Fruit Lemonade Coffee Chocolate
- Brancho-en-Casserole

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper, Mrs. Victoria Phillips, Misses Indiana Wheaton, of Chincoteague, Laura Cassaway, of Washington, Lillia and Bessie Ellis, Ada Walker, Alice Johnson, Mrs. Sallie Clash, Messrs. B. H. Phillips, Myrtle Gravenor, P. T. White, A. C. Mills and James O. Adams.

The company expressed the hope that Mr. Phillips might enjoy many more birthdays and that each would be filled with joy and that all the intervening time would be filled with pleasure and the many blessings that life bestows.

Letter From Jamestown.

EDITOR COURIER: Not having seen anything in your paper for some time about the Exposition, I am pleased to send you some facts.

There has been quite a change in the Board of Governors in the past two weeks, since Mr. James M. Barr was elected as the leader. Four out of seven of the directors have been laid off already. This means a saving of \$800 per month, and the expense has been cut accordingly in several other branches. Quite a lot of this money is being spent for advertising, and consequently is bringing quite a crowd. There is an average daily attendance of from 20,000 to 30,000 paid admissions, so if this keeps up, they will soon be on their feet again.

The Exposition has lots of hard fights to contend with, but now it is in very good shape and nearly everything is ready. We would be glad to see the Salisbury people come down and can assure them they will not be disappointed.

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Collector's Sale OF VALUABLE Real Estate

FOR CORPORATION TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1906.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale conferred upon the undersigned, by law, as Collector of Corporation Taxes for the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, for the year 1906, the undersigned, as Collector aforesaid, will sell at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in SALISBURY, Wicomico County, Maryland, on

Saturday, June 29th,

1907, at or about 2 o'clock, p. m., to satisfy the Corporation Taxes aforesaid, duly levied by the Mayor and City Council, October 1st, 1906, with costs, for the said year 1906, and now remaining unpaid, the following Real and Personal Property:

No. 4.—Lot situated in the town of Salisbury, Wicomico County, Maryland, on Delaware Street, in Salisbury Election District, together with the improvements thereon, and assessed in 1906 to Charles W. West, with costs.

Term of Sale—CASH. HENRY J. BYRD, CITY COLLECTOR.

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