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SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1885.

The largest batch of appointments yet made, was sent to the Senate last Monday. The list included many foreign appointments—Ministers and consuls—but there were also on the list quite a number of postmasters and revenue officers.

It is feared by the Tammanyites that their organization will be considerably weakened if Mr. Kelly withdraws from its active management. This move on his part is said to be likely, on account of poor health. There is no doubt about Mr. Kelly's astuteness, and skillful political management, but his ways have so much the flavor of trickery, that Tammany would be in better odor without his leadership.

The war cloud which has been hanging over Europe is breaking away. Russia has virtually accepted the propositions of England in the matter of the Afghan frontier, and what might have been a general European war, is thus averted. Neither of these countries is in condition to engage in as extensive a war as this would have been, and it is fortunate for the welfare of all the other countries of Europe that the difficulty has been for the time peacefully settled.

All good citizens should rejoice at democratic success last fall for one reason if for no other. It means the downfall of Mahoneism in Virginia, with all its corrupt practices and unscrupulous policies. A power which owes its existence to public patronage can not fail to be swept away when that patronage is withdrawn. If he had not been supported by the late administration, Mahone would long ago have ceased to be a figure in Virginia politics. Let all such men be relegated to private obscurity, where they belong.

It is to be hoped that Congress next winter will be more successful in its tariff legislation than it was a year ago. The policy of the democratic party is well understood as tending to a rapid reduction of the country's war tariff, as is feasible. With full knowledge of this, the people have elected a democratic President, which means an abatement of that party's principles. It would be wise for them not to trifle longer with the strongly expressed wish of the whole country in this matter.

The reappointment of Mr. Pearson as postmaster of New York, while not a surprise, is still something of a disappointment to some. On account of Mr. Pearson's efficiency and long service in this office, many of the leading business men, republicans and democrats alike, urged his retention, while the politicians were urging the appointment of some democrat. While it is understood by those near the President that this case is not an indication of what will be the usual policy of the administration in such matters, still there were exceptional circumstances that made it desirable to continue Mr. Pearson in the office, and it is safe to trust Mr. Cleveland's judgment.

Among the appointments sent to the Senate last Monday, are noticed the names of two negroes, Mr. Edward Jones of Illinois, who is given the position of consul-general to Vienna, has been a Republican, but of a very independent kind. He is regarded as a "kicker," and during the last campaign was a strong supporter of Cleveland. He is a brother-in-law of the well-known Carl Shurz. Another negro is Mr. Rasmus B. Anderson, of Wisconsin, who is to be the Minister to Denmark. He is a very able man, and is well acquainted with several languages. Until the nomination of Mr. Blaine he was a Republican. After Mr. Cleveland was nominated, Mr. Anderson canvassed his state for the democratic ticket, and made many speeches in the Swedish language.

Mothers Should Note This.—Under this caption an old physician writes to a Cincinnati Medical Journal, that in view of the fact that people living at a distance from cities are frequently obliged to resort to cough mixtures already put up for use, they should provide themselves with only such remedies as are known to be free from opiates, poisons and narcotics; thus avoiding not only danger, but also a fatal result. He recommends the recently discovered Red Star Cough Cure which analyzes and tests by various Boards of Health proved to be purely vegetable as well as prompt, effective and entirely harmless.

On account of ill health, Mr. John Kelley is about to retire from the chairmanship of the Committee on Organization of Tammany. Great regret is expressed by his many friends that he should find this step necessary. It is not certain who will succeed him, but it is feared that no one else will be able to keep the organization as completely together as Mr. Kelly has done.

A special from Washington, D. C., says: "Ex-Speaker Randall is ill in bed and no one allowed to see him. He is suffering from nervous prostration."

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It contains more available plant food, for less money, than any fertilizer in the market. It is not only active but permanent. And we would respectfully refer you to the following gentlemen

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Was the name formerly given to Scrofula because of a superstition that it could be cured by a king's touch. The world is wiser now, and knows that

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can only be cured by a thorough purification of the blood. If this is neglected, the disease perpetuates its fatal through generation after generation. Among its earlier symptoms are Eczema, Cutaneous Eruptions, Pimples, Boils, Carbuncles, Erysipelas, Furunculosis, Nervous and Physical Collapse, etc. If allowed to continue, Rheumatism, Scrofulous Catarrh, Kidney and Liver Diseases, Tubercular Consumption, and various other dangerous or fatal maladies, are produced by it.

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Is the only powerful and always reliable blood-purifying medicine. It is so effective in the treatment of Scrofula, and other hereditary taints, as to be called the "King's Evil" medicine. At the same time it enriches and vitalizes the blood, restoring healthful action to the vital organs and rejuvenating the entire system. This great

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Is composed of the genuine Honduras Sarsaparilla, with Yellow Dock, Nitroglycerin, the Iodides of Potassium and Iron, and other ingredients of great potency, carefully and scientifically compounded. Its formula is generally known to the medical profession, and the best physicians constantly prescribe Ayer's Sarsaparilla as an

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For all diseases caused by the vitiation of the blood. It is concentrated to the highest practicable degree, far beyond any other preparation for which like effects are claimed, and is therefore the cheapest, as well as the best blood purifying medicine, in the world.

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Look at tricots, if you please under that strong light. Several different cloths at a dollar, of different widths and so of different values. They bear comparison with the dollar (75-cent) ladies'-cloths.

Now comes a yard-wide tricots for 50 cents that ought to be known. Of fine soft wool and open texture.

Gentlemen's printed-border linen handkerchiefs, half and two-thirds:

50-cent for 25
40-cent for 25
35-cent for 20
25-cent for 15
25-cent for 12
20-cent for 10

The first three sorts are hemstitch; the last three imitation. Ladies' ditto: hemstitch, 25-cents for 15; imitation-hemstitch, 12 cent for 9, or a dollar a dozen.

It is time of year for abundance of everything linen; and we have it. There is never a time when more is here. Prices are steady; tendency upward. Scarcely any change in staple linens show itself in our stock as yet; but we must come to that shortly. We have been at the bottom. The wholesale market is rising. Our trade is too large to let us keep far behind a change in the general market.

The best of the Barnsley table-linens, \$1.50 grade for \$1.25; Barnsley floor-linens likewise; and these are about the only linen bargains we have at present. The stock is very full and on an even general level of price.

South-west corner of main building. Moquette carpets again, \$1.25 and \$1.50; almost a roomful, and more in every day till the room is quite full.

Wiltons plenty yet, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2. Brussels, another roomful of best-five frame Brussels, \$1; still another \$1.25. Tapestry still \$60 and 75 cents;

Our Best Velvets at \$1
Outwear, we believe, two Body Brussels, and are no higher in Price. Sold elsewhere from One Dollar and Thirty-Five Cents to One Dollar and Fifty.

Our Velvets - - at 95
Are very desirable. Moquette effects. We are selling large quantities of both.

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TAPESTRY BRUSSELS at prices far below market value. Special bargains in all grades. New patterns in all kinds of Carpeting, Oil Cloths, Canton Mattings, Rugs, Etc. Do not fail to call and see them.

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CLOVER, TIMOTHY AND ORCHARD GRASS SEED IN ANY QUANTITY.

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Analysis—Moisture, 10 Per Cent. Ammonia, 3 to 4 Per Cent. Sol. and Reserved Phos. Acid, 8 to 12 Per Cent. Potash, 2 to 2 1/2 Per Cent. A full line on hand; can deliver at once.

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50 Boxes Holland's 4 oz Twist..... 40 Cents lb.
50 Boxes Holland's 3 oz Twist..... 40 Cents lb.
50 Boxes Holland's 6 in Twist 12s to lb..... 38 Cents lb.
100 Boxes Holland's 6 in Flat 10 & 20 lb box 27 Cents lb.
100 Boxes Dick Middleton's Sweet, 8 oz..... 33 Cents lb.
100 Boxes D. Buchner & Co's Sweet, 8 to 16oz 33 Cents lb.
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I am having a large sale of my special makes of SHOES, and you would be surprised how far a little money will go when rightly invested. We will show you how to invest it. My success in the sale of

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warrants me in recommending my stock. Special attention is called to the SHOES MADE TO ORDER, all of which we guarantee to fit. IN HATS of all kinds my trade is established, but I want to make it still larger. I am OFFERING INDUCEMENTS.

J. S. ADKINS, Main St., Next Door to the Peninsula House, Salisbury, Md.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1885.

Post Office Bulletin. MAILS CLOSE. NORTH, 6:30 A. M. SOUTH, 7:30 P. M.

Office open from 6:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M. and on Monday from 11:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

Index to Advertisements. The following new advertisements appear in this issue of THE ADVERTISER.

50th ANNIVERSARY. MR. & MRS. JOSEPHUS HUMPHREYS.

At the Residence of WILLIAM H. JACKSON. WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 3TH, FROM 9 TO 12.

SARAH W. JOHNSON. JOE HUMPHREYS. ITEMS BRIEF BUT NEWSY.

Another slight fall of snow last Sunday. It was winter's good-bye.

The store of Messrs. Breckhard, Laws and Carey is being improved by a fresh coat of paint, inside and out.

The Hook and Ladder company will meet in their room on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock.

The wife of Mr. Samuel E. Fosdy died last Monday at her home in Delmar and was buried last Tuesday.

Shad was offered for sale last Thursday at one dollar a piece. D. C. Adams of the Salisbury Hotel secured a large one for his guests.

Last Wednesday being the 1st day of April, the small boy indulged in the usual sport of playing practical jokes on all who came near him.

We fail to publish communication from Johnsonville, Nutter's District, according to our custom, as the real name of the writer was not signed.

Mr. Chew, had his ferret out in the street last Tuesday after a rat. The chase was exciting, but on account of the crowd of people around the rat escaped.

Don't forget the Hook and Ladder entertainment, next Monday night. All arrangements are made, and the performance promises to be very enjoyable.

