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LATEST WAR NEWS.

Nothing Decisive Developed Since Our Last Issue Except the Locating of Cervera.

Since our last issue the only decisive bit of valuable information relative to the war is the certain fact that Schley has positively located Admiral Cervera and the latter and his whole fleet are bottled up by the Americans in the harbor of Santiago.

Secretary Long strongly intimated Thursday evening that a naval engagement probably took place between the Spanish and American fleets at Santiago de Cuba Thursday.

A special from Port au Prince to a New York evening paper states that the American ships renewed the attack upon Santiago Thursday and the insurgents made a land attack upon the city. This was denied in an Associated Press dispatch.

The latest indications in Washington are that the first land invasion will be directed to Porto Rico.

Vice-President Capote of Cuba, says that Garcia has 12,000 Cuban troops with him, that Gomez has 5,000 more in Santa Clara and that altogether there are about 30,000.

The Fifth Maryland Regiment left Chickamauga, marched to Rossville, Ga., and boarded trains for Tampa. It was expected to arrive at Tampa Friday afternoon. The Second (Va) Regiment left Richmond for Jacksonville.

The cargo of the British steamer Res-tormel, which was caught trying to get into Santiago with coal for Cervera's fleet, was condemned Thursday at Key West, but the ship was ordered to be released.

After an investigation Judge Locke, of the Federal Court at Key West, has decided as baseless the charges made by Naval Cadet Jones that the officers of the Spanish prizes were badly treated.

A VICIOUS BOAR.

A Lad Seriously Injured by its Sharp Tusks.

Master Willis Taylor was attacked last Sunday by a boar on the farm of Mr. Alonzo Williams and seriously injured by the tusks of the animal, which left deep gashes in his right side and in one thigh.

The youth is a son of Mr George Handy Taylor, a farmer residing in Rock-awalking, and is fourteen years old.

Sunday he left home to visit a cousin nearby. His way was across an enclosed piece of woodland attached to Mr. William's farm. Here the boar was confined and came upon the lad while the latter was crossing the enclosure. The boar immediately made an attack and had seriously hurt his victim when the cousin, whom young Taylor had started to visit, heard the latter's cries for help and came to the rescue.

The injured youth was driven to Salisbury and Drs. Todd & Dick dressed the wounds at the hospital. An examination showed that the tusks of the boar had penetrated the right lung beside leaving gashes on the body and limbs. The surgeons believe that the injuries may be successfully combated.

To the Public.

All those who can accommodate some of the firemen during the convention next week, and who have not already sent their names in, and, who have not been seen by the committee, can secure them by leaving word at City Hall, or with Percy Brewington, at Wicomico News office, not later than Tuesday at 10 o'clock. All those who have arranged to take delegates of the Senior Order Mechanics, some of which may not come, can secure visitors to firemen's convention by leaving word at City Hall by 10 o'clock, Tuesday morning.

Notice.

The Holy Eucharist will be offered in Saint Paul's Church, Spring Hill, on Sunday morning next—June 5th—at 10 o'clock.

There will be Evening Prayer and sermon, that evening—at 8 o'clock—in Saint Philip's Chapel, Quantic.

Franklin B. Adkins, Rector.

FIREMEN HERE NEXT WEEK.

The Committee on Entertainment Have All Arrangements About Completed.

The State Firemen's Association will be in convention in Salisbury next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and from all the important towns in the State will come representatives. Our people are expecting 600 visitors or more.

The committee on entertainment is now making final arrangements for the comfort and well-being of our guests during their stay. Plans are afoot to have some out-door sports, and "The Deacon" will be presented in the Opera House one evening, by local talent.

The contests of the companies for prizes will be witnessed with much interest by all spectators.

"Jackson Park" (we hope it will be soon,) better known as Lemon Hill, is to be the scene of much out-door festivity. Public receptions and concerts will be held there.

The sub-committees are as follows:

Committee to receive at Steamboat—William B. Tilghman, Allison A. Gillis, James A. V. Thoroughgood, Geo. R. Hitch, William E. Sheppard.

Committee to receive at B. C. & A. train Tuesday night—John P. Owens, Grier Ratcliff, James L. Powell, Samuel S. Smyth, Robert P. Graham.

Committee to receive at B. C. & A. train on Wednesday—Dr. L. S. Bell, Dr. E. W. Humphreys, James Cannon, Charles R. Disharoon, R. D. Grier.

Committee to receive at N. Y. P. & N. train on Wednesday—Randolph Humphreys, Dr. F. M. Slemmons, Jehu T. Parsons, H. L. Brewington, J. D. Wallop.

General Assistant Committee—E. Stanley Toadvin, S. Q. Johnson, Dr. L. W. Morris, Dr. S. P. Dennis, Dr. G. W. Todd, O. J. Schneck, L. E. Williams, Judge C. F. Holland, I. S. Adams, M. V. Brewington.

Committee on Lunch—O. J. Schneck, A. A. Gillis, W. B. Miller, R. D. Grier, S. S. Smyth, E. S. Toadvin.

Ladies' Auxiliary Committee on Lunch—Mrs. M. V. Brewington, Miss Annie Cannon, Mrs. J. D. Williamson, Miss Beulah White, Mrs. Morris Manko, Miss Hannah Uman, Mrs. S. P. Dennis, Miss Irma Graham, Mrs. Somers Gundy, Miss Edna Sheppard, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Miss Annie Naylor, Mrs. George R. Collier, Miss Julia Ellegood.

The programme will be as follows:

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5TH.

Reception of delegates, guests and visiting companies by the Reception Committee and escort

12.00 M. to 4.00 P. M. Grand Banquet to all visiting Firemen, delegates and guests.

8.00 P. M. Sixth Annual Convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association to be held at Ulman's Opera House, to which all visiting Firemen and the public are cordially invited.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9TH.

10.00 A. M. Second session of the Maryland State Firemen's Association.

2.00 P. M. (sharp) Grand Firemen's Parade.

6.30 P. M. Grand Band Concerts.

8.00 P. M. Amusements to be named later by Amusement Committee.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10TH.

9.00 A. M. Steam Fire Engine Contest.

10.00 A. M. Prize Drill.

11.00 A. M. Hook and Ladder Contest.

12.00 M. Hose Race Contest, for Association teams only.

2.00 P. M. Presentation of prizes at City Hall.

3.00 P. M. Excursion to Ocean City, (Free to Delegates.)

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Salisbury, (Md.) Post Office, Saturday, June 4th, 1898.

Tom Hayman, Brogan Davis, Robert Anderson, Mrs. Ary Elliot, Miss Minnie Trehman.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

MARY D. ELLEGOOD, Postmistress.

Are You Weak?

Weakness manifests itself in the loss of ambition and aching bones. The blood is watery; the tissues are wasting—the door is being opened for disease. A bottle of Browns' Iron Bitters taken in time will restore your strength, soothe your nerves, make your blood rich and red. Do you more good than an expensive special course of medicine. Browns' Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

DEATH OF AN INVALID.

A Remarkable Life Closed at the age of Eighty-four Years.

Alfred English died at his home near Mardela Springs on Wednesday morning at the age of eighty four years. Forty-two years ago he was taken down and remained upon the bed for four years, after which his condition improved and he was able to do some work and take out door exercise for four years, then he was stricken down with a relapse, and remained in his room, not having been out doors a single time, until his death, a period of thirty four years; and was never off the bed only when taken off, and then only for a short time.

During all those long years of suffering and deprivation he superintended the affairs of the family, giving instructions for work and directing the affairs generally, having a family of eight children, six daughters and two sons, who were faithful in every particular and recognized their father as the head of the family, and no children were more obedient to their parents than they were and had a comfortable home, a fine farm, and a happy family, in which love and duty ruled supreme. Some of the daughters married and left home, but one daughter and the two sons remained at home and lovingly cared for their father, making his days of old age and affliction as happy as possible.

In the midst of affliction he was cheerful and kept well posted on the news of the day. He had a wonderful memory and could remember dates and events with great accuracy. He could give the history of the various families, towns and business enterprises for many miles around and many years past. Births, marriages, deaths and places and circumstances of burials of prominent men and families seems to have been remembered by him; and he could spend hours in reciting the past with great interest. His home was a great visiting place and his method of entertainment was instructive as well as entertaining. He was a close reader and his retentive memory and fluency of speech enabled him to spread a great deal of intelligence throughout the community, through the many visitors that visited him. His conversation was not confined to any subject; but he could turn alike to religion, business, politics, or whatever seemed to suit his visitors best. He was liberal and whatever line of conversation he engaged in his views, which usually followed in summing up the topics, were always conservative.

A very remarkable characteristic in him was his minute description of the nearby towns, which he had not seen for more than a quarter of a century. He could locate the various business enterprises and fine residences with accuracy, having kept posted from his visitors, and kept in his mind the style, location and condition of places, houses etc. He inquired of the people who visited him and manifested great interest in them in hearing what they had to say as well interest them in what had to say.

His remains were interred in the Mardela cemetery, on Thursday by undertaker Hill of Salisbury. He was a member of Snethen Chapel M. P. church from his youth up and had a high appreciation of the church and all her interests. His funeral was under the direction of Rev. McNutt of the M. P. Church assisted by Rev. T. S. Barrett and others.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



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THE GOLDEN

Opportunity OF THE SEASON

RARE BARGAINS

—IN—

Hammocks, Base Ball Goods and Croquet Sets.

We are selling cotton wove hammocks, pillow and stretcher from \$1.00 up.

A good quality Mexican hammock, with one pair of stretchers thrown in for 75c.

A SCORCHER

is what we are likely to have any day now. You crave cooling drinks. Try a glass of delicious soda dispensed from our refrigerating fountain for 5c.

Ice cream soda, all flavors 10c.

WHITE & LEONARD'S DRUG STORE

Cor. Main and St. Peter's Sts.,

SALISBURY, MD.

WANTED.

GOOD, STOUT, ABLE-BODIED SHOES TO GO TO THE FRONT.

The boys in blue and brown who are going to march through Cuba will want stout comfortable shoes in which they can tramp from morning till night, if need be, without discomfort.

Those who are called and those who gallantly volunteer to do duty for their country, should see the splendid broad toed substantial shoes which we are selling at a special price to all who are preparing for war, or otherwise.

HARRY DENNIS

Only Shoe House.

Salisbury, Md.

A \$100 Wheel FOR \$25.00 OR AN OLD ONE MADE NEW.

I have just opened a shop and ware room on Dock street, where I have for sale New Bicycles, having taken the agency for two leading makes. I have opened a repair shop in connection with it where all kinds of repairs to wheels will be properly and promptly done at reasonable prices. If you want a wheel call to see me. If you have one out of order bring it with you.

T. BYRD LANKFORD.

NEWS OF

NEW SHOES!

We are showing this week a great line of

MEN'S Russet Shoes at \$3.

Don't fail to see them. They are made of willow calf, vici kid and chrome calf. No other such line for the price in Salisbury.

Patent Leather SHOES

have become a necessity in order to be a well dressed young man. Our line is not only "up-to-date" but up to July, and you don't have to give up all your money for a pair. We can give you a nice new toe genuine calf sewed with welt for \$3. There are others here for \$4 and \$5.

Low Cuts for Men

Good, solid, serviceable, dressy shoes, Russia calf, vici kid and patent leather, You can be sure the shapes and prices are all right or they wouldn't be here.

Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers

There are too many to specify. We simply say that there has been no such line in this little city—not within the memory of the oldest inhabitants either. Everything that is new and snappy, from the staple Oxford tie to the new Theo ties and button straps, is here. We have a beautiful line of Strap Sandals for the children—from the Tiny Tot to the Grown Up Children. Our Ladies' 50 cent Oxfords are a great deal like others ask you 75 cents for.

JUST A WORD

about our Children's and Misses' Russet Shoes. We have them in dark and light narrow and broad, lace and button, machine and hand sewed. Don't under any circumstances, shoe your child without looking into the merits of ours.

MAKE OUR STORE YOUR HEADQUARTERS.

J. D. Price & Co

SHOE SUPPLIERS AND MEN'S OUTFITTERS, SALISBURY, MD.

CONDEMNATION RESOLUTION.

The Colored People Protest Against the Recent Lynching of Garfield King.

A largely attended meeting of the colored people of Salisbury and the county was held in John Wesley M. E. church last Tuesday evening, the object being to condemn the recent lynching of Garfield King. Solomon T. Huston, of this city, was chosen chairman of the meeting. The speakers were Revs. A. R. Shockey, F. N. Butler, F. C. Wright, Burch, Jas. O. Pinkett, and S. T. Huston, Esq. All the speakers condemned the lynching, but gave good advice to their people, and counselled them to be law-abiding and law-fearing. The young men of the race were admonished to sell their pistols and razors and put the money in useful literature.

The following committee was appointed to wait upon Gov. Lowndes to urge him to offer a reward of \$1,000.00 for the apprehension of the lynchers: Dr. Lyons, W. Ashby Hawkins of Baltimore, R. P. Graham, Solomon T. Huston and J. F. Gaddis, of Wicomico.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

"We have always appreciated the worth, industry and character of the good citizens of Wicomico county, and congratulated ourselves upon the order, peace and prosperity that has prevailed in our midst. We are in hearty accord with this state of affairs, and as citizens of this county and of the commonwealth of the State of Maryland, deplore with sincere regret any happening that would mar this state of order and good government that has been the stability of our community and the assurance of a continued era of prosperity.

We believe that the conscientious, thinking citizens of this county are in sympathy with every movement for the furtherance of law and order, and are not identified with any movement which tramples under foot the majesty of the law and betrays into the hands of the thoughtless, frenzied rabble the execution of those functions that are the sacred possessions of the tribunal of justice no matter whom the object of violence might be.

We believe in the majesty of the law and the sacred right of a trial by jury. We believe no man deserves punishment under the law unless proven guilty. The right of a trial by jury is a safe-guard to justice a protection to the State, a bulwark to the home, and assurance of the peace and order essential to the welfare of any community. Whoever tramples under foot that right robs his victim of a sacred privilege, tears down the protection of his own household, stains the record of his own community with a blot of shame, invokes upon his own head the terrible wrath of God, and places his name in archives of history as a traitor to the sacred interests of home, State and church.

We believe in the searching out and conviction of criminals. No man who breaks the law should escape punishment. Justice has been trampled under foot; the fair names of Wicomico county and of Salisbury have been stained with a blot of shame. Somebody is guilty; somebody knows who is guilty. He who is guilty is a criminal in the sight of God and humanity; he who knows the guilty party and holds his tongue is a criminal of the same degree.

We believe in public office as a public trust. That trust is betrayed when the functions of that office cease to be effective. Where was the sheriff of Wicomico county when Garfield King was lynched? What resistance did the jailer make? We demand in the name of God and humanity an explanation. If prisoners are unsafe in the county jail and cannot be protected from the violence of lawless citizens of what worth is the law of Wicomico county or its courts of justice?

We denounce with righteous indignation the lynching of Garfield King by a frenzied mob as an exhibition of brutality, a blight upon justice, a blot upon our community, a disgrace to the civilization of the nineteenth century, and a betrayal of public confidence that invites lawlessness and all the crimes incident thereto, and tears down the security of human society under the government of our community.

We accept of no excuse for the committing of this crime. We denounce the carrying of concealed weapons and all exhibitions of violence on the part of our citizens. We swear by our allegiance to law and order and would rather common sense than frenzied passion rule our conduct.

We thank the citizens in general who have condemned this crime, and pray the Governor of the Commonwealth that a reward of one thousand dollars be offered for the arrest and conviction of any party to it. We recommend that a committee of five be appointed to

wait on the Governor and urge this request.

We denounce as inhuman, retrograding and barbarous the preserving of pieces of the rope with which this victim was lynched and in the light of civilization we condemn every manifestation of favor to the crime and are astonished that some of the citizens of this town and county should be identified with the preservation of these mementoes."

The Jury which held an inquest in the court house last Friday, rendered a verdict to the effect that Garfield King was killed by persons unknown to the jury.

Who does not know women and young girls who are continually in tears? Who always see the dark side? Who have frequent fits of melancholy without any apparent cause? The intelligent physician will know that it is some derangement of the complicated and delicate feminine organs. The young girl suffers, bodily and mentally, in silence. There is undue weariness, unexpected pain, unreasonable tears and fits of temper. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription exerts a wonderful power over woman's delicate organism. It is an invigorating tonic and is specific for the peculiar weakness, irregularities and painful derangements of woman. Careless, easy-going doctors frequently treat their women patients for biliousness, nervousness, dyspepsia, liver or kidney troubles, when the real sickness is in the organs distinctly feminine, and no help can come till they are made perfectly strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated.

The announcement of the standing of the members of the second, third and fourth classes at the Naval Academy shows Charles W. Fisher, Jr., of Maryland, fifth among the 14 "stars" of the third class. Fifty of the 54 members of the second class passed the examinations. Cadet Jeffers, son of Mrs. Anna Jeffers, State Librarian, failed to take the examination. He is home on sick leave. President Hilborn of the board of visitors thinks 20 years is too advanced an age for a cadet to enter the Academy and that the course ought to be six years.

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

William Hopps of Baltimore, a grain dealer, has secured a verdict for \$500 in the Talbot Court against Mrs. Alice Winder of Presquille for non-delivery of wheat he had purchased. It was claimed that Hopps did not send for the wheat at the proper time. Other suits will follow, growing out of a fight between the bulls and bears in the grain business on the Eastern Shore.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. L. D. COLLIER druggist Salisbury Md.

Miss Elizabeth Canby, who died recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Balderson, near Colora, was the grand-daughter of Elizabeth Claypoole (Betsy Ross), whose memory is perpetuated as the patriotic woman who made the first United States flag in Philadelphia. Miss Canby was 78 years of age and was a member of the Society of Friends.

The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs, made by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could not live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Dr. L. D. Collier's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Your friends may smile
But that tired feeling
Means danger. It
Indicates impoverished
And impure blood.
This condition may
Lead to serious illness.
It should be promptly
Overcome by taking
Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which purifies and
Enriches the blood,
Strengthens the nerves,
Tones the stomach,
Creates an appetite,
And builds up,
Energizes and vitalizes
The whole system.
Be sure to get
Only Hood's.

The Successful Remedy for NASAL CATARRH

must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will by its own action reach the inflamed and diseased surfaces. ELY'S CREAM BALM combines the important requisites of quick action and specific curative powers with perfect safety to the patient. This agreeable remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. All druggists cheerfully acknowledge that in the acme of Pharmaceutical skill has been reached. The most distressing symptoms quickly yield to it. In acute cases the Balm imparts almost instant relief.

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Catarrhal sufferers should remember that Ely's Cream Balm is the only catarrh remedy which is quickly and thoroughly absorbed by the diseased membrane. It does not dry up the secretions, but changes them to a limpid and odorless condition, and finally to a natural and healthy character. The Balm can be found at any drug store, or by sending 50 cents to Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York, it will be mailed. Full directions with each package. Cream Balm opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays inflammation, thereby stopping pain in the head, heals and protects the membrane and restores the senses of taste and smell. The Balm is applied directly into the nostrils.



EVERY NEW IDEA

in Ladies Belts is here. They have received the approval of the wise buyers. Right here we must say something of the quality.

They are not a collection of glittering gewgaws or imitation leather, but an assortment of beautiful, well made articles which are value for much more than we ask. They are absolutely correct in style.

HARPER & TAYLOR
SALISBURY, MD.

THOS. F. J. RIDER, Attorney.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I have obtained from the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, an order for the sale of ten acres and three-tenths of an acre of land, belonging to Asher B. Hamblin in 1893, and now owned by Grant Dennis, situated in Pittsburg district in Wicomico county, beginning at an angle formed by the east line of the county road leading from Williams to Kowalsville and the north line of a private road, which is distinguished by the letter A on the plat of said land made by Peter S. Shockey, county surveyor, on the 6th of April, 1898, and on file in the Clerk's Office, thence running with said county road south six degrees and thirty minutes, west 27 poles and seventy-hundredths of a pole to a post; thence south 87° 15', east 58 poles and fifty-hundredths of a pole to a post; thence north 87° 30', east 28 poles to a post; thence north 82° west 50 poles and fifty-hundredths of a pole to the beginning; and this is to give notice that on

SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 1898

at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., I shall sell at public auction at the Court House door in Salisbury, Md., the above described land and three-tenths of an acre of land, of the property of Asher B. Hamblin now owned by Grant Dennis, to satisfy the State and County taxes due from said Asher B. Hamblin for the years 1892 and 1893 with interest and costs.

LEVI D. GORDY,
Collector of taxes, 4th Collection District.

ORDER NISI.

Geo. W. D. Waller, assignee, vs. Mary A. Waller.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 1162. May term, 1898.

Ordered that sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, and the distribution of the amount arising thereon as made and reported by Geo. W. D. Waller, assignee of the mortgage, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 15th day of June next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 4th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$300.00
CHAS. F. HOLLAND, Judge.
True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

L. E. Williams, surviving trustee of Gordon H. Toadvin, vs. E. Stanley Toadvin.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 571. May Term, 1898.

Ordered that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, for a re-sale, made and reported by L. Ernest Williams, surviving trustee, and distribution, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 15th day of July next provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 15th day of June, next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$1035.00.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND, Judge.
True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court for Wicomico county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

CHARLES W. COLLINS, late of Wicomico county, dec'd. All persons having claims against said dec'd, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before November 28, 1898, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1898.
JOHN W. WILKINS, administrator.

Auditor's Notice.

E. E. Jackson and Chas. F. Holland vs. E. Stanley Toadvin, et al. No. 1086 Chancery.

All persons having claims against the estate of E. Stanley Toadvin, sold and reported by Jay Williams, trustee, in chancery No. 1086, are hereby notified to file the same with me, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated according to law, on or before the 15th day of June, 1898, as I shall on that day at my office in Salisbury proceed to distribute the said estate among the persons thereto entitled according to law.
LEVIN M. DASHIELL, Auditor.

H. L. D. STANFORD, Solicitor.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
VALUABLE
Farm Property

Under and by virtue of a power contained in a mortgage from Levin J. Gale and wife, to Wm. H. Gate and Anna I. Gate or the survivors of them, dated the 28th day of July, 1882, and recorded among the land records of Wicomico county, State of Maryland, in liber S. P. T., No. 5, folios 74, 75, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, in Salisbury, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1898,

at or about the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of the parties to said mortgage, in and to the following property, viz: All that farm, tract or parcel of land,

CONTAINING 200 ACRES of land, more or less, with all the improvements thereon, mentioned and described in said mortgage, situated about two miles from the village of Quantico, in Quantico election district, in Wicomico county aforesaid, on the county road leading from Quantico to Nutter's Neck, and adjoining the farm formerly belonging to Wm. H. Farrington, deceased, and being the same farm or tract of land of which John M. Phillips died, seized, and possessed, and whereon said Phillips resided at the time of his death, and being also the same farm or tract of land which was conveyed unto said Levin J. Gale by E. Stanley Toadvin, trustee, by deed duly recorded among the aforesaid land records in liber S. P. T., No. 5, folios 73 and 74.

TERMS OF SALE prescribed by said mortgage—CASH. Title papers at purchaser's expense.

WM. H. GALE,
Surviving Mortgagee.

Trustee's Sale
—OF—
A VALUABLE FARM

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico county passed in the case of Charles I. Taylor vs. Mary A. Taylor et al, No. 916 Chancery, the undersigned will offer at public sale at the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, on

Saturday, June 4th

1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., all that valuable farm in Tyaskin Election District of said county and state, which is bounded on the north by the county road leading from Royal Oak to Wellpoin; on the east by the lands of A. J. Horsey; on the south by a county road; on the west by Peters Creek and the land of Alex. Catlin, being the same land of which Francis A. Taylor died, seized and possessed, containing 148 acres, more or less, which the said Taylor bought of George Catlin. This land is improved with a dwelling and suitable outhouses. The soil is a clay loam and is a fine farm.

TERMS OF SALE.

Five per cent cash on day of sale; the balance of the purchase money payable in two equal annual installments, with interest from day of sale, secured by notes of the purchaser, with approved securities.

JAS. E. ELLEGOOD, Trustee.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS:

Resolved, That the people of the Island of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent;

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Bits of Maryland News.

Wye Camp will begin July 26.

Cumberland is making steel shells for the government.

The purses at the races at Hagerstown Fair will aggregate \$6000.

The sailing vessels of the oyster navy are being repaired at St Michael's.

Ex-County Commissioner John W. Knotts of Talbot is critically ill of paralysis, near Hillsboro.

The colored people of Hagerstown have secured permission to organize a military company.

A contract to make shirts for the army has been secured by the Cambridge Shirt Company.

A flag has been raised to Dewey at the mouth of the Hoffman mine, near Frostburg, by the miners.

The Cumberland City Council adopted the local liquor tax of \$100 on saloons to go into effect June 1.

It is economy to profit by the experience of others. Thousands have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, why not you?

The Cambridge municipal election will be held June 15. The leading question is the issuance of licenses to cider dealers.

Three thousand, six hundred, and twenty-eight tramps were fed and lodged at the Harford county almshouse during 1897.

Objection has been raised to calisthenic exercises in the public schools at Tilghman's Island that it induces children to become fond of dancing.

Walter Roe, a farmer, residing on Kent Island, has a dog, whose puppies were drowned and she nurses two young kittens. The same dog raised four foxes last year.

Sea crocuses are being caught at Annapolis. Their habitat is deep water, and it is supposed the great gun practice of the ships at the Capes drove the fish into the Chesapeake.

The cadets have nearly all left the Naval Academy. Captain Cooper, the superintendent, may be detached and ordered to the Chicago. His term as superintendent expires in November.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

Taxpayers in the Frostburg annex are resisting the effort to have them brought under the town government. The annexation was made by the Legislature, and added 1000 population and \$145,000 in property to Frostburg.

Five kittens of a cat owned by Mrs. Muhleberg, near Hancock, were drowned. The old cat mourned for a while, and then went into the woods and brought home seven young rabbits which she has adopted, and which are thriving.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggist.

Many applications are being made to Adjutant-General Wilmer for authority to raise troops to serve in the war. It is not likely that any new commands will have a chance to enlist before those already accepted are recruited up to the standard.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY make oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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The \$20,000 damage suit of Daniel Loy against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, for injuries to his daughter, has been settled in the Washington County Court. Miss Loy was run over by a train in Cumberland, her leg cut off and her collar bone broken.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

Joseph Wright has been convicted in the Talbot Court of murder in the first degree for the killing of William Newcomb. The murder was committed in Kent county, and was the result of a spree among the negroes of the "Big Woods" settlement. Wright was first tried in Kent Court, but the jury disagreed.

A good appetite. Is essential to good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla creates an Appetite, tones and Strengthens the stomach, And builds up the whole system. It relieves that tired feeling, and by purifying and enriching the blood, it promptly and permanently cures all scrofula eruptions, boils, humors, pimples and sores; strengthens the nerves, and gives sweet, refreshing sleep. No other medicine has taken such hold upon the confidence of the people as Hood's Sarsaparilla and its record of great cures is unequalled by any other preparation. You may take Hood's Sarsaparilla with the utmost confidence that it will do you good.

The Hagerstown papers recall Gen. Henry Kid Douglas' suggestion in 1892 for an encampment of the Regular Army and militia at Chicago during the World's Fair for drilling and instruction. General Miles approved the idea, but General Schofield, then head of the Army objected to the expense, which would have been \$2,000,000, the sum the Army is now costing the country daily. General Douglas wrote a letter to Secretary of War Elkins, making his suggestion, and the letter was sent to Congress by the Secretary.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

Three military companies are about to be raised at Frostburg, where the war spirit is running high. Henry Spitzmas, who has been requested by a large number of Frostburg young men to raise a company, is making arrangements toward that end. Mr. Spitzmas spent five years in the regular army, part of the time as drill sergeant. John Wimbrough, who is raising a company, has about the full quota. Captain Foulk also expects to open a recruiting office at Frostburg.

A stomachful of undigested food is about as unhealthy a mass as one can well imagine.

What can be done with it? There it stays. It won't digest. It churns up, ferments and decays, becomes poisonous (as all putrid matter does) and causes great pain and deep-seated disorders.

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- Wear Price & Co.'s shoes.
- Just received spring stock. Fitch.
- We buy eggs. J. D. Price & Co.
- Latest styles in jewelry at Fitch's.
- Our Hats fit the head. J. D. Price & Co.
- Assorted taffy, fresh today at Wallop & Co.'s
- \$1200.00 to loan. Apply to G. W. D. Waller.
- See our Men's \$3.00 Russet Shoes. J. D. Price & Co.
- J. Bergen is selling all the latest paper patterns at 10 cents.
- We keep Saratoga Chips. Try a 15 cent box. Wallop & Co.
- Atlas Plows reduced to \$3.00 this season. B. L. Gillis & Son.
- Infants sandals and moccasins just received at Prices.
- Call at Davis & Baker's and examine their line of shoes.
- Shoes and Hats for Tom, Dick and Harry. J. D. Price & Co.
- Ladies call and examine our \$1.50 shoes. Davis & Baker.
- Paper patterns of any garment you want at Bergens for 10 cents.
- Have you tried Wallop & Co.'s 5 o'clock teas, they are nice.
- All good buyers will attend the sale now going on at Birkhead & Carey's.
- We are still selling the best harness for the least money. Perdue & Gunby.
- You should see the line of new tailor-made wrappers at Birkhead & Carey.
- Come in and behold the greatest shoe store on the peninsula.—J. D. Price & Co.
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- White & Leonard's new line of books in sets are the right thing at the right price.
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- Have you tried our sliced sugar cured ham put up in cans, ready for use. Wallop & Co.
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- Pants, Pants for men. Pants for boys, Pants for children at Kennerly, Mitchell & Co.'s
- All the latest cuts in shirtwaists, skirts, suits and any pattern you want at Bergens for 10 cents.
- Cherry Ripe and Red Messina Orange are two of the finest drinks served at White & Leonard's New Soda Fountain.
- Wear Kennerly, Mitchell & Co.'s "Special." It comes in black or brown. Easy fitting, quality guaranteed.
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- Our \$2.00 Shoes for ladies are unequalled, sent post paid to any part of the United States upon receipt of \$2.00 J. D. Price & Co.
- Remember we are selling all the new books just as cheap as they can be bought delivered here at White & Leonard's Drug Store.
- FOR RENT—House on Isabella St., adjoining the residence of Richard M. Johnson, Esq. Possession given May 1st. Apply to L. E. WILLIAMS.
- The largest, finest and cheapest line of horse and mule collars ever displayed in Salisbury is on exhibition at the store of B. L. Gillis & Son.
- The largest stock of Carriages, Spindle wagons, Daytons, Surries and farm wagons ever in Salisbury at Perdue & Gunby's. Prices to suit the hard times.
- We have just received a very nice line of horse collars, which we are selling very cheap. Call and see before purchasing. Perdue & Gunby, Dock St.
- If you want to see the up-to-date style in fine dress pants that have prices attached to them in reach of every body, Look in Kennerly, Mitchell & Co.'s window.
- Try a package of Grain-O. It is a pure food drink, takes the place of coffee, a table beverage which the children may drink without injury as well as the adult. Price 25c at Wallop & Co.'s.
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COFFEE-SICK PEOPLE seldom charge their ill feelings to the true cause.

ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY shows the poisonous alkaloids of Coffee, as in Tobacco, Whiskey, and Morphine.

A PERFECTLY HEALTHY MAN or woman can stand these for a time, but "constant dripping wears a stone" and finally headache, torpid liver, sick stomach or heart, and that "weak-all-over" feeling show that a poisoned nervous system is calling for help and relief.

EVERY MORNING and perhaps at dinner and supper another brutal blow is given.

SMALL WONDER that a fixed organic disease of some of the members is finally set up.

RELIEF cannot be obtained unless the cause is removed.

POSTUM CEREAL looks like ground coffee. When brewed it takes the beautiful deep seal brown color of Mocha or Java, changing to a rich golden brown when cream is added.

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Scientific American Navy Supplement.

The Scientific American which has always identified itself very closely with the interests of the navy, is to be congratulated on the extremely handsome and valuable "navy supplement" which it has lately put before the public. We think that if the average reader had been asked before hand what kind of work he would prefer upon the navy, he would have asked for just such an issue as this.

Both the illustrations and the reading matter are of the straightforward explanatory kind which is necessary to put a technical subject clearly before the lay mind. It was a happy thought to preface the work with a chapter upon the classification of war ships and insert a few diagrams by way of explanation of the subtle differences between cruisers, monitors and battleships; for after digesting this chapter one is prepared to follow intelligently the detailed description of the various ships which make up the bulk of the issue. One of the best things about this number is that it does not merely give an external illustration of each ship, but it takes the reader down below decks, and initiates him into the mysteries of the magazines, handling rooms, ammunition hoists and motive machinery. The sectional views of the interior of the turrets of the monitors are exceptionally fine, as is the large wood engravings of the engines of the "Massachusetts." The last page of the number contains complete tables of the new navy, the auxiliary fleet and the various naval guns. A handsome colored map of Cuba and the West Indies is furnished with this issue. We extend our congratulations to our contemporary on the production of a work which is well conceived and admirably carried out. This work is published by Munn & Co., of 361 Broadway, New York, for 25 cents.