Another change was made in the running of trains on the P. & N. R. R. (Delaware Division) this week. See corrected schedule in our column.

The Saturday Night Club was entertained by Mr. Will Jackson at his father's residence on Saturday evening last. Mr. Jackson is spending the Easter holidays at home.

For reasons patent, we have been compelled to change our custom of publishing obituaries and death notices. Those interested will please note terms at the head of the editorial column.

Three of the hardest, roughest and most forlorn looking tramps of the season passed through Salisbury last Wednesday. Their dress would indicate that they had been engaged in dredging.

Several of the streets in town have been shelled by shelling. Dock St. has been shelled throughout almost its entire extent, and large holes and hollows in other streets have been filled up.

Several of the merchants in town have had new signs put up recently in front of their stores. Those in front of the stores of A. Whittington & Son and B. L. Gillis & Son are very handsome signs.

Attached to the day express that passed through Salisbury, Monday last, at 12:30 p. m. was the private car of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania Railroad. President Roberts was on his way to Old Point.

The Easter Moon waxes to last quarter on April 7th at 9:42 a. m. The Moon will be new at 0:31 a. m. of the 15th, and full at 1:14 a. m. of the 29th. There will be no occultations of stars by the Moon worthy of special attention during April.

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The peach tree produces fruit of a much finer quality when planted upon light, high land, with a southern exposure.

Every fruit-garden has its main crop, that in the fall or spring, when it comes to be applied, will cut like paste.

A piece of ground set out in black walnut and allowed to remain 20 years will prove more than equal to any other farm investment.

The cherry grows best in a rich, warm, sandy loam. It is much of leaves, straw or brush is put around them they will be very much benefited by it.

When an orchard has come fairly into bearing it is a good plan to sow clover and turn it into a hog pasture. The pigs and the soil will both derive benefit.

The best soil for the production of the apple, says the Country Home, is a deep, rich, moist loam with a sandy subsoil, although it succeeds moderately well upon any soil not too dry.

Until trees get to the bearing age hood crops should be the only ones grown among them. It is useless to try to grow wheat or corn or spring grain growing on the ground.

A single acre of a pure-bred male is of great advantage. At the recent Fat Stock Show, in Chicago, the grades were heavier and better proportioned than some of the thoroughbreds.

It is stated that although grapes grafted on apple-stocks will grow and bear, they are short-lived. The better plan is to bud or graft on pear-stocks for standards, and an angrier quince for dwarf.

Butter, or string beans, may be planted on the corn hills just after the corn peeps up. The corn crop will not be lessened, and a full harvest of beans may be gathered which will bring a fair price.

It is folly to turn under weeds that have gone to seed, for the seeds of most weeds no matter how deeply buried will retain their vitality and make rapid growth, as soon as they are brought near the surface again.

No circumstance better indicates the character of a farmer than the care he takes of his farming tools and implements. Only a slovenly, or at the best a careless man, will have his costly farm machinery exposed to the storm of winter.

Save time and you save money, but beating a sick horse does not do either. Give the poor fellow three tablespoonfuls of Day's Horse and Cattle Powder every day with his feed. Price 25 cents per package of one pound, full weight.

Raspberries and blackberries are more likely to be dented when light, sandy loam, but large berries are desired a much loam, and in July. On most moist land mulching is not needed, but the canes are more likely to be winter-killed.

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It is not necessary for farmers to employ a professional veterinarian to prune their vines. They had better do this than to neglect pruning, as too many do. If you remember that one bud saved on every shoot of last season's growth will produce as much wood and fruit next season as the vine had lost, it will not be difficult to cut back enough.

Medical.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1885.

The New York World has undertaken the task of raising the balance of the \$100,000 needed to complete the pedestal for the Bartholdi Statue of Liberty.

The first State election held since the inauguration was that in Michigan last Tuesday.

It seems that the independent, who deserted the republican ranks last fall to vote for Mr. Cleveland, have gone to the democratic party to stay.

MARRIAGE OF THE MIDGETS.

Mrs. Tom Thumb Becomes the Countess Magri, of Bologna.

A novel wedding ceremony took place in the Church of the Holy Trinity, New York, last Monday.

The bride wore a delicate dress of mauve fawn, a deep mauve satin ground with figures brooded in velvet.

The Great Circus Coming.

Frank A. Robbins' Show arrived in our city yesterday morning and made their free street parade as announced.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The President's voice resembling that of the Late Matt Carpenter.

Commissioner Black has sent a circular to person agents in which he warns them, in view of very gross frauds that have been perpetrated by clerks, to investigate their agencies thoroughly and to take all possible precautions to detect the service of every suspicious or unworthy person.

Postmaster-General Vilas has authorized the statement that railway postal clerks who have become efficient and valuable men, against whom no just complaint of neglect, inattention or want of fidelity, honesty or efficiency can be brought and who have not turned their attention to political labors during their service, need have no fear of being disturbed so long as they continue to render meritorious and faithful service.

The Senate finally adjourned last Thursday. The President notified them last week that he would not require them to remain any longer.

The Secretary of State will shortly forward to the Emperor of Germany a handsome bound volume in a suitable case containing 244 vignettes, engravings and other work done by the Government at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

L. Q. C. Lamar is no longer considered a holistic dreamer, a roasting visionary. He is not only equal to any emergency, but he makes great occasions.

President Cleveland has a voice in ordinary conversation which exactly resembles in clearness and sound that of the late Senator Matt Carpenter.

A New Orleans paper refers editorially to the wonderful restoration to health of Mr. T. Posey, druggist, 225 Canal street, that city, who some time ago was prostrated by an excruciating neuralgia.

A New French Cabinet.

The French people became greatly excited last week when news reached them of a defeat of the French troops in China.

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WILLIAM C. ENDICOTT.

The New Secretary of War—At One Time a Supreme Court Judge.

Wm. Crowninshield Endicott, Secretary of War, is a direct descendant of Gov. John Endicott, of Massachusetts.

He was born in Salem, in that State, in the year 1827, and is the son of Wm. Putnam Endicott and Mary, daughter of Jacob Crowninshield, who was at one time a member of the House of Representatives at Washington.

Mr. Endicott received his preparatory education in the schools at Salem, from whence he entered Harvard College, where he graduated in the year 1847.

Mr. Endicott is a son-in-law of Mr. Peabody, the philanthropist, and has two children, a son and a daughter.

His appointment as Secretary of War was particularly welcome to the Independent voters, by whose union with the Democratic party the late Presidential victory was made, if not possible, more complete.

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Post Office Bulletin.

MAILS CLOSE.—SOUTH.—8:30 A. M. SOUTH.—8:30 A. M. SOUTH.—8:30 A. M.

ITEMS BRIEF BUT NEW.

A Week's News Paragraphed for the Convenience of To-day.—A new platform has been built at the engine house for the better drying of the hose.

—We had a rain last Friday night, which made the air somewhat cooler for several days.

—Messrs. Uman & Bro., have a very pretty new wagon for their hauling around town.

—The Wilmington Every Evening has done a new dress, and is greatly improved in appearance.

—Mr. W. H. Jackson will begin next week the erection of a barn and horse-stables on his premises in Camden.

—This kind of weather will soon bring on the universal complaint of "spring fever," which is said to be very contagious as well as lasting.

—The house and lot in Camden, advertised for sale by R. L. Turner in our last issue, was purchased by J. T. Parsons, Esq., at private sale.

—The entertainment for the benefit of the P. E. Church, to pay for the late improvements of the church, will come off about the 25th of this month.

—E. Stanley Towbin, trustee, will sell at the Potomac House, to-day at 2 o'clock, a house and lot near the depot. See advertisement in another column.

—Our market is well supplied with fish. Salt, herring, rock and perch are abundant. Several large lots of shad were brought from Cape Charles City this week and sold.

—A yacht, belonging to Col. Wetherill, of Oxford, with quite a large party on board, was in Salisbury this week. The boat is used entirely for pleasure, and is a very pretty craft.

—We are informed that Mr. James Cannon has disposed of his lot upon which the Breyer stables stood prior to the recent fire, and that two dwellings will be erected upon it this spring.

—Messrs. Christopher Truder and Levin Fooks, while riding through town last Thursday, had the misfortune to break a wheel of their carriage. They met with no personal injury.

—To give one an idea of the business done here by rail, there was forwarded from this depot last Monday merchandise enough for the freight to amount to nearly thirteen hundred dollars.

—We were visited by a very heavy rain last Tuesday afternoon and night, which was followed by a strong wind and cooler atmosphere. Spring is having a right hard time to get here this year.

—The following are the Quarterly Conference appointments, M. E. Church, for the first quarter: Quantico, April 11th and 13th; Pottsville, 12th and 13th; Salisbury, 12th and 13th; Pocomoke, 17th and 19th; Truxton, 25th and 26th.

—With the close of the solemn Lenten fast, the season of gaiety and amusement will open with fresh vigor and zest to the young people, many of whom have been deprived of all social enjoyment and recreation for a period of six weeks.

—A colored man by the name of Leonard Game, living near Sharpton, was knocked off the fore boom from the schooner *Edna* last Monday and drowned before assistance could be rendered. The accident happened about one mile up the North-West Fork of the Nantuxito river.

—The Confederate Relief Bazaar in Baltimore, is doing a good business. All the tables are well patronized. Mrs. Clara Huntington, of this county, has presented the South Carolina table with a Regalia and Confederate flag on a metal plaque, both of her painting. They are attracting much attention.

—The circus next Friday, will not be held near the depot, as heretofore, but on Mr. J. O. Freeman's lot over Mr. T. Humphreys' mill dam. This is letter to two reasons. It avoids the danger of accidents from the noisy trains, and gets rid of the great crowd that is always around the depot, and, also, it will make it more pleasant for the ladies who attend it.

—Two young men in town have been in the habit of keeping a bottle in a coin-tiding place, and they have for some time been under the impression that somebody else knew the secret as well as they. So the other night, they laid a trap to catch him, by putting some tartar emetic into the bottle. A young man of Salisbury was very sick that night, and indeed he had not recovered the next morning; but then, of course, he hadn't been to that bottle.

—Our Delmar Correspondent writes: Samuel T. Hunt, Denoville, while engaged in repairing a railroad bridge near Townsend last Sunday, fell from it and in the descent his leg was broken. He was attended by a surgeon from Middletown and afterwards placed on the South-bound Norfolk express and conveyed to his home.

—Work on the M. E. parsonage is progressing.—Alexander W. Rounds and Miss Jennie Townsend were married by the pastor of the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening.

—The following is the list of letters remaining in the Salisbury (Md.) Post-Office (Thursday, April 9, 1885):

Ladies' List.—Miss Leah Dorman, Miss Fannie E. Dixon, Georgiana Fassett, Mrs. Elsie Fooks, Miss Menerva King, Mrs. Elsie Fooks, Miss Adda Higin, Mrs. Jennie Higin, Mrs. Elvona White, Gen'l List.—Joseph Haney, Wm. Howard, Wm. H. Phillips, Wm. R. Wriggin, Perry Riggan, John M. Richards, John D. Station.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised. JOHN P. OWENS, Post-Master.

—The election last Monday of Town Commissioners, passed off far more quietly than did the nominating convention. Not two hundred votes were cast altogether, and nearly every one of the candidates before the nominating convention received over that number, with two tickets in the field. The reason for the light vote was that it was well understood there would be no contest, and that the regularly nominated ticket would have a "walk over." The vote was: A. G. Towdine, 195; L. W. Gunby, 195; T. H. Williams, 195; I. S. Powell, 195; W. W. Gony, 194. There were also several scattering votes.

—The Maryland M. P. Conference, which has been in session in Alexandria, Va., for about a week past, adjourned last Tuesday. Broadway Church, Baltimore, was selected as the place to hold the next session of conference. The appointments for this session are as follows: Pittsville, J. A. Weigand; Pocomoke, D. W. Antine; Pocomoke City,

S. A. Hobbitt; Pottsville, D. T. Ewell; Quantico, J. H. Dougherty; Queen Anne's, P. H. Mullinax; Salisbury, J. W. Balderston; Snow Hill, J. L. Eldridge; Somerset, J. L. Straughn; Sussex, J. E. Nicholson; Westminster, J. D. Kinser; Jefferson, J. M. Shelden; Newark, J. M. Holmes; Ninth St., Washington, J. L. Mills. Mr. P. T. Tagg, was reappointed Corresponding Secretary of Board of Missions.

—Besides the government work which is being done in the Wisconsin river by Ross & Sanford (which by the way, is being very poorly done), Capt. G. W. Parsons has his mill-machinery at work in a part of the river which the present appropriation does not reach. He is digging out the part from the Maryland Steamboat Company's slip to the pivot bridge. The money for this work is partly derived from a balance of the appropriations of 1883, which was reserved for this purpose, and partly by amounts subscribed by the following: Capt. Geo. W. Parsons, Maryland Steamboat Company, E. E. Jackson & Co., Humphreys & Tighman, L. E. Williams & Co., S. F. Towdine, B. L. Gillis & Son, E. Stanley Towbin, and Birchfield, Laws & Carv.

—The annual Parish meeting held in Saint Peter's Church on Easter Monday, resulted in the election of the following persons to serve as Vestrymen of said Parish for one year: John White, Charles F. Holland, George Waller, I. S. Adams, R. D. Elligood, W. Everett Parsons, L. P. Humphreys and Randolph Humphreys. Mr. R. Humphreys having since declined to serve, the place will be filled by the election of another Vestryman at the next meeting of the Vestry. The new Vestry organized by appointing L. P. Humphreys, Registrar, and I. S. Adams, Treasurer. G. W. White was appointed Senior Warden and Eliph Parsons Junior Warden. I. S. Adams was appointed Steward, George Waller, Alternate, to the Diocesan Convention, which meets in Centerville on the 17th Wednesday in June next.

—The County Commissioners met Tuesday, April 9th. Present, full Board. Account of E. H. Parsons, goods, furnished papers, was passed and ordered paid amount \$18.00. Also account of Thad Lunsford for same amount \$30.00. Report of J. L. Belsworth for keeping Watchmen for 1885, approved. The Treasurer was authorized to pay A. F. Owens \$50.00, balance in full for first quarter services as superintendent of Alms House. Dr. W. C. Marster presented bill for buying small-pox patient for 1885, also bill for stove, and boiler furnished Alms House. The Board rejected small-pox bill and boiler bill, and ordered the bill for stove, \$7.25, to be paid. Joseph A. Phillips was appointed supervisor of public roads, vice Tomaso Nelson, deceased. Isaac Anderson was paid \$22.00 for repairs on ferry at Upper Ferry. Adjourned to meet April 21st.

—Last Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jackson, entertained a large company of friends in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Humphreys, father and mother of Mrs. Jackson. The whole house was thrown open to the guests who numbered not less than one hundred. Despite the large crowd, the kindly hospitality of the host and hostess made every one feel at home. Congratulations of the aged couple, music and conversation filled up the time, except a number of it as was spent in trying to relieve the table of the most excellent things. A number of very pretty presents were received, and were displayed on a table in the upper hall. Among the guests were several ladies and gentlemen from other towns. The parents of Mr. Jackson are also both well, and they will next October, will be able to enjoy a similar celebration. This longevity on both sides of the family is something very unusual.

—Lunkford-Lunkford. Mr. Wm. T. Lunkford, a well known carriage builder of this town, was married last Wednesday evening, April 8th, to Miss Cornelia Lunkford, of Somerset County. The bride is the daughter of Hon. Benjamin Lunkford, who has represented his county a number of times in the Maryland legislature, and sister to Mr. B. Frank Lunkford, ex-Clerk of Somerset Co. The invited guests first assembled at the house of the bride's father, near Crisfield, and at 7:30 o'clock they all repaired to St. Paul's P. E. Church, and were there made man and wife by Rev. O. H. Murphy. After the marriage, the friends of the happy couple repaired to the wedding breakfast, where a grand banquet was ready for them. The number of invited guests was large, and among them were Dr. W. G. Smith, and Mr. L. H. Sock of this town, both of whom were groomsmen. The thanks of the editor are tendered to the bride and groom for a very agreeable and successful marriage.

—Quite an industry. "A novel use is being made of oyster-shells by a (Conn.) man, who is earning money in his new enterprise. The shells are placed in a patented mill and ground. It has a capacity of five tons a day. By an ingenious arrangement sieves are kept at work assorting the dust into fine, coarse, and the insufficiently treated are ground again. The product is sold for chicken food. Twenty tons and more are sent yearly to San Francisco, and the Maryland Islands have been supplied. The business has been thriving since last year."

—We clipped the above, from the *Methodist Protestant*. The application of shells to this purpose is no new thing in this town and county. Mr. G. W. White, one of our townsmen, has a mill near the depot with which he grinds shells and applies to this purpose. The difference between his results and those of the gentleman above referred to is due to the fact that he has not used printer's ink so extensively.

—Personal Mention. Miss Susan Benjamin, daughter of A. J. Benjamin, of Georgetown, Del., is visiting friends in town.

—Mr. Parnell Truitt, with H. S. Brewington & Co., of Baltimore, is in town on a visit to relatives here.

—Mr. M. D. Welch, now with Whaley & Co., of Whiteville, Va., paid Salisbury a brief visit the first of the week.

—Charles Tighman has opened a barbershop in the room on Division St., adjoining the residence of Wm. E. Dorman.

—Mr. S. P. Woodcock made the Advantura a present of a very pretty cane, out of his large assortment of them. The firm has some very pretty ones.

—Mr. Ernest A. Towdine, left Salisbury last Saturday morning for Patuxent, Md. He was married last Wednesday to Miss Minnie Bell, of that place. He is expected home, with his bride in a few days.

—Rev. J. A. B. Wilson, Presiding Elder of this District, and wife and Mr. James Brown and wife, of Princess Anne were in town this week to attend the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Humphreys.

—Items from Quantico. Mr. and Mrs. Romatin, of New York, are expected here in a few days, on a visit to

Mr. V. F. Collier.—No doubt the altar in the Episcopal Church in this town was the only one in the county that had fresh orange blossoms on it Easter Morning. Their fragrance perfumed the whole altar at his home in this town last Saturday morning, aged 39 years. He had been sick for several years with consumption, and for the ten weeks previous to his death, he had been confined to his room. Mr. Dashiell was much beloved by all who knew him, and we regret exceedingly losing such an upright and moral citizen. He lived in Salisbury for several years, and is almost as well known there as he is here. He gained by his straight-forward dealings and character. Though dead to him is only a passing from sorrow and sickness to perfect health and joy, still his early demise is greatly regretted by the many relatives and friends he leaves behind.—Mrs. Jennie Boudin and daughter, Miss Lella, are away on a brief visit to relatives at Kingston, Md.

Report of Maryland Crops. In the March report of the department of Agriculture the State agent for Maryland refers to the wheat crop of 1884 as an average one in quantity, and in quality above the average, many crops weighing 62 pounds per bushel. The crop aggregated 8,249,000 bushels, of which 2,478,000 remained on hand March 1, 1885. Of the wheat prospects in Maryland for the present year the agent says it is too early to express anything like a decided opinion. "There are complaints from some sections of wheat being badly winter-killed." It has been nearly all the time covered with snow and ice. Yet we have reason to believe that the wheat crop will be a fair one for the area shown, which was one-fourth less than usual. But little wheat was sown in Southern Maryland, and on that account the general aggregate must be much reduced." Of one of the agents says: "In Maryland but little of the corn crop is sold to go outside the State. The crop of 1884 was remarkably good, and not over 5 or 10 per cent. was unmarketable. It has all been generally sold in good time, none at present remaining in the field." The corn crop of Maryland for 1884 was 15,237,000 bushels, of which 6,247,100 bushels remained on hand March 1, 1885.