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One of the funniest of all the funny books is certainly "Samantha at Saratoga." Will Carleton pronounces it "delicious humor" and Bishop Newman says it is "bitterest satire, coated with the sweetest of exhilarating fun." Formerly published by subscription at the price of \$2.50, and sold, it is said, by the hundred thousand, it has recently been issued in an exquisite little cloth-bound volume in the "Cambridge Classics" series by the celebrated cheap-book publishers, Hurst & Co., of New York, as a means of widely advertising that series, and is sold at the fabulously low price of 25 cents. It would seem strange if they should not sell a million of them. They are sold by booksellers, or the publishers direct.

The Lynching.

Mr. Editor—Our usually quiet, law-abiding community has been thrown into a feverish state of excitement recently by a cold-blooded, unprovoked murder followed by the lynching of the offender.

Lynchings are always to be deplored by all well regulated, law abiding, christian communities. Yet all men with common sense know that they are only the fearful outgrowth and culmination of the unmitigated and desperate acts of willful offenders against the law and order of society.

Let us hope the like will not soon occur again, or the occasion for it. M.

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It is known that Cervera's bottle at Santiago is one of champagne, and his whole fleet is rejoicing over this victory over the Yankees, who must go thirsty.

One of Schley's seaman in cutting his corns, cut a little too deep, bringing the blood. Madrid is celebrating the event with parades and bullfights.

The Queen Regent has positive knowledge that Admiral Sampson is not a brother or even a cousin of that other Sampson that slew a few people some years ago; and this discovery is regarded as a great Spanish victory.

Upon learning that there is no Dewey in the U. S. Navy except the one that had a seance at Manila, Sagasta has issued a pronouncement declaring Spain cannot lose the war.

The fact that the U. S. Government cannot press into service Curt Crane's yacht Josephine is hailed with joy by the Spanish.

Strawberries are as low as five cents a quart, and the Spanish Cabinet thinks it can delay the war long enough for the Americans to choke themselves to death on the luscious fruit.

Three of the four sons of Roland Anderson of Easton, Maryland, and Chihuahua, Mexico, can't talk English but can speak Spanish fluently. This is one of the biggest Spanish victories yet.

Lightning struck Captain Wheeler's granary at Hillsboro a few days ago and shocked two of his American friends as he hasn't any other kind. Spanish glee at this achievement cannot be restrained.

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We have a very large line of Boys' and Children's genuine French Milan Sailors in plain, White and colors, usually \$1.75. Our price is \$1.25.

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B Stand for bearings, so hard and round. The Crescent has the best that can be found.
C Stand for Crescent, the best wheel on earth. People who ride them are full of mirth.
D Is the designer who planned this machine. Perfect in all parts, neat and clean.
E Stand for easy running and light. That helps Crescent wheels to give such delight.
F Is the frame, so staunch and strong. It will carry 2,000 pounds along.
G Is the ground over which the wheel glides. Without bumping or jolting the rider's sides.
H Stand for handle bars, any shape wished. Upwards, downwards, or sideways disined.
I Is improvement which can't be made. On this wheel, for it's the highest grade.
J Is the joy that riders feel. While sliding along on a Crescent wheel.
K Stand for keenness which people use. Who buy the Crescent, who says the Muse.
L Is the logic that riders show. Who buy Crescent wheel, the best they know.
M Is the manufacturer, who works night and day. To fill Crescent orders, so they say.
N Is the name, in itself a truth. For the Crescent eclipses others in their youth.
O Stand for orders, which come thick and fast. For the "Crescent" season is never past.
P Is the price which suits everyone. 'Tis low for the highest grade wheel under the sun.
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R Stand for riding, which easy is made. By a Crescent dealer making a trade.
S Is the sprocket of very nice make. Use it once and no other you'll take.
T Is the trade-mark, handsome and neat. A Crescent, look for it on the street.
U Is the usefulness which marks the wheel. Persons owning Crescents, pleasure will feel.
V Is the vile language by riders used. When they are by breakage of other wheels bruised.
W Stand for woman, healthy and strong. Who pushes the Crescent wheel along.
X Is the unknown quality of steel. Used in others than the Crescent wheel.
Y Is the youngster, full of joy. He rides a Crescent, sensible boy.
Z Stand for Zebra, so handsome and swift. The Crescent can give even him a lift.
& Now good readers, if you want a wheel that's neat, Buy a Crescent of Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co., Salisbury, Md.

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Local Department.

—Mrs. Walter B. Miller is visiting relatives in Carlisle, Pa.

—Mrs. Stebbins of Baltimore is a guest of Mrs. Lafayette Humphreys.

—Mr. Kendall J. Hearn of Wilmington spent a part of this week in Salisbury.

—Hon. Thos. H. Williams and Mrs. Williams are home from Annapolis for a short vacation.

—Mr. J. J. Perry and family of Millsboro, Del., were guests this week of Mr. Jas. A. Perry.

—Miss Irma Graham returned Thursday from an extended visit to friends in Richmond and Elizabeth City.

—The Wicomico School Board will hold its next session June 15th instead of June 8th as previously announced.

—Mr. Wm. Purner and Mrs. Purner of Roselle, N. J., spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Ellegood.

—Mr. J. D. Wallop has started an ice cream saloon in the room adjoining his store. He will handle the best city creams and ices.

—Mr. L. W. Gunby and The Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co. have erected handsome American flags over their places of business.

—Miss Agnes Gillis of Hebron, who has been attending the State Normal School arrived home Wednesday for the summer vacation.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold its regular monthly meeting next Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Mrs. Johnson, Isabella St.

—Benjamin F. Booth and Rosa B. Gravenor were married Thursday evening, June 2d, by Rev. L. F. Warner at the Methodist Protestant parsonage.

—The County Commissioners were in session last Tuesday. They were busy passing accounts for the 1898 levy. The Board will meet again next Tuesday, June 7th.

Mr. T. Byrd Lankford has on exhibition at his salesroom and repair shop on Dock street a handsome chainless bicycle. He invites his friends to call at his shop and see it.

—Reception of members at the M. P. church Sunday morning. In the evening the annual Children's Day services will take place. A special program of music, recitations, etc.

—Dr. G. W. Freeny of Pittsville, was called to Willard's last Thursday to amputate the arm of a young man who fell into the planer of a steam mill located there. The young man's name is Cooper.

—Miss Dora and Mr. Alex. Toadvine entertained a small party of friends last Tuesday evening at their home on Isabella street, in honor of Miss Green of Philadelphia, who has been a guest of the Misses Houston.

—One of the finest fields of wheat in the county is the twenty-six acre lot on the farm of Mr. H. J. Phillips out the shell road. Mr. Phillips has also a fine field of scarlet clover from which he expects a good crop of seed.

—Beginning Monday, May 23, 1898, steamers of the Queen Anne's Railroad Company will leave Queenstown at 8.20 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and 1.50 a. m., daily, except Sunday and Monday. Sundays at 5.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

—The members and friends of Mill's Chapel, Spring Hill, will hold a festival on the Chapel grounds next Saturday June 11th, in the afternoon and evening. All are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served in plenty.

—The ladies of St. Paul's M. E. church, Mardela Springs, will hold a festival at the church Saturday afternoon and evening, June 11th. All are cordially invited to join in the festivities and enjoy the refreshments which will be served.

—Miss Mary A. Wilcox takes this means of informing the public that she will open a summer school in the public school building, on Monday, June 18th. Both advanced and primary students will be received. Hours from 8 to 12 a. m. Terms reasonable.

—The meeting of the Maryland Firemen's association which takes place at Salisbury on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 8, 9, 10, promises to be one of much interest both to the members of the different associations and the general public. Mr. W. Irving Mace, of this city, is the President of the association, and has gone to much personal trouble to induce the fire companies of the different towns of Maryland to join the association and participate in the exercises at Salisbury.—Cambridge Chronicle.

—Dr. G. W. Freeny has a new strawberry which he things promises well as a table variety. He originated it himself but has not yet named it. Samples left at this office show it to be a beautiful fruit of uniform growth, large size, and splendid flavor.

—The Judges of the Orphans Court held a special session last Tuesday to hear complaints of the administration of the estate of the late Francis Robertson of Tyaskin district, Charles Robertson, administrator. The Court ordered that the administration should be reopened.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Fuller have issued cards to the marriage of their daughter, Fanny Searles, to Mr. M. Lee Toadvine of this city. The ceremony will be performed at the bride's home, Bayonne, N. J., at half-past four o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, June 15th. Mr. Toadvine will bring his bride to Salisbury to live.

—Mr. Geo. W. D. Waller, [attorney] has just put on the market over fifty building lots for the heirs of the late George Waller. They lay in a body between the B. C. & A. railway and Parsons' cemetery. The land has been platted and streets defined. Particulars may be learned by applying to Mr. Waller in whose possession the plat may be seen.

—Mr. Jas. L. Powell is the happy owner of the well-known trotting horse Regulus. Horsemen who expect to keep in company this summer with Mr. Powell, Dr. Collier, Dr. Smith and Mr. George R. Collier will have to import some horseflesh from Kentucky. Our shell roads will be the scene of some fine performances in the coming summer twilight.

Notice.

There will be held a "woods meeting" at Green Hill M. P. Church from June 5th to 15th inclusive. Good music and singing. Come one, come all.—A. A. BICKELL, Pastor Quantico Circuit M. P. Church.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

We sent out a short time ago, bills to all subscribers, with request to have same settled before May 15th. Some have responded, but quite a number are still in arrears. We are very desirous of having all these accounts paid up with a view of putting the paper on a cash basis. It is our intention to have subscribers accounts kept on the slip bearing the address, posted on the paper. We have found it much easier to collect subscriptions paid annually than bills that have grown to four or five dollars. We hope our friends will appreciate our position.
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ORDER NISI.

Eugene W. Humphreys, trustee, vs Levin S. Gordy and A. Maria Gordy, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 1188. May term, 1898.

Ordered this 2d day of June, 1898, that sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Henry L. D. Stanford, trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$1500.00
JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk.
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—Try a plate of our celebrated ice cream, Wallop & Co.

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Driving a Poor Bargain.

Many a man is driving a horse to day, who paid more for it than the owner expected to get, just because he thought he was driving a bargain when he bought it, and who afterwards found it was a horse on him. A man who has anything to sell, and who expects to "take an offer" on it, always asks enough to be safe if he gets half his asking price. A store that has one price always asks enough for the come down. Lacy Thoroughgood sells everybody the same kind of Clothing and Hats at the same price. Thoroughgood wants everybody to think of this fact. Thoroughgood has never had to mark down anything because somebody else had it for less. Thoroughgood has never had to close out "any old thing" at a marked down price, because Thoroughgood don't allow "any old thing" to get old, and Thoroughgood never buys "any old thing" because its cheap to begin with. Lacy Thoroughgood is selling some wonderfully good suits of clothes for men for \$5, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10. Lacy Thoroughgood is selling beautiful suits for children for \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50. Thoroughgood is selling more Hats than every hat store in Salisbury. Well, he has more hats to sell. Thoroughgood's price on hats are 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2. Everybody knows the price of the Jno. B. Stetson Hats. Everybody who wants first-class Clothing and Hats always comes to Lacy Thoroughgood, and they always get them, and then they tell their friends. Telling things like that has helped

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BLOOD ATONEMENT.

BY IT CHRIST DELIVERED ALL MEN FROM BONDAGE.

Rev. Dr. Talmage Clothes an Old Story in New Language—Sacrifice of the Defenseless Dove—Two Birds of Ancient Jerusalem.

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WASHINGTON, May 29.—From a scene of old Dr. Talmage in this sermon presents the old gospel under another phase; text, Leviticus xiv, 5-7: "And the priest shall command that one of the birds be killed in an earthen vessel, over running water. As for the living bird, he shall take it and the cedar wood, and the scarlet, and the hyssop and shall dip them and the living bird in the blood of the bird that was killed over the running water and he shall sprinkle upon him that is to be cleansed from the leprosy seven times and shall pronounce him clean and shall let the living bird loose into the open field."

The Old Testament to very many people is a great slaughterhouse strewn with the blood and bones and horns and hoofs of butchered animals. It offends their sight; it disgusts their taste; it actually nauseates the stomach. But to the intelligent Christian the Old Testament is a magnificent corridor through which Jesus advances. As he appears at the other end of the corridor we can only see the outlines of his character; coming nearer, we can descry the features. But when at last he steps upon the platform of the New Testament, amid the torches of evangelists and apostles, the orchestras of heaven announce him with a blast of minstrelsy that wakes up Bethlehem at midnight.

There were a great many cages of birds brought down to Jerusalem for sacrifice—sparrows, pigeons and turtle-doves. I can hear them now, whistling, caroling and singing all around about the temple. When a leper was to be cured of his leprosy, in order to his cleansing two of these birds were taken. One of them was slain over an earthen vessel of running water—that is, clear, fresh water—and then the bird was killed. Another bird was then taken, tied to a hyssop branch and plunged by the priest into the blood of the first bird, and then, with this hyssop branch, bird tipped, the priest would sprinkle the leper seven times, then untie the bird from the hyssop branch and it would go soaring into the heavens.

Now open your eyes wide, my dear brethren and sisters, and see that that first bird meant Jesus and that the second bird means your own soul.

There is nothing more suggestive than a caged bird. In the down of its breast you can see the glow of southern climes. In the sparkle of its eye you can see the flash of distant seas. In its voice you can hear the song it learned in the wild-wood. It is a child of the sky in captivity. Now the dead bird of my text, captured from the air, suggests the Lord Jesus, who came down from the realms of light and glory. He once stood in the sunlight of heaven. He was the favorite of the land. He was the King's Son. Whenever a victory was gained or a throne set up, he was the first to hear it. He could not walk incognito along the streets, for all heaven knew him. For eternal ages he had dwelt amid the mighty populations of heaven. No holiday had ever dawned on the city when he was absent. He was not like an earthly prince, occasionally issuing from a palace heralded by a troop of clanking horse guards. No. He was greeted everywhere as a brother, and all heaven was perfectly at home with him.

The King's Son. But one day there came word to the palace that an insignificant island was in rebellion and was cutting itself to pieces with anarchy. I hear an angel say: "Let it perish. The King's realm is vast enough without the island. The tributes to the King are large enough without that. We can spare it." "Not so," said the Prince, the King's Son, and I see him push out one day under the protest of a great company. He starts straight for the rebellious island. He lands amid the execrations of the inhabitants that grow in violence until the malice of earth has smitten him and the spirits of the lost world put their black wings over his dying head and shut the sun out. The hawks and vultures swooped upon this dove of the text until head and breast and feet ran blood, until under the flocks and beaks of darkness the poor thing perished. No wonder it was a bird that was taken and slain over an earthen vessel of running water. It was a child of the skies. It typified him who came down from heaven in agony and blood to save our souls. Blessed be his glorious name forever!

I notice also in my text that the bird that was slain was a clean bird. The text demanded that it should be. The raven was never sacrificed, nor the cormorant, nor the vulture. It must be a clean bird, says the text, and it suggests the pure Jesus—the holy Jesus. Although he spent his boyhood in the worst village on earth, although blasphemies were poured into his ear enough to have poisoned any one else, he stands before the world a perfect Christ. Herod was cruel, Henry VIII was unclean, William III was treacherous, but point out a fault of our King. Answer me, ye boys who knew him on the streets of Nazareth! Answer me, ye

miscreants who saw him die! The skeptical tailors have tried for 1,800 years to find out one hole in this seamless garment, but they have not found it. The most ingenious and eloquent infidel of this day, in the last line of his book, all of which denounces Christ, says, "All ages must proclaim that among the sons of men there is none greater than Jesus." So let this bird of the text be clean—its feet fragrant with the dew that it pressed, its beak carrying sprig of thyme and frankincense, its feathers washed in summer showers. O thou spotless Son of God, impress us with thy innocence!

Thou lovely source of true delight, Whom I, unseen, adore, Unveil thy beauties to my sight, That I may love thee more.

None to Help. I remark also in regard to this first bird mentioned in the text that it was a defenseless bird. When the eagle is assaulted, with its iron beak it strikes like a bolt against its adversary. This was a dove or a sparrow, we do not know just which. Take the dove or pigeon in your hand, and the pecking of its beak on your hand makes you laugh at the feebleness of its assault. The reindeer, after it is down, may fell you with its antlers. The ox, after you think it is dead, may break your leg in its death struggle. The harpooned whale, in its last agony, may crush you in the coil of the unwinding rope. But this was a dove or a sparrow—perfectly harmless, perfectly defenseless—type of him who said, "I have trod the wine press alone, and there was none to help." None to help! The murderers have it all their own way. Where was the soldier in the Roman regiment who swung his sword in the defense of the divine martyr? Did they put one drop of oil on his gashed feet? Was there one in all that crowd manly and generous enough to stand up for him? Were the miscreants at the cross any more interfered with in their work of spiking him fast than the carpenter in his shop driving a nail through a pine board? The women cried, but there was no balm in their tears. None to help, none to help! O my Lord Jesus, none to help! The wave of anguish came up to the arch of his feet, came up to his knee, floated to his waist, rose to his chin, swept to his temples, yet none to help. Ten thousand times 10,000 angels in the sky, ready at command to plunge into the bloody affray and strike back the hosts of darkness, yet none to help, none to help!

Oh, this dove of the text, in its last moment, clutched not with angry talons. It plunged not a savage beak. It was a dove—helpless, defenseless. None to help! None to help!

As after a severe storm in the morning you go out and find birds dead on the snow, so this dead bird of the text makes me think of that awful storm that swept the earth on crucifixion day, when the wrath of God and the malice of man and the fury of devils wrestled beneath the three crosses. As we sang just now:

Well might the sun in darkness hide And shut his glories in, When Christ, the mighty Maker, died For man, the creature's sin.

Blood Atonement. But I come now to speak of this second bird of the text. We must not let that fly away until we have examined it. The priest took the second bird, tied it to the hyssop branch, and then plunged it in the blood of the first bird. Ah, that is my soul, plunged for cleansing in the Saviour's blood. There is not enough water in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans to wash away our smallest sin. Sin is such an outrage on God's universe that nothing but blood can atone for it. You know the life is in the blood, and as the life had been forfeited nothing could buy it back but blood. What was it that was sprinkled on the doorposts when the destroying angel went through the land? Blood. What was it that went streaming from the altar of ancient sacrifice? Blood. What was it that the priest carried into the holy of holies, making intercession for the people? Blood. What was it that Jesus sweat in the garden of Gethsemane? Great drops of blood. What does the wine in the sacramental cup signify? Blood. What makes the robes of the righteous in heaven so fair? They are washed in the blood of the Lamb. What is it that cleanses all our pollution? The blood of Jesus Christ, that cleanseth from all sin.

I hear somebody saying, "I do not like such a sanguinary religion as that." Do you think it is very wise for the patient to tell the doctor, "I don't like the medicine you have given me?" If he wants to be cured, he had better take the medicine. My Lord God has offered us a balm, and it is very foolish for us to say, "I don't like that balm." We had better take it and be saved. But you do not oppose the shedding of blood in other directions and for other ends. If a hundred thousand men go out to battle for their country and have to lay down their lives for free institutions is there anything ignoble about that? No; you say, "glorious sacrifice rather." And is there anything ignoble in the idea that the Lord Jesus Christ by the shedding of his blood delivered not only one land but all lands and all ages from bondage, introducing men by millions and millions into the liberty of the sons of God? Is there anything ignoble about that?

As this second bird of the text was plunged in the blood of the first bird so we must be washed in the blood of Christ or go polluted forever

Let the water and the blood, From thy side a healing flood, Be of sin the double cure, Save from earth and make me pure. Sin Is Slavery.

I notice now that as soon as this second bird was dipped in the blood of the first bird the priest unloosened it and it was free—free of wing and free of foot. It could whet its beak on any tree branch it chose. It could peck the grapes of any vineyard it chose. It was free—a type of our souls after we have washed in the blood of the Lamb. We can go where we will. We can do what we will. You say, "Had you not better qualify that?" No, for I remember that in conversion the will is changed and the man will not will that which is wrong. There is no straitjacket in our religion. A state of sin is a state of slavery. A state of pardon is a state of emancipation. The hammer of God's grace knocks the hoppers from the feet, knocks the handcuffs from the wrist, opens the door into a landscape all ashimmer with fountains and bloom with gardens. It is freedom.

If a man has become a Christian, he is no more afraid of Sinai. The thunders of Sinai do not frighten him. You have on some August day, seen two thunder showers meet. One cloud from this mountain and another cloud from that mountain, coming nearer and nearer together and responding to each other, crash to crash, thunder to thunder, boom, boom! And then the clouds break and the torrents pour, and they are emptied perhaps into the very same stream that comes down so red at your feet that it seems as if all the carnage of the storm-battle has been emptied into it. So in this Bible I see two storms gather, one above Sinai, the other above Calvary, and they respond one to the other—flash to flash, thunder to thunder, boom, boom! Sinai thunders, "The soul that sinneth, it shall die." Calvary responds, "Save them from going down to the pit, for I have found a ransom." Sinai says, "Woe, woe!" Calvary answers, "Mercy, mercy!" And then the clouds burst and empty their treasures into one torrent, and it comes flowing to our feet, red with the carnage of our Lord, in which if thy soul be plunged, like the bird in the text, it shall go forth free—free! Oh, I wish all people to understand this, that when a man becomes a Christian he does not become a slave, but that he becomes a free man; that he has larger liberty after he becomes a child of God than before he became a child of God. General Fisk said that he once stood at a slave block where an old Christian minister was being sold. The auctioneer said of him: "What bid do I hear for this man? He is a very good kind of a man; he is a minister." Somebody said "twenty dollars" (he was very old and not worth much); somebody else "twenty-five"—"thirty"—"thirty-five"—"forty." The aged Christian minister began to tremble. He had expected to be able to buy his own freedom, and he had just \$70 and expected with the \$70 to get free. As the bids ran up the old man trembled more and more. "Forty"—"forty-five"—"fifty"—"fifty-five"—"sixty"—"sixty-five." The old man cried out "seventy." He was afraid they would outbid him. The men around were transfixed. Nobody dared bid, and the auctioneer struck him down to himself—done—done!

Purchased by Christ. But by reason of sin we are poorer than that African. We cannot buy our own deliverance. The voices of death are bidding for us, and they bid us in and they bid us down. But the Lord Jesus Christ comes and says: "I will buy that man. I bid for him my Bethlehem manger; I bid for him my hunger on the mountain; I bid for him my aching head; I bid for him my fainting heart; I bid for him all my wounds." A voice from the throne of God says: "It is enough! Jesus has bought him." Bought with a price. The purchase complete. It is done.

The great transaction's done. I am my Lord's, and he is mine. He drew me, and I followed on, Charmed to confess the voice divine.

Why, is not a man free when he gets rid of his sins? The sins of the tongue gone; the sins of action gone; the sins of the mind gone. All the transgressions of 30, 40, 50, 70 years gone—no more in the soul than the malaria that floated in the atmosphere 1,000 years ago; for when my Lord Jesus pardons a man he pardons him, and there is no halfway work about it.

Here I see a beggar going along the turnpike road. He is worn out with disease. He is stiff in the joints. He is ulcered all over. He has rheum in his eyes. He is sick and wasted. He is in rags. Every time he puts down his swollen feet he cries "Oh, the pain!" He sees a fountain by the roadside under a tree, and he crawls up to that fountain and says: "I must wash. Here I may cool my ulcers. Here I may get rested." He stoops down and scoops up in the palm of his hands enough water to slake his thirst, and that is all gone. Then he stoops down and begins to wash his eyes, and the rheum is all gone. Then he puts in his swollen feet, and the swelling is gone. Then, willing no longer to be only half cured, he plunges in, and his whole body is laved in the stream, and he gets upon the bank well. Meantime the owner of the mansion up yonder comes down, walking through the ravine with his only son, and he sees the bundle of rags and asks, "Whose rags are these?" A voice from the fountain says, "These are my



There is too little preaching of the gospel of health. It is the last thing that anyone thinks of teaching, either to a man-child or woman-child. It is one of the most important branches of an education.

Without health, a man will be a business, and a woman a social failure. When the body of either a man or a woman is properly nourished, the result is the enjoyment of good health. Almost all ill-health is due to improper or insufficient nourishment. If the stomach is right and the liver is right, the blood will receive its normal supply of the life-giving elements of the food and the body will be properly nourished. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery acts directly upon the stomach and liver. It purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder, nerve tonic and restorative. It promotes the natural activity of the entire nutritive organism. It puts an end to the slow starvation that is at the base of many diseases. It does not make flabby fat like cod liver oil, but firm, muscular tissues. It does not make corpulent people more corpulent but builds up the system to the normal standard.

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In the quaint Celestial kingdom, in the realm of far Cathay, Where the mighty Yellow river wriggles on its crooked way, Once there stood a fair pagoda, where, in truly regal style, Dwelt the wealthy merchant Chow Chow, who in tea had made his pile, And his only daughter Soo Choo, who was lovely as a dream And whose suitors came to woo her in a never ending stream.

But she gazed upon them coldly, and she told each one to quit her, And to all their ardent pleadings gave a chill Mongolian "Nit!"

For, of course, there was "another," which is quite the proper thing, And "another" in this instance bore the name of Obi Jing, And he ran a lowly laundry, where he labored day and night, And the cuffs he washed were spotless, and the shirts he washed were white.

But the hot and fiery Chow Chow foamed when Obi came to woo, And he scarred the latter's trousers with his plush and satin shoe, And through teeth which stuck together—he'd been eating bird's nest soup—Spattered bits of "broken China," varied by a muffled whoop.

Then he swore that blackest ruin was the vengeance he would wreak, And no more to Obi's laundry did he send a shirt a week, And young Obi, crushed and broken, as he saw starvation nigh, Wrote his love a parting letter and went off alone to die.

By the river's bank he wandered, where the weeping willows wave, And he murmured, "Nearth you torrent will I find a quiet grave," When a dead leaf, dry and blackened, fluttered from the willow tree, And with sudden inspiration Obi seized it, shrieking "Tea!"

That was years ago, my children, and the legend now is old, How the leaves were picked and roasted and, as tea, were packed and sold To the white man at a figure that for cheapness "broke the slate," While young Obi prospered greatly and grew rich at wondrous rate, And he wedded lovely Soo Choo, and her cruel pa assigned, So we see that virtue triumphs, aided by a brilliant mind.

And, my dears, if any evening you will come and dine with me At our boarding house you'll doubtless have a cup of Obi's tea. —Nixon Waterman in L. A. W. Bulletin.

Nothing of the Sort.

The irritated father of a truant boy was filling up sundry holes in the back yard where the urchin had "prospected" for angleworms a few hours before, when a neighbor who happened to be leaning over the fence remarked, with a praiseworthy effort to say something consoling: "Well, your boy, at any rate, is a faithful disciple of Izaak Walton."

"Him?" exclaimed the father, stopping to rest a moment and leaning dismally on the hoe handle. "He ain't a disciple of nobody. All he's good for on earth is to set on some log all day and fish."—Youth's Companion.

A New Departure.

As the learned philosophers of Castile gathered about Columbus they laughed derisively. The intrepid discoverer, however, broke the tip of the eggshell, and, presto, the thing was done! Amid the plaudits of the company Columbus made his egg-sit.—New York Press.

Hurt the Choir's Feelings.

Mrs. Homer—I hear that all the members of your church choir resigned yesterday. What was the trouble? Mrs. Churchly—Why, after singing the first hymn the minister arose and opened his Bible and chose for his text Acts xx, "And after the uproar had ceased," etc.—Chicago News.

The New Master.

Whip (on the other side)—There 'e goes ag'in. That's three times in 'alf an hour. More like a bloom in clown at a circus than a master of 'ounds, I call 'im.—Ally Sloper.

No Time For Such Things. Whyte—Some genius out in Delaware has invented a buttonless shirt. Greene—They're old. I've worn them ever since my wife learned to ride a bike.—Up to Date.

A Crusty Bachelor's View. Friend—But why do you prefer a married clerk to a single one? Sellers—The former are not in such a hurry to get home in the evening.—New York Journal.

Wonder If It Is?

Willie—Pa, what's single blessedness? Pa—It's a bouquet a bachelor throws at himself when he wants to marry and can't.—Chicago News.

A Defender.

If you want to find out who the silent partner is, just walk in and assail the firm's business standing.—Richmond Dispatch.

A VETERAN POKER GAME.

The Ante Is One Match and the Limit Is Five, but the Play Is Fierce.

Card playing is the principal amusement of the inmates of the Michigan Soldiers' home during the winter months, when the inclemency of the weather keeps the veterans indoors. Two large rooms are fitted up with tables, and these tables are constantly surrounded with old soldiers, who spend most of their time not devoted to eating or sleeping in play. The favorite game is pedro, and then come old sledge, sixty-six and cribbage and occasionally whist. A few of the "sporty" veterans, however, are fond of poker and have a table of their own in the corner of the room. Gambling for money is strictly forbidden under the rules of the institution, and so matches are used. Each player goes into the game with a box of common red headed matches that sells for a cent and contains 200 matches. The ante is one match, and it takes two to stay, and the limit is five matches, and the veterans can work themselves into as much excitement over these stakes as though every match was a blue chip for \$100. The hands are scrutinized with just the same care, the cards are pinched with the same degree of caution, and pairs and fulls and flushes are sized up as earnestly as in a game for the real stuff. It is a study to watch the veterans as they calculate whether the other fellow is bluffing or not and cautiously shove a match or possibly two of them into the center of the table when the conclusion is reached that the hand is good for it. Occasionally a jack pot is opened with 10 or 15 matches in it, and as much interest is manifested in it as though it contained a year's income in hard cash.

The poker table has a "kitty," and into it is dropped a match on every winning hand and two matches for every jack pot. The "kitty" matches are the common property of all the players, but can be used only for the lighting of the ever going pipes of the players. The "kitty" in time gets all the matches, and as one player after another loses his entire pile to the more fortunate they bring new boxes into the game to keep it going. The most lucky player in the little group of poker devotees has nearly a box of matches yet left of his original pile, while the most unfortunate has bought two additional boxes besides the box he went in on. The game began the latter part of September and will continue until spring opens in April.—Grand Rapids Letter in New York Sun.

Bible Text Presents.

During the Christmas season the telegraph lines carry a great mass of congratulatory messages between people in different parts of the country. Friendly messages inspired by the time are frequent between parents in the east, and particularly in New York and New England, and their sons who are seeking their fortunes in the west. It is so jolly for a homesick boy in a Colorado mining camp or on a Montana ranch, who has been living on sow belly for a year and is thinking of turkey, juicy steaks, side dishes and dessert, to receive from his frugal mother in Boston a telegram referring him to a chapter and a verse in Luke or Genesis. It inspires him with the spirit of Christmastide and makes him feel like kicking his cayuse in the ribs.

One boy in Wyoming on Christmas night received one of these messages. It read, "See Corinthians iv, 2," or something like that, and the poor fellow mounted his horse and rode 17 miles to find a Bible in order to discover what the reference was. But when a young man from Boston, who is piously engaged in salting a mine in Idaho, received the injunction, "See Hebrews ii, 8," he indignantly wired back. "Not a Hebrew in town. Send winter underclothes." One message was "balled up" by the operator, and the chapter and verse were transposed. The dear old mother thought she was telling her boy to "be of good cheer, for the reward of them that labor is sure," but what the son found on looking up the misent reference was: "Woe unto ye, unrighteous. Hell gapeth and will not be satisfied till it shall swallow you up." There was not liquor enough in camp that night.—Chicago Chronicle.

The Spanish Language.

Habla V. Espanol? Perhaps not. It is a very pretty tongue, however. There is Latin in it of course. Then there are Punic, Gothic and Arabic. In these elements reside its construction and its history. Spain means "hidden." A long time ago the Carthaginians discovered the country. When the Romans discovered it, too, they threw a toga over it. The Visigoths stuck their gutturals there. The Moors brought their sfligrees and arabesques. Latin was beaten in with the hilt of the sword, Gothic with a trowel and Arabic with a scimitar. From those three assaults the Spanish of today is the result.—Edgar Saltus in Collier's Weekly.

Comparing Notes.

"And you have seen Naples! I shall never forget my first view of the lovely bay. 'See Naples and die!'" "I thought I should die when I smelled it."—Chicago Tribune.

A NEW NORSE INVASION.

Scandinavians Slowly Taking Possession of the British Merchant Marine.

England is trembling before a second invasion of the Norsemen. The bold sea rovers of the Scandinavian peninsula are not coming down this time with battleaxes. They are going in to knock out the modern Briton in a peaceful, commercial way. They are taking possession of his merchant marine insidiously and slowly, but, as some of the British marine papers declare, surely. The Germans are next in numbers to the Scandinavians among the invaders.