—Pittville Items. The fine days of the past week have brought cheerful and happy looks to the people of this locality. It would not seem that the "chills of winter had rolled by." The farmer has put off the long face and assumed the cheerful aspect that is accustomed to present. "It is going on pretty briskly among the farmers." "The Ladies' Aid Society gave its third entertainment of the year on last Wednesday evening of last month, the programme consisting of dialogues, readings, recitations, vocal and instrumental music. The program was marked as a whole, was very entertaining. The Rev. J. A. Weigand, pastor of this church, is now at taking the conference at Alexandria and he and his family will be away some time visiting his relatives in Virginia and those of his wife in Maryland." "The firm of Laws & Littleton, of the firm of Laws & Littleton, has gone to the city to purchase their spring stock. W. E. Sheppard of the firm of Freney & Sheppard will visit the city soon to lay in their spring goods." "We have no candidates for office in this locality, that I have heard of, although your correspondent may be in the dark in regard to that matter."

—Dr. J. C. Littleton, who recently moved to Whiteville, paid us a call this week while on his way to Salisbury.

—Literary Notes. The late numbers of *Harper's Weekly* have contained portraits of many of our countrymen. The matter and make-up of the *Weekly* are always first class.

The March number of L. Lum Smith's *Public Herald* is at hand, and as usual is exposing all kinds of fraud. Bro. Smith gets after all kinds of impostors with a big stick, and shows up their evil deeds to the light of day.

The *Teacher* is the name of an excellent monthly, devoted to the interests and instruction of teachers, that sometimes finds its way to this office. It ought, for the good of the profession, to have more subscribers in this county.

We have received from the Charles A. Vogler Co., a copy of their *St. Jacob's Oil Family Calendar*, for 1885. It is full of humorous sketches written especially for the *Calendar* by some of the most celebrated humorists of the country.

The *American Bazar*, an excellent fashion and family magazine, published in New York, has reached us for April. The *Bazar* is quite a well gotten up periodical, and if it would except from its columns some of the objectionable advertisements they contain, it would better deserve the success it seems to be achieving.

—Historical Gleanings. The *Nantuxito* now makes two trips a week, coming Wednesdays and Fridays.

—Many farmers complain of their early planted potatoes and peas having rotted in the ground. —Fishermen still dependent. Shad are scarce, bringing 20 to 30 cts. a piece; herrings worth \$1.00 a 100, but getting more plentiful. —Mr. Davis, now assistant of School No. 1, will become a pupil of the High School when the Spring Term closes. Teachers are not always perfect scholars; we saw where one wrote seventy for seventy a few days since.

—The example of the Patuxent of the High School will be followed in many sections with very essential benefit to the school. The new Riverton and Sharp-town county roads is being built. Have the county commissioners a right to bridge a navigable stream? Let the State Attorney examine this question.—A ship and a steamer buy and run the lake to Sea-ford where they are put on the railroad. They extend their trips to Vienna and a little below there.—The sound of the workmen on Jackson's larger can be heard at Riverton when the wind carries the atmosphere here are favorable. So may that of the cars at Salisbury a distance of about 14 miles in a straight line, as measured on the State map of Cornell's Intermediate Geography. The 9 o'clock gun of the Naval School can sometimes also be heard, about 15 miles.

—Robbins' Great Circus. Friday, April 17th, will be a gala day in Salisbury, a sort of a Fourth of July occasion, for then comes the great tenting exhibition of America, Robbins' New Consolidated Railroad Shows. With the exhibition comes Charles W. Fish, the famous champion bareback rider; Madame Marie, who has earned the title "Queen of the Arena," by her bold and graceful acts; Pauline Dubsky, the famous Russian equestrienne; A. Marquis, the Brazilian rider; Herd Dryden, the modern Samson; the kings of athletes, the Ashton Brothers and a host of others too numerous to mention. There will be trained horses, trained oxen and performing elephants, canals and ponies. The "big circus" is an exceptionally fine one. In Robbins' menagerie will be found specimens of all the rare animals known to the naturalist. The huge hippopotamus exhibited is the largest and finest specimen ever seen in this country. There is no white elephant with the show, though plenty of black ones are to be seen there, and all of them ordinary elephants, not even a "real black or pure white scored elephant" is to be seen there. The street parade which starts at 10 a. m. is long, varied and filled with pleasing features of many kinds. It shows the show in all its departments is first-class and well worthy of public patronage.

—Hook and Ladder Entertainment. The entertainment for the benefit of the Hook and Ladder Company, given in the Byrd Opera House last Monday evening, was a success financially and otherwise. The gentlemen who had the arrangements charge for the credit for the efficient manner in which they discharged their duties. The Orchestra music was furnished by Prof. Ritchie and two others, from Wilmington. Mrs. G. M. Moore, played the piano accompaniment for the vocal music. The four quartets, "Welcome To-Night," "Fanny's Dream," "Waves," "The Light Bells," and "Moonlight Dance," were well rendered by Miss Madge Fulton, soprano; Mrs. Belle Fowler, alto; Dr. E. W. Humphreys, tenor, and Mr. F. A. Smith, bass. A short drama "The Toolies," was well received by the audience. Mr. S. A. Boudin, the average, many crops weighing 62 pounds per bushel. The crop aggregated 8,249,000 bushels, of which 2,478,000 remained on hand March 1, 1885. Of the wheat prospects in Maryland for the present year the agent says it is too early to express anything like a decided opinion. "There are complaints from some sections of wheat being badly winter-killed." It has been nearly all the time covered with snow and ice. Yet we have reason to believe that the wheat crop will be a fair one for the area shown, which was one-fourth less than usual. But little wheat was sown in Southern Maryland, and on that account the general aggregate must be much reduced." Of one of the agents says: "In Maryland but little of the corn crop is sold to go outside the State. The crop of 1884 was remarkably good, and not over 5 or 10 per cent. was unmarketable. It has all been generally sold in good time, none at present remaining in the field." The corn crop of Maryland for 1884 was 15,237,000 bushels, of which 6,247,100 bushels remained on hand March 1, 1885.

—STATE AND PENINSULA. Items of Interest Gathered from our Numerous Exchanges.

—WORCESTER ITEMS. Mr. Wm. M. Vincent, Jr., will next week go to Georgetown where he will engage in the jewelry business. He has our best wishes.—Shield.

—Rev. James Murray sold his farm this week to Mrs. J. C. Mason. The household and kitchen furniture was sold on Thursday.—Times.

—Mrs. Louise Turner, her son William and niece Eva, while catching clams last Saturday on Onancock, were captured by a gust of wind and drowned.—Times.

—What Pocomoke City wants now is a bank. An institution of this kind ought to pay here, and certainly would be a great convenience to our merchants and the boys engaged near the depot taking their bank by express boats, who are to put up with this place and Cape Charles. Two cents each is paid for skinning the pigs.—Times.

—ITEMS FROM SOMERSET. Died, at Kissimmee, Orange Co., Florida, March 28th after a lingering illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude, Robert H. Miles, formerly of Somerset County.—Leader.

A Mrs. Morris of Marion Station, died suddenly on Sunday last, aged about 23 years. She was taken sick on Saturday night with neuralgia of the heart. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Winder Hastings and a sister of Wm. T. Hastings of St. Peters.

The April term of the Circuit Court will be called next Monday. This is a jury court and will be held two weeks in Salisbury. There will be several very important cases to be tried at this court, the most notable of which will be the criminal one of the State vs. Williams, who will not doubt be indicted for the murder of Otto Mayer. At this writing the appearance docket numbers 22, Trials 24, Criminal Appointments 5, Criminal Inquests 13, Appeals 6. The most interesting civil cases will be probably No. 2, trials, Archbold vs Cook and No. 32, Fleming vs Mitchell.—Marylander.

—ITEMS FROM NORFOLK. John R. Patton, Esq., has been appointed Auditor of the circuit court in place of Hon. Henry Lloyd, resigned.—Democrat and News.

—Capt. J. C. A. Adams, the fish leader for the Nantuxito, has been furnished with a small steam boat, which is a great improvement on rowing.—Democrat and News.

Work on the Episcopal church, at Cambridge, which was suspended some months ago, is expected to be resumed shortly. The church, when completed, will be one of the handsomest on the Eastern Shore.

The schooner Chesapeake, Capt. Shenton, owing to the breaking of a main spar, ran into the schooner Elizabeth, Capt. Simon Holdiott, off Clara's Point in the Choptank on Thursday, bursting Capt. Holdiott's yawl and damaging his vessel about the stern to the extent of \$350.—Democrat and News.

A change of postmasters at East New Market will probably result in bringing either B. O. Christian or Jos. K. Beaulieu to the front. Both have considerable backing, but the democracy of the town, it seems, cannot determine which of the two would be more satisfactory. Meanwhile a third party may get the prize.—Evan.

The docket for the April term of court, at Cambridge which meets on the 27th inst., is larger than usual, although there are no filing certificates or oyster cases taken up under the provisions of the oyster law, with the view of engaging in oyster planting. It is said the choicest oysters to be had in our market are plants only two years old taken from the Choptank river.—Evan.

Mr. F. Dantridge Murdough, of Virginia, and James T. Jacobs, of Dorchester county, were married at the residence of the bride's father, at East New Market, at one o'clock Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Murdough, of Virginia, in the presence of the Rev. Dr. Murdough, of Virginia, and Bryan, of the P. E. Church. The brides were Messrs. J. D. Murdough, brother of the groom, Wm. V. E. Jacobs and Frank Phelps, Jr.

—DELAWARE ITEMS. Mr. Geo. T. Dodd, of Hillsboro, Del., has been appointed mail agent from Georgetown, Md., to Salisbury City, Va., vice M. E. White, resigned.

A little son of Wm. Denny, of Dover, fell dead while returning from school one day last week. It is supposed that he was attacked with heart disease.