According to recent statistics, more than 9,000 Norwegians and Swedes are on the seagoing vessels of Commodore John Bull. Many of these are petty officers, and some are commanders. What the British marine papers do not like about the matter is that the proportion of boys and young sailors recruited among the natives is decreasing. In 1891 there were 8,688 British boys and 10,949 British young sailors in the merchant marine; in 1896 there were 4,616 boys and 9,242 young sailors. The number of boys of foreign birth increased from 659 in 1891 to 855 in 1896, and the number of young sailors of foreign birth, mostly Scandinavian, increased from 3,807 in 1891 to 4,214 in 1896.

After lamenting the situation the London Shipping World suggests a remedy to make the merchant marine more attractive to boys. It says:

"We must make it easy for decent lads to become and worth their while to remain seafarers. Some inducement must be offered to owners and managers to cumber their ships with them, and some inducement must be offered to the lads to brave the disagreeableness of life on a 'tramp.' It must be seriously faced, and without delay, whether the state will not pay their apprenticeship premiums and give them some preliminary training, so that they may not really be incumbrances, and if so the state will have the right to see that they are properly fed, clad and treated and that their life is not one dreary round of deck swabbing."

It seems unlikely that any remedy can be devised which will prevent the British shipowner and the shipping master representing him from getting the best sailors, young and old, for the least money. The Scandinavian is a cheap, obedient and clever seaman, and he will continue to help man the ships of Great Britain as long as her shipowners want good profits and are forced to compete with ships of other nationalities that have cheap crews.—New York Sun.

Wu Ting Fing and His Wife.

Word comes from Washington that the Chinese minister, Wu Ting Fing, and his wife have acquired a wide popularity. His excellency speaks English fluently, having resided in London for a number of years. He is a man of sociable character, so that his participation in social festivities is a pleasure as well as a duty connected with his position, and both the minister and Mme. Wu, in their brilliant and picturesque costumes, are notable figures in society. The crush and bustle incident upon teas and large receptions are, however, fatiguing to Mme. Wu, to whom this life is new and unaccustomed, and she is frequently forced to deny herself the pleasure of attending them, but she is often seen at dinners and luncheons and is learning English so rapidly that she will soon be able to do away with an interpreter.

The New York Tribune states that Mme. Wu has followed the precedent established by Mme. Yang and observes Friday as her day at home, where there is a warm welcome and a cup of tea for all those who have the privilege of the legation. The Wu's have paid more attention than their predecessors to the interior of their home, and it is not only furnished richly in the American fashion, but contains many handsome examples in carving, painting and embroidery of Chinese art. Perhaps the most interesting piece of furniture in the legation is a throne, exquisitely carved and containing two seats, which seems to occupy the same position in Chinese drawing room etiquette that the sofa does in German households, for to it Minister Wu invariably leads the most distinguished lady guest.

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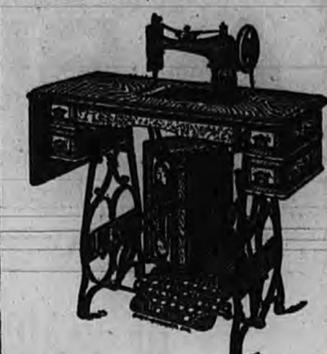
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raggs." Then says the master to his son, "Go up to the house and get the best new suit you can find and bring it down."

The next thing I notice about this bird when it was loosened—and this is the main idea—is that it flew away. Which way did it go? When you let a bird loose from your grasp, which way does it fly? Up. What are wings for? To fly with.

We should be going heavenward. That is the suggestion. But I know that we have a great many drawbacks. You had them yesterday or the day before, and, although you want to be going heavenward, you are constantly discouraged.

There is a legend in Iceland which says that when Jesus was a boy, playing with his comrades one Sabbath day, he made birds of clay, and as these birds of clay were standing upon the ground an old Sadducee came along and he was disgusted at the sport and dashed the birds to pieces.

I wish, my friends, that we could live in a higher atmosphere. If a man's whole life object is to make dollars, he will be running against those who are making dollars. If his whole object is to get applause, he will run against those who are seeking applause.

Oh, ye who have been washed in the blood of Christ, ye who have been loosed from the hyssop branch, start heavenward. It may be to some of you a long flight.

"When I saw my old chums, 'Bouncing Bob'—so named from his prodigious weight—and 'Slab' Peters, whose name was also the result of nature's allotment of flesh, my heart sank, for Bouncing Bob is lank and bony, while Slab Peters would require two seats in a street car.

"The night before I came away I was telling a couple of young men at the postoffice something about my wheat farm, in answer to their questions.

"I had just made a statement in regard to the number of bushels yielded the year before, when I was startled by a drawing voice behind me, proceeding from a man who had entered the store while my back was turned.

"The two young men turned with intolerant haste to confront the newcomer, but I wheeled around with a sudden feeling of warmth at my heart.

"You are Doubting Phipps, I know!" I cried, holding out both hands, and I was not mistaken. We talked for an hour, and at the end of that time I felt that Trowbury was still Trowbury.

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As a rule Charley Scott jogs peacefully along the path of staid and practical journalism, but once in awhile his college education gets the better of him, and then he wanders off among the buttercups and marigolds which line the dusty road.

KINGS AMONG ELEPHANTS.

Two Fine Beasts That Had Slaves to Wait on Them.

It was our good fortune to be present at an important meeting of the kheddah at Ohila, on the banks of the Ganges, where the Nepalese government had sent down their magnificent troop of tame elephants for the chase of wild ones.

The two finest among them were the "kings" of the troop and were called Bijli Prasad and Narian Gaj Prasad. Bijli Prasad, which means "lord of lightning," was such a grand fellow!

He and his companion, Narian Gaj Prasad, which means "the peerless lord," are provided with two slave elephants, and the only duty of the latter is to fetch and provide fodder for Bijli and Narian Gaj. They do their duty right well.

We went out by moonlight to see the latter fed, and any child would enjoy the strange sight. First of all the mahout makes a great big campfire of twigs and brushwood, and on it he places a large, flat iron dish, supported on two bricks.

We were anxious to taste them, and we found them very good. We punched out with our fingers all the nice brown spots and ate them, piping hot. And to make up to Bijli and Narian for taking part of their supper, we had prepared a treat, of which they are particularly fond.

"I defy any man to stay away from his native town so long that on his return there will be nothing left to remind him of the old days," said a successful western man, who had just paid a visit to his birthplace, a little village of northern New Hampshire.

"When I saw Trowbury, after a lapse of 40 years, it seemed to me there was not a single thing which had remained unchanged. The town has become a place of mills and industry; all its old sleepy charm is gone.

"When I saw my old chums, 'Bouncing Bob'—so named from his prodigious weight—and 'Slab' Peters, whose name was also the result of nature's allotment of flesh, my heart sank, for Bouncing Bob is lank and bony, while Slab Peters would require two seats in a street car.

"The night before I came away I was telling a couple of young men at the postoffice something about my wheat farm, in answer to their questions.

"I had just made a statement in regard to the number of bushels yielded the year before, when I was startled by a drawing voice behind me, proceeding from a man who had entered the store while my back was turned.

"The two young men turned with intolerant haste to confront the newcomer, but I wheeled around with a sudden feeling of warmth at my heart.

"You are Doubting Phipps, I know!" I cried, holding out both hands, and I was not mistaken. We talked for an hour, and at the end of that time I felt that Trowbury was still Trowbury.

Simple but Dainty Dresses for Baby. Except for the christening robe, the dresses, slips and wrappers are all made quite plain, but of the finest French nainsook.

As a rule Charley Scott jogs peacefully along the path of staid and practical journalism, but once in awhile his college education gets the better of him, and then he wanders off among the buttercups and marigolds which line the dusty road.

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Are much in little; always ready, efficient, satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. Price 25 cents.

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ORDER NISI. Nellie H. Brattan, Administratrix, vs. Geo. W. Richardson. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 988 Chancery, May Term, 1898.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James E. Ellegood, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. William J. Mills and Edith M. Mills, his wife.

Ordered, that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the funds arising from said sale as made and reported by Jay Williams, attorney, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th day of July next.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. Levin M. Wilson and E. Stanley Toddvin.

Ordered, that the sale of the property, and the distribution, mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by George W. Bell, attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the first day of July next.

Trustee's Sale By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, the undersigned, as trustee, will sell at public sale at the court house door in Salisbury, Md., on

Saturday, June 18, 1898, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

All that lot of ground situated and lying in Wicomico county aforesaid on the east side of the county road leading to Spring Hill from Salisbury, three-quarters of a mile from Salisbury, of which Henry Waller (colored) died, seized and possessed, and conveyed to said Waller by Thos. Ellis and wife, adjoining the property of J. J. Morris, Hyland lot, and O. J. Schneck, containing two acres, one rod, four perches more or less. Crops of present year reserved.

TERMS OF SALE. One-half cash, balance in six months bond approved by trustee. Title deed at expense of purchaser.

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Time Table in Effect Nov. 29, 1897. SOUTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 97 No. 91 No. 85 No. 79

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for various stations including New York, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Wilmington.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 82 No. 62 No. 92 No. 94

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for various stations including Wilmington, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and New York.

Crisfield Branch. No. 108 No. 145 No. 127

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for stations including Crisfield, King's Creek, Westover, and Marlinton.

No. 192 No. 116 No. 194

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for stations including Crisfield, Marlinton, Westover, and King's Creek.

Pennsylvania Railroad. Philadelphia, Wilmington & Balto. R. R.

Schedule in Effect November 29, 1897. Trains leave Delmar north bound as follows:

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for stations including Delmar, Laurel, Seaford, Canonsville, Bridgeville, Greenwood, Farmington, Harrington, Felton, Viola, Woodside, Wyoming, Dover, Smyrna, Clayton, Greenspring, Townsend, Middletown, Mt. Pleasant, Kirkwood, Porter, Bear, New Castle, and Farmville.

BRANCH ROADS. Dela., Md. & Va. R. R.—Leave Harrington for Franklin City 10.30 a. m. week days; 6.57 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only.

Delaware and Chesapeake railroad leaves Clayton for Oxford and way stations 9.38 a. m. and 5.47 p. m. week days.

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BALTIMORE, CHESAPEAKE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Steamer connections between Baltimore, Md. and Philadelphia, Pa. Division at Baltimore.

RAILWAY DIVISION Time-table in effect Feb. 28, 1898.

Table with columns for train numbers and departure times for stations including Ocean City, Berlin, St. Martins, Whaleyville, New Hope, Pitsville, Parsonburg, Waltons, Salisbury, Pusey's, Rockawalkin, Hebron, Mardela, Venus, Reeds Grove, Rhodesdale, Ennals, Hurlocks, Ellwood, Lincoln, Preston, Bethlehem, Turner, Easton, Bloomfield, Kirkham, Royal Oak, Riverside, St. Michaels, Harpers, McDaniels, Claiborne, and Baltimore.

East Bound. Baltimore, Claiborne, McDaniels, Harpers, St. Michaels, Riverside, Royal Oak, Kirkham, Bloomfield, Red Avon, Easton, Turner, Bethlehem, Lincoln, Ellwood, Hurlocks, Ennals, Rhodesdale, Reeds Grove, Venus, Mardela, Salisbury, Pitsville, New Hope, Whaleyville, Waltons, Parsonburg, Pusey's, Berlin, St. Martins, Ocean City.

West Bound. Baltimore, Claiborne, McDaniels, Harpers, St. Michaels, Riverside, Royal Oak, Kirkham, Bloomfield, Red Avon, Easton, Turner, Bethlehem, Lincoln, Ellwood, Hurlocks, Ennals, Rhodesdale, Reeds Grove, Venus, Mardela, Salisbury, Pitsville, New Hope, Whaleyville, Waltons, Parsonburg, Pusey's, Berlin, St. Martins, Ocean City.

Willard Thomson, General Manager. A. J. BENJAMIN, T. MURDOCK, Gen. Pass. Agt.

BALTIMORE, CHESAPEAKE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY COMPANY of Baltimore. WICOMICO RIVER LINE. Baltimore-Salisbury Route.

Weather permitting, the Steamer "Tivoli" leaves Salisbury at 12 noon every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, stopping at

Fruitland, Quantico, Collins, Widgeon, White Haven, Mt. Vernon, Dunes Quart. Sandy Hill, Tyaskin, Bivalve, Roaring Point, Deal's Island, Wingate's Point.

Arriving in Baltimore early the following mornings. Returning, will leave BALTIMORE from Pier 3, Light street, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 5 P. M., for the landings named, omitting Sandy Hill, Tyaskin, and Bivalve.

Connection made at Salisbury with the railway division and with N. Y., P. & N. R. R. Rates of fare between Salisbury and Baltimore, first class, \$1.50; second class, \$1.25; state rooms, \$1; meals, 50c. Free berths on board.

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County Correspondence.

SHARPTOWN, MD.

Messrs. S. R. Douglas and Harold Fitch were in town last Sunday. Mr. Douglass was formerly teacher here and has many friends in town.

Rev. B. F. Jester held two funerals on Sunday last, in the vicinity of Columbia, Del. One was over the remains of Davis Phillip's two year old child and the other over the remains of an infant child of Frank Hitch.

Another exodus of ship-carpenters took place here this week. Most of the town's carpenters are now in Philadelphia and Camden N. J. Some of them who are at work in the navy yard, reports state that they get about \$4.84 per day by working extra time and \$7.00 for Sunday.

Rev. C. H. Williams, colored, arrived here on Saturday last as preacher in charge of Shiloh Colored Church near here, an appointee from their conference.

Mrs. Laura Covington, merchant, is in Baltimore this week.

A mad dog was killed here on Tuesday, belonging to Louis A. Cooper. It was killed before it did any damage, almost immediately after it was discovered that its tongue was black and swollen to an enormous size, though it had done some unusual roaming and had some strange actions. This is the second one killed here within the last few weeks. Recently a very valuable dog belonging to W. C. Mann became suddenly very vicious and seemed to get furiously mad in a very short time, through attempting to bite its owner it was immediately shot and no injury was done by it.

Wm. S. Marshall is dangerously sick with pneumonia and typhoid.

PARSONSBURG, MD.

The potato crop looks promising now. The wheat and oat crops are looking good in this vicinity.

Mr. Granville A. Parsons is improving his dwelling house with a new coat of paint.

Mr. T. S. Riggins of Dagsborough, Del. spent last Saturday and Sunday with his brother J. W. Riggins here.

Mr. C. G. Jackson who is to work in lumber business in Talbot county spent last Saturday and Sunday here.

Mr. Geo. H. Riggins and daughter of Snow Hill spent last Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Amanda Shockley and daughter, Miss Rebecca, and Mr. Thomas Shockley of Whiton, and Mr. A. W. Shockley the R. R. agent of Pittsville spent last Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. George Layfield of Dagsborough Del., visited Mr. Joseph Brittingham, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. C. M. Dashiell of Princess Anne is canning strawberries here again this season.

Rev. H. S. Dulany of Whitesville gave a graphophone entertainment in the Hall here Tuesday night. Proceeds for the benefit of the parsonage.

The Presiding Elder Mr. John H. Riggins of Prescot Arkansas, who has been visiting his brother Mr. J. W. Riggins, preached in the M. E. church here last Sunday morning.

Mr. Daniel Holloway's dwelling house near here was destroyed by fire last Saturday afternoon, no one was home but the children although Mr. and Mrs. Holloway were but a short distance from home when the house caught on fire. There was about \$300 insurance on the house, and the saddest event of all was their eight year old daughter Estelle caught fire and seriously burned while trying to rescue the youngest child from the burning house and she died late Sunday afternoon, only lived about twenty-eight hours.

The Sure La Grippe Cure.

There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on the liver, stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at Dr. L. D. Collier's Drug Store, only 50 cents per bottle.

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No one need suffer with neuralgia. This disease is quickly and permanently cured by Browns' Iron Bitters. Every disease of the blood, nerves and stomach, chronic or otherwise, succumbs to Browns' Iron Bitters. Known and used for nearly a quarter of a century, it stands to-day foremost among our most valued remedies. Browns' Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION.

To Meet at Sharptown Thursday June 16th.

The Christian Endeavorers of Wicomico county will hold their annual convention this year at Sharptown, June 16th. The people of that hospitable town are preparing to give their visitors a pleasant time.

The program is as follows:

10.00 a. m.—Devotional exercises, conducted by Mr. W. D. Gravenor; 10.15 a. m. Address of Welcome by Mr. John S. Bailey; Response by Mr. F. Leonard Wailes; Music: 10.45 a. m., Papers and Addresses by Miss Edna Adkins, Miss Cora Bennett, Mr. James T. Malone, Rev. W. R. McKnett; 11.25 a. m., Reports from presidents of each society.

2.30 p. m.—Devotional service, conducted by Rev. A. A. Bichell; 2.45 p. m. Address, "What can Christian Endeavorers do for Christian Unity?" by Rev. S. W. Reigart; 3.15 p. m., "Quiet Hour," Miss Ester B. Darby; "Tenth Legion," Miss Mabel Elderdice; 3.45 p. m., Question Box; 4.00 p. m., General discussion of methods.

8.00 p. m.—Devotional service conducted by Mr. E. E. Parsons; 8.20 p. m. Address, "Christian Endeavor as a Missionary and Evangelistic Force," by Rev. N. O. Gibson; 8.40 p. m., Address, "What Part Should Christian Endeavorers Take in the Political and Social Reformers of the Day?" by Rev. L. F. Warner; 9.00 p. m., Consecration Service conducted by Rev. B. F. Jester.

The entertainment committee consists of Miss Margie Smith, Miss Gertrude Bennett and Mrs. Wildy Gravenor.

Credit Notice.

All merchants and dealers are hereby notified not to give credit to the Salisbury Fire Department except on written order of Wm. H. McConkey or F. A. Grier. S. F. D.

Some Strawberry Picking.

Mr. Dayton McLain furnishes the following:

"In reply to the statement made in the Wicomico News last Wednesday, regarding the champion strawberry picker Dayton McLain being beaten last Monday morning by Elijah Tilghman, 110 quarts to 111 quarts respectively, I claim that the conditions under which I labored were very unfavorable; first, that I was suffering from a wound inflicted by a cultivator handle two days previous; second, that I was unaware of the race until the morning was half spent; third, that I delivered all my berries to the packing house, however, at four o'clock in the afternoon I had picked 194 quarts to Tilghman's 175 quarts DAYTON MCLAIN

Mr. Ernest Brittingham, son of Mr. M. H. Brittingham, of Whiteville, Del., picked 407 quarts of strawberries last Monday, May 30th. Mr. Brittingham is quite willing to match himself against either Mr. Tilghman or Mr. McLain.

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You must fortify your system against the attack of disease. Your blood must be kept pure, your stomach and digestive organs in order, your appetite good. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the medicine to build up, purify and enrich your blood and give you strength. It creates an appetite and gives digestive power.

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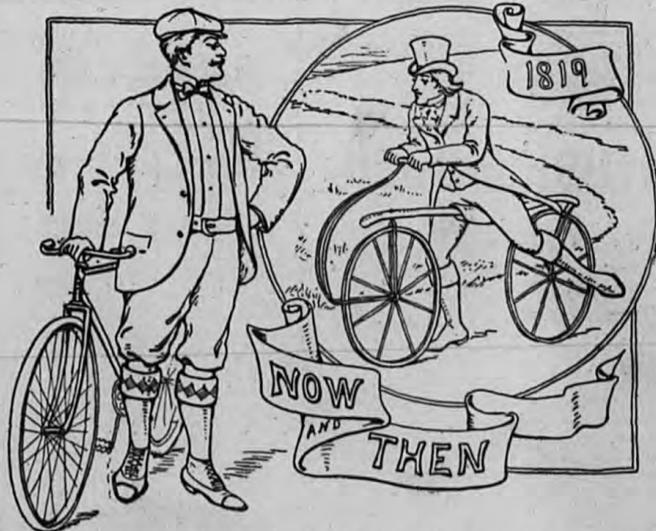
WANAMAKER'S

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, May 30, 1898.

The Humber-Continental-Monarch Club

A WHEEL NOTICE EXTRAORDINARY

It is the purpose and duty of the Wanamaker stores to serve the public. The public demands—we comply. There is a popular demand for an economical and satisfactory system of purchasing wheels on easy payments. Our relations to the wheel manufacturers have



enabled us to take this step in the interest of our public. Our conferences with the manufacturers whose wheels we handle in our stores have resulted in their consenting to allow us to distribute A LIMITED NUMBER of their wheels on the system that has proven so satisfactory in the Wanamaker Century and History Clubs.

We are accordingly prepared to deliver to members of the Wanamaker Wheel Club these wheels, on the following terms—

- 1100 HUMBERS, 1898 MODEL, AT \$73 ON MONTHLY PAYMENTS OF \$10
- 2200 CONTINENTALS, 1898 MODEL, AT \$40 ON MONTHLY PAYMENTS OF \$5
- 300 MONARCHS, 1898 MODEL, AT \$50 ON MONTHLY PAYMENTS OF \$8.33

The extra charges heretofore established for brake and mudguards will be continued in effect.

An initial fee of \$5 will be required to cover book-keeping and other expenses of the club. On payment of this amount, and on the furnishing of satisfactory references as conditions of membership, the wheel will be immediately delivered, the monthly payments to begin thirty days after enrolling in club.

The number of wheels is definitely and irrevocably fixed as above and cannot be increased.

The wheels are not prepared especially for this Club, but are the regular \$100 HUMBERS, \$50 CONTINENTALS and \$60 MONARCHS heretofore on sale by us, and are covered by our strong guarantee in addition to that given by the manufacturer.

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Come back, come back, our charming friends,

Across the stormy water And bring your laundry work along. You know, by gosh, you oughter.

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And washed your shirts and collars,

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Don't send your laundry out of town, And then get up and holler, Because some reckless washie man Tore up your Sunday collar.

We do as fine a line of work As any sucker living.

Now do not wink the other eye— It's truth to you we're giving.

We want your trade and guarantee Our work as good as any;

And if it isn't then, our friend, You need not pay a penny.

Respectfully yours,

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NOTICE.

Having accepted a position with Harold N. Fitch, I shall be glad to meet and serve my old friends and customers.

Z. B. PHIPPS.

Having secured the assistance of Mr. Z. B. Phipps, I shall hereafter be able to insure promptness in the performance of all work without thereby endangering the reputation for quality, which it has always been my aim to maintain.

HAROLD N. FITCH.

TAX DITCH PETITION.

We hereby give notice that we intend to petition the county commissioners at their first meeting after July 1st, to take the necessary steps to lay out a tax ditch in Baron Creek district, beginning at or near the county road leading from Quantico to Baron Creek mill near the corner of Hiram Taylor's field; running south through the lands of H. J. Seabreeze, Wilson & Hopkins, R. G. Robertson, W. R. Gillis, George P. Bradley, and Albert L. Jones, by and with and old ditch through said lands, to the Rewastico mill pond.

H. J. Seabreeze, Hiram Taylor, Wilson & Hopkins, R. G. Robertson, A. L. Jones, W. R. Gillis.

Sale of White Haven Ferry

County commissioner H. James Messick of Wicomico, and one of the commissioners from Somerset, will on Saturday, June 11th, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., sell contract to operate White Haven Ferry for 1899. By order Board, H. LAIRD TODD, Clerk

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Money Saver!

Attention! The call to arms will soon be made. Everything must be done to save the honor of the country. We want to be prepared, and you our fellow citizens, must be prepared to meet the exigencies of the times. We will sell our

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to help dispose of the largest stock of clothing, hats, caps and furnishing goods ever shown in Salisbury, now even lower than our well known low prices.

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I have for sale a team consisting of four young mules, good lumber wagon, and harness. The purchaser can contract with our firm for two years hauling on the road. Reason for selling, my teamster desires to discontinue the business. Address, JNO. W. WIMBROW, Parsonsburg, Md.

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STATE FIREMEN.

The Sixth Annual Convention held in Salisbury this Week.

THE FIREMEN PRESENT AND THE CONTESTS WON.

The proud little city of Salisbury has been almost literally choked with patriotism, the national colors, miles of bunting, and hundreds of visiting fire men and spectators.

The occasion was the sixth annual convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association. With characteristic hospitality our citizens united in one grand committee split into numerous divisions, each formed with the express idea of performing perfectly that particular task assigned.

The firemen began to arrive Tuesday night. They were entertained at the Peninsula hotel and at private houses. The first session of the convention was held in Ulman's opera house Wednesday night. President W. Irving Mace presided. The address of welcome was delivered by Thos. F. J. Rider and was responded to by President Mace. Mr. James E. Ellegood spoke in behalf of the Salisbury fire department and ex-President W. H. A. Hamilton, of Hagerstown, responded in behalf of the fire department of the State. Chief W. C. McAfee, of Baltimore city fire department, addressed the convention on the importance of fire departments and dropped some valuable suggestions for those present. State Fire Marshall E. J. Lawyer also addressed the convention briefly.

At Thursday's session the elections resulted in the choice of the following: President, John J. Stump of Cumberland; vice-president, Samuel Hannah of the Veteran Volunteers, Baltimore; secretary, Charles V. Wantz, Westminster; treasurer, Herman R. Heck of Frederick.

Westminster, Md., was unanimously chosen as the next place for the convention. The convention adjourned after passing a vote of thanks to the people of Salisbury for the reception accorded the firemen.

Thursday afternoon the firemen paraded. In the line were all the companies and their apparatus. Conspicuous among the laddies were the Salisbury boys in their handsome blue suits. The line of parade was through the principal streets. Messrs. Robert D. Grier and Wm. M. Cooper were the parade marshals.

After the parade disbanded at the city hall an exhibition of the effectiveness of the Holloway chemical engine was given on Division street. A house constructed of boards for the occasion and stored with crates, excelsior, and other inflammable matter was set on fire. At a signal from the town clock the engine was brought into play. Its work was witnessed by several hundred spectators.

Many country people and others from the adjoining towns came to Salisbury Thursday to enjoy the events of the day.

AT LEMON HILL

"Lemon Hill," which it is hoped will in the future be known as Jackson Park, was fitted up for the occasion, under the direction of Dr. Weiderhall. At the front entrance was a massive rustic archway about 12 feet wide. In the centre of the grounds was erected a large rustic pavilion, in keeping with the artistic design of the archway. The grounds were beautifully illuminated with arc lights and wide avenues laid out through them for promenades.

A free lunch was served from 12 to 4 p. m. Wednesday afternoon, consisting of sandwiches, ices and fruits. Many hundreds partook of the bountiful supply. The lunch was served under the directions of a committee of ladies, composed of Mrs. M. V. Brewington, Miss Annie Cannon, Mrs. J. D. Williamson, Miss Beulah White, Mrs. Morris Manko, Miss Hannah Ulman, Mrs. S. P. Dennis, Miss Irma Graham, Mrs. Somers Gunby, Miss Edna Sheppard, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Miss Annie Naylor, Mrs. George R. Collier, Miss Julia Ellegood.

With the assistance of a bevy of girls, they dispensed bushels of sandwiches, salads, cakes and ice cream, and then, to put a finishing touch, threw in a cigar.

In the evening an open air concert was given in the pavilion by the Salisbury cornet band. At 6 o'clock there was a balloon ascension under the directions of Mr. Holmes Nicholson. The park was thrown open Thursday to visitors also, and concerts were given during the day.

THE CONTESTS.

Friday morning the visiting companies engaged in a friendly rivalry for certain prizes. The contests were held on Division street. Captain Capper of Snow Hill and Dr. Selover of Cambridge were the judges. The timers were Geo. R. Collier, Walter B. Miller and Geo. W. Bell. Starters, G. V. White and W. S. Gordy.

This was one of the most interesting features of the convention.

The hook and ladder contest consisted of making a three hundred yards dash with a truck drawn by the men and the taking of a ladder from the truck to be mounted by a fireman. The contestants were the Water Witch of Annapolis and the Hook and Ladder company of Frederick. The prize was awarded to the Frederick company, Time 64 seconds.

The hose contest was won by the Independent Hose Company of Frederick. This was a 200 yards dash with hose carriage drawn by the company and hose laid out and coupled to the plug. This feat was performed in 45 seconds.

The feature of the day was the performance of the Salisbury Fire Department, which did not enter for the prize, with their hose truck drawn by the horses of the department. They made a 300 yards dash, laid out their hose, coupled to the plug, turned on the water and had a stream flowing in 25 seconds. Those who witnessed the feat say it was done in magnificent style, and after methods most approved. The dismounting from the truck and coupling the hose was greatly applauded by the spectators.

"The Deacon" was given at Ulman's Opera House Thursday evening. The play was well presented, but the audience was unfortunately small. It seems that this part of the program, by some oversight, was neglected. The play was given for the benefit of the firemen and the proceeds were to have been applied to their expenses. Unfortunately there will be nothing to apply. Those who had gone to the trouble to prepare the play felt that their effort did not receive due consideration.

Edwin J. Lawyer, State Fire Marshal of Baltimore; W. H. A. Hamilton of Hagerstown, Chas. T. Holloway, Jr., of Baltimore and Chief McAfee of the Baltimore Fire Department were guests of Chief F. A. Grier.

THE DELEGATES.

The list of delegates was as follows: Union Bridge Fire Company—W. A. Marshall, F. G. Eppley, J. Frank Baker H. H. Bond, O. W. Hess.

Annapolis Water Witch Hook and Ladder Company—Edgar A. Slyourdan, Charles Jones, John R. Fouche, Thomas Colburn, Oscar Wheeler.

Independent Fire Company No. 2, Annapolis—J. E. Abbott, Lewis Martin Wm. H. Moss, James W. Tier, Bertin Clow.

Rescue Hose Company, Annapolis—Tehring Raker, R. L. Mars, George T. Basil, Alfred M. Phillips, Martin Brady Salisbury Fire Department—H. Winter Owens, C. Lee Gillis, A. R. Lohner, Isaac Ulman, Benj. W. Turner.

Manchester Fire Engine, Hook and Ladder Company—George H. Trout, Charles J. Ganter, Wm. H. Wilson, C. A. Meyers, John L. Graf.

East Brooklyn Fire Company—Wm. Keller, J. V. Brooks, William Jamison, Charles Jones, Henry Mickel.

Frederick Junior Steam Fire Engine Company—John C. Motter, William M. Crimmins, Roger Wood, A. H. Harrington; John H. Adams.

Independent Company No 1, Frederick City—J. Roger McSherry, Edward S. Eichelberger, David H. Kalb, Chas. —Tyson, J. Harry Hauer.

United States Fire Engine Company No 3, Frederick—Lloyd T. MacGill, Jr., Hiram R. Heck, John Wilson, Frank C. Norwood, Glenn H. Worthington.

Wm. M. Singlerly Steam Fire Engine Hook and Ladder Company, Elkton—Charles E. Alexander, Ricketts Nelson, H. E. Vinsinger, A. D. Dean, D. W. Wilson.

Westminster Fire Engine and Hose Company, No 1—C. V. Wantz, J. H.

Cunningham, H. C. Keeper, J. M. Roberts, C. E. Goodwin.

Westport Volunteer Fire Company—William Muhl, C. C. M. Newkirk, J. Jyfer, Edward Heintz, C. Muhl.

Cumberland Hose Company No 1—Frank A. Shober, J. G. Matt, William Cuhl, George Metzner, Chris. Everett. Pioneer Hose Company, Cumberland—John S. Stump, H. W. Lattig, H. M. Trieber, W. F. White, A. E. Wilkinson, Friendship Hose Company, Cumberland—Samuel B. Young, C. R. Eyer, A. P. Ricker, A. J. Rodenhouser, Wm. Morris.

South Cumberland Hose Company, No 5—Michael A. Clarke, Theodore Chaney, Robt. Kelly, B. A. Johnson, John Chaney.

Frostburg Fire Department—Francis Spates, Wm. Spitznos, Daxwell Hamilton, Henry Brode, Wm. Hamilton.

Cambridge Rescue Hose Company—W. W. Moore, L. H. Henry, Dr. Guy Steele, Howeth Reid, Wesley Burton.

Port Deposit Water Witch Fire Company—James Farr, Jr., Abner C. Philips John E. Fisher, S. A. Vannort, R. R. Atkinson.

Baltimore City—Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association. Augustus Albert, John Stuckert, Samuel Hanna, Jacob Durm, Patrick Duff.

Lonaconing—Good Will Fire Company, Edward Stevenson, H. C. Rank, Samuel Barber, Jr. James Laird, William Harper.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT ASBURY.

Pretty Exercises by the Children on last Sunday Evening.

The annual Children's Day exercises were held at Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church last Sunday evening.

Blooming flowers and potted plants were beautifully arranged about the pulpit and altar of the church.