The farm of John C. Hackett, in Queen Anne's county, 214 acres, has been sold to John Benson for \$48 per acre, aggregating the sum of \$9,302. A tenant home and about eight acres of land, situated in one corner of the farm, was also purchased by Mr. Benson for \$200.00, making the whole aggregate \$9,502.00.

A fire company has been organized in Chestertown, with Chas. S. York, president, and a full set of officers. Mr. York was once the labor candidate for mayor of Baltimore, and has located in Chestertown, where he is engaged in constructing water-works. The fire apparatus of Chestertown now consists of two hand engines—one of them nearly new—and 800 feet of hose and some chemical extinguishers.

Hon. Michael Bannon came out on top Tuesday by being elected treasurer of Anne Arundel county by the board of county commissioners. His opponent was ex-Collector of City Taxes J. Frank Kramer, whom Mr. Thomas S. Nutwell, Fusion Democrat, substituted for himself when he saw that his fight was hopeless. He had expected that Mr. Kramer would draw another vote to his two, and thereby secure the election. Mr. Bannon was selected on the first ballot, his supporters being Dr. C. R. Winter and Oliver H. Williams, Democrats, and H. T. Brice, Republican. Thomas H. Phipps, Democrat, and Dr. A. Litchfield, Republican, voted for Mr. Kramer.

It is reported in steamboat circles that the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company is negotiating with a Wilmington (Del.) shipbuilding concern for one or more steamers to run passengers and freight from "Tidewater Virginia" to Cape Charles City. It is stated that the new movement contemplated is taking in the York, Rappahannock and Piankatank rivers. This would require several steamers, if the service is intended to be frequent. It is known that the railroad company tried to effect an arrangement with a large transportation company of this city to put a steamer on the route between the Rappahannock and Cape Charles City last winter, but the negotiations fell through. Nothing definite is known about the new movement, but it is believed to be one which the railroad company seems to have decided to make at an early date.—Baltimore Sun.

—INTEREST TO READERS. —Pianos and Organs retailed at wholesale prices. Address, W. A. C. Williams, Delmar, Del.

—Capt. Peter Malou has opened a grocery store on Walnut St., and will be glad to see his friends there. Give him a call. —STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE.—50,000 Sharpless, 50,000 Arlington's. For prices apply to John T. Parsons, Salisbury, Maryland.

FOR SALE.—A fine young black mare, one driver, or will work anywhere. Will weigh about 1000 lbs. A. F. Owens, Quantico, Md.

—A. B. Rieder has just received an elegant line of Spring and Summer Castles. For many years he has made this class of goods a specialty.

—Wilmington Crop Grower is the choice fertilizer for Potatoes, Strawberries, Melons and Corn, for sale by G. W. White, at Depot, Salisbury, Md.

FOR RENT LOW.—Store neatly located for a Produce Commission Business also one suitable for Drug Business. Apply to T. D. Kinder, Chester, Pa.

—Wiggin & Twilley have recently refitted their barber shop, and have a large new pole out in front. They are prepared to shave and cut hair in the best style. Give them a trial. Main St., near Lock.

—The officers and crew of the oyster plock steamer *Governor Thomas*, with the exception of the captain and chief engineer, have been discharged until further orders. The *Governor Thomas* is now undergoing repairs at Baltimore. It is said there are other reductions of force during close season.

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—The Elkton Presbyterian church was crowded to its utmost capacity Tuesday evening, the occasion being the wedding of John M. Tucker, of Philadelphia, to Miss Hillye Dremer, eldest daughter of Thomas Dremer, one of Elkton's wealthiest citizens.

A heavy fire raged Monday evening between Barnesville and Dickerson, doing much damage to the lands of Thos. White and others, and another between Barnesville and Byrd's, destroying much valuable locusts. Both originated from the sparks of locomotives.

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Miscellaneous. AN EIGHTY-POUND BABY. AS DID THE INFANT HERCULES WHEN HE CHOKED THE MOSTRUOUS SERPENT. The Horwalk Hour prints an interesting account of the year-old baby who weighs seventy-five or eighty pounds.

Beauty of Good Manners. Manners are the garments of the spirit, the eternal clothing of the being, in which character ultimately itself. If the character be simple and sincere, the manners will be at one with it.

Poison in Clothing. It is surprising to find the number of articles in daily use which contain arsenic. It seems to be entering into the composition of nearly everything. It is used, for instance, in a majority, if not in all, cases, of hair dyes.

Mustard and Pneumonia. Writing to the New York World a gentleman says: "Pneumonia can be cured if the person will apply promptly over the lungs a few drops of mustard and water." Prompt action is of vital importance, and there is no occasion for waiting for the arrival of an "old-fashioned" or "new-fashioned" practitioner when so simple a remedy may be applied by any one.

Give Good Measure. When I was a young man, says Horatio Seymour, there lived in our neighborhood a farmer who was usually reported to be a very liberal man, and uncommonly upright in his dealings. When he had any produce of his farm to dispose of he made it an invariable rule to give good measure - or rather more than would be required of him.

Wall Pockets of Fans. A somewhat novel fashion for utilizing the Japanese fans for decoration is to trim them up to serve as pockets or bags to hang against a wall, and they are really ornamental if well done. The leaf of the fan is first covered over smoothly with a plain piece of the material selected for the pocket, then a large piece is cut to allow of the necessary fullness of the front of the pocket; in this a cord is run, or three gathering threads, a heading being both at the top and bottom, the threads being lastly drawn up, and the piece sewed on to the front of the fan.

When you are going, my dear? inquired Mr. Greatheart of his wife yesterday morning as the dear woman started nimbly out with a beautiful bunch of roses in her hand. "I am going to carry those flowers to that poor old sick woman around the corner." "Well, run along my love," said Mr. Greatheart; "but I think a poor old sick woman would prefer flour to flowers."

A Talking Dog. A solemn dog recently entered a restaurant, followed by his master, seated himself and asked for the bill of fare. It was given him. "What would you like to have, sir?" asked the waiter, flipping the table with his apron.

Indian Wit. A half-cooked Indian was looking on at some workmen in the employ of Gov. Dudley, of Massachusetts. "Why don't you work and get yourself some clothes?" said the governor. "Why, don't you work?" retorted the son of the forest.

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Delays are Dangerous! Don't trifle with a cold. Use Dulac's "Swiss Balm" and be cured. It will do you good and is very quickly sold by Dr. Collier. Mad dogs recently became so numerous in some parts of Alabama that schools in one county were obliged to suspend, as it was considered dangerous to have the pupils abroad.

Sluggish Sullivan announces that he is going abroad, and says: "While in England I shall go to good society." This is the hardest hit that has been given England in a long while. The stories that come from Washington about the President's habit of early rising do not correspond with the repeated failures of his messenger to reach the White House before the Senate adjourns.

If you want quick returns and full prices on Hides, Furs, Wool, Butter, etc. Sent for our Price Current, Consignments Solicited, R. L. Williams, & Co., General Commission Merchants, Office, 169 William St., New York. Cutting Glass with Scissors. Many persons may not be aware that glass can be cut under water with the greatest ease, to almost any shape, by simply using a pair of shears or strong scissors.

Stopping to Hear a Story. Two strangers passed Rowland Hill's church one day, entered, walked up the aisle, and finding no seat, stood for a while and listened to the sermon. Presently they turned to walk out. Before they reached the door the preacher said: "That I will tell you a story."

"This, of course, attracted the strangers and they passed, turned again and listened. "Once there was a man," said the preacher, "who said that if he had all the gold in the world and had no other goods, he could live in the world made into one tree, and could walk the tree and eat the fruit of the tree, he would make it into one great whip to thrash those rascally men who turn their backs on the people and stop to hear a story."

A bottle of medicine was prescribed to a Toledo man, with directions to take "a teaspoonful, water three times a day." He took it daily - in his bath tub - and got well. "Where are you going, my dear?" inquired Mr. Greatheart of his wife yesterday morning as the dear woman started nimbly out with a beautiful bunch of roses in her hand.

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The idea which has for many years obtained in this country that a high price for wool is a bad thing...

While every right thinking person is ready to commend the President's policy of making removals slowly...

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THE THIRD THIS SESSION.

Death of Another Illinois Legislator, and This Time a Republican Majority.

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This makes the third death during this session, something which never before occurred...

We kept the whole House over. Washington, D. C.—Mr. F. O. McCleary, a prominent legislator of this city...

The disturbed state of affairs in Central America has rendered it necessary that our government send war vessels and troops...

For 35 years I have been afflicted with Catarrh so that I have been confined to my room for two months at a time...

The corner's jury in Brooklyn, N. Y., in the case of Joseph Cohen, who died after the roller-skating contest in New York...



WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

Secretary of the Navy—A Former Corporation Counsel of New York City.

William Collins Whitney is a son of General James S. Whitney, at one time Collector of the Port of Boston...

In 1871 he took a leading part in the organization of the Young Men's Democratic Club...

Mr. Whitney married a daughter of United States Senator Henry B. Payne...

THE NEWS IN GENERAL.

Events Transpiring in Various Parts of This Country. Rolled Down.

The base ball season is opened and games are now being played in all the cities...

The Pennsylvania House of Representatives Tuesday passed the bill authorizing Philadelphia to borrow \$3,000,000...

The Canadian rebellion, under the half-breed Riel, is not likely to be of long duration...

It is stated by the daily papers that the hostilities between France and China are at an end...

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The annual report of General Manager Chas. E. Pugh, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, covering in detail the operations...

It has just leaked out that a band of Fenians have been organizing in the oil region for the purpose of harassing the Canadian authorities...

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Leading Republicans Praise President Cleveland's Administration.

The Northern Pacific Railroad has had a number of friends in the Land Office...

Mr. Cleveland had found that even his enormous physical strength is not enough to withstand the daily pressure...

It is wonderful to hear the Republicans who come to Washington praise the new administration...

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Even the Peace Party of England is beginning to despair of an amicable settlement of England's difficulty with Russia.