The program for the evening was entitled "Pictures of Heroic Methodism," which was of a very instructive nature, treating of the birth and growth of Methodism—first in England then in America. The first scene, "Epworth Rectory—Birthplace of the Wesleys, 1703-1708," was by Miss Wilsie Woodcock; second "The First Methodists—Oxford University—The Holy Club—1729-1739," by Miss Mary C. Smith; third "An Eventful Card Party—Methodism planted in America—1766," a dialogue by Miss May Sirman, Amos Woodcock, and Emmett Moore; fourth scene, "Heroes of the Saddlebags—Methodist Itinerants Evangelize the Continent—1766-1808," by Miss Minnie Nelson; fifth, "Cokesbury College, the first Methodist college in America—1787," a dialogue by Misses Minnie Messick and Lola Melson; sixth, "American Methodism's Hundredth Birthday—1866," responsive reading lead by the pastor.

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We are showing this week a great line of

MEN'S Russet Shoes at \$3.

Don't fail to see them. They are made of willow calf, vici kid and chrome calf. No other such line for the price in Salisbury.

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have become a necessity in order to be a well dressed young man. Our line is not only "up-to-date" but up to July, and you don't have to give up all your money for a pair. We can give you a nice new toe genuine calf sewed with welt for \$3. There are others here for \$4 and \$5.

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Good, solid, serviceable, dressy shoes, Russia calf, vici kid and patent leather. You can be sure the shapes and prices are all right or they wouldn't be here.

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A SENATOR INDICTED

Richard R. Kenney of Delaware, and Six Others are Implicated—"Conspiracy" and "Aiding to Embezzle" are Charged.

Wilmington, Del., June 7.—The federal grand jury this evening returned indictments against United States Senator Richard R. Kenney, James Frank Allee, Amos Cole, J. R. McConigal, Harry F. Ford, Wm. E. Cotter, and Chas. H. Butler, implicating them in the robbery of the First National Bank of Dover by Wm. N. Boggs, the defaulting teller.

The prominence of the men indicted and the fact that United States Senator Kenney will have to stand trial has caused a decided sensation in all parts of the state. Messrs Cole, McConigal, Ford and Butler were arrested some time ago for complicity in the embezzlement, but the action against Senator Kenney and Mr. Allee and Wm. E. Cotter is a new move in the case. The grand jury finished its labors shortly before 8 o'clock and will be discharged from further investigation.

Senator Kenney was here during the afternoon in consultation with Levi C. Bird, who with Senator Gray will probably be his counsel. Mr. Kenney left for Dover late this afternoon before the indictments were returned and declined to discuss the case.

According to the indictments the amounts involved for each man are as follows: Kenney, \$23,563.91; Allee, \$3,604.15; McConigal, \$2,523.62; Cotter, \$1,014.92; Cole, \$741.25; Butler, \$188.25; Ford, \$115.

The district attorney presented true bills against John F. Saulsbury, ex-secretary of state and the silver leader of Delaware, who was the first national delegate in the Chicago convention to cast his vote for Wm. Jennings Bryan for President, against ex-Secretary of State John D. Hawkins, and against Wm. S. Satterfield of Dover, but they were all ignored. These charges were for securing money through Boggs on checks, except in the case of Mr. Hawkins, where a draft was made, which Boggs paid, although the draft had gone to protest.

The indictment of Mr. Kenney has been expected ever since the exposure was made. During the trial of Col. E. T. Cooper, Mr. Kenney admitted on the witness stand that he had lent Boggs his check when he knew there was not sufficient money in bank to meet the payment. Many of these checks were drawn in favor of E. B. Cuthbert & Co., the stock broker, and it is supposed Mr. Kenney lost money in stock speculation.

The indictment against the Senator contains twenty five counts, charging "conspiracy" and "aiding and abetting to embezzle." In addition the indictment alleges that Boggs took care of the personal checks of the Senator, and that the Senator signed his name to checks drawn in favor of Wm. Anderson of Philadelphia, which it is stated were paid by Boggs. A long list of these checks were given in the indictment but it is not specified how many of these checks were used by the Senator personally or how many he left Boggs. The checks given by Kenney ranged from \$3 to \$1,500 and his bank account at the First National during the time, which was for several years previous to the flight of Boggs, ranged from two cents to more than \$2,200.

When wear begins to exceed repair in your body you are going to fall sick. The signs of it are loss of flesh, paleness, weakness, nervousness, etc. The repair needed is food. You think you eat enough, and yet you feel that you wear out mere tissue, energy, nerve-force, than your food makes for you. The difficulty is that you do not digest enough. And this is so serious it is worth sitting down seriously to think about. If you can't digest what you eat, take a few doses of Shaker Digestive Cordial. The effect of it will be to increase your flesh and make you feel stronger. You won't fall sick. Proof that it is in control of your repair apparatus. It's easy enough to test this for yourself. Take a few bottles of Shaker Digestive Cordial.

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In Honor of the President.

President McKinley is to be given the unique distinction of having a number of a woman's magazine named for him and prepared in his honor. The July issue of the Ladies' Home Journal is to be called "The President's Number." It will show the President on horseback on the cover, with the President's new "fighting flag" flying over him; a new march by Victor Herbert is called "The President's March;" the State Department has allowed the magazine to make a direct photograph of the original parchment of the Declaration of Independence, while the President's own friends and intimates have combined to tell some twenty new and unpublished stories and anecdotes about him which will show him in a manner not before done. The cover will be printed in the National colors.

Beats the Klondike.

Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex. has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered unsold agony from consumption, accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at Dr. L. D. Collier's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cts. and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

The commencement at Maryland Agricultural College will be held on June 15, and Governor Lowndes will present the diplomas and prizes. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson will deliver the address to the graduates. Claude V. Alnutt of Dawsonville will deliver the salutatory, and D. C. Barnett Dailsville, the valedictory. George Peterson and R. P. Whitely of the graduating class have enlisted in the Army.

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Auditor's Notice.

E. E. Jackson and Chas. F. Holland vs. E. Stanley Toadvin, et al. No. 1086 Chancery.

All persons having claims against the estate of E. Stanley Toadvin, sold and reported by Jay Williams, trustee, in chancery No. 1086, are hereby notified to file the same with me, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated according to law, on or before the 15th day of June, 1898, as I shall on that day at the office in Salisbury proceed to distribute the said estate among the persons thereto entitled according to law. LEVIN M. DASHIELL, Auditor.

ORDER NISI.

L. E. Williams, surviving trustee of Gordon H. Toadvin, vs. E. Stanley Toadvin. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, In Equity No. 871. May Term, 1898.

Ordered that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, for a re-sale, made and reported by L. Ernest Williams, surviving trustee, and distribution, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the fifth day of July next provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 15th day of June, next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$1935.00. CHAS. F. HOLLAND, True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court for Wicomico county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

CHARLES W. COLLINS,

late of Wicomico county, dec'd. All persons having claims against said dec'd. are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before

November 28, 1898,

or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1898.

JOHN W. WILKINS, administrator.

ORDER NISI.

Eugene W. Humphreys, trustee, vs Levin S. Gordy and A. Maria Gordy, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 1168. May term, 1898.

Ordered this 2d day of June, 1898, that sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Henry L. D. Stanford, trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$1500.00.

JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk.

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Bits of Maryland News.

The prices of soft crabs at Annapolis have risen.

The deputy commanders of the oyster navy have been commissioned.

The Princess Anne Clothing Company began operations at its factory Tuesday.

Dr. E. E. Stonestreet has been appointed County Physician in Montgomery.

Benjamin Daugherty, aged 8, was killed at Creswell on Monday by a fall from a wagon.

Bishop Vincent is to deliver the address to the graduates of the Tome Institute on June 15.

William H. Warren, aged 80, of Philadelphia, rode on a bicycle from his home to St. Michael's.

Senator Gorman and his family have removed to their country home in Howard county for the summer.

The St. John's graduating class is the largest in the history of the college. It has 17 members, 5 of whom have gone to war.

Joseph Gummer, a negro, was probably fatally cut in an affray at Mitchellville Saturday night by Michael and Tobias Green, colored.

The memorial arch at Western Maryland College to the late Rev. Dr. J. T. Ward is nearly completed. The arch extends from the chapel to the president's house.

The promoters of the Frederick City Hospital expect to begin building during the coming fall. Mrs. Emma Smith president of the association, has donated a plot of ground on which the hospital will be built.

The Board of Aldermen of Frederick have practically decided to take no action looking to increasing the water supply of the city for the present.

The good roads question was discussed by the Vansville Farmers Club at its monthly meeting last Saturday at the farm of L. E. Dorsey, near Annapolis Junction. Col. W. S. Powell presided.

Principal John W. Gibson of the Fairbank School on Tilghman's Island teaches physical geography from a map of the world laid out in the school yard on a quarter of an acre of ground.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

Stalks of wheat pulled from a field on the farm of Isaac Gruber, near Middleburg, measured over six feet in height. The rest of the wheat is proportionately tall. The farmers predict that the crop this summer will be the largest in many years.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggist.

Mr. W. Hopper Gibson, sold Woodlawn, his beautiful country home, about a quarter of a mile from Centreville, Monday, to Mrs. Nannie Jacobs, wife of Dr. J. K. Jacobs, for \$7,500. The place has 32 acres of land. In a half hour after the sale Mr. Gibson was offered \$8,000 cash for the property.

The \$5,000 damage suit of Ex-Constable John A. Duyer against the County Commissioners of Kent, removed to the Harford court, was continued Tuesday to the September term on account of the illness of W. W. Beck, one of the counsel, who is in a Baltimore hospital. Duyer was appointed constable, and then dismissed from office, after furnishing a bond the commissioners refused to accept.

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In the Talbot court Monday Judge Stump sentenced Joseph Wright, colored, convicted of Murder in Kent county, to be hanged at Chestertown jail. Four negroes, convicted of larceny, were sentenced to the penitentiary for terms ranging from two to six years.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectful, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

When the death of Hon. Thomas J. Keating was announced in Talbot court Monday Judge Stump spoke of his high character and sacrifice of all his possessions when he became involved a few years ago in financial difficulties. Gen. Joseph B. Seth made the announcement and delivered a tribute on behalf of the bar.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

The ravages by the fly in wheat fields of Frederick county is becoming alarming. Mr. Edwin S. Devilbiss, an extensive land owner near Liberty, says that the fly has already injured the wheat to such an extent in that section that less than half-crop will be realized. County Surveyor Edward Albaugh, a prominent farmer in the same locality, says that many fields of wheat will not yield more than five or six bushels to the acre.

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- Latest styles in jewelry at Fitch's.
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- Assorted taffy, fresh today at Wallop & Co.'s
- \$1200.00 to loan. Apply to G. W. D. Waller.
- See our Men's \$3.00 Russet Shoes. J. D. Price & Co.
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- J. Bergen is selling all the latest paper patterns at 10 cents.
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- Call at Davis & Baker's and examine their line of shoes.
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- Ladies call and examine our \$1.50 shoes. Davis & Baker.
- Paper patterns of any garment you want at Bergens for 10 cents.
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INVASION OF CUBA

The Harbor of Santiago Bombarded by Sampson's Fleet and the Fort's Destroyed.

Insurgent's in Manila Have taken 1600 Spanish Prisoners—Dewey to Be Reinforced.

The army of invasion has been made up and is now on the way to Cuba, and will land at Santiago de Cuba in a few days. The squadron under Sampson and Schley have bombarded Santiago and destroyed the fortifications of the harbor. The Spanish fleet is "bottled up" in the harbor and is no longer a menace to our fleet. The collier Merrimac with a crew of eight brave men under Lieutenant Hobson has been taken into the harbor and sunk across the channel to prevent the escape of the fleet. The crew escaped uninjured but were taken prisoners by the Spaniards. The insurgents of the Philippines have reorganized under Aguinaldo as their leader and are reducing the island. They have defeated the Spaniards under Augusti and taken 1600 Spanish prisoners. Dewey telegraphed the government at Washington that the island is completely at his mercy. The province of Cavite adjoining Manila is under the control of the insurgents, and soon as the reinforcements reach Dewey from San Francisco he will land his troops and take charge of the city and place it under martial law. There is no possibility of the Spaniards escaping or being reinforced sufficiently to thwart Dewey's plans in the least.

It was supposed by many that the war would end in a few weeks but at this writing there are no signs that it will end even in a few months. The government is wisely making all the necessary preparations before undertaking the conquest. Some of the Cuban towns are no doubt much better fortified than was at first supposed. The policy of the government seems to be to accomplish its undertaking with as little loss of life as possible. Wm. Jennings Bryan the late candidate for the democratic party has been made a colonel of volunteers from his state and will probably be sent to Manila.

THE ARMY OF INVASION.

[From the Herald's Special Correspondent.] Jacksonville, Fla., Wednesday—Major General Shafter and an army of 20,000 men started today for the invasion of Cuba, in the vicinity of Santiago. The loading of the transports and the embarkation of the troops was practically completed last night at Tampa, and everything was in readiness when the order was given to move out of the harbor today.

With the gunboats Helena, Castine and Annapolis as convoys, and the Hornet acting as rear guard, the transports crowded with troops, who were aroused to the highest enthusiasm because they were at last starting to the point of actual warfare, the fleet sailed out of the harbor amid the applause of hundreds who lined the shore.

THE THREE SQUADRONS.

The vessels were formed as three squadrons, each vessel of the squadron sailing 1000 yards astern of the one ahead. These squadrons sail abreast, a gunboat leading each one. Sailing speed limited to eight knots per hour. From Tampa the big fleet of transports proceeded to Key West, by way of the Rebesco shoals. From Key West the troops will be conveyed to the point of invasion by a force of fighting ships which will be strong enough to protect them from any danger of attack. The route to be taken from Key West cannot, of course, be given, but there is no doubt the troops will be safely landed at the point that has been determined upon early next week.

I am not able to give exact details as to the troops which have started to Cuba. It is known however that they were selected by General Shafter from the troops that have lately been encamped at Tampa. The greater part of the troops selected for the invasion are known to be regulars.

On board the Dispatch Boat Somers N. Smith, at Santiago de Cuba, June 6, (via Kingston, Jamaica, June 7.)

Within three hours this morning the American fleet silenced nearly all the

fortifications at the entrance to the harbor of Santiago de Cuba.

The formidable Estrella and Cave batteries failed to reply during the last hour of the bombardment. They were so shattered that it is doubtful if they can be of the smallest service to the Spaniards in the future.

There was a heavy fog and steady rain during the engagement. The American gunners rose superior to the mist, and their keen eyes, supplemented by high skill, directed the shot and shell with terrific effect.

THE MASSACHUSETTS WAS STRUCK ONCE.

Again the Spaniards proved to be miserable marksmen. They managed to hit the battleship Massachusetts once. Her fighting top was struck, but that was all the damage. The other ships did not suffer, so far as can be learned.

Not one of the American sailors was reported killed. One man on the Suwanee was injured. I do not know whether or not his injuries are serious. It is believed that he was the only American sailor wounded during the bombardment.

Formation of the American ships was in a double column. About 6 o'clock in the morning the war vessels stood off six miles from Morro Castle. No rain or fog could depress the spirits of the jacksies who were eager for the fray.

The ships moved slowly to within a few thousand yards of the shore. One line, composed of the Brooklyn, Texas, Massachusetts and the Marblehead, turned westward. The flagship of Commodore Schley led it.

In the second line were the New York, Oregon, Iowa, New Orleans and Yankee. The New York was at the head of the line. The second line moved eastwardly.

Far out on the left were the Vixen and Suwanee, whose crews watched the riflemen on shore. The sailors on the Dolphin and the Porter guarded the right flank.

SURPRISED THE SPANIARDS.

Admiral Sampson's column directed its attention to the new earthworks near Morro Castle. Commodore Schley's vessels went opposite the Estrella and Catalina batteries.

There was no firing until the American ships were in the best strategic position for fighting. The bad weather evidently had caused the Spaniards to believe that there would be no bombardment while the heavy fog and rain lasted. The movement of the ships had not been noticed apparently until they were close to the batteries.

But the battleship Iowa waked the sons of Castile and Aragon from their reveries. A shot from one of her great guns hit a battery, with serious effect.

Both columns of ships then poured a fusillade of lead into the fortifications and earthworks on each side of the harbor entrance. The Spaniards rushed to their guns and started to blaze away wildly. What they lacked in skill they made up in passion. But fiery temperament, with badly trained eyes and bad nerves behind guns, were no match for the superior gunners of Sampson's and Schley's columns.

The Americans fired with great effect, but the Spaniards' shots were reckless and wide of the mark. There was a splendid chance for the enemy to display proficiency in marksmanship, for the United States war vessels remained at their chosen stations and did not resort to maneuvering.

A MAGNIFICENT SCENE.

In this grand battle great clouds from the guns increased the heavy fog. It was a magnificent spectacle, even though the conditions were opposed to a thoroughly accurate survey of what was taking place. But glimpses left a vivid idea of the terrors of the bombardment by great modern warships.

Admiral Sampson had issued instructions that no firing should be directed upon Morro Castle, for in it were imprisoned Lieutenant Hobson and the other seven heroes of the Merrimac's volunteer crew. But several shells did strike the castle on the promitory, and left gaping wounds. It is believed that the shots did not cause sufficient damage to warrant a belief that Lieutenant Hobson and his comrades suffered.

SPANISH GUNNERS FLEE.

As the bombardment proceeded the ships in Commodore Schley's column moved nearer to the shore in order to bring speedier destruction to the shore batteries. This action resulted in the Texas, Massachusetts and Brooklyn dealing such awful broadsides that the Spanish earthworks were torn up, and the gunners took to their heels for less exposed places.

But these three ships were not the only vessels in Schley's column that were doing their duty. The Vixen and Suwanee drew in close to the shore and entered the fray with startling zeal. These small vessels hammered away with their rapid fire guns and demolished a shore battery.

The main interest in Schley's column was centered on the Estrella fortification. This fort offered great resistance but when the Texas and the Marblehead trained their guns upon it at closer range the woodwork of the fortification was set on fire and the defence was silenced.

The American gunners were doing their duty in the same glorious manner in the eastward column, from which Admiral Sampson was watching the engagement. The Cave battery was silenced by the New York and the New Orleans. This required an energetic fire for a long time, but the Spaniards were not able to endure the sustained attacks. Their guns were dismantled and their defence was wrecked.

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- V Is the logic that riders show.
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Another lot of 1000 yards of Tapestry the fair value of this lot is from 65c to 75c. To make it interesting they all go at **50c**

50 rolls China matting, jointless; 30 styles in laid designs, new shades of green and other desirable colors, considered good value at \$12; this sale they go at **\$10**

Another lot, 10 styles jointless, new shades, 80 to 85 pound the roll, would be fairly priced at \$9. This lot goes at **\$7.50**

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Local Department.

—Mr. M. H. Gunby and Master Coulbourne are staying at Dr. Bell's.

—Dr. C. H. Medders will make his next regular visit to Salisbury June 16th.

—Mr. Jas. E. Brewington of Washington D. C., is visiting relatives in Salisbury.

—Mr. J. Morris-Siemons has arrived home from Johns Hopkins for the summer vacation.

—Mr. John B. Parsons of Philadelphia spent a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Bell this week.

—Miss Alice Gunby daughter of Mr. L. W. Gunby, returned this week from school at Carlisle.

—Rev. Dr. Reigart will preach in the Presbyterian church of Rockawalking on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock if the weather be favorable.

—Dr. and Mrs. Selover of Cambridge were the guests of Mrs. Selover's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Todd, during the firemen's convention.

—Mr. W. J. Holloway left Thursday morning for Cumberland, Md., where he has secured a position with the B. & O. R. R. as telegraph operator.

—The County commissioners were in session last Tuesday. They will meet next Tuesday, June 14th, when the levy of the year will be declared.

—Mrs. Edith and Carrie Bell returned from a visit to friends in Baltimore this week. Miss Maud Brewington of Eutaw Place accompanied them.

—Mrs. L. F. Cutler, and daughter, Miss Louise Murrell and Miss Annie Johnston of Staten Island, are the guests of Misses Bell on Main street.

—Good dates for Sunday School Excursions to Ocean City, Maryland's popular resort can be had by applying to W. J. Morris, Division Passenger Agent.

—Kingston Station on the Crisfield branch of the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. was totally destroyed by fire at a late hour Saturday night. The origin of the fire is unknown.

—The congregation of the Methodist Protestant Church at Hebron will hold a festival on Saturday June 18th, in the yard of Frank Phillips. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

—Mr. V. S. Gordy, whose fine vegetables and fruits from his Rockawalking farm are well appreciated by his Salisbury friends, has been already delivering to town customers this season's cabbage.

—An Epworth League has been organized at Bethesda M. E. Church, Whitesville charge by Rev. H. S. Dulaney with forty six members. They begin work at once by holding an entertainment next Saturday evening.

—The Baltimore blockade does not affect the B. C. & A. Fleet. Ocean City booms again. Every Sunday School but yours will be going, why not join the throng? For rate, date etc. apply to W. J. Morris, Division Passenger Agent.

—Children's Day will be observed at Trinity M. E. Church South, next Sabbath. In the morning the pastor, Rev. R. R. Potts, will preach a special sermon to the children. At night the regular Children's day program will be rendered.

—Following is the honor roll of the second grade, Salisbury High School: Addie Waller 100, Richard Stanford 99.5, Orsie Parker 99.5, Margaret Johnson 99, Nellie Hill 98.5, Grace Brown 97.3, Edith Elliott, 96.7, Paul Phillips 96.5. Daisy M. Bell, Teacher.

—Children's Day Services will be observed next Sabbath, June 12th in the order given, Lines, Melson's and Jones' M. E. churches. All of Whitesville charge. The first Quarterly Conference for this work will be held Monday morning, June 13th at Melson's Dr. Martindale Presiding.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Riggan entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon, May 29th, at their home in Pittsville, in honor of Mr. Riggan's brother, J. H. Riggan, Elder of the M. E. Church South, of Arkansas, who has been attending the general conference held at Baltimore. Among those present were G. H. Riggan and daughter of Snow Hill, J. W. Riggan of Parsonsburg, Mrs. Amanda Shockley of Whiton, and her son and daughter, Mr. Arthur Shockley, Rev. E. O. Ewing and son, Mr. J. W. White, Dr. G. W. Freeny, Master Chester Sheppard of Pittsville, and Master Willie Sheppard of Salisbury, who has been visiting relatives in Pittsville. In the evening the party drove to Pittsville, where Rev. J. H. Riggan delivered an interesting sermon to a large audience in Grace M. P. Church.

WANDERBOGART—JACKSON.

Marriage of Miss Margaret Jackson and Rev. Mr. Vanderbogart.

The Baltimore Sun of Friday contained the following:
Miss Margaret Rider Jackson, the eldest daughter of ex-Gov. Elihu E. Jackson 1111 St. Paul street, was quietly married yesterday at noon to Rev. Alvin Jones Vanderbogart, rector of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church at Salisbury, Md.

The marriage took place at old St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Charles and Saratoga streets. The service was read by Bishop Coleman of Delaware.

Rev. Mr. Vanderbogart is a talented and popular young minister and has been rector of the church at Salisbury for about three years.

The bride has been quite active in church work for some time and is also very popular in society.

Rev. and Mrs. Vanderbogart will live at Salisbury.

—A rare musical programme will be given in Salisbury in Ulman's Opera House, Tuesday evening, June 21st, by the Misses Veasey, S. and R. Constance Reid, of Princess Anne, and Miss Anne J. Henrix, of Baltimore, who is one of the salaried singers of that city, assisted by Miss Julia B. Ellegood. The latest war tunes will be sung, and classic music will also abound. Admission 35 and 25 cents.

—A new schedule went into effect on the B. C. & A. R'y Wednesday morning adding an additional express train east and west daily, and changing the time of the existing trains. Under the new schedule trains now leave Salisbury for Baltimore at 8.51 a. m. and 6.16 p. m., arriving at Baltimore 2.15 p. m. and 11.25 p. m. Leaving time from Baltimore is as follows: Daily except Sunday, 6.30 a. m.; daily except Saturday and Sunday 4.10 p. m.; Saturday only 3 p. m.; arriving at 11.50 a. m., 9.35 p. m.

—On our desk are programs of commencement exercises to take place as follows: Maryland Agricultural College, College Park, June 12th to 15th. University Law School, Washington, D. C., Tuesday, June 7th; Among the graduates of this school is Mr. Chas. R. Rider of Salisbury, son of G. R. Rider, Esq. Goldey's Business College, Wilmington, Del., June 9th. Western Maryland College, Westminster, Md., June 12th to 15th; St. Johns College, June 10th to 15th; among the graduates is Mr. J. Walter Huffington of this county.

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"I predict," he said to their mother, "that Jennie will be a new woman when she grows up."

"Oh, I hope not!" replied the mother, who was one of the old-fashioned sort. "What makes you think so?"

"She has such a good head for business," he replied. "She fidgeted and laughed and talked on the train until she nearly had me crazy. I couldn't keep her still."

"No one ever could," said her mother. "She was born with a watch spring inside of her."

"Then, of course, she got her sister Josephine going, too," went on the fearless man who had dared to make such a trip with two children, "and they giggled and screamed and danced up and down until I thought we would be put off the train for disturbing the other passengers."

"Very reprehensible," said the mother, "but it doesn't seem to me so much like the new woman as it is like the old woman."

"Finally," went on the fearless man without noticing the interruption, "Jennie asked me if I would give her a penny if she kept still until the end of the trip. To be real frank, it looked like a cinch, as they say in sporting circles. In view of my experience up to that time I would have unhesitatingly said that it wasn't a possible thing for her to keep still that length of time."

"And you would have been quite right," said her mother.

"I would have been quite right if she had been one of the thoughtless, old-fashioned girls," asserted the fearless man, "but I found instead that she was a miniature edition of a crafty, businesslike new woman. She curled up in one corner of the seat and was asleep in two minutes. It was the only way that she could win, and she knew it."—Chicago Post.

Mistaken.

"Look here, Bridget," said an indignant lady, "I have missed things ever since you came to live with me, and today I took the liberty of searching your room and I found my lace handkerchief in your bureau drawer."

"Luk at that, now!"

"Yes, and I found my lace jabot and one of my veils in your trunk."

"Did anny one iver!"

"And you had a pair of my gloves in your room."

"Luk at that ag'in, now!"

"I have taken all my things to my own room, and I want you to leave the house today."

"Oh, but Oi'll lave fasht enough, for it's not Oi that wants to wurruk for anny leddy that so far forgrits herself as to go pryin' round in a girrull's room! Oi t'ot Oi was wurkin for a leddy, but Oi've found out me mistake an Oi'll lave this minute!"—Youth's Companion.

Ohio Men In Demand.

"Well," remarked the very progressive woman, "at last a way is open for us to get into politics."

"How?" asked her less progressive sister.

"Marry a member of the Ohio legislature."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

She Had One.

Said the married man who likes to be sympathized for, "My wife is never happy unless she has a grievance."

"How happy she must be," said the pretty girl. And then the married man grew strangely silent.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

On the Dressed Kid.

Nearsighted Relative—Wouldn't it be better, dear, to remove your gloves before we sit down to dinner?

Little Niece (from the suburbs)—That isn't gloves, auntie. That's tan.—Chicago Tribune.

Long and Short of It.

A Georgia editor, in describing a man who had skipped with the town funds, informs us that "he is 6 feet tall," then, in the next line, that he is \$10,000 short.—Atlanta Constitution.

Ample Grounds.

"Yes," said De Auber, "I am firmly wedded to my art."

"Well," replied his friend, "aft might get a divorce on the grounds of incompatibility."—Chicago News.

Knows His Business.

"It does Aunt Lucinda so much good to go to a new doctor!"

"Why?"

"He always hunts up a new disease for her."—Chicago Record.

Prepared For Anything.

Salesman—Those are walking gloves, madam.

Rural Customer—Du tell! I've never heard of them. Let me see 'em walk.—New York Truth.

Equal to the Occasion.

Willie—Pa, did Noah take bees into the ark?

Pa—Why, of course, I suppose. Did you never hear of the archives?—Philadelphia Record.

FLORIDA'S POCAHONTAS.

A Romantic Story as Related by Governor Bloxham to the Fishermen.

Governor W. B. Bloxham incidentally related the following legend in his address welcoming the delegates of the National Fishery society to Tampa, Fla., on Thursday, Jan. 20:

"You meet here upon this historic ground, where the footprints of some of Spain's greatest cavaliers and America's noblest captains can be traced. While it is not my intention to recur to their heroic deeds or to offer you a cup filled with the ambrosia of ancient story, yet there is one romance, based upon historic fact, associated with this very spot that I feel you will kindly indulge should brief reference be made thereto."

"Wherever the history of America is read the story of Pocahontas is known. The romance is most captivating, and some of Virginia's most honored sons trace back a lineage to this daughter of the forest. But the historic fact that a similar scene was enacted on this very spot three-quarters of a century before the name of Pocahontas was ever lisped by English lips is unknown to even many Floridians. It was here in 1528, 12 years before De Soto landed on Tampa bay, that Juan Ortez, a Spanish youth of 18, having been captured at Clear Water, was brought before Hirrihugna, the stern Indian chief, in whose breast was rankling a vengeance born of the ill treatment of his mother by the followers of the ill fated Narvarex. Ortez was young and fair, but the cruel chief had given the orders, and here was erected a gridiron of poles, and young Ortez was bound and stretched to meet the demands of a human sacrifice. The torch was being applied, the crackling flames began to gather strength for a human holocaust, when the stern chief's daughter threw herself at her father's feet and interposed in Ortez's behalf. Her beauty rivaled that of the historic dame whose heavenly charms kept Troy and Greece ten years in arms. The soft language of her soul flowed from her never silent eyes as she looked up through her tears of sympathy, imploring the life of the young Spaniard."

"Those tears, the ever ready weapon of woman's weakness, touched the heart of even the savage chief, and Ortez was for the time spared."

"But the demon of evil in a few months again took possession of Hirrihugna, and his daughter saw that even her entreaties would be unavailing. She was betrothed to Mucoso, the young chief of a neighboring tribe. Their love had been plighted, that God given love that rules the savage breast."

"Her loving heart told her that Ortez would be safe in Mucoso's keeping. At the dead hour of night she accompanied him beyond danger and placed in his hand such token as Mucoso would recognize."

"She acted none too soon. As the sun rose over this spot its rays fell upon the maddened chief calling in vain for the intended victim of his vengeance. His rage was such that it dried up the well-springs of parental affection, and he refused the marriage of his daughter unless Ortez was surrendered. But that Indian girl, although it broke the heart-strings of hope, sacrificed her love to humanity, and Mucoso sacrificed his bride upon the altar of honor."

"Ortez lived to welcome De Soto. Tell me—aye, tell the world—where a brighter example of nobler virtue was ever recorded! Where in history do you find more genuine and more touching illustration of 'love, charity and forgiveness'—the very trinity of earthly virtues and the brightest jewels of the Christian heaven?"

"What a captivating theme this Florida Pocahontas should present to the pen of imagination, picturing this spot then and today associated with romance rich in historic love!"—Savannah News.

When Is a Woman's "No" Decisive?

How often when a woman says "No" to a man she regrets that it was not "Yes." How often, if he could only ask her again, he would get a different answer—if he only knew it.

In point of fact how many men who have had the courage to ask a girl a second time are accepted? Persistence goes infinitely further with a woman than a man has any idea of. If he had, the course of most people's lives would be different.

But is there never a case in which a woman means "No" when she says "No"? Yes; there are several. Only the difficult part is for a man to be sure about it.

A woman's "No" is decisive when she has had love and respect for a man and has lost both. If she has never tested him and proved him false, her power of hope and belief in his better self is boundless. But once she has had to confess to herself that she despises him, her love gets its death blow and will never again revive. Then she says "No" and can never be got to say "Yes" later on; then there is no hope for her former lover.

A woman's "No" is decisive when she loves another man.

But in most cases, let it be said with confidence to unsuspecting man, a woman's "No" need not cause despair. At all events, when it is most decidedly uttered it is sometimes the most open to conviction, and it is not always the woman who says "No" firmly who cannot be got to say "Yes" later on.—Dublin Herald.

PREMONITIONS OF DEATH.

Men Who Have Foretold the Coming of Their Own End.

The first symptom of approaching death with some is the strong presentiment that they are about to die.

Ozanam, the mathematician, while in apparent health rejected pupils from the feeling that he was on the eve of resting from his labors, and he expired soon after of an apoplectic stroke.

Fletcher, the divine, had a dream which shadowed out his impending dissolution, and believing it to be the merciful warning of heaven he sent for a sculptor and ordered his tomb. "Begin your work forthwith," he said at parting. "There is no time to lose." And unless the artist had obeyed the admonition, death would have proved the quicker workman of the two. Mozart wrote his "Requiem" under the conviction that the monument he was raising to his genius would, by the power of association prove a universal monument to his remains. When life was fleeting very fast, he called for the score and musing over it said, "Did I not tell you truly that it was for myself that I composed that death chant?"