The New York World vigorously criticizes the foreign appointments of Secretary Bayard.

It now appears that Mr. Morgan of South Carolina, the newly appointed Consul to Melbourne, is a republican, and was an ardent supporter of Mr. Blaine for the Presidency.



WILLIAM F. VILAS. Chairman of the late Democratic Convention, and Postmaster General.

The Chairman of the Democratic Convention of 1854, W. F. Vilas, is forty-four years of age. He was born at Chelsea, Orange county, Vt., July 9, 1840.

At the November election Mr. Vilas was elected a member of the Wisconsin Legislature, of which body he was confessedly the ablest member.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

Mr. Randall and the Speakership—Protraction of the Mint.

Mr. Burdard, the director of the mint, in his special annual report on the production of gold and silver in the United States for the calendar year 1884, estimates the production of the country to have been—gold, \$30,000,000, silver, computed at the silver dollar gold rate, \$48,000,000; total \$78,000,000.

When the President, accompanied by Miss Cleveland and Mrs. Van Voorhis, went to church last Sunday they found it packed to its full capacity.

The nomination of James M. Morgan as Consul-General at Melbourne is rather an unfortunate appointment of the State Department.

The intention of the President and of the members of his cabinet to inaugurate a new departure by remaining at Washington the major portion of the summer has had the effect to give an impetus to social life which has not been felt in many years at this season.

If Mr. Randall is to be a candidate for the next speakership, as some of his enthusiastic admirers insist, that gentleman himself is not aware of the fact.

William R. Morrison is now in Washington and will probably remain for a week, looking after the interest of his district, which he says he has been compelled to put aside since the 30th of December.

TOPICS IN NEW YORK.

Hopful Views of Gen. Grant's Case—A Feast of Water—A Valentine Contest.

Kenward Philip, the journalist, got a verdict of \$5,000 in Brooklyn Monday against the New York Tribune for libel in charging him with writing the celebrated Mowry letter, which was one of the sensations of the Gardfield campaign.

In one of the offices in Wall street Monday a \$30 gold piece was exhibited weighing 90 grains more than the coin should weigh, thus occasioning a loss to the government of \$1.35, a serious loss if many of these pieces were found everywhere.

Since Easter, society has been unusually active and brilliant. Balls and parties, amateur theatricals and fairs follow each other closely, and this round of pleasure will be kept up until it is time for the great emigration to Newport, Saratoga and Long Branch.

The Manhattan Club of this city sustains the same relation to the democratic party that the Union League Club does to the republican party.

Commissioner of Public Works Spiker strikes out in defense of the bill to prevent a waste of the city water, which has been denounced as containing a job.

Shipping men are watching very closely the progress of the negotiations between England and Russia. Those who are not interested in British shipping are willing to use a mild expression—that war shall break forth. They believe that war would greatly benefit the shipping of other nations.

The Evening Star says: "New York politicians in the city are there is a fair prospect of harmonizing all the factions in the Democratic party and electing a Governor this fall."

Advertisement for Jacobs Oil, featuring an image of a man and text describing its benefits for rheumatism and other ailments.

Wanamaker's.

Philadelphia, April 25, 1885.

Carpet-selling time, they say, hasn't begun yet. No so. It began in the middle of January, a very unusual time to begin.

They say also, we have spoiled the trade. Don't believe a word of it. Carpets dropped a quarter. That's true. They haven't got back to where they dropped from. That's true too.

As to qualities—just the same. There are makers and makers. Some make their carpets as pretty and good as they can, and weave their names on the back.

Imperial power rests with the Farmer. The great freight corporations seek him that they may take toll upon his ample stores.

Happy youngster, a chair, a box, half a dozen big books, bits of cord and cork. Papa's cane, Mamma's aquarium, and a vivid imagination, supply all his needs.

Ingrain on the market level, lower than before the tumble, but not extraordinarily down.

China mattings are extraordinary, just as they have been here for several weeks, but more: fancy 12 1/2 to 60 cents; white and check 18 to 26; damask 60; and of them all the grades at 50 and over are jointless.

OUR MIXTURES.

Now is the time to buy your Fertilizers and mix them with woods mould, dunghill dirt or some such absorbent, as you do your henhouse and other strong manure. It will pay you. Try it!

The first planting of corn is often injured, if not lost, by the careless use of a concentrated fertilizer. Distributed in a small space, it is apt to injure the germ, and fewer roots will get the benefit, and these may be injured by too close contact.

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Groceries and Confectioneries, TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

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SEWELL T. EVANS, Dook St., Salisbury, Md.

To You. From Oak Hall.

The Samson of the Period.



Imperial power rests with the Farmer. The great freight corporations seek him that they may take toll upon his ample stores.

Indigo color. All-wool Black Chevot Suits, \$8.50 and \$10.00. Black Corkscrew and Diagonal Worsted Suits, \$13.00, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.00, \$30.00.

Pleasures of the Imagination.



Happy youngster, a chair, a box, half a dozen big books, bits of cord and cork. Papa's cane, Mamma's aquarium, and a vivid imagination, supply all his needs.

be facts—hence the Oak Hall system offers only Bargains. For Boys the stock is big. Large Boys' Suits, \$5.00 to \$18.00.

Wanamaker & Brown, Oak Hall, S. E. Cor. Sixth & Market Sts., Philadelphia.

Trustee's Sale. Just Think of It.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, passed in the case of Samuel A. Graham vs. William A. Roberts, as Trustee, I will sell on

SATURDAY, MAY 2ND 1885, at 10 o'clock, p. m., AT THE PENINSULA HOUSE

Two Hundred Acres, more or less, being all that part of the real estate of Wm. A. Roberts, deceased, known as the "Pine Thicket," except so much that was sold by William A. Roberts, executor, and said daughter.

Thrifty Pine Thicket, and is situated about 5 miles N. W. from Salisbury and about 1 mile S. W. from Delmar.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash, the balance in two equal installments of one and two years, the purchaser giving his bond for same, with security approved by the Trustee, and bearing interest from day of sale.

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White's Chilled Plow, \$4.50

Harder than steel; superior advantages over all other Chilled Plows. Every plow guaranteed to give satisfaction, or may be returned and money refunded after a trial is made. We have just

ACCEPTED THE AGENCY for the above plow, and still are agents for the well-known "FARMER'S FRIEND," "CLIPPER" and "ATLAS." A large stock on hand, and

Castings of Every Description.

B. L. GILLIS & SON, Humphreys & Tilghman's Old Stand.

AGENCY FOR THE Lord & Polk Celebrated Fertilizer!!

Advertisement for Champion Fertilizer, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the product's benefits for agriculture.

Hundreds of Testimonials as to its superiority, and agreement to use again this Spring. Particularly adapted to our soil. No agents on the road. Call at my store or write me how much you want this Spring. I am glad to get for the celebrated.

Dennis & Milligan Somerset Super-Phosphate. SUPERIOR TO PERUVIAN GUANO.

Analysis—Moisture, 10 Per Cent. Ammonia, 3 to 4 Per Cent. Sol. and Reserved Phos. Acid, 8 to 12 Per Cent. Potash, 2 to 2 1/2 Per Cent. A full line on hand; can deliver at once.

It is further to your advantage to buy of the "Atlas," "Atlas" or "Boat" Plow. Farmer's Favorite Grain and Fertilizer Drill, Reapers, Mowers, Combined Reaper and Binder. Farm Traction Engines and Vibrators. American Fruit Evaporators.

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SOMETHING ABOUT SHOES.

I am having a large sale of my special makes of SHOES, and you would be surprised how far a little money will go when rightly invested. We will show you how to invest it. My success in the sale of

LADIES' AND GENT'S SHOES

warrants me in recommending my stock. Special attention is called to the SHOES MADE TO ORDER, all of which we guarantee to fit. In HATS of all kinds my trade is established, but I want to make it still larger. I am OFFERING INDUCEMENTS.

J. S. ADKINS, Main St., Next Door to the Peninsula House, Salisbury, Md.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring a large illustration of the product box and text describing its use for infants and children.

SALISBURY ADVERTISER

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 1885.

Post Office Bulletin.

MAILS CLOSE. Mails close at 11:30 P. M. for Baltimore, and at 12:30 P. M. for other points.

ITEMS WORTH BUT NEWS.

A Week's News Paragraphed for the Advertiser of To-Day.

Sweet potatoes are very scarce in this market. They are worth \$1.50 per bushel.

Mr. W. H. Jackson is erecting very large stable on his property on Camden Ave.

Capt. Holt, who drives Trader Boat, and two of his sons are quite sick with pneumonia.

Handfuls of herring are being caught in traps and seines in the race above the pier bridge.

Mr. High Smith is engaged in the business of buying old iron, steel, copper and such materials.

Belief has been brought on the street sprinkler Tuesday last and will continue to run it during the season.

Mr. Geo. Bradley will take charge of the Grand Saloon now occupied by Mr. J. T. Parsons, next Friday May 1st.

The Preachers' Association for Salisbury District No. 6 Church, will hold its next annual session at Princess Anne, Md. May 11-14.

The Wisconsin & Peconic R. R. will run an extra, Tuesday evening next, to bring a party of excursionists to witness "Punchion."

The Star Skating Rink, which has been running in the room adjoining P. C. & H. S. Todd's store for some weeks, closed Saturday night.

Mr. A. T. Robinson, who went to Florida about a year ago, passed through Salisbury last Monday on his way to visit his family in Quantico.

Mr. A. W. Woodcock has purchased the house and lot corner of Camden and Division Street, owned by the heirs of the late John D. Williams.

The rumor that Messrs. E. E. Jackson & Co. had bought the wharf property belonging to Mr. W. S. Parsons, is incorrect. There has been no sale made.

The Seaside Hotel at Ocean City will be again under the management of Messrs. Parsons & Nichols this season. Mr. John Tracy will have charge of the Atlantic.

The ocean pilot steamer Geo. McLean was in the harbor Wednesday to get fresh water and blow out her boilers. She left Thursday and will be in Annapolis to-day.

The next State Teachers' Association will be held at Near Park, Garrett County, Md., July 7th, 8th and 9th. Mr. Forman, of our High School, will take part in the exercises.

The N. Y., P. & N. Railroad, during the first eleven days of April carried over its line between 3400 and 3500 passengers. This is a very gratifying business to the managers of the road.

"Punchion," the play that is to be put on the stage at the Byrd Opera House by our young amateurs, promises to be a success in every particular. Some of the best stage talent in the town is to take part.

Presiding Elder J. A. B. Wilson has appointed Mr. Taylor, a local preacher of Ashbury M. E. Church, Wilmington, to be pastor of Berean Circuit, this country. Mr. Taylor entered upon his duties last Sunday.

The Rev. M. J. Eckels, the Presbyterian minister from Havre de Grace, will preach at the Presbyterian Church in Salisbury, next Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Seats free, and the public cordially invited.

—Died at her residence in Baltimore on the 19th ult., Mrs. Sallie L. Dougherty, relict of the late Hon. R. W. Dougherty, and youngest daughter of the late Capt. John N. Bowland of Somerset county, leaving two daughters and a son to mourn their loss.

The propeller Hamilton arrived here last Saturday from North Carolina, loaded with shingles. There were 500,000 on board, 200,000 of which were for L. B. Williams & Co. and the balance were carried to Baltimore. The schooner Potomac brought to the same firm 150,000 more.

While a colored boy was driving Mr. T. Humphrey's horse and cart Friday last week, the horse took fright and springing the boy out and pitched him on his head. He was completely stunned and did not recover for an hour or more. There was no damage done to the cart.

The County Commissioners were invited last Tuesday to see Mr. Chew's ferret kill a rat at the Salisbury Hotel. The rat and ferret were both put in a large cage, and the rat was soon made away with. The fight was very short, for, after the ferret got a good hold on the rat, he never let until the rat was dead.

The Fire Department was called out for drill last Thursday night. From the time the bell first tapped till the engine reached the Camden bridge, six minutes in all, they had 40 pounds of steam. They were throwing water in eight minutes. The Department is in good condition, and is able to do good service at a fire. Some new hose is badly needed.

The present school term ends Tuesday, May 13th, and the summer vacation will then begin. The High School, as has been before stated, will be continued about a month longer by private funds raised by the patrons of the school. The annual examination of teachers will probably be held May 13th and 14th, the two days following the close of the term.

The newly elected Board of town commissioners met last Monday evening and organized by re-electing A. G. Towdine, President, Thos. H. Williams, Secretary, and William W. Gordy, Treasurer. Mr. John T. Gordy was re-elected health officer for another year. There were some other applications, but as Mr. Gordy has made a satisfactory officer, it was thought best to retain him.

State's Attorney T. P. J. Rider has been in Salisbury, Pa., this week attending the Supreme Court at Harrisburg. Mr. Rider is the chairman of the Supreme Commission on Laws. There are several important changes in the constitution and laws pending before this session. One is the admission of women as members. As nearly all the Salisbury Councilors favor this amendment, it is likely their influence will be felt at the present session, and it is among the probabilities that the change will be made.

The body of Leonard Game, colored who was accidentally knocked overboard from the schooner Eves in the Nantuxco river, near Eldorado, Dorchester county, by the

shing of a boom on April 6th, mention of which was made in this paper last week, was recovered near the scene of the accident on Monday, Justice Milligan impounded a jury of inquest, who rendered a verdict of accidental drowning. The parents of the deceased are residents of Wisconsin county.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Salisbury (Md.) Post-Office Thursday, April 23, 1885: Ladies' List—Miss Lillie Gouty, Mrs. M. Humphreys, Mrs. Mary Lucy Hastings, Miss Anna M. Hudson, Miss Annie M. Jones, Margaret A. Mathews, Mrs. Margaret Waller, Gena's List—Robert Gilt, Geo. T. Parsons, John C. Seabrook.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised. JOHN P. OWENS, Post-Master.

Mess. Ross & Sanford have the steaming Chesapeake here to tow the lighters down the river after they are loaded with mud by the mud-machine. The mud will be dumped in Ellis' Bay at the mouth of the river. These gentlemen have been having considerable trouble in the work here, and it is not the intention of the Advertiser to embarrass them when it is known that they are trying to do it well. It is to be hoped the mud will not be allowed to drop out before Ellis' Bay is reached.

Mr. B. B. Owens, of Baltimore, was in town last Wednesday, examining the lot above the new M. E. Church South to be built, and the surroundings. Mr. Owens is an architect, and submitted plans some time ago to the building committee, but it was thought that they did not exactly suit. He was therefore requested to come and look at the surroundings and make some alterations in the design. Further plans will be sent down in a few weeks. The Church, when completed, will be a very handsome one.

Mr. J. J. Street arrived at his former home in Tyaskin, this county last Monday, from Florida, bringing with him the corpse of his wife, Mrs. Mary V. Street. She died on Thursday last week, and was interred in Tyaskin district last afternoon. Mr. Street has been engaged in the milling business in Florida for some time past, and took his wife thither last September. She was sick at the time, but improved considerably in health after going South. She got worse as the spring came on, and died rapidly last Thursday, the 16th inst., when she died. Mr. Street will shortly return to the South.

As was advertised, Robins' Circus exhibited here Friday last week and drew a large number of people to town. The number of those who went inside the show was unusually small. The show itself, while not presenting as many features, either in the management or circus as some other similar shows, nevertheless gave some very good performances. The managers were all very gentlemanly and accommodating men, and it is likely that the show will be improved every year. At the night exhibition, the top canvas caught fire from the lights, but was put out without a panic being caused. A considerable hole was burnt in the canvas.

As the warm season approaches, it might be well to call the attention of the Town Commissioners to the needs of the town in the way of sanitary measures. Much complaint, in times past, has been heard in regard to filthy pigpens, and the foul and sickness-breeding emanations that arise therefrom. Other towns on the Shore, of any size, are taking measures to suppress this nuisance, and it would be well for Salisbury, also, to do something in this matter. The people are not rich, but they are honest, independent and industrious as a community. What they have generally is their own and paid for. Although there are two liquor saloons in the place, I don't think there is an "habitual drunkard" in it, and hardly any even moderate drinkers. Good order, that most requisite thing for a thriving community, prevails all over the town. I think I may safely say there is not a town on the Shore of the same size that can boast of better moral habits. The municipal facilities are good and best of all, permanent. There are two churches and two school houses, representing a primary and grammar school, while the schools divided and graded by the present examiner, are well organized and progressing rapidly. The houses cannot be said to be adequate to the requirements of the place, consequently the school authorities intend building a new house the coming summer. This is a long needed improvement and when completed, if the schools can be divided into three, i. e., transferring the fourth grade to another room in the grammar school, which is now occupying, giving the highest department more time for advanced branches, scholars will not be compelled to go elsewhere for a good education. In addition to the fourth, fifth and sixth grades now taught in the grammar school, the Geometry and Algebra receive special attention by those who have completed the third grade. But these branches can only be taught by alternating with the other studies for want of time. There is not a prettier or more suitable spot in the town for the new building than the present site. The grammar school. Persons desiring to locate in any community don't forget to inquire as to the educational advantages and Sharpstown's may be said when the new building is completed to be fully up to the requirements of the place.

Trial of Capt. Williams. The trial of John H. Williams, Captain of the dredging boat Eves, for the murder of Otto Mayher, was begun in the Somerset Co. court, Monday, April 20th. All day Monday was spent in getting a jury, which after much trouble was accomplished. State's Attorney J. H. Miles conducted the prosecution, and Messrs. Crisfield, Page and Hodson represented the accused. After the indictment was read to the jury and the opening statements made by counsel, the first witness, Frederick Boye, a colored man, was put upon the stand Tuesday morning. He testified to being a hand on the same boat with Mayher, and related the "treatment" of him by the captain. On the 25th of November the captain beat Mayher with a shovel and knocked him down several times with a handspike, hitting him on all parts of the body. He beat him five or six times, at least, on that day, because he did not open oysters fast enough. Mayher cried out: "My God! My God! I am now dying!" On the 26th the captain killed Mayher down on the deck, and the prostrate man moaned, "He has killed me." On the 26th Williams knocked Mayher down, put his foot on his neck, and said: "I will kill you, you d—d nigger." He struck Mayher with a handspike, and he was ploughing so so unmercifully as to let it get beyond control. It went to the woods, and burned over some 15 acres, chiefly set in young pine, before it could be extinguished. The County Commissioners are asked to establish a public road to the Nantuxco's wharf, near Athelstan Hill. A public road, and it will be a great public convenience if built. Mr. Thos. Humphreys has built a division fence on his farm of barbed wire that may be considered a model one for neatness and beauty.

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Veables have been recently visiting their daughter, Mrs. S. C. Dougherty, at Pitts wharf. Dr. Marsters' orchard-pitfalls are looking very pretty, but the fully exhibit the tendency of that grass to "bunch up" with age. The Dr. thinks Anson was the best forage when sowed, having out it twice for that purpose before letting it mature for syrup. The "Solway place," opposite Mr. Watson Wilson's, is being greatly improved by having the two story building on it re-weather boarded, and otherwise improved.

Literary Notes. Strawbridge & Clothier's Quarterly for Spring is just issued. On opening this first number of new volume the first object to strike the attention is a beautiful colored frontispiece, displaying the latest French styles, designed by Janet of Paris. This, from cover to cover there is a constant stream of pictures, all of interest and many of excellent workmanship and high merit.

Babyhood, the only periodical in the world devoted wholly to the care of young children, has succeeded in securing the services of eminent specialists in every subject with which it deals. Under the title of "Domestic Disinfection," George M. Sternberg, major and surgeon, U. S. A., publishes some of the results of the recent Government investigation into the properties of the best disinfectants. The series of interesting articles is an especially entertaining and practical one, by an anonymous lady writer, entitled "Nurse's Day Out." Marion Harland's writing is as attractive as usual, and the "Baby's Wardrobe," "Nursery Problems," and other departments contribute the accustomed variety of useful hints, each a number, \$1.50 a year. 18 Spruce Street, New York.