Another great artist in a different department, convinced that his hand was about to lose its cunning, chose a subject emblematic of the coming event. His friends inquired the nature of his coming design, and Hogarth replied, "The end of all things." "In that case," rejoined one, "there will be an end of the painter." What was uttered in jest was answered in earnest, with a solemn look and a heavy sigh. "There will," he said, "and the sooner my work is done the better." He commenced next day, labored upon the drawing with unremitting diligence, and when he had given it the last touch seized his palette, broke it in pieces, and said, "I have finished." The print was published in March under the title of "Finis," and in October the curious eyes which saw the manners in the face were closed in the dust. Our ancestors, who were prone to look in the air for causes which were to be found upon the earth, attributed these intimations to various supernatural agencies.

John Hunter has solved the mystery, if mystery it can be called, in a single sentence. "We sometimes," he says, "feel within ourselves that we shall not live, for the living powers become weak, and the nerves communicate the intelligence to the brain."

His own case has often been quoted among the marvels of which he offered this rational explanation. He intimated, on leaving home, that if a discussion which awaited him at the hospital took an angry turn it would prove his death. A colleague gave him the lie, the coarse word verified the prophecy, and he expired almost immediately in an adjoining room. There was everything to lament in the circumstance, but nothing at which to wonder.

Circumstances which at another time would excite no attention are accepted for an omen when health is failing. The order for the requiem with Mozart, the dream with Fletcher, turned the current of his thoughts to the grave. Foote, prior to his departure for the continent, stood contemplating the picture of a brother author and exclaimed, his eyes full of tears, "Poor Weston!" In the same dejected tone he added, after a pause, "Soon others shall say, 'Poor Foote!'" And to the surprise of his friends a few days proved the justice of his prognostication. The expectation of the event had a share in producing it, for a slight shock completes the destruction of prostrate energies.

The case of Wolsey was singular. The morning before he died he asked of Cavendish the hour and was answered, "Past 8." "Eight of the clock?" replied Wolsey. "That cannot be. Eight of the clock—nay, nay, it cannot be 8 of the clock, for by 8 of the clock you shall lose your master."

The day he miscalculated; the hour came true. On the following morning, as the clock struck 8, his troubled spirit passed from life. Cavendish and the bystanders thought he must have had a revelation of the time of his death, and from the way in which the fact had taken possession of his mind we suspect that he relied on astrological prediction, which had the credit of a revelation in his own esteem.—Household Words.

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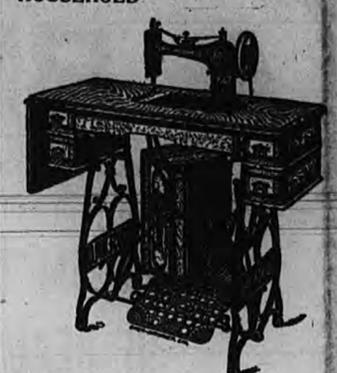
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disappointed, while some who this day are obscure and poverty stricken will ride upon the shoulders of the people and take their turn at admiration and the spoils of office.

Sorrows Under Crowns.

Again, this Haman's history shows us that outward possessions and circumstances cannot make a man happy.

Were I called to sketch misery in its worst form I would not go up to the dark alley of the poor, but up the highway over which prancing Bucephali strike the sparks with their hoofs and between statuary and parks of stalking deer.

Happiness For the Soul.

The soul's happiness is too large a craft to sail up the stream of worldly pleasure. As ship carpenters say, it draws too much water.

Mordecai will only have to wait for his day of triumph. It took all the preceding trials to make a proper background for his after successes.

least two misfortunes, hard as flint, to strike fire. Heavy and long continued snows in the winter are signs of good crops next summer.

Scotch Humor.

An old gentleman is recorded to have emerged gloriously from the difficulty propounded by a canny little urchin in the Sunday school, who when Jacob's ladder was under consideration wanted to know if "all angels had wings,"

Having missed one of his students for several Sundays, he said to one of her relatives: "I haena seen yeer cousin Bell at the class for a long while.

Evangeline's Query.

Mrs. Baxstone is one of the busiest society women in town. She belongs to three afternoon whist clubs and two dancing clubs.

But it happened one day last week that Mrs. Baxstone didn't get ready to go anywhere after luncheon.

This caused her little 3-year-old daughter to wonder. The child waited expectantly for awhile, and then in wide eyed amazement said:

"Are you and papa doin to stay home dis evenin?"

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ORDER NISI. Nellie H. Brattan, Administratrix, vs. Geo. W. Richardson.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 988 Chancery, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James K. Ellegood, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of June next.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. William J. Mills and Edith M. Mills, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1191, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the funds arising from said sale as made and reported by Jay Williams, attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once a week for three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be \$900.00.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. Levin M. Wilson and E. Stanley Toadvin.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1191, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of the property, and the distribution, mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by George W. Bell, attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the first day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be \$900.00.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, the undersigned, as trustee, will sell at public sale at the court house door in Salisbury, Md., on

Trustee's Sale

Saturday, June 18, 1898, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

All that lot of ground situated and lying in Wicomico county aforesaid on the east side of the county road leading to Spring Hill Mt. Pleasant, three-quarters of a mile from Salisbury, of which Henry Waller (colored) died, seized and possessed, and conveyed to said Waller by Thos. Ellis and wife, adjoining the property of J. J. Morris, Hyland lot, and O. J. Schneck, containing two acres, one rod, four perches more or less. Crops of present year reserved.

TERMS OF SALE. One-half cash, balance in six months bond approved by trustee. Title deed at expense of purchaser.

G. W. D. WALLER, Trustee.

THOS. F. J. RIDER, Attorney.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I have obtained from the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, an order for the sale of ten acres and three-tenths of an acre of land, belonging to Asher B. Hamblin in 1895, and now owned by Grant Dennis, situated in Pittsburgh district in Wicomico county, beginning at an angle formed by the east line of the county road leading from Willards to Powellville and the north line of a private road, which is distinguished by the letter A on the plat of said land made by Peter S. Spockley, county surveyor, on the 8th of April, 1898, and on the line in the Clerk's Office, the running was thence county road south six degrees and thirty minutes, west 27 poles and seventy-hundredths of a pole to a post; thence south 87° 45', east 59 poles and fifty-hundredths of a pole to a post; thence north 67° 30', east 28 poles to a post; thence north 80° west 59 poles and fifty-hundredths of a pole to the beginning; and this is to give notice that on

at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., I shall sell at public auction at the Court House door in the city of Salisbury, the said ten acres of land and three-tenths of an acre of land, of the property of Asher B. Hamblin now owned by Grant Dennis, to satisfy the State and County taxes due from said Asher B. Hamblin for the years 1892 and 1893 with interest and costs.

LEVI D. GORDY, Collector of taxes, 4th Collection District.

NEW YORK, PHILA. & NORFOLK R. "CAPE CHARLES ROUTE." Time Table in Effect Nov. 29, 1897. SOUTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 97 No. 91 No. 85 No. 45

NORTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 92 No. 82 No. 86 No. 44

Crisfield Branch. No. 103 No. 145 No. 127

No. 192 No. 116 No. 194

DELAWARE DIVISION. Schedule in effect November 29, 1897. Trains leave Delmar north bound as follows:

BRANCH ROADS. Dela., Md. & Va. R. R.—Leave Harrington for Franklin City 10.30 a. m. week days; 6.57 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only.

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AMERICAN MECHANICS.

Fiftieth Session of the State Council Held in Salisbury this Week

The Fiftieth Annual Session of the State Council of the United American Mechanics was held in Salisbury last Tuesday and Wednesday.

By courtesy of the Board of County Commissioners, the daily sessions were held in the Court House, which was gaily decorated with bunting and the Stars and Stripes.

The following officers were present: State Councilor, W. D. Gravenor, of Sharptown; State Vice-Councilor, W. W. Gwinn, of Baltimore; State Council Secretary, Charles H. Stein, of Baltimore; State Council Treasurer, James F. Disney, of Baltimore; State Council Inductor, J. H. Owens, of Havre de Grace; State Council Examiner, W. T. Post, of Vienna; Inside Protector, G. H. Innis, of Aberdeen; State Council Doorkeeper, L. R. Atkinson, of Rising Sun, and State Council Chaplain, W. L. Rhodes, of Brookview.

The council was opened by prayer. Tuesday morning's session was occupied in passing upon the credentials of the delegates. Fifty delegates were found to be entitled to seats. At 10.30 the session adjourned and formed in parade beyond the N. Y. P. & N. depot. The line of march was headed by Mayor Parsons in a carriage. With him was National Council Secretary John Server of Philadelphia. The Salisbury Cornet Band came next, and it was followed by a wagon loaded with little girls, dressed in white and each carrying a flag. There were 45 of them representing the 45 councils of the State. Thirteen boys bearing a large flag and dressed in Cuban hats, represented the 13 original States of the Union. W. T. A. Kirwan, of Liberty Council No. 34, Baltimore, was marshal of the parade. The procession moved through the principal streets of the town, and finally assembled on the courthouse square, where an address of welcome was made by State's Attorney T. F. J. Rider. He was responded to by National Secretary John Server.

The afternoon session was called to order at 2 o'clock. After the adoption of the State Councilor's report the report of the State Secretary was read. His report showed a gain of 500 members during the past year, making the present numerical strength of the order in the State, 2,500. The financial condition of the order in this State was shown to be better than for many years past, and the general condition of the order in every way highly gratifying to the members.

On the recommendation of the secretary, Charles H. Stein, it was resolved to appropriate \$100 as a basis, subject to the order of the incoming board of officers, for the purpose of establishing a paper in the interests of the order and of the Daughters of Liberty. A resolution was passed recognizing the daughters of liberty as an auxiliary of the O. U. A. M. in Maryland. Prizes were offered to the three councils making the largest increase in membership during the coming year, and a premium for instituting new councils of one dollar per capita for new members was passed. It was also determined to empower the board of officers to employ a lecturer during the coming year. J. H. Owens and C. Harry Stein were appointed a press committee.

At the meeting Wednesday a resolution was passed making September 12th O. U. A. M. memorial day out of respect for departed members of the order.

A resolution was presented that the State Council of Maryland pass a memorial urging the various councils in the State to agitate an additional appropriation of \$500,000 for the benefit of the public schools of the State, but it was not concurred in.

Election of officers was as follows: State Councilor, J. H. Owens, Havre-de-Grace; State Vice-Councilor, I. S. Bennett, Riverton; State Council Treasurer, Jas. T. Disney, Baltimore; State Council Inductor, W. T. McCullough, Principo; State Council Examiner, W. L. Rhodes, Brookview; State Council Inside Protector, L. R. Atkinson, Rising Sun; State Council Outside Protector, W. F. Callaway, Salisbury; State Council Chaplain, C. F. Dilaha, Vienna. National Council Representative for the term of three years, Geo. H. Ivins, of Aberdeen.

Havre de Grace was selected as the place of next meeting. Installation of officers by John Servey. National Secretary was an interesting feature of Wednesday's meeting.

The representatives reached Salisbury Tuesday night and were received by a committee consisting of Messrs. W. F. Calloway, G. W. Collins, George Tindle and John Lank, members of Salisbury Council, No. 32, who were appointed to arrange for the entertainment of the visitors. They were entertained at the hotel and the private homes. Among the newly elected officers are Mr. I. S. Bennett of Riverton, and Mr. W. F. Calloway of Salisbury, both worthy countians. They left Salisbury Thursday.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures all wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty cents a bottle.

A Wonderful Discovery.

The last quarter of a century records many wonderful discoveries in medicine, but none that have accomplished more for humanity than that sterling old household remedy, Brown's Iron Bitters. It seems to contain the very elements of good health, and neither man, woman or child can take it without deriving the greatest benefit. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

The Strawberry Crop of 1898.

The strawberry season of 1898 will close with this week. In most sections of the county the crop was full for the acreage set and the attention given, although the number of cars shipped was much less than previous years. The early crop, principally Mitchel's Early was a total failure, shippers scarcely getting enough to pay picking bills. On the east side of the county there was a fair crop of good berries, and although the prices ranged low there will be a small net balance for the shippers. In Tyaskin and Trapps district the complaint is general that the crop was unprofitable. The same is almost true of Salisbury district. The profits are small after all expenses have been paid. Reports from Baron Creek are considerably more favorable. There the crop was much larger than usual, and although no fancy prices prevailed, yet the shippers felt compensated as a rule. The crop has carried to the district considerable cash and all felt more hopeful and in better spirits. The berries there seemed to be of better quality—firmer and better quality.

Much inferior stock has been shipped from the county this year. All the first part of the shipping season was rainy, and as a result the berries were soft, sandy and in many cases decayed on the side next to the ground. The methods of cultivation must be improved if the crop is to be a paying one in the future. We must grow more and better berries to the acre, and the fruit must be kept in better condition. To do this we must mulch in winter to protect the vines from the weather and the fruit in spring from sand and decay and to keep the moisture from escaping. Good fruit put in proper condition paid this year, medium grades paid something, although but little; the inferior grades brought the shippers in debt. This is the condition that our growers must consider.

The refrigerator car was used successfully at Mardela.

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No other preparation has ever done so many people so much good as Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine.

Items From Traits.

The strawberry season has finished and the margin of gain for the majority of growers has been very small. They have no doubt learned to realize that it is "more blessed to give than to receive."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Carey of Whitesville, Del., spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Miss Carrie Purnell of Worcester spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. T. A. Jones.

Corn notwithstanding the cold weather, looks favorable for a good crop.

Mr. Isaac W. Lewis who has been very sick is slowly recovering.

Messrs. J. L. Beauchamp and Jacob G. Jones spent Wednesday in Bishopville attending the vendue of Dr. T. A. J. Holloway.

Mr. Samuel Edward Jones who has been attending the Law Department of the University of Maryland, Baltimore, returned home this week.

Mr. M. Hastings of Salisbury was in town Thursday.

A Promising New Strawberry.

Mr. Geo. Tilghman, one of Wicomico's most prosperous farmers, who resides near town, has originated a new strawberry which gives promise of becoming a leading variety.

In conformation it very much resembles the Haverland. It colors well and on Mr. Tilghman's farm grows to more than usual size, under average conditions. Specimens left at the ADVERTISER office were quite attractive in appearance and unusually toothsome. Mr. Tilghman reports that the time for ripening extends from early to quite late. A basket containing ripe fruit of this variety, gathered on Mr. Tilghman's farm, was placed in the pump house where it remained more than a week, and the fruit was then at the end of that time still well preserved.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Salisbury, (Md.) Post Office, Saturday, June 11th, 1898.

Henry J. Parker, G. M. Pryor, George C. Jones, Rev. Geo. W. Haddaday, Laura A. Adkins care D. T. Matthews, Mrs. Florida Parsons, Miss Alice Callaway care Olevia Adkins, Miss Mattie Hawkins care Jno. Hawkins, Miss Malilla Gutter, Miss Nora Eaton, Miss Jennie Miller.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

MARY D. ELLEGOOD, Postmistress.

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PHILADELPHIA, Monday, June 6, 1898.

HALF-YEAR SALE OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

The twenty-second half-year sale of Women's Undergarments and Children's Wear is in progress. FRESH AND NEWLY-DAINTY GARMENTS made to our exacting requirements from good new cottons just from the mills.

The markets never held so much of unworthiness—skipped sizes, old and yellow muslins, poor embroideries. Disgusted with such trash, our chief and his corps of helpers started on a new campaign. The result is for your approval. The most inexpensive pieces here are perfectly fashioned, well made and daintily trimmed.

There is the carefulness and liberality of home produced garments, with an added plentitude of work that the most patient home sewer would not have time for.

The chief went to Paris for ideas and makers went to Switzerland to get daintiest edgings and insertions at first hands.

So closely has the making preceded the sale that only **600,000 Garments Are Ready**

But the work goes on, and a town-ful of bright, intelligent, rosy-cheeked young women are making fine wages while you are choosing the truly economical needlework we have gathered—for this underwear is MADE IN SEMI-RURAL WORKROOMS, with such sensible surroundings for the health and comfort of the workers that the

Product is to All Purposes Home-Made

Our contracts are supposed to yield us sufficient goods for the entire months selling, but prudent people know that delays are dangerous. Even this business organization cannot command such low prices continuously. We and you are fortunate in the supplies we gather for a month's selling twice a year.

Economy for you—liberality for them. Sounds inconsistent, but it is not. Let us see how easily it is done. Even such staple goods as muslins are a mite cheaper in car-load lots. That is how they are bought. The trimmings come straight from St. Gall. All in all, it is fair to suppose that materials cost twenty per cent. under retail prices. The manufacturer is satisfied with five per cent. profit, and even liberal wages don't add much to the cost when, with labor-saving machinery, a young woman can produce a fairly elaborate petticoat in an hour. THE SIMPLER GARMENTS SELL AT ABOUT WHAT EQUAL MATERIALS WOULD COST YOU, and the very finest undergarments are not extravagant.



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There is a winsome collection of Lingerie from Paris—exquisite pieces that will charm any lover of daintiness—these fine things in the Little French Store.

Night Gowns—

At 38c—Of muslin; square yoke with four clusters of five plaits each and two rows of insertion; turnover collar, collar and sleeves trimmed with embroidery. Only three to a buyer.

At 38c—Of muslin; Empire style with shield-of-embroidery; collar and sleeves are finished with cambric ruffle. Only three to a buyer.

At 50c—Of cambric; collar and sleeves finished with ruffle of lawn; yoke composed of clusters of plaits and insertion.

At 50c—Of cambric; V neck; yoke of hemstitching and fine plaits; neck and sleeves embroidery trimmed.

At 60c—Of cambric; high neck; trimmed with ribbon-run embroidery; sleeves finished with embroidery.

At 75c—Of muslin; high neck; front has four rows of insertion and six clusters of fine plaits; neck and sleeves trimmed.

At 85c—Of cambric; yoke composed of six clusters of fine plaits and four lace insertions; collar and sleeves lace trimmed.

At 85c—Of nainsook; square neck; trimmed with Torchon lace and beading; sleeves are trimmed with lace.

At 85c—Of cambric; V neck; with embroidery and insertions and clusters of fine plaits.

At 85c—Of nainsook; high neck; yoke has six clusters of fine plaits and four rows of Valenciennes lace; collar and sleeves trimmed with lace.

At 85c—Of muslin; V neck; yoke has four clusters of fine plaits and four insertions of embroidery; neck and sleeves trimmed with embroidery.

At 85c—Of nainsook; high neck; yoke of fine plaits; neck and sleeves finished with embroidery.

At 1.50—Of cambric; high neck; large collar; collar, sleeves and front trimmed with deep ruffle of embroidery; bow of ribbon at neck.

Petticoats—
At 35c—Of muslin; cambric ruffle; three plaits in ruffle and four above.

At 50c—Of muslin; umbrella shape; ruffle of embroidery.

At 65c—Of cambric; umbrella shape; trimmed with embroidery.

At 75c—Of cambric; umbrella shape; lace trimmed.

At 85c—Of cambric; umbrella shape; lawn ruffle with an insertion of embroidery.

At 1.00—Of cambric; umbrella shape; with ruffle and insertion of lace.

At 1.00—Of muslin; umbrella shape; plaits and ruffle of embroidery.

Chemises—
At 18c—Of muslin; finished with cambric ruffle. Only three to a buyer.

At 25c—Of muslin; finished with corded bands.

At 35c—Of muslin; trimmed with embroidery, beading and lace.

At 50c—Of cambric; round neck; trimmed with embroidery and lace.

At 50c—Of muslin; square neck; front of fine plaits and insertion; neck and armholes finished with embroidery.

At 75c—Of cambric; square neck; front of cluster of plaits and lace insertions.

At 1.00—Of lawn; trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertions of embroidery.

Corset Covers—
At 8c—Of cambric; high neck; embroidery trimmed; felled seams; pearl buttons. Only three to a buyer.

At 8c—Of cambric; V front, high back; trimmed with embroidery; felled seams; pearl buttons. Only three to a buyer.

At 10c—Of cambric; low neck; felled seams; pearl buttons. Only three to a buyer.

At 15c—Of muslin; square neck front, high back; trimmed with embroidery and lace.

At 25c—Of cambric; V neck; embroidery and insertion.

At 25c—Of cambric; V neck; trimmed with embroidery or lace trimmed, as you prefer.

At 30c—Of cambric; square neck; neck

and armholes trimmed with embroidery.

At 40c—Of cambric; V front and back; trimmed with embroidery.

At 40c—Of cambric; square neck; trimmed with embroidery.

At 40c—Of cambric; V neck; trimmed with embroidery; and insertion.

At 50c—Of cambric; square neck; front of lace insertion and plaits.

At 50c—Of cambric; V neck; trimmed with embroidery.

Corsets—
At 50c—Estelle Corsets; strong Jean; stripped with saten; two side steels; long waisted; white and drab.

At 1.25—L. R. Corsets, abdominal length; spoon clasps; two side steels; boned bust. White and drab.

Drawers—
At 15c—Of muslin or cambric; yoke band; hem and six plaits. Only three to a buyer.

At 20c—Of muslin; yoke band; hem and three plaits.

At 25c—Of muslin; with deep cambric ruffle and plaits.

At 40c—Of muslin; deep cambric ruffle edged with embroidery; plaits above ruffle.

At 50c—Of muslin and cambric; wide ruffle of embroidery; eight plaits above.

At 75c—Of cambric; finished with neat embroidery and clusters of plaits.

At 75c—Of cambric; finished with embroidery, cluster of plaits and insertion.

At 1.00—Of cambric; ruffle of fine embroidery and twelve plaits.

Women's Shirts—
At 50c—Shirts of pretty plaids; pointed yoke back; loose front; laundered collar and cuffs, the collar detachable.

At 75c—Shirts of pretty stripes; yoke back; loose front; bias effect; laundered collars and cuffs; detachable collar.

At 1.00—Chambray Shirts in pink and blue; collar and cuffs are edged with white; yoke back and loose front.

At 1.00—Shirts of cheviot in pretty colorings; bias effect; yoke back, loose front; laundered collar and cuffs, the collar detachable.

At 1.25—Shirts of fancy striped madras; pointed yoke back, loose front; bias effect; laundered collar and cuffs, the collar detachable.

Children's Wear
On Second Floor—

At 25c—INFANTS' LONG DRESSES of cambric; ruffle of Swiss embroidery on neck and sleeves.

At 50c—INFANTS' LONG DRESSES of nainsook; yoke of plaits and insertions; ruffle on yoke, neck and sleeves; trimmed with Valenciennes lace.

At 85c—INFANTS' LONG DRESSES of nainsook; yoke shirred and trimmed with Swiss insertions; ruffle of embroidery on neck and sleeves.

At 1.50—INFANTS' LONG DRESSES of nainsook; plaited yoke back and front; Swiss insertion and ruffle of embroidery over shoulders; ruffle of embroidery on neck and sleeves and ribbon run beading at neck.

At 38c—INFANTS' LONG SKIRTS of cambric; insertion of lace and deep hem.

At 50c—INFANTS' LONG SKIRTS of cambric; cluster of plaits and ruffle edged with Valenciennes lace.

At 50c—CHILDREN'S SHORTSKIRTS of cambric; umbrella shape; lace trimmed ruffle. For ages 1, 2 and 3 years.

At 50c—CHILDREN'S SHORT DRESSES of lawn; revers and ruffles edged with Valenciennes lace. Pink and blue. For ages 2 and 3 years.

At 50c—CHILDREN'S SHORT DRESSES of cambric; jacket effect of embroidery; Valenciennes lace on neck and sleeves. For ages 1 and 2 years.

At 50c—CHILDREN'S SHORT DRESSES of nainsook; yoke of embroidery and ruffle of embroidery on neck and sleeves. For ages 1 and 2 years.

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OUR NATIONAL HOLIDAY.

A Celebration of the Fourth of July to be Held in Salisbury.

A committee of our patriotic citizens are arranging an attractive programme for a Fourth of July entertainment to be held in Salisbury.

The day's amusements will consist of trotting races at the fair grounds; a base ball game; firemen's parade; a parade of all the secret orders of the town and county; and music and dancing at the park.

Messrs. George R. Collier, Walter B. Miller, O. J. Schneck, and Jas. L. Powell are preparing the race part of the programme. The track will be put in good condition and good horses will be sent by competent drivers. There will be three races—a free-for-all, a 2.45 class, and a three-minute class. Among the well-known horses which will be driven are "Regulus," "Meteor," "Lady Cleveland." Mr. George W. Bell and Mr. W. Frank Howard will also enter horses. This will be one of the most exciting features of the day.

Refreshments and music in the shade will insure all visitors a good time.

LEMON HILL SECURED.

For the Present that Beautiful Spot will be Open to the Public.

Ex-Governor Jackson and Judge Holland have generously tendered the use of "Lemon Hill" for a public park for the present, with certain restrictive conditions.

The park will be under the management of the fire department who have appointed a park commission to look after the property and protect it from abuse. The trees, shrubbery and other property will be carefully watched to insure their protection from ruthless visitors, and the grounds are to be put to no use other than the innocent amusement and recreation of the public.

The park commissioners are Mayor Parsons, Chief Grier, Assistant Chief McConkey, I. Ulman and A. R. Lohner. In order to insure protection to the property and good behavior on the grounds, the Mayor has commissioned Wade Polk and Dr. Weiderhall a special park police, empowered with the same authority to make arrests as the city police.

The commissioners have formulated some regulations, the chief ones being that the park shall be closed at 11 o'clock p. m., and that it shall be used by churches and Sunday schools without cost on application to the commissioners.

DEATH OF MISS ALICE RIDER.

Expired Tuesday at Her Home in Washington, and Brought to Salisbury for Interment.

Miss Alice B. Rider died last Tuesday at the home of her mother Mrs. Margaret Rider in Washington, D. C., of nervous prostration. Her remains were brought to Salisbury Wednesday and taken to "The Oaks," where the family of Hon. E. E. Jackson had just arrived for the summer. Funeral services were held there at 11 o'clock Thursday morning by Rev. Mr. Potts of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church South. The remains were interred in Parsons cemetery.

Miss Rider was a daughter of Mrs. Margaret A. Rider, formerly of Salisbury, but a resident for the last few years of Washington. Mrs. E. E. Jackson and Mrs. Mary E. Houston are sisters, and Messrs. G. R. Rider, N. H. Rider, Wm. H. Rider and John B. Rider are surviving brothers. Those who knew Miss Rider esteemed her for her quiet christian character, and her death brings sorrow to many life long friends.

GRATEFUL FIREMEN.

Express Their Appreciation of the Hospitality of Salisbury People.

Chief Grier of the Salisbury Fire Department has received the following letter from the Annapolis Water Witch Hook and Ladder Co.:

To the Ladies, Chief, Firemen and Citizens of Salisbury, Md.

In meeting, the undersigned committee was selected to most gratefully thank the ladies, chief, firemen and citizens of Salisbury for their most kind and courteous treatment of the Water-witch Hook and Ladder Co. while in your city. It has left an everlasting impression, which time cannot efface. Hoping your kind ladies, noble chief, brave firemen and hospitable citizens will accept these few words of gratitude from the W. H. & L. Co. No. 1, of Annapolis, Md.

GEO. HALM, JR.
F. R. SMITH.
A. M. PARKINSON.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

TAX RATES REDUCED.

Wicomico Tax Payers will have a Reduction in Taxation.

The county commissioners met last Tuesday and completed the work of declaring the annual levy. The county tax way fixed a 80¢ cents on the hundred dollars, which is two cents less than the rate last year and makes the combined state and county tax 98 cents on the hundred dollars.

This acceptable reduction is the result of a practical economy on the part of our commissioners. It has always been the policy of Mr. Morris, the president of the last two boards of commissioners, to discourage the opening of proposed new roads, the creation of which appeared of doubtful utility; but whenever money was appropriated for highways to see that the work was thorough and hence economical.

The reduction has come in spite of a shrinkage in the assessable basis amounting to \$485,000 including the shrinkage in the value of stocks which alone, Tax Commissioner Graham has shown, represent a decrease of over \$50,000. The expenses for the fiscal year of 1898 were \$39,673.45; for 1897 they were \$42,243.33.

The large items levied for 1898 are: Public school fund, \$11,000; court expenses, \$2500, election expenses, \$1952; roads and supervision, \$3290; alms house, \$1500; pensioners, hospitals, etc., \$3300.

Conditions considered, the board of commissioners should receive the approbation of the tax payers for the economy the former has practiced in the management of the county's business.

UNITED STATES BONDS.

Everybody who desires may now invest in government bonds.

Coupon bonds are issued in denominations of \$20, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000.

The war loan which is now being offered will be sold to subscribers, at par during the period of subscription, which ends July 14, 1898. The method of subscription has been made as simple as possible. Blank forms may be obtained at every money-order post-office, and at most of the banks and express offices, and on these forms is clearly indicated all that is necessary for the subscriber to fill out. The subscriber may himself mail to the Treasury Department at Washington the blank form filled out, together with his remittance covering the par value of the amount of bonds for which he wishes to subscribe. The remittance may be in whatever form best suits the subscriber's convenience, in currency, bank draft, check, post-office money order, or express money order. The day the currency is received, or the day the proceeds are received from the checks, drafts, or money order, the subscription will be entered and will immediately begin drawing interest. When the bonds are delivered, a check will accompany each delivery covering the interest at 8 per cent from the day the subscription is entered to the 1st of August, the date of the bonds and from which date the bonds will carry their own interest. Blanks and instructions may be had at the Salisbury National Bank, the Farmers' & Merchants Bank, and at the Post Office of this city.

America's Crops of 1898.

Preliminary reports of May exportations which have reached the Bureau of Statistics make it apparent that the agricultural exports of the year will be considerably in excess of \$800,000,000, the total for the year being likely to reach \$885,000,000. Never before have the exports of agricultural products reached the \$800,000,000 line, and never but twice have they been as much as \$700,000,000, the two occasions in which they passed the \$700,000,000 line being in 1881 and 1892.

Compared with the last fiscal year the increase in exports of agricultural products will be full \$150,000,000, and, compared with the preceding year, the increase will be more than \$250,000,000, while the total will be fully fifty per cent in excess of that of the fiscal year 1895.

In breadstuffs alone the exports of the year will amount to nearly \$1,000,000 for each business day, and will be more than \$100,000,000 in excess of last year's exports of breadstuffs. Nearly all articles classed as breadstuffs have participated in this increase. Of wheat the value of the exports for the fiscal year 1898 will be more than double those of the fiscal year 1897, while the increase will be nearly fifty per cent and of corn nearly fifty per cent in value. Total exports of corn for the year, for the first time, will pass the 200,000,000 bushel line, the total in only three preceding years having reached 100,000,000 bushels.

Notice.

The Holy Eucharist will be offered in S. Mary's Chapel, Tyaskin, on Sunday morning next, June, 19th at 10 o'clock.

Evening Prayer and Sermon that afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock, in S. Bartholomews Chapel, Green Hill. Also, Evening Prayer and Sermon, at 8 o'clock in St. Phillips' Chapel, Quantico.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Steps to Be Taken to Expand Our Trade Relations.

There was a meeting of the business men of Salisbury in the city hall last Thursday evening, called for the purpose of reorganizing the Board of Trade of Salisbury. The meeting was called to order by A. J. Benjamin, Esq., and Thos. Perry was made chairman of the meeting, and Grier Ratcliff, secretary. It was decided to elect at this meeting a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, and board of directors. These officers were elected:

F. C. Todd, President.
A. J. Benjamin, Vice President.
G. Grier Ratcliff, Secretary.
M. V. Brewington, Treasurer.

These, with the following named persons, will constitute the board of directors: L. E. Williams, L. W. Gunby, S. A. Graham, C. J. Birkhead, Thomas Perry, James E. Ellegood, Jesse D. Price, Lacy Thoroughgood, Wm. B. Tilghman, R. D. Grier, Samuel E. Gordy, W. P. Jackson.

The board of directors will meet at an early day and revise the by-laws and constitution of the body, and take active steps to build up our local trade and to establish more intimate trade relations with our neighbors in the adjoining counties.

Wilson-Bowland.

Mr. Joseph Johnston Wilson and Miss Edythe Helena Bowland were united in marriage at St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal church at Pocomoke City, Md., on Wednesday, June 15th, by the Rev. Franklin B. Adkins of Quantico.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. L. E. Bowland of Kingston, Somerset county. She was accompanied to the altar by her cousin, Dr. Fred Adams, who gave her away. The groom escorted by his best man Mr. S. Ker Slemmons, approached the altar from the vestry-room. The maid of honor was Miss Gertrude Adams. Mr. Frank Barnes and Mr. Louis Milbourne acted as ushers.

Lohengrin's wedding march was rendered by Miss Wilson of Princess Anne. After the ceremony the bridal company proceeded immediately to the railway station whence the happy couple took the north-bound express for a trip north. They will reside at Claiborne, Md., where Mr. Wilson is employed as agent for the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company.

Death of George E. Davis.

Mr. George E. Davis, who died in Quantico Wednesday last of congestive chill, was born near Princess Anne, Md., and was 55 years old.