It is a curious fact that one of the most famous poems in our language appeared originally in a magazine that seldom touches poetry at all, and the same periodical, after an interval of sixty-six years, now brings out another poem very similar in theme. Bryant's "Thanatopsis" was first printed in the North American Review for September, 1817. The May number of the Review, just out, has a poem by Robert Buchanan on "The New Buddha." The question, "Is Christianity Beneficial to the World?" is discussed by Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Bishop J. L. Spalding. President J. L. Pickard writes on "Why Crime is Increasing," and David Dudley Field on "Industrial Co-operation," while Prof. Andrew F. West, of Princeton, contributes an article of great clearness and strength on "What is Academic Freedom?" James Payn, the English novelist, discusses "Success in Fiction," and T. P. Thibault Dyer "Superstition in English Life."

Items from Sharpstown. Never, perhaps have fish been so scarce on the Nantuxco as this year. The cold weather has rendered it very difficult to catch them. Strange to say, they are remarkably cheap considering their scarcity. If we judge from the number of eggs that have been deposited in the fish house at Twiford's mill, we need suffer no uneasiness about the scarcity in the future. The Spring opens there is quite a good deal of improvement going on around town. Capt. J. W. Selby is building a new freight house for the Steamboat Company, which is a long needed convenience. The house is being built on Phillips' new wharf, and Selby is freight agent. Mr. W. Dreuch has a new filling in front. The railway managers are about ready to put down their new ways. Farmers around are busy, at the usual spring work. Sharpstown possesses its share of advantages, enterprising people. The people are not rich, but honest, independent and industrious as a community. What they have generally is their own and paid for. Although there are two liquor saloons in the place, I don't think there is an "habitual drunkard" in it, and hardly any even moderate drinkers. Good order, that most requisite thing for a thriving community, prevails all over the town. I think I may safely say there is not a town on the Shore of the same size that can boast of better moral habits. The municipal facilities are good and best of all, permanent. There are two churches and two school houses, representing a primary and grammar school, while the schools divided and graded by the present examiner, are well organized and progressing rapidly. The houses cannot be said to be adequate to the requirements of the place, consequently the school authorities intend building a new house the coming summer. This is a long needed improvement and when completed, if the schools can be divided into three, i. e., transferring the fourth grade to another room in the grammar school, which is now occupying, giving the highest department more time for advanced branches, scholars will not be compelled to go elsewhere for a good education. In addition to the fourth, fifth and sixth grades now taught in the grammar school, the Geometry and Algebra receive special attention by those who have completed the third grade. But these branches can only be taught by alternating with the other studies for want of time. There is not a prettier or more suitable spot in the town for the new building than the present site. The grammar school. Persons desiring to locate in any community don't forget to inquire as to the educational advantages and Sharpstown's may be said when the new building is completed to be fully up to the requirements of the place.

Trial of Capt. Williams. The trial of John H. Williams, Captain of the dredging boat Eves, for the murder of Otto Mayher, was begun in the Somerset Co. court, Monday, April 20th. All day Monday was spent in getting a jury, which after much trouble was accomplished. State's Attorney J. H. Miles conducted the prosecution, and Messrs. Crisfield, Page and Hodson represented the accused. After the indictment was read to the jury and the opening statements made by counsel, the first witness, Frederick Boye, a colored man, was put upon the stand Tuesday morning. He testified to being a hand on the same boat with Mayher, and related the "treatment" of him by the captain. On the 25th of November the captain beat Mayher with a shovel and knocked him down several times with a handspike, hitting him on all parts of the body. He beat him five or six times, at least, on that day, because he did not open oysters fast enough. Mayher cried out: "My God! My God! I am now dying!" On the 26th the captain killed Mayher down on the deck, and the prostrate man moaned, "He has killed me." On the 26th Williams knocked Mayher down, put his foot on his neck, and said: "I will kill you, you d—d nigger." He struck Mayher with a handspike, and he was ploughing so so unmercifully as to let it get beyond control. It went to the woods, and burned over some 15 acres, chiefly set in young pine, before it could be extinguished.

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One of the secrets of successful farming is to do little things at the proper time.

Farmers Attention—Don't hesitate to keep Day's Horse and Cattle Powder in your stables and at your barn-yards.

"Plow up your dogs and plant turkey." was the solid advice given by Joaquin Miller to a Louisiana farmer.

Dr. W. C. Marsters, Ransom P. O., Md., says in the year 1884 he used 13 lbs. of Powell's Prepared Chemicals.

You can raise peanuts on almost any kind of land. Have your ground good and loose; furrow off so as to have the rows as close as you can plan between them.

Careful experiments in Germany seem to show that cows milked three times a day yield milk richer in fat than if milked but twice daily.

There are six European countries, England, Belgium, Denmark, Sweden, the Netherlands and Russia, in which grain does not pay any important duty.

Any who want hot beds would find it an excellent plan to make bread clear there than in any other European nation.

The failures in farming occasionally come from failure in the soil, but the failure is sudden and decisive.

When the ground around a pigeon is thoroughly underdrained, as it should be, bare earth makes the best and certainly the most desirable floor.

To raise early vegetables, it is essential that an early commencement be made and everything be done to insure success.

Nothing can be more simple than the culture required by the peach. It is simply to keep the surface always mellow and free of weeds.

The Bone Industry of the country is an important one. The four feet of an ordinary ox will make a pint of four-foot oil.

THE JOKER'S BUDGET.

Dark weighs—Coal scales.

An ingredient of marriage—Cupidity.

A man is often called a bartender when in reality he is a bar tough.

The persons on West think ruler skating has a tendency to promote backsliding.

"Oh, I'm a great old masher!" exclaimed the crier, as it came down on the apples.

"We have met, but we have missed you," sang the calinet officers to disappointed office-seekers.

Mrs. Ristori's theatrical season will end in San Francisco this month.

Now you talk like the true ring, said the girl to her lover when he began to speak of a diamond circle.

It's mighty aggravating to a prisoner to hear the jailer whistling "Mother keeps the gate locked now."

If Tomnyon wrote: "The Charge of the Light Brigade," just after receiving his gall bill, he was perfectly justifiable.

"On her to whom honor is due," throve over his darling's shoulder a costly imported shawl.

The new Chicago female lawyer is young and unmarried. This makes all her special-mistaken efforts.

A stage-struck Dakota maiden writes to a New York lady friend to send her a copy of the acting edition of "Skylark, or the Murder of Venus."

"Didn't you say that young Stiffins only got \$10 a week?" "Yes; why?" "Well, I see his wife wears diamonds."

The wise man smoketh not the wicked cigar which is given to him but handeth it over to the man who voted against him last election and has a sweet revenge.

What's the difference between a man who teers down a picket fence and one who dresses a spring chicken? One pulls the picket and the other picks the pullet.

It is a fact not well known to be denied, that it was not for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup hotel proprietors in Florida would put their rates up to ten dollars per day.

Young Lady—"I am engaged to be married in a week. Would you still write 'Miss' before my name?" "Yes; there is a possibility that you may, you know."

"It is necessary to understand the management of the breath," says a writer, "in order to be successful as a singer. It is also necessary to be successful as a husband."

The tramp has a very deep-rooted conviction that this country will never attain the same prosperity until railroads build side-walks along their tracks for foot passengers.

When we see all our fences taking unto themselves a glory of color which would cause a crazy child to play, we may know that the greatest show on earth will shortly be in town.

"Is this a country where there are no ducks and geese?" asked a tourist. "Not just round here," answered a countryman. "If you fell lonesome you must go farther north."

A little girl in Connecticut was taken by her mother to a dentist, who removed a tooth. That night at prayers she said, "Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our dentists."

Secretary of the Navy Whitney—What is it? "Watchman!" "I'm sorry, sir, but I don't know; I've only been here two weeks."

"What kind of dogs are these, Mr. Birney?" "I required a customer, pointing to a group of crockery canines. "Terrier dog," said the genial china man, his face beaming like the full moon.

A talkative woman, pressing her viands upon a guest at table, asked: "Are you not fond of tongue?" "Yes," said the worried man, "I always was fond of tongue and I like it still."

"If man wants to own the earth, what does the woman want?" inquired Mr. Grap of his better half, after a little family matinee a few days ago. "Well, my dear, responded that lady in a gentle, smothering tone, "to own the man!"

The ruling passion is illustrated at many odd moments. Birch, the negro singer, was speaking of the funeral of his associate, Backus. "Were there many present, Birch?" "Many present," exclaimed Birch, "but my turned 'em away before the first hymn was sung."

I can safely recommend Ely's Cream Balm for the cure of Catarrh, Cold in the Head, etc. Before I have used the first bottle I purchased I find myself cured. At times I could scarcely smell anything and had a headache most of the time.—Henry Lilly, Agent for the American Express Co., Grand Haven, Mich. Price 50 cents.

An Ohio farmer, who asserts that a kicking cow can be cured by catching hold of her leg while in the act, probably got the idea from that beautiful legend, so familiar to childhood days, in which an application of salt to the tails of birds is supposed to be efficacious. We should like to see the farmer who, while milking, can catch the cow's leg when bossy straightens it!

The five-year-old son of a family the other day stood watching his baby brother who was making a great noise over having his face washed. The little fellow at length exclaimed to the baby: "You think you have lots of trouble, but you don't know anything about it. Wait till you're big enough to get a lickin', and then you'll see; won't be mamma?"

CONSUMPTION CURED.—An old physician retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-creatures. He will send free of charge to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 149 Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Many a Lady is beautiful, all but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is Magnolia Balm.

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The proprietors have often been surprised at the receipt of orders from remote countries, where they had never made an effort for its introduction.

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