His parents, who are dead, were Azariah Davis of Somerset county and Martha Rider of Wicomico county (then Somerset.) Mrs. Annie M. Waller, of Salisbury, and Mrs. May Hughes, near Quantico, are sisters. One brother lives at Hebron and one at Galleville, Ill.

Mr. Davis devoted many years of his life to farming, was for two years proprietor of the Quantico Hotel, but for the last ten years has conducted a wagon factory in Quantico. Those who have known him from boyhood speak highly of his character for honesty and integrity. He was an industrious man and a useful citizen in his community.

A wife, the daughter of the late Ballard Venables, and four children survive him.

His life was insured in Quantico Conclave, I. O. H., for \$3000.00

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Salisbury, (Md.) Post Office, Saturday, June 18th, 1898.

J. A. Jones, Stanbury Brown, I. R. Carey, J. W. Fletcher, Thomas Hayman, Robt Livengston (2), Wm. Nicholson, Edward H. Matthews, C. C. Perkins, Charles Edward Wilson, Rev. E. Parker, Mrs. Addie L. Wainright, Mrs. Sarah J. Smith, Mrs. I. A. Powers (2), Mrs. I. C. Hearn, Mrs. Annie L. Hearn, Miss Crookhank, Jane Crippen.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

MARY D. ELLEGOOD, Postmistress.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL
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Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

THE GOLDEN

Opportunity OF THE SEASON

RARE BARGAINS

—IN—

Hammocks, Base Ball Goods and Croquet Sets.

We are selling cotton wove hammocks, pillow and stretch-er from \$1.00 up.

A good quality Mexican hammock, with one pair of stretchers thrown in for 75c.

A SCORCHER

is what we are likely to have any day now. You crave cooling drinks. Try a glass of delicious soda dispensed from our refrigerating fountain for 5c.

Ice cream soda, all flavors 10c.

WHITE & LEONARD'S DRUG STORE

Cor. Main and St. Peter's Sts.,

SALISBURY, MD.

WANTED.

GOOD, STOUT, ABLE-BODIED SHOES

TO GO TO THE FRONT.

The boys in blue and brown who are going to march through Cuba will want stout comfortable shoes in which they can tramp from morning till night, if need be, without discomfort.

Those who are called and those who galantly volunteer to do duty for their country, should see the splendid broad toed substantial shoes which we are selling at a special price to all who are preparing for war, or otherwise.

HARRY DENNIS

Only Shoe House,

Salisbury, Md.

A \$100 Wheel FOR \$25.00 OR AN

OLD ONE MADE NEW.

I have just opened a shop and ware room on Dock street, where I have for sale New Bicycles, having taken the agency for two leading makes. I have opened a repair shop in connection with it where all kinds of repairs to wheels will be properly and promptly done at reasonable prices. If you want a wheel call to see me. If you have one out of order bring it with you.

T. BYRD LANKFORD.

NEWS OF

NEW SHOES!

We are showing this week a great line of

MEN'S Russet Shoes

at \$3.

Don't fail to see them. They are made of willow calf, vici kid and chrome calf. No other such line for the price in Salisbury.

Patent Leather SHOES

have become a necessity in order to be a well dressed young man. Our line is not only "up-to-date" but up to July, and you don't have to give up all your money for a pair. We can give you a nice new toe genuine calf sewed with welt for \$3. There are others here for \$4 and \$5.

Low Cuts for Men

Good, solid, serviceable, dressy shoes, Russia calf, vici kid and patent leather. You can be sure the shapes and prices are all right or they wouldn't be here.

Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers

There are too many to specify. We simply say that there has been no such line in this little city—not within the memory of the writer, nor of the oldest inhabitants either. Everything that is new and snappy, from the staple Oxford tie to the new Theories and button straps, is here. We have a beautiful line of Strap Sandals for the children—from the Tiny Tot to the Grown-Up Children. Our Ladies' 50 cent Oxfords are a great deal like others ask you 75 cents for.

JUST A WORD

about our Children's and Misses' Russet Shoes. We have them in dark and light narrow and broad, lace and button, machine and hand sewed. Don't under any circumstances, shoe your child without looking into the merits of ours.

MAKE OUR STORE YOUR HEADQUARTERS.

J. D. Price & Co

SHOE SUPPLIERS AND MEN'S OUTFITTERS,

SALISBURY, MD.

THE CHILDREN.

Last Sunday Was Their Day at Wicomico Presbyterian Church and at Trinity.

Children's Day was observed in the Wicomico Presbyterian Church with much enthusiasm. Spirited music, flowers filling the air with their fragrance, white-robed children crowding the platform, the giving of rewards, a liberal offering for the Sabbath School signaled the occasion. In the morning the pastor, Rev. Dr. Reigart, preached a special sermon to the children. In the evening the Sabbath School rendered a beautiful programme of song and praise. Mr. Donald Graham led the music with his cornet; Miss Mary Reigart presided at the organ, and Miss Maud Brewington, of Baltimore, sang as a solo, "The Holy City."

Mr. L. W. Gunby, the Superintendent, made a most appropriate address, invoking the sympathy and co-operation of the parents in the work of the school, and eulogizing the labors of his predecessors in the school. The primary class sang the little songs and gave their recitations with a precision and heartiness that showed the careful training they had received from their indefatigable teacher, Mrs. Belle Fowler, who is the idol of her little pupils.

The pastor presented handsome bibles to Misses Maud and Lucy Ellingsworth for the perfect memorizing of the Shorter Catechism. The collection amounted to the generous sum of over fifty dollars for Sabbath School missions.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Children's Day was observed at Trinity M. E. Church South, last Sunday evening. "Among the Flowers" was the title of the programme, which was listened to by a large and interested congregation. The church was prettily decorated with flowers.

The exercises consisted of songs and recitations, which were rendered in a manner to reflect considerable credit on the school.

The opening address was made by Miss Irma Dykes in a clear and sweet voice. "Only a Pansy" was recited by Mary Tilghman, followed by a duet "Roses Everywhere" by Misses Ida and Anna Tindle. A dialogue, "Why We Praise God," was by five girls and two boys—Clara Hayman, Ruby Disharoon, Gertie Fields, Elsie Smith, Lillie Mitchell, Charles Bethke and James Turner; recitation, "God's Building," by Miss Nellie Cannon; exercise, "Little White Lillies," by eight girls—Ruby Disharoon, Mary Kibble, Lula Moore, Emma Ingersoll, Leona Hillman, Cora Turner, Annie Tindle and Annie Adams, each little girl carrying a lily; recitation, "Sunny Lives" by Howard Phillips; recitation, "Freely Ye have received, Freely Give," by Miss Lola Smith.

As was always the case, the exercises of the primary class was especially interesting. There song was entitled "God Will Remember."

The superintendent, Mr. James Cannon made a brief address, and after a collection had been taken for foreign missions the evening's exercises closed with a song, "Bright Floral Day, Farewell!"

Millions Given Away.

It certainly is gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Dr. L. D. Collier Druggist and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

The Fox Creek Railroad Begun.

Cambridge, Md., June 13.—The work of completing the grading of a mile of track for the Fox Creek Railroad was commenced today under the supervision of Mr. E. T. Mace. The mile starts near Church Creek and extends through the woods of Mr. William Dail. Before the subscription of \$75,000 from Dorchester county can be formally made it is necessary that a mile of track be graded. The work will be completed in a week or ten days.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures all wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty cents a bottle.

PREACHERS IN A LAW SUIT.

Purchasers of the Peninsula Methodist Decline to Pay all the Purchase Money.

Some time ago J. Miller Thomas of Wilmington sold the Peninsula Methodist to a syndicate of preachers of which Rev. Mr. Grise was the head. The amount agreed upon was \$2,500 of which sum \$2,000 in cash was paid by the clergymen and later a check for the remaining \$500 was to be given. The ministers maintain that Mr. Thomas represented the paper to have 2,600 subscribers, whereas they afterward found that the subscription list was less than 1,700, and then Mr. Grise refused to pay.

Presiding Elder W. F. Corkran, of the Easton district, testified that Mr. Thomas had frequently represented the paper as having 2,600 circulation. Mr. Corkran said he had put up \$500 of the purchase money, but he did not believe everything Thomas said.

Revs. J. S. Wickline, J. D. C. Hanna and W. W. Sharp all testified that their understanding with Mr. Thomas was that the paper had 2,600 bona fide subscribers.

Rev. J. T. Vanburkalow said that he invested \$700 in the paper, thinking the circulation was 2,600 and he had implicit confidence in Mr. Thomas. He did not pay his money on the day the paper was sold.

"You see," said the clergyman, "Brother Hanna wanted to make it a prohibition organ, but I did not want any politics in it we finally reached an agreement."

The plaintiff contends that in the articles of sale there is no specific mention of the figure of the circulation.

The Parish House.

The cornerstone for a Parish house to be erected in Easton, was laid last Monday with appropriate ceremonies.

The material is Port Deposit granite ashlar. The church and the rectory are of the same material, in rubble. The new building joins the west wall of the church at the south end, and runs toward the rectory. It fronts South street. Gathering funds to build it has been in progress for a number of years by the teachers and children of the Sunday-school. Its erection at this time was made possible through the munificence of the children of the late Dr. Isaac Leonard Adkins, who was for many years a vestryman of the parish. They gave \$1,500 to the fund. They are the Rev. Franklin Bache Adkins, William Hughlett Adkins, Mrs. Winder Laird Henry and Mrs. A. Eugene De Reeves.

Former rectors of the parish, whose names were put in the cornerstone, were Henry Michaels Mason, D. D., Orlando Hutton, D. D., Robert Wilson, M. D., and Charles Edward Buck. Mr. Mason was rector of the parish thirty-three years. On the beautiful chance window in memoriam to him, he is called "Diu Rector, fideliter Pastor, fauste Conditor."

Gave up Work.

"I was troubled with my stomach and would be obliged to give up work for several days at a time. I was at last persuaded to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. After the first few doses of this medicine I began to feel better and I can now do any kind of hard work." C. T. CLAYTON, Southard, N. J.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

A volunteer company of militia has just been organized at Brunswick, Frederick county. H. L. Mortimer is captain, W. L. Richards first lieutenant and H. H. Moore second lieutenant. The volunteers are anxious to enlist.

The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs, made by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

A flag was raised at Frostburg Tuesday night in honor of Admiral Dewey. State's Attorney Pearre made an address, and there was a parade of 800 members of patriotic and benevolent organizations.

Don't Neglect Your Liver.

Liver troubles quickly result in serious complications, and the man who neglects his liver has little regard for health. A bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters taken now and then will keep the liver in perfect order. If the disease has developed, Brown's Iron Bitters will cure it permanently. Strength and vitality will always follow its use. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, Sleeplessness and Melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a bottle at Dr. L. D. Collier's drug store.

Rose bugs are destroying the few peaches left in Worcester county by the late freeze early this spring. Mr. R. N. Todd says he had a large orchard which escaped the freeze and promised a good half yield, that has been totally destroyed by the bugs. Other farmers say they are more numerous than for years.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

J. H. K. Shanahan has contracted with the commissioners of Crisfield to put in water works there. The commissioners are advertising for a lot on which to sink a well, and expect to have the lot and Mr. Shanahan at work on it in a few days.

After meals you should have simply a feeling of comfort and satisfaction. You should not feel any special indications that digestion is going on. If you do, you have indigestion, which means not-digestion. This may be the beginning of so many dangerous diseases, that it is best to take it in hand at once and treat it with Shaker Digestive Cordial. For you know that indigestion makes poison, which causes pain and sickness. And Shaker Digestive Cordial helps digestion and cures indigestion. Shaker Digestive Cordial does this by providing the digestive materials in which the sick stomach is wanting. It also tones up and strengthens the digestive organs and makes them perfectly healthy. This is the rationale of its method of cure, as the doctors would say. Sold by druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

Wm. T. H. Lee who was indicted by the recent grand jury for failing to pay over to the county certain moneys collected while tax collector of Easton district, went into Easton last Saturday evening and gave himself up. He was released on \$3,000 bail.

Very Bad Case

Catarrh of the Throat Causes Much Suffering

Hood's Sarsaparilla Effects a Complete Cure—Better Every Way.

"My disease was catarrh of the throat and it was a very bad case. I did everything for it that I was told but it grew worse. I suffered more than any one on earth can know. For 11 months there was not a day or night that my throat was not sore. I could not eat anything but soft boiled eggs or something of that kind that I could easily swallow. My brother's wife persuaded me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, as it had helped her. I felt the effects of the medicine after taking three doses. I kept on taking it and in a short time the soreness disappeared and I could eat anything I wished. I am now feeling very much better and people remark how much better I look." Mrs. E. S. HEARN, Parsonsburg, Maryland.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Twenty Years Proof.

Tutt's Liver Pills keep the bowels in natural motion and cleanse the system of all impurities. An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation and kindred diseases.

"Can't do without them"

R. P. Smith, Chilesburg, Va. writes I don't know how I could do without them. I have had Liver disease for over twenty years. Am now entirely cured. **Tutt's Liver Pills**

ORDER NISI.

Eugene W. Humphreys, trustee, vs Levin S. Gordy and A. Maria Gordy, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 1168. May term, 1898.

Ordered this 2d day of June, 1898, that sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Henry L. D. Stanford, trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$1500.00

JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk.

True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

JAY WILLIAMS
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
SALISBURY, MD.

N. B.—A authorized agent for Fidelity & Deposit Company, Baltimore, Md. Bonds for faithful performance of all contracts.



For the Summer Girl

we have many dainty little fixings. Our stock of jewelry would be incomplete without them.

The assortment of Shirt Waist Sets, Links, Cuff Buttons, Neck and Belt Pins, Jeweled Belts and Hat Pins is more varied and beautiful than any hitherto offered. The designers and makers have given much attention to this class of work and the collection proves how artistic and skillful they are.

We add the necessary finishing touch by selling at easy-to-get-at price

HARPER & TAYLOR
SALISBURY, MD.

—All good buyers will attend the sale now going on at Birkhead & Carey's.

THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED.

We have been in the lumber business for several years and understand it. We are fully equipped to furnish building material—everything necessary for the construction of a house—the framing, weather boarding, flooring, shingles, windows, window blinds, doors, moulding, porch material and stairs, all complete. Don't run around to a half dozen places to buy your material—get all of it at one place and at rock bottom prices. We have the material and know how to manufacture it. We also get out special designs in mill work to order. If you are going to build a house or repair one, call and see us, we figure close.

E. S. ADKINS & CO.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS:

Resolved, That the people of the Island of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent;

Second.—That it is a duty you owe to yourselves to inspect the immense line of **Wash Goods** that is being exhibited daily to untold numbers. You will surely need something in **Summer Silks** for waists, etc., or the many pretty things that we have for you in all the new cotton fabrics. The warm weather is not far distant, and if upon its arrival you are unprepared you'll regret having procrastinated. As the season for house cleaning has arrived you will also need something in **Mattings**, and if you will but call and examine our line you will feel amply repaid, as we are offering unheard of bargains.

LAWS BROTHERS,
Salisbury, Md.

HORNER'S ABSOLUTELY Pure Animal Bone

FOR ALL CROPS AND PERMANENT GRASSES.

WARRANTED IN THE FULL PRICE OF THE GOODS. Higher in Essential Qualities than any other Goods on the Market. WE WILL SELL EITHER BY ANALYSIS, OR WEIGHT, PREFERABLY THE FORMER WAY. Also Concentrated FERTILIZERS for Quick Crops and Vegetables. Send for Circular.

JOSHUA HORNER, JR. & CO.,
26 SOUTH CALVERT STREET, BALTIMORE.

Bits of Maryland News.

Talbot county has a building boom. Harvest has begun in Talbot County. Many new buildings are being erected in Hagerstown. The People's National Bank at Denton began business Tuesday.

Crisfield young men who were not allowed by the Governor to form a company have left home to enlist.

General H. Kyd Douglas delivered a patriotic address at a flag-raising at Greensburg Saturday.

The practice ship for the Naval Academy now being built at Bath, Me., will be named the Chesapeake.

William Mong's daughter, Rock Forge was kicked by a horse and her leg crushed. The limb was amputated.

Thomas R. Foster, residing near Starr Kent county was seriously hurt by a horse kicking him Saturday morning.

Henry Watterson will deliver the oration at the unveiling of the Key Monument in Frederick on August 9.

Scrofula, hip disease, salt rheum, dyspepsia and other diseases due to impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Rev. J. St. Clair Neal, Baltimore delivered the baccalaureate sermon Sunday night at the Maryland Agricultural College.

Mayor James of Cambridge was re-elected Wednesday, and Zachariah Jews, colored, was elected to the Council.

A patent-medicine vendor who insulted Mrs. Sydney James, Lonaconing, was thrashed by her brother, George Pollock.

Dr. J. B. Slicer and a number of farmers near Farmington are making an effort to introduce English pheasants in the county.

Twenty mechanics at the Naval Academy were discharged Wednesday. The appropriation for work at the Academy is exhausted.

Fire Sunday damaged the boatyard of Henry Deibert & Sons, Elk Landing, a mile from Elkton. The loss is estimated at \$5000.

Lieut. Edgar Kriedler, who died in camp at Chicamauga, was a son of Mr. Hanson Kriedler, a former resident of Hagerstown.

Thomas Gracey and Stively Dickeroof were killed by lightning at Baird's Station, W. Va., on Saturday. They were B. & O. trackmen.

Arrangements are being made for the reunion of the survivors of several Massachusetts regiments on Antietam battlefield, about September 17.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

On July 4 Wingate Post, G. A. R., will place headstones at the graves of D. G. White and James A. Lowndes, two confederate soldiers, buried at North East.

Dr. Andrew Walker of Johnstown, Pa., claims the ground upon which Elkton is built under the will of his grandfather Andrew Walker. The will was made in 1774.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggist.

The victory of the Mullikin faction in Talbot in the appointment of tax collectors may affect Dr. Barber's candidacy for a renomination for Congress.

A good appetite. Is essential to good health. Hood's Sarsaparilla creates an Appetite, tones and Strengthens the stomach, And builds up the whole system.

It relieves that tired feeling, and by purifying and enriching the blood, it promptly and permanently cures all scrofula eruptions, boils, humors, pimples and sores; strengthens the nerves, and gives sweet, refreshing sleep. No other medicine has taken such hold upon the confidence of the people as Hood's Sarsaparilla and its record of great cures is unequalled by any other preparation. You may take Hood's Sarsaparilla with the utmost confidence that it will do you good.

Belvoir, the Chamberlain's estate, near Combridge, was sold at auction Tuesday for \$18,085. Alexander A. Mitchell was the purchaser.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's

Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectful, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

Preston an l Walter Hayward, both Snow Hill boys, are serving their country in the war with Spain. Preston was one of the troops recently sent to the Philippines, and Walton embarked with his regiment for Cuba last week. They are sons of Mr. George Hayward, one of the largest farmers in Worcester.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

A board of naval officers examined Round Bay last Wednesday, which has been suggested as a site for a Government naval dry dock. The mouth of the Patuxent was also examined. Some naval officers think it affords the best site for a dry dock.

A petition has been sent Governor Lowndes from Queen Annes county asking the remission of the \$500 fine imposed on B. Palmer Keating, convicted of embezzlement. Keating was also sentenced to a year in jail. His term expired May 1, but he is still in jail, the fine not having been paid.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY. FRANK J. CHENEY make oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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Come back, come back, our charming friends, Across the stormy water And bring your laundry work along. You know, by gosh, you oughter.

We've stuck to you through thick and thin And washed your shirts and collars, Until we've raked your pennies in, And now we want your dollars.

Don't send your laundry out of town, And then get up and holler, Because some reckless washee man Tore up your Sunday collar.

We do as fine a line of work As any sucker living. Now do not wink the other eye— It's truth to you we're giving.

We want your trade and guarantee Our work as good as any; And if it isn't then, our friend, You need not pay a penny.

Respectfully yours, **Salisbury Steam Laundry.** Kennerly, Mitchell & Co., Local Agts.

—Harness is essential at this time of the year. R. E. Powell & Co. have a large stock.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by L. D. COLLIER, druggist, Salisbury, Md.

LOCAL POINTS.

—Latest in Spring Belts at Fitch's. —Wear Price & Co.'s shoes. —Just received spring stock. Fitch. —We buy eggs. J. D. Price & Co. —Latest styles in jewelery at Fitch's. —Our Hats fit the head. J. D. Price & Co.

—Assorted taffy, fresh today at Wallop & Co.'s. —\$1200.00 to loan. Apply to G. W. D. Waller. —See our Men's \$3.00 Russet Shoes. J. D. Price & Co.

—Try a plate of our celebrated ice cream, Wallop & Co. —Fifty building lots for sale. Apply to G. W. D. WALLER.

—J. Bergen is selling all the latest paper patterns at 10 cents. —We keep Saratoga Chips. Try a 15 cent box. Wallop & Co.

—Infants sandals and moccasins just received at Prices. —Call at Davis & Baker's and examine their line of shoes. —Shoes and Hats for Tom, Dick and Harry. J. D. Price & Co.

—Ladies call and examine our \$1.50 shoes. Davis & Baker. —Paper patterns of any garment you want at Bergens for 10 cents.

—Have you tried Wallop & Co.'s 5 o'clock teas, they are nice. —We are still selling the best harness for the least money. Perdue & Gunby.

—You should see the line of new tailor-made wrappers at Birkhead & Carey. —Come in and behold the greatest shoe store on the peninsula.—J. D. Price & Co.

—Our Paris corn just received, is fine. Try a can and be convinced. Wallop & Co.

—White & Leonard's new line of books in sets are the right thing at the right price. —Every lady should see the line of ladies muslin underwear at Birkhead & Carey's.

—Have you tried our sliced sugar cured ham put up in cans, ready for use. Wallop & Co. —Better Soda, longer glasses, and all the latest flavors at White & Leonard's New Soda Fountain.

—Buy your groceries of Davis & Baker and save Money. All goods delivered free. —Pants, Pants for men. Pants for boys, Pants for children at Kennerly, Mitchell & Co.'s

—All the latest cuts in shirtwaists, skirts, suits and any pattern you want at Bergens for 10 cents. —Cherry Ripe and Red Messina Orange are two of the finest drinks served at White & Leonard's New Soda Fountain.

—Wear Kennerly, Mitchell & Co's. "Special." It comes in black or brown. Easy fitting, quality guaranteed. —Have you seen the new spring stiff called the ROYAL BLUE? They are beautiful hats. Sold only by LACY THOROUGHGOOD.

—Our \$2.00 Shoes for ladies are unequalled, sent post paid to any part of the United States upon receipt of \$2.00 J. D. Price & Co.

—Remember we are selling all the new books just as cheap as they can be bought delivered here at White & Leonard's Drug Store. —FOR RENT—House on Isabella St., adjoining the residence of Richard M. Johnson, Esq. Possession given May 1st. Apply to L. E. WILLIAMS.

—The largest, finest and cheapest line of horse and mule collars ever displayed in Salisbury is on exhibition at the store of B. L. Gillis & Son. —The largest stock of Carriages, Spindle wagons, Daytons, Surries and farm wagons ever in Salisbury at Perdue & Gunby's. Prices to suit the hard times.

—We have just received a very nice line of horse collars, which we are selling very cheap. Call and see before purchasing. Perdue & Gunby, Dock St. —If you want to see the up-to-date style in fine dress pants that have prices attached to them in reach of every body, Look in Kennerly, Mitchell & Co.'s window.

—Try a package of Grain-O. It is a pure food drink, takes the place of coffee, a table beverage which the children may drink without injury as well as the adult. Price 25c at Wallop & Co's. —When you want a new spring hat remember Lacy Thoroughgood sells a flange hat called "The Century" in brown and black for \$1.50, the "Pimlico" for \$2.00, and Stetson's "No Name" hat for \$2.50. Buy your new hat early and get first choice at Lacy Thoroughgood's.

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USE "TRUCKERS" MIXTURE FOR TOMATOES.

200 LBS. Farmers & Planters "TRUCKERS" MIXTURE
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Sam Jones, in his lecture here, said he liked practical things—practical preachers, practical doctors, and in fact was a practical man himself. While Sam was getting one dollar per minute for delivering the above doesn't make it any more impressive.

Farmers, all Sam says is not preaching, but Practical Fertilizers is what you want—a phosphate that is put up for practical results. Our "Trucker's" Mixture is compounded especially for tomatoes, for best practical results. The most practical thing about our "Truckers" Mixture is that tomato growers who used it last season are placing their orders for it again this season. We ask you to give us a trial.

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A Toothsome and Healthful Beverage. COFFEE-SICK PEOPLE seldom charge their ill feelings to the true cause. ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY shows the poisonous alkaloids of Coffee, as in Tobacco, Whiskey, and Morphine. A PERFECTLY HEALTHY MAN or woman can stand these for a time, but "constant dripping wears a stone" and finally headache, torpid liver, sick stomach or heart, and that "weak-all-over" feeling show that a poisoned nervous system is calling for help and relief. EVERY MORNING and perhaps at dinner and supper another brutal blow is given. SMALL WONDER that a fixed organic disease of some of the members is finally set up. RELIEF cannot be obtained unless the cause is removed. POSTUM CEREAL looks like ground coffee. When brewed it takes the beautiful deep seal brown color of Mocha or Java, changing to a rich golden brown when cream is added. An honest product of the healthful grains given by all-wise nature for man's proper sustenance. It nourishes, strengthens, and vitalizes. —FOR SALE BY— **WALLOP & CO.** and Whiskey Habits cured at home with out pain. Book of particulars sent FREE. B. M. WOOLLEY, M.D. Atlanta, Ga. Office 104 N. Pryor St.

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 MARY D. ELLEGOOD, Postmistress.

CHANGE OF MANAGEMENT.

The Strawberry Culturist which has been owned and published by Mr. W. F. Allen, Jr., for the past five years was purchased this week by the publishers of the ADVERTISER, Messrs. Perry & Hearn, and will in the future be owned and published by them. Mr. Allen will remain the editor of the paper as heretofore. Mr. Allen finds that the increasing labors incident to the management of the paper requires more of his time than he can give to it. Since the paper was first issued he has increased his premises from a 40 acre farm to one of 300 acres, and his nursery business, which was then reckoned by the hundreds of dollars is now measured by the thousand. In addition he is largely engaged in fruit growing.

The new management will push the paper with all possible vigor and will adhere to the same general policy that has been followed in the past. The Culturist is the only paper in the country published in the interest of small fruits exclusively. Mr. Allen who is an authority on fruit culture will remain editor, as this portion of the work will be rather a pleasure than a burden to him.

The paper has real merit and would be of great value to the fruit growers of this county as well as other sections. The competition in fruit growing has become so sharp that only those who keep thoroughly posted in varieties, methods of cultivation and methods of marketing, can succeed. Any grower of the county can well afford to pay fifty cents for such a publication.

Anyone interested can obtain a sample copy by writing for it.

LANDED ON GUBAN SOIL.

Admiral Sampson and his fleet are still at Santiago de Cuba. About one week ago six hundred marines were landed near Guantanamo with a view of making way for the army of invasion which will reach there today under General Shafter. The marines were attacked by the Spaniards and sustained some loss. The fighting was kept up for three days and nights. Fifteen hundred insurgents arrived later to reinforce the marines and the Spaniards were driven back with considerable loss. Fourteen thousand soldiers are on the way from Key West and are due to land at Guantanamo today, Saturday.

The second expedition to Manila has left San Francisco.

In Santiago harbor the first tests of the dynamite guns, in war, were made Tuesday night. The account will prove interesting reading. Here is the account furnished the New York Herald:

The dynamite cruiser Vesuvius had her first leave to try her three dynamite guns on the enemy last night. She dropped three shells, each containing three hundred pounds of gun cotton, upon a hill at the entrance to Santiago harbor.

This was the first test of dynamite cruiser in actual warfare, and naval officers are highly gratified with the results.

In acquiring a dynamite cruiser the United States established a precedent, and naval experts in all parts of the world have been keenly interested in it. Foreign governments watched closely the tests of the Vesuvius when the ves-

sel first went into the water, and no ship in either the American or Spanish navy has been the object of such studied attention since the present war began. Naval experts have been eager to know how the dynamite cruiser would behave in actual warfare and whether it would prove capable of doing the destructive work its defenders have predicted.

All doubts as to these points was dispelled within a few minutes last night. Admiral Sampson has been apprehensive about the strength of a fort situated on a point high above the sea to the west of the entrance to Santiago. This fort the American Admiral thought was one of the two not entirely disabled by the bombardment on June 6. To settle that point and also to give the dynamite cruiser a fair opportunity to prove its usefulness, he issued orders for the Vesuvius to shell the fort.

The Vesuvius stole up close to the entrance to the harbor and let go the first of her missiles. No flash, smoke or noise accompanied the discharge.

Some seconds later there was a frightful convulsion on the land. Tons of rock leaped high in the air. The earth was smitten. Dust rose in clouds, while terrible echoes rolled through the mountains miles away. Ships far out at sea were shaken violently.

There was a long silence, and no answer from the batteries, then another frightful thunder, another silence, another upheaval. Next the third shot was fired.

In the darkness the Americans could not distinguish the place at which the shells struck, but they exploded very near the fort, if they did not actually hit it.

This effective work of the Vesuvius was followed a few hours later by equally good work by the New Orleans, Captain Folger, of the New Orleans, reported to Admiral Sampson early last night that the Spaniards were emplacing new guns east of Morro Castle, and he was ordered to make an attack on the new defences at daylight.

When dawn came the New Orleans took a position within three-quarters of a mile of the new fortifications, and gave the Spaniards the hottest ten minutes they have ever had since the war began. The range was found at the first shot, and in a minute the crest of the hill was being swept by a hurricane of shells. In a few seconds the Spanish position was obscured by the smoke from the bursting missiles. Every shell struck the top of the parapet, bursting over its defenders.

The batteries were silenced in three minutes, but the firing was continued until a signal to recall was hoisted on the flagship. The New Orleans was uninjured.

Death of Wm. Augustus White.

"The Rev. William Augustus White, a retired priest of this diocese, entered into life eternal, on the 1st inst. He had been in failing health for some time past, and about six months ago underwent an operation, since which time he had been confined to his house. Mr. White was about 77 years of age. Part of his early life was spent in Connecticut. He was ordained by the late Bishop Henry U. Onderdonk, and one of two earlier charges was St. James' church, Downingtown, of which he became rector about 50 years ago. He also had charge of St. John's church, New London, and St. Timothy's, Roxboro. The last church under his care was Holy Innocents', Tacony, where he continued about 10 years, resigning therefrom about two years ago, since which time he has practically lived in retirement from active work. During his long career as a clergyman, he spent much time laboring in other States, notably in Maryland. Mr. White was a poet of no mean ability. Hymn 300 in the Church Hymnal is from his pen. The burial service was held on Saturday morning, 4th, inst., at his residence in West Philadelphia, and the interment was in the cemetery of St. James' church, Downingtown, Pa."—Philadelphia correspondent of the Living Church.

The Rev. Wm. Augustus White was rector of Spring Hill Parish, which then included St. Peter's Church, Salisbury, from October, 1845 to February 1861. He was but a young man when he came here. He did noble work in building up the churches of the parish. His work extended also to Stepney Parish.

He was quite a literateur and as stated in the Living Church was a poet of no mean ability. Some of his productions have appeared in THE ADVERTISER since it has been under its present management. Many of our readers will remember his "St. Giles," also his articles on "Old Green Hill," contributed about the time efforts were being made to rehabilitate that old structure. He wrote very entertainingly and is said by those who remember his pulpit efforts to have been an eloquent speaker.

Unique Advertising Scheme.

The man about town Tuesday advertising "Cascarets" for the Sterling Remedy company of Chicago, might be taken at a glance to have an artificial "make up" cast. A close scrutiny however, shows that he is one of nature's freaks. His long white hair flows in waves over his shoulders and his beard is white. His eyes at first glance look pink, but a second inspection shows them to be blue. He is dressed in a uniform of the Colonial guard of Washington's time. His name is Colonel Cascarets Calver, and he would be taken to be 70 years of age, but he modestly claims to be only 29. He's a unique advertising man.

Valuable to Women.

Especially valuable to women is Brown's Iron Bitters. Backache vanishes, headache disappears, strength takes the place of weakness, and the glow of health readily comes to the pallid cheek when this wonderful remedy is taken. For sickly children or overworked men it has no equal. No home should be without this famous remedy. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

Boys' Oehm-made Steadfast Suits

There's often a great difference in Boys' suits that look exactly alike, but boyish wear and tear soon discloses good from bad, but then its too late.

When you buy Oehm-made clothing you're sure that the fabrics will wear well, won't scuff up or shred out, colors are positively fast, sewing as good as the best, for these are distinguished features of our Boys' Clothing.

OUR is a large line of blue BOYS' Serge and Worsted Chey-SPECIAL Iot Sailor Blouse Suits strictly all wool, absolutely fast colors, daintily trimmed in black and white silk, soutache binding. A suit whose fair price would be \$4.50 sell for **\$3.48.**

LONG A strong line of them here PANTS showing all the best styles SUITS. in fancy and mixed Chev-iots and summer Suitings, wide, full back coats, very swell, mannish suits sizes 14 to 19. Prices range \$5, \$6.50 and up to \$10.

Boys' Spring Shoes \$1.35

Spring heel, very fine calf, shaped like a man's—not girlish, but boyish Shoes, \$1.35

Another grade at \$1.75.

BOYS' BIKES, exact models of our Men's only smaller, \$20.

BOYS' Our pretty broad brim STRAW Sailors at 25c and 35c HATS. vie with the more naval Tam O Shanters of White and Blue even though the latter are only 14c. Golf Caps are same price too—14c.

The finest Milan Sailors for boys in plain, fancy and mixed combinations are \$1.25 and \$1.50

Regulation Soldier Caps, 25c. Boys' Senate and Smooth Braid Straw Hats, 50c, 65c, and 75c.

We have everything in Clothing and other apparel for men, best, cheapest.

Whenever you come to Baltimore on an excursion

CUT THIS OUT.

Upon presentation of this coupon from The Salisbury Advertiser you will be entitled to a discount of 10 per cent on all purchases amounting to \$10.00 or over.

OEHM'S ACME HALL.

When you are in Baltimore make Oehm's Acme Hall your headquarters. Ladies Waiting, Retiring, and Writing Rooms; Men's Smoking and Waiting Rooms Free, no matter whether you're a customer or not; meet your friends at Oehm's. Parcels checked free, and every accommodation and comfort is cordially extended to you.

Oehm's Acme Hall

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 All Car Lines Pass Our Door.

MCCORMICK BINDERS MOWERS



"FACTS, FACTS, NOTHING BUT FACTS." A great stride in invention—the Right Hand Binder, 1898 model. It over tops the world in ease of binding a bundle. With its simple knoter it is a PRIZE WINNER. This Simple Knoter saves twine FIVE BALLS IN ONE HUNDRED. Roller bearings, large wheels, and simple gearing making an easy draft. Write for catalogue—just out. Hay Rakes, Tedders, Disc Harrows. Car load Mason's Fruit Jars received this week. If you are in need of a Cook Stove just now do not fail to see the Improved No. 7 Iron King Cook Stove. The fire back is guaranteed for 15 years. Porcelain-Lined Ware with the stove.

L. W. GUNBY, Mammoth Hardware and Machinery Store, SALISBURY, MD.

"THE CRESCENT" ALPHABET.

- A Stands for agent, the Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co. by name. Who sells the Crescent wheels of world-wide fame.
- B Stands for bearings, so hard and round. The Crescent has the best that can be found.
- C Stands for Crescent, the best wheel on earth. People who ride them are full of mirth.
- D Is the designer who planned this machine. Perfect in all parts, neat and clean.
- E Stands for easy running and light. That helps Crescent wheels to give such delight.
- F It will carry 2,000 pounds along.
- G Is the ground over which the wheel glides. Without bumping or jolting the rider's sides.
- H Stands for handle bars, any shape wished. Upwards, downwards, or sideways distended.
- I Is improvement which can't be made. On this wheel, for it's the highest grade.
- J Is the joy that riders feel. While gliding along on a Crescent wheel.
- K Stands for keenness which people use. Who buy the Crescent, who says the Muse.
- L Is the logic that riders show. Who buy Crescent wheel, the best they know.
- M Is the manufacturer, who works night and day. To fill Crescent orders, so they say.
- N Is the name, in itself a truth. For the Crescent eclipses others in their youth.
- O Stands for orders, which come thick and fast. For the "Crescent" season is never past.
- P Is the price which suits everyone. 'Tis low for the best grade wheel under the sun.
- Q Is the question all persons ask. Why have Crescents all other wheels past?
- R Stands for riding, which easy is made. By a Crescent dealer making a trade.
- S Is the sprocket of very nice make. Use it once and no other you'll take.
- T Is the trade-mark, handsome and neat. A Crescent, look for it on the street.
- U Is the usefulness which marks the wheel. Persons owning Crescents, pleasure will feel.
- V Is the vile language by riders used. When they are by breakage of other wheels bruised.
- W Stands for woman, healthy and strong. Who pushes the Crescent wheel along.
- X Is the unknown quality of steel. Used in others than the Crescent wheel.
- Y Is the youngster, full of joy. He rides a Crescent, sensible boy.
- Z Stands for Zebra, so handsome and swift. The Crescent can give even him a lift.
- & Now good readers, if you want a wheel that's neat, Buy a Crescent of Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co., Salisbury, Md.

DO YOU WANT A PIG?

I have them in all sizes. Have just received a new lot. Call and see me before buying.

GEORGE S. MATTHEWS, SALISBURY, MD.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY!

If you are out of employment and want a position, paying you from \$80 to \$100 monthly clear above expenses by working regularly, or, if you want to increase your present income from \$200 to \$500 yearly, by working at odd times, write the GLOBE CO., 723 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa., stating age, whether married or single, last or present employment, and you can secure a position with them by which you can make more money easier and faster than you ever made before in your life. 12-1

THE SELLING POWER IS HERE!

Because the immense stock answers quickly to every demand in the Housefurnishing Line or Personal Attire. The answer to your wish is here, because the prices are lower.

Nothing Lacking Here to Make Up Store Completeness.

In our Silks, Satins, Suitings and Novelties—we control a certain line of foreign and domestic weaves not shown elsewhere in this city. The great silk section is a revel in color, a dream of beauty in which every wanted weave is to be found at its best. In the Dress Textures, black, colored or novelty, the most beautiful creations of foreign and domestic looms are gathered, and every taste will find prompt gratification. The same degree of completeness, variety and extent will meet customers in whichever way they may turn, in

Carpets, Matings, Curtains, Wall Paper, Furniture, Linens, China, Glass, Lace, Gloves, Underwear, Ladies' Skirts, Umbrellas, Parasols, etc., etc.

Almost everything that may be required for the home or personal attire. Our store is here for your pleasure, comfort and profit.

BIRCKHEAD & CAREY,

Main Street, Salisbury, Md.

Local Department.

—Miss Mary Houston is visiting friends in Virginia.

—Mrs. Walter B. Miller returned Thursday from a ten days visit to relatives in Carlisle, Pa.

—Mr. John H. Waller attended the commencement exercises of St. John's College this week.

—Miss May Coughlin returned last Wednesday from a prolonged trip to Deals Island accompanied by her sister, Lillian.

—A pic nic will be held at Melson's camp ground, Saturday, June 25th. at which time the camp meeting privileges will be sold.

—Mr. Ableman of the New York Reliable Clothing House, has been in the cities this week purchasing clothing for his Salisbury firm.

—Miss Lillian Coughlin received 99.8 in her last examination, the 6th grade, grammar school, Deals Island. Miss Lillian received the medal.

—Dr. J. McFadden Dick was called to Berlin this week to amputate the leg of Mr. John B. Munford. The leg was amputated near the hip. The patient afterward died.

—Oehm's Acme Hall is demonstrating its well known liberality by offering, this month, to the residents of this section, a rebate upon purchase. See their ad on page 4.

—There will be a pic nic at the grove near Riley's school house, Thursday afternoon and evening, June 23d. Speaking and singing will be the diversions of the occasion.

—Mr. Jas. T. Hopkins and Miss Cora Bennett, both of Mardela Springs, will be united in marriage next Thursday evening in the Methodist Protestant church. They will reside in the Springs.

—Mrs. J. A. Graham and Miss Harriett of St. Louis, are visiting relatives here. Mr. Graham is at present at the head of the New York bureau of his paper, the St. Louis Republican.

—Mr. Isaac Adams was elected a member of the Board of Managers of the Home for Friendless Children at Easton, by the recent session of the Protestant Episcopal Convention of the Diocese of Easton.

—Miss Wilcox desires to call the attention of parents who wish their children to study during the summer, to the summer school in the public school building. Hours from eight (8) to eleven (11). Terms reasonable.

—The Baltimore blockade does not affect the B. C. & A. Fleet. Ocean City booms again. Every Sunday School but yours will be going, why not join the throng? For rate, date etc. apply to W. J. Morris, Division Passenger Agent.

—“Optimism versus Pessimism” is the subject upon which Rev. L. F. Warner will preach next Sunday morning at the M. P. church. In the evening the pastor will speak on “The Probable Outcome of the Pending War”

—John E. Disharoon, the dairyman, lost a horse Monday night, the animal got into the feed room and ate more than fifty pounds of chops and corn, causing rupture of the stomach. Dr. Weiderhall, the veterinarian, was called in, but could not relieve the animal.

—News.

—The Board of Election Supervisors for Wicomico County will meet at their office, Graham Building, one o'clock p. m., Saturday June 25th, 1898, for the purpose of selecting two Registration Judges for each precinct of each Election District of said county for ensuing year.—W. J. Morris, Clerk.

—Messrs. S. P. Woodcock & Co., have sold to A. H. Taliaferro of Connecticut a farm near Mt. Herman, the property of James Smith. The farm is set in fruits—apples, pears and peaches—and has growing melons and vegetables. Mr. Taliaferro will occupy the property at once. All growing crops go with the purchase.

—The Ocean City special train from Baltimore, Sunday June 19, 1898, will stop at Salisbury 12.21 noon, to take on passengers for Ocean City. Returning, the train leaves Ocean City 4.45 p. m., arriving at Salisbury 5.30 p. m. Fare for the round trip, 90 cents. Tickets good for the day only.

—Rev. Chas. F. Sweet a former rector of Salisbury Parish is visiting Mr. I. S. Adams. Mr. Sweet came to Salisbury as rector of Salisbury parish in the spring of 1887 and served till September 1889. From Salisbury he went to Chattanooga, but shortly returned to New England his native place. He has lately been designated missionary to Japan, and is now journeying in that direction. He left Friday morning. While here many friends and former parishioners called to see him.

—Mr. John H. Waller of this city, went to Easton, Friday, to take the physical examination preparatory to enlisting as a private in the army. If Mr. Waller passes and enlists he will probably have his first experience as a soldier boy at Old Point Comfort.

—Dr. John S. Fulton, Secretary of the Maryland State Board of Health, has been appointed a delegate to the National Conference of State Boards of Health at Chicago, in August, and has been invited by the Michigan Board of Health to make an address on the occasion of the quarto centennial of the Michigan State Board of Health.

—The wife of Mr. John Bennett of this city, died last Friday evening at her home on East Church street, of cancer of the stomach, aged 53 years. Besides her husband four children survive her, who are, Messrs. Charles E. George, Miss Annie and Mrs. George Tyndall. Funeral services were held in the O. S. Baptist meeting house Sunday afternoon, conducted by Elder Ker. The interment was in Parsons Cemetery.

—The following officers and committees were elected Monday night at the meeting of the Salisbury District Republican League Club: John P. Owens, president; Chas. Covington, 1st vice-president; C. W. Baker, 2d vice-president; M. A. Humphreys, secretary and treasurer. Executive committee, Jas. A. Bradley, W. Wirt Leonard, A. Sid Johnson, Josephus Chatham, John W. Smith. Delegates to Baltimore, 23rd inst: Rollie Moore, W. Wirt Leonard. Alternates, John Ingersoll, C. W. Farlow.

—Mr. M. Lee Toadvin of this city was married last Wednesday to Miss Fannie Fuller of Bayonne, N. J. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride. After the wedding they started for a bridal tour. That ended they will come to Salisbury to reside. For the present they will board. The groom is a son of the late Stephen P. Toadvine for many years the clerk of the court of this county. The bride is a native of New Jersey but has frequently visited friends in Salisbury. Among her intimate friends in Salisbury is the family of Dr. R. Naylor. THE ADVERTISER extends its best wishes.

—The “Annual Turtle” dinner at Quantico came off last Wednesday. There were about 125 persons to take dinner. It is said that politics were in abeyance for the time. The gathering proved to be purely social. Mr. Bailey, the host, made all happy by furnishing a delicious dinner. The party people do not seem to be taking any very deep interest in politics, as all feel that it is not so much a question, who shall the party select? as who of those that can be elected will permit himself to be selected by the convention as the nominee.

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The Eminent Divine Says the Congregation Should Sing and That a Few Hymns Are Enough—Sermons Must Be Simple and Forceful—Prayer Is Helpful.

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WASHINGTON, June 12.—If people understood religion to be the practical reinforcement that Dr. Talmage says it is in this sermon, the number of Christian disciples would be greatly multiplied; text, Psalms xx, 2, "Send thee help from the sanctuary."

If you should ask 50 men what the church is, they would give you 50 different answers. One man would say, "It is a convention of hypocrites." Another, "It is an assembly of people who feel themselves a great deal better than others." Another, "It is a place for gossip, where wolverene dispositions devour each other." Another, "It is a place for the cultivation of superstition and cant." Another, "It is an arsenal where theologians go to get pikes and muskets and shot." Another, "It is an art gallery, where men go to admire grand arches and exquisite fresco and musical warble and the Dantesque in gloomy imagery." Another man would say, "It is the best place on earth except my own home." "If I forgot thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning!"

Now, whatever the church is, my text tells you what it ought to be—a great, practical, homely, omnipotent help. "Send thee help from the sanctuary." The pew ought to yield restfulness for the body. The color of the upholstery ought to yield pleasure to the eye. The entire service ought to yield strength for the soul and struggle of everyday life. The Sabbath ought to be harnessed to all the six days of the week, drawing them in the right direction. The church ought to be a magnet, visibly and mightily affecting all the homes of the worshippers. Every man gets roughly jostled, gets abused, gets cut, gets insulted, gets slighted, gets exasperated. By the time the Sabbath comes he has an accumulation of six days of annoyance, and that is a starving church service which has not strength enough to take that accumulated annoyance and hurl it into perdition. The business man sits down in church headachy from the week's engagements. Perhaps he wishes he had tarried at home on the lounge with the newspapers and the slippers. That man wants to be cooled off and graciously diverted. The first wave of the religious service ought to dash clear over the hurricane decks and leave him dripping with holy and glad and heavenly emotion. "Send thee help from the sanctuary."

Sanctuary Help.

In the first place, sanctuary help ought to come from the music. A woman dying in England persisted in sipping to the last moment. The attendants tried to persuade her to stop, saying it would exhaust her and make her disease worse. She answered: "I must sing. I am only practicing for the heavenly choir." Music on earth is a rehearsal for music in heaven. If you and I are going to take part in that great orchestra, it is high time that we were stringing and thrumming our harps. They tell us that Thalberg and Gottschalk never would go into a concert until they had first in private rehearsed, although they were such masters of the instrument. And can it be that we expect to take part in the great oratorio of heaven if we do not rehearse here?

But I am not speaking of the next world. Sabbath song ought to set all the week to music. We want not more harmony, not more artistic expression, but more volume in our church music. The English dissenting churches far surpass our American churches in this respect. An English audience of 1,000 people will give more volume of sacred song than an American audience of 2,000 people. I do not know what the reason is. Oh, you ought to have heard them sing in Surrey chapel! I had the opportunity of preaching the anniversary—sermon in Rowland Hill's old chapel, and when they lifted their voices in sacred song it was simply overwhelming, and then, in the evening of the same day, in Agricultural hall, many thousand voices lifted in doxology. It was like the voice of many waters, and like the voice of many thunders and like the voice of heaven.

The blessing thrilled through all the laboring throng, and heaven was won by violence of song.

Now, I am no worshiper of noise, but I believe that if our American churches would with full heartiness of soul and full emphasis of voice sing the songs of Zion, this part of sacred worship would have tenfold more power than it has now. Why not take this part of the sacred service and lift it to where it ought to be? All the annoyances of life might be drowned out by that sacred song. Do you tell me that it is not fashionable to sing very loudly? Then, I say, away with the fashion. We dam back the great Mississippi of congregational singing and let a few drops of melody trickle through the dam. I say take away the dam and let the billows roar on their way to the oceanic heart of God. Whether it is fashionable to

sing loudly or not, let us sing with all possible emphasis.

Music in the Church.

We hear a great deal of the art of singing, of music as an entertainment, of music as a recreation. It is high time we heard something of music as a help, a practical help. In order to do this, we must have only a few hymns. New tunes and new hymns every Sunday make poor congregational singing. Fifty hymns are enough for 50 years. The Episcopal church prays the same prayers every Sabbath and year after year and century after century. For that reason they have the hearty response. Let us take a hint from that fact and let us sing the same songs Sabbath after Sabbath. Only in that way can we come to the full force of this exercise. Twenty thousand years will not wear out the hymns of William Cowper, Charles Wesley and Isaac Watts. Suppose now each person in an audience has brought all the annoyances of the last 365 days. Fill the room to the ceiling with sacred song, and you would drown out all those annoyances of the last 365 days, and you would drown them out forever. Organ and cornet are only to marshal the voice. Let the voice fall into line and in companies and in battalions by storm take the obduracy and sin of the world. If you cannot sing for yourself, sing for others. By trying to give others good cheer, you will bring good cheer to your own heart.

When Londonderry, Ireland, was besieged many years ago, the people inside the city were famishing and a vessel came up with provisions, but the vessel ran on the river bank and stuck fast. The enemy went down with laughter and derision to board the vessel, when the vessel gave a broadside fire against the enemy and by the shock was turned back into the stream and all was well. Oh, ye who are high and dry on the rocks of melancholy, give a broadside fire of song against your spiritual enemies, and by holy rebound you will come out into the calm waters. If we want to make ourselves happy, we must make others happy. Mythology tells us of Amphion, who played his lyre until the mountains were moved and the walls of Thebes arose, but religion has a mightier story to tell of how Christian song may build whole temples of eternal joy and lift the round earth into sympathy with the skies.

A Heavenly Clock.

I tarried many nights in London, and I used to hear the bells, the small bells of the city, strike the hour of night—1, 2, 3, 4—and among them the great St. Paul's cathedral would come in to mark the hours, making all the other sounds seem utterly insignificant as with mighty tongue it announced the hour of the night, every stroke an overmastering boom. My friends, it was intended that all the lesser sounds of the world should be drowned out in the mighty tongue of congregational song beating against the gates of heaven. Do you know how they mark the hours in heaven? They have no clocks, as they have no candles, but a great pendulum of hallelujah swinging across heaven from eternity to eternity.

Let those refuse to sing Who never knew our God, But children of the Heavenly King Should praise their joys abroad.

Again, I remark that sanctuary help ought to come from the sermon. Of 1,000 people in any audience how many want sympathetic help? Do you guess 100? Do you guess 500? You have guessed wrong. I will tell you just the proportion. Out of 1,000 people in any audience there are just 1,000 who need sympathetic help. These young people want it just as much as the old. The old people sometimes seem to think they have a monopoly of the rheumatism, and the neuralgias, and the headaches, and the physical disorders of the world, but I tell you there are no worse heartaches than are felt by some of the young people. Do you know that much of the work is done by the young? Raphael died at 37, Richelieu at 81, Gustavus Adolphus died at 38, Innocent III came to his mightiest influence at 37. Cortes conquered Mexico at 30, Don John won Lepanto at 25, Grotius was attorney general at 24, and I have noticed amid all classes of men that some of the severest battles and the toughest work come before 30. Therefore we must have our sermons and our exhortations in prayer meeting all sympathetic with the young. And so with these people farther on in life. What do these doctors and lawyers and merchants and mechanics care about the abstractions of religion? What they want is help to bear the whimsicalities of patients, the browbeating of legal opponents, the unfairness of customers who have plenty of fault finding for every imperfection of handiwork, but no praise for 20 excellences. What does the brain racked, hand blistered man care for Zwingle's "Doctrine of Original Sin" or Augustine's "Retractions?" You might as well go to a man who has the pleurisy and put on his side a plaster made out of Dr. Parr's "Treatise on Medical Jurisprudence."

Divine Prescription.

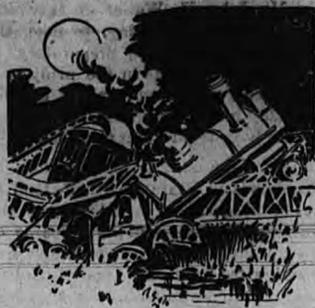
While all of a sermon may not be helpful alike to all, if it be a Christian sermon, preached by a Christian man, there will be help for every one somewhere. We go into an apothecary's store. We see others being waited on. We do not complain because we do not immediately get the medicine. We know our turn will come after awhile. And so while all parts of a sermon may not

be appropriate to our case, if we wait prayerfully before the sermon is through we shall have the divine prescription. I say to young men who are going to preach the gospel, we want in our sermons not more metaphysics, nor more imagination, nor more logic, nor more profundity. What we want in our sermons and Christian exhortations is more sympathy. When Father Taylor preached in the Sailors' Bethel at Boston, the Jack Tars felt they had help for their duties among the ratlines and the forecastles. When Richard Weaver preached to the operatives in Oldham, England, all the workmen felt they had more grace for the spindles. When Dr. South preached to kings and princes and princesses, all the mighty men and women who heard him felt preparation for their high station.

People will not go to church merely as a matter of duty. There will not next Sabbath be 100 people in this city who will get up in the morning and say: "The Bible says I must go to church. It is my duty to go to church, therefore I will go to church." The vast multitude of people who go to church, go to church because they like it, and the multitude of people who stay away from church stay away because they do not like it. I am not speaking about the way the world ought to be. I am speaking about the way the world is. Taking things as they are, we must make the centripetal force of the church mightier than the centrifugal. We must make our churches magnets to draw the people thereunto, so that a man will feel uneasy if he does not go to church, saying: "I wish I had gone this morning. I wonder if I can't dress yet and get there in time. It is 11 o'clock; now they are singing. It is half past 11; now they are preaching. I wonder when the folks will be home to tell us what was said, what has been going on." When the impression is confirmed that our churches, by architecture, by music, by sociality and by sermon, shall be made the most attractive places on earth, then we will want twice as many churches as we have now, twice as large, and then they will not half accommodate the people.

Forceful Religion.

I say to the young men who are entering the ministry we must put on more force, more energy and into our religious services more vivacity if we want the people to come. You look into a church court of any denomination of Christians. First you will find the men of large common sense and earnest look. The education of their minds, the piety of their hearts, the holiness of their lives qualify them for their work. Then you will find in every church court of every denomination a group of men who utterly amaze you with the fact that such semi-imbecility can get any pulpits to preach in. Those are the men who give forlorn statistics about church decadence. Frogs never croak in running water, always in stagnant. But I say to all Christian workers, to all Sunday school teachers, to all evangelists, to all ministers of the gospel, if we want our Sunday schools, and our prayer meetings, and our churches to gather the people we must freshen up. The simple fact is the people are tired of the humdrum of religionists. Religion humdrum is the worst of all humdrum. You say over and over again, "Come to Jesus," until the phrase means absolutely nothing. Why do you not tell them a story which will make them come to Jesus in five minutes? You say that all Sunday school teachers and all evangelists and all ministers must bring their illustrations from the Bible. Christ did not when he preached. The most of the Bible was written before Christ's time, but where did he get his illustrations? He drew them from the lilies, from the ravens, from salt, from a candle, from a bushel, from long faced hypocrites, from gnats, from moths, from large gates and small gates, from a camel, from the needle's eye, from yeast in the dough of bread, from a mustard seed, from a fishing net, from debtors and creditors. That is the reason multitudes followed Christ. His illustrations were so easy and so understandable. Therefore, my brother Christian worker, if you and I find two illustrations for a religious subject, and the one is a Bible illustration and the other is outside the Bible, I will take the latter because I want to be like my master. Looking across to a hill, Christ saw the city of Jerusalem. Talking to the people about the conspicuity of Christian example, he said: "The world is looking at you. Be careful. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid." While he was speaking of the divine care of God's children a bird flew past. He said, "Behold the ravens." Then looking down into the valley, all covered at that season with flowers, he said, "Consider the lilies." Oh, my brother Christian worker, what is the use of our going away off in some obscure part of history or on the other side of the earth to get an illustration when the earth and the heavens are full of illustrations? Why should we go away off to get an illustration of the vicarious suffering of Jesus Christ when as near us as Bloomfield, N. J., two little children were walking on the rail track, and a train was coming, but they were on a bridge of trestlework, and the little girl took her brother and let him down through the trestlework as gently as she could toward the water, very carefully and lovingly and cautiously, so that he might not be hurt in the fall and might be picked up by



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A BORDER HEROINE.

BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

We of Custer's command were swinging around to reopen the overland trail, every station of which in western Kansas had been captured by the Indians. We had gone into camp one night after a continuous ride of nearly 100 miles, and everybody but the sentinels was fast asleep, when there came riding from the northwest a girl, 18 years old, named Mary Thompson. She was riding a pony without saddle or bridle, and she was hatless and without shoes.

Custer interrogated her concerning the situation of the camp and the strength of the Indians, and, believing the pioneers could hold their own through the night, the men were ordered back to their blankets. It was about an hour before daylight when we moved, the girl riding at the head of the column with the general and two or three scouts, and we were within half a mile of the camp when the darkness faded away and gave us a view of the situation. Then it was a swift dash at the hostiles, a sharp fight for ten minutes, and we had sent the band scurrying away.

In and about the wagons lay six dead and four wounded men—ten dead or wounded women and children. Every horse and mule was disabled, and had we waited a quarter of an hour longer the Indians would have "rushed" and carried the camp and wiped out every soul. At midnight they had cut off two of the outer wagons for a moment and made captive a boy 10 years old—Mary Thompson's own brother. Her father and mother were among the dead, her brother carried away by the warriors as they fled before us. The soldiers and pioneers crowded about the girl and gave her words of sympathy, and for a few minutes she hid away in one of the wagons to be alone with her grief.

When she reappeared, her tears had vanished, and she announced her resolution to make an effort to recover her captive brother. General Custer advised and argued with her, but she refused to go back to a point of safety with the surviving pioneers. She did not ask to go with the command, but intended to depend upon herself alone. I think she would have been forced to go away with the pioneers had she remained with us a few minutes longer. While the people were making ready for a start the rank and file learned of her determination. We outfitted her pony, handed her over a Winchester rifle and a revolver and plenty of ammunition, supplied her with food for several days, and nothing was lacking when she rode out of camp in the direction the Indians had taken.

Knowing that her brother Jimmie would be sent to some village among the hills to be held captive, she gave all her attention to dodging war parties and hunting out villages. On the old maps of Kansas there used to be a creek called Thompson creek, and it was named after the girl. One morning after a night spent in riding over the plains she entered a grove of willows and cottonwoods on a little island in the middle of the stream to lie up for the day.

About 10 o'clock in the forenoon an Indian band numbering about 20 old men, women and children came along and made their camp on the east bank of the stream and within pistol shot of the hiding girl. Among the boys she saw her brother for the first time. He had been clothed in Indian dress, but she identified him at once. He was among the score of lads sent across to the grove to cut lodge poles and firewood, and the girl planned a feat which the most daring scout would have hesitated to attempt. It was to carry the boy off in the face of the village, and it was not her fault that she made a failure of it. He was one of the first to reach the island, and she rode boldly out of shelter and called him by name

and moved toward him. He was so surprised at sight of her that he ran away. She overtook him and seized and tried to lift him on to the saddle, but he broke away from her and the Indians sounded the alarm. As many as a score of old men and boys mounted ponies and attempted to capture Miss Thompson, but after wounding two and being chased for five miles she made her escape. She did not go far, however. Having located the village in which the boy was held, she determined to hang about until her mission was accomplished.

The mound known as Thompson's Fort was also named after Mary Thompson. Her stock of ammunition had been reduced to nine cartridges when she met a scouting party of cavalry and was supplied with 100 rounds and as much provisions as she would take. She had then been dogging the Indians for over two months and had donned male attire as the handiest to get about in. There were Indians on the trail of the scouting party, and an hour after Mary had gone her way she found 12 mounted warriors in sight behind her. This was at 10 o'clock in the morning and on the open plains. She headed for the faraway hills to the west, and for the first hour permitted the Indians to gain on her. When they had come within half a mile, she set the pace to hold them there, and made one of the greatest rides recorded under like circumstances. Her horse was in prime condition, and the ponies were also at their best. The Indians knew whom they were after and determined to capture her alive and unhurt.

The race and pursuit lasted for 60 miles, every rod of which was covered at a gallop. The girl was riding straight into the enemy's country, and at sundown she determined to go no farther. As she reached the creek flowing around the east base of "Thompson's fort," which is a hill standing by itself, she threw herself off her horse and took a long drink and then led the animal to the crest of the hill. Fortunately for her there was a sink or basin at the top, with many loose rocks lying about, and in a short time she had done all that a soldier could have accomplished under the circumstances. As the Indians came up they spread out to encircle the hill. They had run their victim to earth and were in no hurry to face her rifle.

From dark to dawn the heroine was not disturbed, and she afterward related that she slept fairly well. She had a soldier's canteen full of water, plenty of provisions and ammunition and was not at all dismayed over the situation. When morning came, the Indians demanded her surrender, giving her much praise and promising to escort her to one of their villages unhurt. This they would likely have done, but she did not propose to become a captive while able to give a shot from rifle or revolver. Two hours were consumed by the Indians in trying to negotiate a surrender, and then, finding the girl inflexible, they made their first attack. At a given signal the 12, who were under the command of a subchief named Little Horse, rushed for the crest of the hill. They gained it, but after a fight of two minutes were driven off with the loss of two warriors killed and one wounded. This last was the chief himself. He was shot through the cheek and had the tip of his tongue carried away, and so badly did this interfere with his speech that two years later he drowned himself in despair. So well was the girl entrenched on the crest of the hill that it was deemed unwise to attack her again, and the band sat down to starve her out. For three nights and two days she held the fort, wounding two other Indians and escaping all their bullets, and then the Indians withdrew and left her, and she went her way in peace.

As I saw Mary Thompson when she first set out on her dangerous mission so did I see her when it had been concluded. From May until November she scouted the plains and dodged among the hills alone, her life and liberty in peril, almost every hour in the 24. The village in which her brother was held captive moved many times, but she always located it anew and watched for her opportunity. It came one night with the setting in of winter. There was a blizzard raging when she entered the village, crept from lodge to lodge and finally found her brother asleep between two boys. She woke him up and got him out of the lodge without disturbing the others, and once they had mounted her horse they set off in the direction of a supply camp 60 miles distant. So severe was the storm, however, that after riding ten miles the pair made camp in a ravine until the worst was over. It was 30 hours before the storm ceased, and the Indians soon started out and picked up the trail almost as soon as the pair had taken camp. The snow lay two feet deep on the level, and with the horse carrying double the race would soon have been run. Camped in a similar ravine, ten miles to the west, were three companies of the Seventh cavalry, and we had just broken camp and got into the saddle when Mary Thompson, with her brother on the saddle behind her, came riding down upon us, with the yelling Indians only half a mile away.

Then followed what the eastern philanthropists have been pleased to term "a cold blooded slaughter of unarmed Indians." There were 22 in the band, all were armed, but they came over the ridge and down among us before they knew of our presence. Only three lived to get back to the village.

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A bachelor gets lonesome because he is alone. A married man gets lonesome because his wife is.

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One of the first signs that a man is getting old is when he begins to reckon his age by his last birthday instead of his next.

After a woman has once seen a man give a nickel to a worthless beggar she will always say that anyway his heart is in the right place.

Very few old bachelors ever get so hardened that when they buy two seats in a parlor car they don't wonder how they would feel if it was for their wedding trip.

The reason why very tall girls don't get married easily is because whenever they try to act like little, helpless, nestling things that want to be taken care of they get ridiculous.—New York Press.

All Years the Same to Him.

"You here again?" said the man of the house. "There's no excuse for such fellows as you. This is a year of prosperity."

"Yes, sir," humbly responded Tuffold Knutt, drawing the back of his hand across his nose, "but I'm one o' these fellers that can't stand prosperity."—Chicago Tribune.

Vast Possibilities.

Mr. Perry Patettio had been listening in a languid way to the street corner temperance lecturer's vehement oratory. "If a guy," said he in honest admiration, "kin talk a blue streak like that on nuthin but wotter, what couldn't he do on booze?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Fear.

"I cannot help admiring Miss Pasleigh's complexion," remarked Willie Washington.

"I am very much afraid," rejoined Miss Cayenne, "that you are drifting into the vulgar habit of judging things by what they cost."—Washington Star.

Accent Went With Them.

Fanny—I wonder where Mr. Reggie gets his lovely English accent. He's an American born.

Queenie—Why, I heard he bought his teeth in London.

Fanny—How clever of him!—Philadelphia Call.

His Hopes Were Swallowed.

"Alas!" sighed the oyster, as he felt himself being conveyed from the plate on the end of the table knife. "Alas! This is an end to all my hopes of getting into good society."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Bachelor's View.

Patch—Why is the bride crying? Because she leaves her parents?

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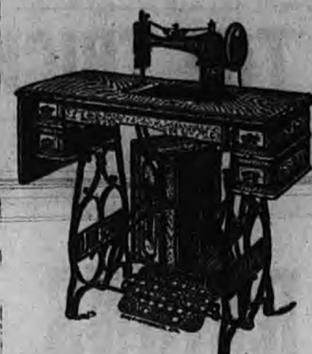
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those who were standing near by? While doing that the train struck her, and hardly enough of her body was left to gather into a funeral casket. What was that? Vicarious suffering. Like Christ. Pang for others. Woe for others. Suffering for others. Death for others.

Help in Prayer.

What is the use of our going away off to find an illustration in past age when during the great forest fires in Michigan a mail carrier on horseback, riding on, pursued by those flames which had swept over 100 miles, saw an old man by the roadside, dismounted, helped the old man on the horse, saying, "Now whip up and get away?" The old man got away, but the mail carrier perished. Just like Christ dismounting from the glories of heaven to put us on the way of deliverance, then falling back into the flames of sacrifice for others. Pang for others. Woe for others. Death for others. Vicarious suffering.

Again, I remark that sanctuary help ought to come through the prayers of all the people. The door of the eternal storehouse is hung on one hinge, a gold bing, the hinge of prayer, and when the whole audience lay hold of that door it must come open. There are many people spending their first Sabbath after some great bereavement. What will your prayer do for them? How will it help the tomb in that man's heart? Here are people who have not been in church before for ten years. What will your prayer do for them by rolling over their soul holy memories? Here are people in crises of awful temptation. They are on the verge of despair or wild blundering or theft or suicide. What will your prayer do for them in the way of giving them strength to resist? Will you be chiefly anxious about the fit of the glove that you put to your forehead while you prayed? Will you be chiefly critical of the rhetoric of the pastor's petition? No, no. A thousand people will feel, "That prayer is for me," and at every step of the prayer chains ought to drop off, and temples of sin ought to crash into dust, and jubilees of deliverance ought to brandish their trumpets. In most of our churches we have three prayers—the opening prayer, what is called the "long prayer," and the closing prayer. There are many people who spend their first prayer in arranging their apparel after entrance and spend the second prayer, the "long prayer," in wishing it were through and spend the last prayer in preparing to start for home. The most insignificant part of every religious service is the sermon. The more important parts are the Scripture lesson and the prayer.

The sermon is only a man talking to a man. The Scripture lesson is God talking to man. Prayer is man talking to God. Oh, if we understood the grandeur and the pathos of this exercise of prayer, instead of being a dull exercise, we would imagine that the room was full of divine and angelic appearances.

Church Must Progress.

But, my friends, the old style of church will not do the work. We might as well now try to take all the passengers from Washington to New York by stagecoach, or all the passengers from Albany to Buffalo by canalboat, or do all the battling of the world with bow and arrow, as with the old style of church to meet the exigencies of this day. Unless the church in our day will adapt itself to the time it will become extinct. The people reading newspapers and books all the week, in alert, picturesque and resounding style, will have no patience with Sabbath humdrum. We have no objection to bands and surplice and all the paraphernalia of clerical life, but these things make no impression—make no more impression on the great masses of the people than the ordinary business suit that you wear on Pennsylvania avenue or Wall street. A tailor cannot make a minister. Some of the poorest preachers wear the best clothes, and many a backwoodsman has dismounted from the saddlebags, and in his linen duster preached a sermon that shook earth and heaven with its Christian eloquence. No new gospel, only the old gospel in a way suited to the time. No new church, but a church to be the asylum, the inspiration, the practical sympathy and the eternal help of the people.

But while half of the doors of the church are to be set open toward this world the other half of the doors of the church must be set open toward the next. You and I tarry here only a brief space. We want somebody to teach us how to get out of this life at the right time and in the right way. Some fall out of life, some go stumbling out of life, some go groaning out of life, some go cursing out of life. We want to go singing, rising, rejoicing, triumphing. We want half the doors of the church set in that direction. We want half the prayers that way, half the sermons that way. We want to know how to get ashore from the tumult of this world into the land of everlasting peace. We do not want to stand doubting and shivering when we go away from this world. We want our anticipations aroused to the highest pitch.

Jesus Leads.

We want to have the exhilaration of a dying child in England, the father telling me the story. When he said to her, "Is the path narrow?" she answered, "The path is narrow. It is so narrow that I cannot walk arm in arm with Christ, so Jesus goes ahead, and he says, 'Mary, follow.'" Through the church gates set heavenward how many

of your friends and mine have gone? The last time they were out of the house they came to church. The earthly pilgrimage ended at the pillar of public worship, and then they marched out to a bigger and brighter assemblage. Some of them were so old they could not walk without a cane or two crutches. Now they have eternal juvenescence. Or they were so young they could not walk except as the maternal hand guided them. Now they bound with the hilarities celestial. The last time we saw them they were wasted with malarial or pulmonary disorder, but now they have no fatigue and no difficulty of respiration in the pure air of heaven. How I wonder when you and I will cross over! Some of you have had about enough of the thumping and flailing of this life. A draft from the fountains of heaven would do you good. Complete release you could stand very well. If you got on the other side and had permission to come back, you would not come. Though you were invited to come back and join your friends on earth, you would say: "No, let me tarry here until they come. I shall not risk going back. If a man reaches heaven, he had better stay here."

Oh, I join hands with you in that uplifted splendor! When the shore is won at last, Who will count the billows past? In Freyburg, Switzerland, there is the trunk of a tree 400 years old. That tree was planted to commemorate an event. About ten miles from the city the Swiss conquered the Burgundians, and a young man wanted to take the tidings to the city. He took a tree branch and ran with such speed the ten miles that when he reached the city waving the tree branch he had only strength to cry, "Victory!" and dropped dead. The tree branch that he carried was planted, and it grew to be a great tree 20 feet in circumference, and the remains of it are there to this day. My hearer, when you have fought your last battle with sin and death and hell, and they have been routed in the conflict, it will be a joy worthy of celebration. You will fly to the city and cry, "Victory!" and drop at the feet of the great King. Then the palm branch of the earthly race will be planted to become the outbranching tree of everlasting rejoicing.

When shall these eyes thy heaven built walls And peep through behold, Thy bulwarks with salvation strong And streets of shining gold? Lillian Bell as a Sailor. "In crossing the channel there is everything in knowing how," writes Lillian Bell, describing her yachting experiences on the English channel in The Ladies' Home Journal. "I have discarded the private stateroom. It is too expensive, and I am not a bit less uncomfortable than when occupying six feet of the settee in the ladies' cabin, with my feet in the flowers of another woman's hat. In fact, I prefer the latter. The other woman is always too ill to protest or to move. I have now, by long and patient practice, proved to my own satisfaction what serves me best in case of seasickness. I will not stay on deck. I will not eat or drink anything to cure it. I will not take anything to prevent it. I will not sit up, and I will not keep my hat on. When I go on board of a channel steamer, my first act is to shake hands with my friends and go below. There I present the stewardess with a modest testimonial of my regard. I also give her my ticket. Then I select the most desirable portion of the settee, near a porthole, from which I can get fresh air. I take off my hat and lie down. The steamer may not start for an hour. No matter. There I am, and there I stay. The channel may be as smooth as glass, but I travel better flat. Like manuscript, I am not to be rolled. Sometimes I am not ill at all, but I freely confess that those times are infrequent and disappointing."

Scientific investigators in Germany and Russia recently have been conducting an inquiry respecting alcohol in its relation to dietetics. They have obtained data which seem to point to the very surprising conclusion that alcohol is actually a food, notwithstanding the belief which has long existed to the contrary. Both men and women were employed in these experiments, doses of alcohol sufficient to induce slight intoxication being given to them. It is found that alcohol takes the place of fat as a fuel, furnishing heat for the body. In small quantities it increases the appetite and helps digestion. But it overstimulates the action of the heart and decreases the power of the man to do work. It diminishes the requirement of food by lessening the waste of tissue. These experiments were tried with brandy, claret, koumiss and kephir. The last is a fermented beverage from cow's milk prepared with a peculiar ferment called kephir yeast.—Philadelphia Times.

A Horrible Threat. "Look here," said the novelist, approaching the table where sat the critic, "I don't think you did the right thing by me over that last story of mine." "Well, I like that," said the critic with rising indignation. "Well, since what I wrote doesn't satisfy you, it is the last time I will ever review one of your books without reading it."—New York Sun.

of your friends and mine have gone? The last time they were out of the house they came to church. The earthly pilgrimage ended at the pillar of public worship, and then they marched out to a bigger and brighter assemblage. Some of them were so old they could not walk without a cane or two crutches. Now they have eternal juvenescence. Or they were so young they could not walk except as the maternal hand guided them. Now they bound with the hilarities celestial. The last time we saw them they were wasted with malarial or pulmonary disorder, but now they have no fatigue and no difficulty of respiration in the pure air of heaven. How I wonder when you and I will cross over! Some of you have had about enough of the thumping and flailing of this life. A draft from the fountains of heaven would do you good. Complete release you could stand very well. If you got on the other side and had permission to come back, you would not come. Though you were invited to come back and join your friends on earth, you would say: "No, let me tarry here until they come. I shall not risk going back. If a man reaches heaven, he had better stay here."

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When shall these eyes thy heaven built walls And peep through behold, Thy bulwarks with salvation strong And streets of shining gold? Lillian Bell as a Sailor. "In crossing the channel there is everything in knowing how," writes Lillian Bell, describing her yachting experiences on the English channel in The Ladies' Home Journal. "I have discarded the private stateroom. It is too expensive, and I am not a bit less uncomfortable than when occupying six feet of the settee in the ladies' cabin, with my feet in the flowers of another woman's hat. In fact, I prefer the latter. The other woman is always too ill to protest or to move. I have now, by long and patient practice, proved to my own satisfaction what serves me best in case of seasickness. I will not stay on deck. I will not eat or drink anything to cure it. I will not take anything to prevent it. I will not sit up, and I will not keep my hat on. When I go on board of a channel steamer, my first act is to shake hands with my friends and go below. There I present the stewardess with a modest testimonial of my regard. I also give her my ticket. Then I select the most desirable portion of the settee, near a porthole, from which I can get fresh air. I take off my hat and lie down. The steamer may not start for an hour. No matter. There I am, and there I stay. The channel may be as smooth as glass, but I travel better flat. Like manuscript, I am not to be rolled. Sometimes I am not ill at all, but I freely confess that those times are infrequent and disappointing."

Scientific investigators in Germany and Russia recently have been conducting an inquiry respecting alcohol in its relation to dietetics. They have obtained data which seem to point to the very surprising conclusion that alcohol is actually a food, notwithstanding the belief which has long existed to the contrary. Both men and women were employed in these experiments, doses of alcohol sufficient to induce slight intoxication being given to them. It is found that alcohol takes the place of fat as a fuel, furnishing heat for the body. In small quantities it increases the appetite and helps digestion. But it overstimulates the action of the heart and decreases the power of the man to do work. It diminishes the requirement of food by lessening the waste of tissue. These experiments were tried with brandy, claret, koumiss and kephir. The last is a fermented beverage from cow's milk prepared with a peculiar ferment called kephir yeast.—Philadelphia Times.

A Horrible Threat. "Look here," said the novelist, approaching the table where sat the critic, "I don't think you did the right thing by me over that last story of mine." "Well, I like that," said the critic with rising indignation. "Well, since what I wrote doesn't satisfy you, it is the last time I will ever review one of your books without reading it."—New York Sun.

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Cure sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, gas in the stomach, distress and indigestion. Do not weaken, but have tonic effect. 25 cents. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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ORDER NISI. Nellie H. Bratton, Administratrix, vs. Geo. W. Richardson.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 988 Chancery, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James E. Ellegood, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$75,500. JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk. True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. William J. Mills and Edith M. Mills, his wife. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1194, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Jay Williams, attorney, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once a week for three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be \$90,000. CHAS. F. HOLLAND, True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI. The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. Levin M. Wilson and E. Stanley Towdvin. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1191, May Term, 1898. Ordered, that the sale of the property, and the distribution, mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by George W. Bell, attorney, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the first day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$90,000. HENRY PAGE, True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

Trustee's Sale

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, the undersigned, as trustee, will sell at public sale at the court house door in Salisbury, Md., on

Saturday, June 18, 1898, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

All that lot of ground situated and lying in Wicomico county aforesaid on the east side of the county road leading to Spring Hill from Salisbury, three-quarters of a mile from Salisbury, of which Henry Waller (colored) died, seized and possessed, and conveyed to said Waller by Thos. Ellis and wife, adjoining the property of J. J. Morris, Hyland lot, and O. J. Schneek, containing two acres, one rod, four perches more or less. Crops of present year reserved.

TERMS OF SALE. One half cash, balance in six months bond approved by trustee. Title deed at expense of purchaser. G. W. D. WALLER, Trustee. THOS. F. J. RIDER, Attorney.

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE.

I have obtained from the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, an order for the sale of ten acres and three-tenths of an acre of land, belonging to Asher B. Hamblin in 1895, and now owned by Grant Dennis, situated in Pittsburg district in Wicomico county, beginning at an angle formed by the east line of the county road leading from Willards to Powellville and the north line of a private road, which is distinguished by the letter A on the plat of said land made by Peter S. Shookley, county surveyor, on the 9th of April, 1898, and on file in the Clerk's Office, thence running with said county road south six degrees and thirty minutes, west 27 poles and seventy-hundredths of a pole to a post; thence north 87 degrees 47' east 59 poles and 8 1/2 inches, east 28 poles to a post; thence north 62 degrees and fifty-hundredths of a pole to the beginning; and this is to give notice that on

SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 1898

at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., I shall sell at public auction at the Court House door in the city of Salisbury, the said ten acres of land and three-tenths of an acre of land, of the property of Asher B. Hamblin now owned by Grant Dennis, to satisfy the State and County taxes due from said Asher B. Hamblin for the years 1892 and 1893 with interest and costs. LEVI D. GORDY, Collector of taxes, 4th Collection District.

NEW YORK, PHILA. & NORFOLK R. R.

Time Table in Effect Nov. 29, 1897. SOUTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 87 No. 91 No. 85 No. 86

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: New York, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Wilmington.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS. No. 82 No. 83 No. 82 No. 81

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Wilmington, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, New York.

Crisfield Branch. No. 103 No. 145 No. 127

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Crisfield, Westover, King's Creek, Princess Anne.

No. 192 No. 116 No. 194

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Crisfield, Westover, King's Creek, Princess Anne.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia, Wilmington & Balto. R. R. DELAWARE DIVISION. Schedule in effect November 29, 1897. Trains leave Delmar north bound as follows:

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Delmar, Laurel, Seaford, Cannonville, Greenwood, Farmington, Harrington, Felton, Viola, Wyoming, Dover, Smyrna, Clayton, Greensburg, Townsend, Middletown, Mt. Pleasant, Kirkwood, Forter, New Castle, Farhurst, Wilmington, Baltimore, Philadelphia.

BRANCH ROADS. Dela., Md. & Va. R. R.—Leave Harrington for Franklin City 10.30 a. m. week days; 6.37 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only. Returning train leaves Franklin City 5.50 a. m. week days, and 4.42 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only.

Leave Franklin City for Chesapeake (via steamer) 1.45 p. m. week days. Returning leave Chesapeake 4.45 a. m. week days. Delaware and Chesapeake railroad leaves Clayton for Oxford and way stations 9.38 a. m. and 5.47 p. m. week days. Returning leave Oxford 6.46 a. m. and 1.40 p. m. week days. Cambridge and Seaford railroad. Leaves Seaford for Cambridge and intermediate stations 11.17 a. m. and 7.14 p. m. week days. Returning leave Cambridge 6.30 a. m. and 2.35 p. m. week days.

CONNECTIONS—At Porter with Newark & Delaware City Railroad. At Townsend with Queen Anne & Kent Railroad. At Clayton with Delaware & Chesapeake Railroad and Baltimore & Delaware Bay Railroad. At Harrington with Delaware, Maryland & Virginia Railroad. At Seaford, with Cambridge & Seaford Railroad. At Delmar, with New York, Philadelphia, & Norfolk, B. C. & A. and Peninsula Railroads. J. B. HUTCHINSON, Gen'l Manager. J. R. WOOD, G. P.

BALTIMORE, CHESAPEAKE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Time-table in effect June 8, 1898. Steamship connections between Pier 4 Light St. Wharf, Baltimore, and the railway division at Chisapeake.

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Baltimore, Chisapeake, Mdlands, Harpers, St. Michaels, Riversdale, Royal Oak, Kirkham, Bloomfield, Tred Avon, Eastern, Euter, Bethlehem, Preston, Linchester, Willow, Hurlocks, Ennals, Rhodesdale, Reed's Grove, Vienna, Madens Springs, Hebron, Rockaway, Pusey's, Salisbury, Phillips, Winstons, Parsonsburg, Pittsville, Willards, New Hope, W. Haley, St. Martins, Berlin, Holly Grove, Ocean City.

Table with columns for train numbers and times for stations: Ocean City, Holly Grove, Berlin, St. Martins, Whaleyville, New Hope, Willards, Pittsville, Parsonsburg, Waltons, Salisbury, Pusey's, Rockaway, Hebron, Madens, Vienna, Reeds Grove, Rhodesdale, Ennals, Hurlocks, Ellwood, Linchester, Preston, Bethlehem, Turner, Eastern, Tred Avon, Bloomfield, Kirkham, Royal Oak, Riversdale, St. Michaels, Harpers, Mdlands, Chisapeake, Baltimore.

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Frutland, Sandy Hill, Quantico, Tyaskin, Collins, Rivaive, Widgeon, Roaring Point, White Haven, Deal's Island, Mt. Vernon, Wingate's Point, Dames Quarter.

Arriving in Baltimore early the following morning. Returning, will leave BALTIMORE from Pier 3, Light street, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 5 P. M., for the landings named, omitting Sandy Hill, Tyaskin, and Rivaive. Connection made at Salisbury with the railway division and with N. Y., P. & N. R. R. Rates of fare between Salisbury and Baltimore, first class, \$1.50; second class, \$1.25; state rooms, \$1; meals, 50c. Free berths on board. For other information write to

WILLARD THOMPSON, General Manager. T. MURDOCK, Gen. Pass. Agent, or to W. S. GORDY, Agent, Salisbury, Md.

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County Correspondence.

PARSONSBURG, MD.

Miss Mae Laws of Pittsville visited Miss Gussie Parsons last Saturday and Sunday.

Elder Claude Ker of Delmar preached in the O. S. Baptist meeting-house last Saturday and Sunday.

Children's Day Services were held in the M. E. Church here Sunday evening last.

Mrs. Nancy Parsons wife of Mr. William Parsons died of consumption June 7th. Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Parsonsburg; funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Wood Mrs. Parsons was about twenty-eight years of age.

SHARPTOWN, MD.

Harry H. Robinson of Baltimore, formerly of this town, and Miss Edna Baker, of Baltimore, were married in that city on Wednesday morning and left for a tour in New York State.

The steamer Maggie is now running on the Nanticoke in place of steamer Chowan.

Children's Day service in the M. E. church has been arranged for Sunday night, June 19th.

William S. Marshall died on Friday, June 8d, at the age of sixty-five years, after an illness of one week. He was born in Dorchester county, October 9th, 1833.

When a young man he came to this town and in 1865 he was married to Mrs. Mary Bergie, widow of Dr. Bergie, a practitioner of this town. He has lived in and near town since. During his early life he was a teacher in this county, but subsequently he engaged in the wheelright and harness business and the last years of his life he was engaged in trucking and farming. Politically he was a democrat and served his party locally, and two years ago he was standard bearer, for the county, and last year was register of voters. He was a man of good moral habits and was very industrious. He was kind and obliging and his quiet, friendly disposition made him a congenial neighbor and friend. As a father he was ever devoted to the best interests of his children. He leaves a widow, a son, Robert L. of Chincoteague Island, two daughters, Mrs. Sallie Clash, a teacher in the public school here and Miss Addie, the youngest. He also leaves a brother living at Madison, Md., and three sisters, two in Cambridge and one at Bucktown, Md. His remains were interred in the Taylor cemetery, on Sunday 5th, after funeral services by Rev. Wm. R. McFarlane. The burial was largely attended.

A combination of circumstances made it almost a necessity, at a late hour, to abandon the holding of the Christian Endeavor Convention, advertised to be held here on Thursday. A mad dog was killed here on the street a few days ago, making the third one recently killed here.

A. C. Adams and A. R. Windsor, book-keepers, of Baltimore, and Prof. L. L. Twilley, a teacher in the Baltimore school are now here. Prof. Urie Lee Gordy, professor of mathematics in Shamokin College, Shamokin, Pa. is also sojourning in town.

Miss Florence McFarlane of this town, daughter of Rev. Wm. McFarlane, graduated at Tome Institute, this week.

George E. Windsor son of Capt. Curtis Windsor died on Tuesday night of typhoid fever at the age of twenty years. In the death of this young man the church, the community and the family lose a member of almost unequalled piety. He was of a pious disposition from early life and several years ago professed conversion and united himself with the M. E. Church, and at the time of his death was a steward and assistant class leader, and was recently licensed to exhort. He was active in the church work, prompt and always ready to do whatever work was assigned him. He was very ambitious for an education and made a great sacrifice to attend school last winter. He was quiet and seemed free from questionable habits or associations. He was a member of the American Mechanics, and was buried with the honors of the order.

He looked forward to a life of usefulness and was desirous of preparing himself for the ministry, and to this end seemed to shape his work as well as his life; but in the midst of these youthful contemplations, his earthly work came to an end and he was taken from this life. His life, though short, was good and he leaves a noble example of piety and christian conduct.

His remains were interred in the Taylor cemetery on Thursday afternoon after funeral services by his pastor, Rev. W. R. McFarlane in the M. E. Church.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

Notice.

The "woodsmeeting" which has been in progress at Green Hill, M. P. church has been quite successful. Great crowds have been in attendance and a wonderful interest has been manifested. The meeting will close with a farewell service 8 p. m. Sunday June 19. Quantico Preaching 10.30 a. m., Green Hill 8 p. m., Royal Oaks 8 p. m.

MARYLAND BANKERS.

Convention of Their Association Will be Held Late in July at Ocean City.

The Maryland Bankers' Association will hold this year's convention at Ocean City on Thursday and Friday, July 21 and 22. Preparations are being made for an elaborate programme. The Atlantic Hotel will be the headquarters and special rates have been secured for the delegates.

On July 20 the delegates will leave Baltimore via the Baltimore Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway. The committee of administration of the association is now arranging the subjects for discussion at the convention and useful and important topics will be discussed. Papers on financial problems will be read by prominent bankers. Last year the convention was held at Cumberland and proved a great success.

Among those who will be invited to attend the Ocean City convention are Hon. Lyman J. Gage, Secretary of the Treasury; Hon. Charles G. Dawes, comptroller of the currency, and a number of leading bankers. The committee of administration in charge of the arrangements is composed of Messrs. W. T. Dixon, Eugene Levering, D. Annan, E. J. Penniman and Joseph D. Baker. Mr. John B. Ramsay is president of the association and Mr. Lawrence B. Kemp secretary.

Resolutions.

We have received the following from the State Council of Maryland, Order United American Mechanics.

The following resolution was passed unanimously by the State Council of Maryland O. U. A. M. in session assembled on Wednesday June 8, 1898.

Resolved: That a vote of thanks be extended by the state Council of Maryland assembled at Salisbury June 8, 1898, to the citizens of Salisbury for their cordial welcome and the decoration of their buildings, to the County Commissioners for their kindness in granting us the use of the Court House to hold our sessions, to Mayor Parsons and States' attorney Mr. T. F. J. Rider for their participation in our opening exercises, to Mr. O. J. Schneck proprietor of the Peninsula Hotel, whose efforts have been untiring in ministering to our comforts and providing so bounteously the essentials for the capriciousness of the human palate, to Salisbury Council No. 32 and particularly to Bro. John N. Lank Representative; W. L. Calloway Alternate; and G. W. Collins for their tireless efforts in our behalf and our sincere appreciation of the labors of the press representatives of Baltimore and Salisbury in reporting our proceedings in extenso and that this resolution be placed in the hands of the newspapers of the town and a copy sent to each of the above. Respectfully yours, CHAS. H. STEIN, S. C. Secretary.

Press Notice.

The Children's Fresh Air Society is about to begin its work for the season of 1898. The work has increased each year and a vast number of children have been benefitted by a two weeks trip in the country.

Last year many small towns entertained children and the Society is anxious to continue this work. Several of the town's people formed a committee, who gathered a number of children, as many as could be comfortably accommodated, in one home, in charge of a matron.

The people of the town, who could not take children into their own homes, contributing cheerfully to the support of the home under the committee's superintendence.

The plan was eminently successful. The little "Fresh Air Home" became an object of sympathetic consideration to the townspeople, and was kept in loving remembrance by the children who were entertained there. The Fresh Air Society desires the formation of Auxiliary Committees in the country to cooperate with the Baltimore Society. The committee to secure homes and report to the Baltimore Society who will send children to their entertainers, all expenses of transportation prepaid.

Any one interested in this work may gain all desired information by writing to Miss Florence Galloway, Secretary, 4 W. Saratoga Street.

A New Peach Basket.

Mr. Albert W. Robinson, of A. W. Robinson & Co., of Sharptown, has perfected a peach basket which he is now preparing to put on the market. It is in size and shape the same as the standard peach basket with cover similar to those used on the basket now in use and placed on it in the same way, but instead of a fixed bottom it has a bottom that is not put in till after the basket is filled. The top of the package is first nailed on and when it is to be filled it is inverted and the bottom removed and the fruit put in from the bottom; when filled the bottom is put back. The bottom sets in flush with the bottom hoop. The inside bottom hoop is beveled to fit closely to the beveled bottom, which is held in position by nails driven through the two hoops from the side.

The advantage claimed for the package is that fruit can be packed more advantageously from the bottom, and show to better advantage when opened from the top, as there will be no crushed or bruised fruit.

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Pretty Foulard Silks Are Cheap Just Now

We own eleven thousand three hundred and ninety-seven (11,397) yards at prices not far above half current values.

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The silk itself is of fine sturdy quality, in the wanted twills.

At 35c a yard—80 pcs.—twenty-three navy and white twenty-five black with color fourteen black and white

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At 40c a yard—44 pcs.—eighteen black with color fourteen color with black and white seven navy and white five black and white

At 45c a yard—26 pcs.—eight black with color five navy and white six black and white six color and white one color with color

At 55c a yard—10 pcs.—navy and white black and white black with color color with white

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WOVEN COTTONS—

American Cheviots, 3 yards for 35c, 45c, 54c, 75c.

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American Gingham, 3 yards for 19c, 27c, 30c, 38c.

American Madras, 3 yards for 45c, 54c, 75c.

Scotch Gingham, 3 yards for 60c, 75c, \$1.05.

Scotch Madras, 3 yards for \$1.05.

Scotch Linens, 3 yards for 84c, \$1.33.

PRINTED COTTONS—

Standard Calicoes, 3 1/2 yards for 14c, 18c.

Printed Madras, 3 yards for 38c.

36 in. Best Percales, 3 yards for 38c.

Fine Satens, 3 yards for 30c, 45c.

Printed Cheviots, 3 yards for 75c.

LAWNS AND DIMITIES—

Fine Dimity, 3 yards for 15c.

Fine Lawn, 3 yards for 21c.

Batiste Lawn, 3 yards for 30c, 38c.

Swiss Lawn, 3 yards for 38c.

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62 in. wide, 56c a yd.

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Fine damask linen, in floral pattern—

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Fine damask linen, in neat and pretty patterns—

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72 in. wide, \$1.20 a yd.

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ORDER NISI.

L. E. Williams, surviving trustee of Gordon H. Toadvin, vs. E. Stanley Toadvin.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 871. May Term, 1898.

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CHAS. F. HOLLAND.

True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphans court for Wicomico county, letters of administration on the personal estate of

CHARLES W. COLLINS,

late of Wicomico county, dec'd. All persons having claims against said dec'd, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before

November 28, 1898,

or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1898.

JOHN W. WILKINS, administrator.

Auditor's Notice.

E. E. Jackson and Chas. F. Holland vs. E. Stanley Toadvin, et al. No. 1086 Chancery.

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LEVIN M. DASHIELL, Auditor.

FOR SUMMER

LAWN SWISS DIMITIE GINGHAM PERCALE

Wanamaker's

Today his mills cover several acres and the choicest half of his linens still come to Wanamaker's. Fourteen huge cases have just come from the Custom House—they contain linens of the same old-fashioned goodness. Thrifty housekeepers will want a share of them in their linen closets. They're ready today.

BLEACHED TABLE LINENS—

Extra heavy drill or dice pattern table linen—

62 in. wide, 56c a yd.

66 in. wide, 65c a yd.

PART-BLEACHED TABLE LINENS—

Loom dice table linen in neat, quaint patterns—

68 in. wide, 65c a yd.

Fine damask linen, in floral pattern—

70 in wide, 75c a yd.

Fine damask linen, in neat and pretty patterns—

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Finest loom dice table linen—the equal, for wear, of bleached damask at double its price. Three widths—

60 in. wide, 85c a yd.

66 in. wide, \$1 a yd.

72 in. wide, \$1.20 a yd.

John Wanamaker.

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Three farms to rent or for sale. In good state of cultivation. Situated in Nutters District. For further particulars apply to

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6,000 TROOPS ARE LANDED.

10,000 More on the Transports Ready to Join them—Shafter's Invading Hosts on Cuban Soil.

(Copyrighted, 1898, by Associated Press.) On board the Associated Press Dispatch-Boat Wanda, Baiquiri Harbor, Cuba, Wednesday, June 23, 5 p. m., via Kingston, Jamaica, Thursday, June 23, 5.30 a. m.—At 5 o'clock this afternoon 6000 trained American soldiers are encamped in the hills and around Baiquiri and 10,000 more rest on their arms on board transports off shore, ready to join those debarked, as soon as the available launches and small boats can carry them ashore.

Time and sea and weather were propitious for the army of invasion. The Navy and the Army co operated splendidly, and as the big warships closed in on shore to pave the way for the approach of the transports and then went back again, three cheers for the Navy went up from 10,000 throats on the troop ships and three cheers for the Army rose from ship after ship as the troop ships moved in to take their share in the hazardous game. It was war and it was magnificent.

CUBANS DO GOOD WORK.

The Cuban insurgents, too bore their share in the enterprise honorably and well. Five thousand of them, in mountain fastnesses and dark thickets of ravines, lay all last night on their guns watching every road and mountain path leading from Santiago de Cuba to Guantanamo. One thousand of them were within sight of Baiquiri, making the approach of the Spaniards under cover of the darkness an impossibility.

At 4 o'clock this morning as the Associated Press dispatch-boat approached Baiquiri the entire island of Cuba seemed wrapped in soft mist like that of the dog-days in the northern latitudes. Dull, leaden clouds lay on the eastern horizon, and the color was reflected in the gray waters of the ocean, which gently undulated in the lazy breeze. Distant objects loomed dimly, but it was seen that many of the troop ships that had been lying several miles in the offing had drawn in toward the shore, while three or four warships lay menacingly near the harbor approach. All around the transports steam launches and small boats were bobbing about like corks, the first indication of the true object of the undertaking ahead.

NO LOSS OF LIFE.

The landing was accomplished without loss of life, the only casualty being the wounding of an insurgent on the hills by a shell from one of our warships. He will lose his arm.

The insurgent troops at Baiquiri are commanded by General Castillo and are estimated to number 1000 men.

GONE TO WAR.

Two More of Salisbury's Young Men Moving to the Front.

There were sad hearts in Salisbury last Thursday when Messrs. John H. Waller and G. Vickers White of this city bade good-bye to their friends before embarking for Old Point Comfort to join "Uncle Sam's" forces and prepare for active service in the Cuban war.

The preliminary step was taken last Tuesday when they passed the physical examination at Easton, where a squad was being made up. The Easton party started to Fortress Monroe Thursday via the N. Y. P. & N. railroad and Messrs. Waller and White joined them here, Mr. Waller having been commissioned by the enrolling officer to take charge of the volunteers and report them to the authorities at Old Point.

The enlisting of Messrs. Waller and White makes the number of Salisbury boys in the field three, Mr. Harry Johnson being already a member of the Fifth Maryland Regiment now at Tampa, he having joined several weeks ago.

Although our representation is small, what it lacks in number is offset by quality, as the valiant three are not only made of the right stuff, but they are the scions of our best families.

May each return with the honor that brave men deserve.

Sale of Real Estate.

Messrs. S. P. Woodcock & Co., have just sold for Records & Goldsborough the saloon property an East Camden street to Messrs. Perdue & Gunby. The property is adjoining the carriage repository of the latter gentlemen, and they expect to remove the building and put in its place an addition to their ware house. The new purchase comprises a piece of land 22x70 feet. The purchasers will cover this with a large building which will abut their large warehouse, thus making the present building much larger and more spacious.

Messrs. Perdue and Gunby are the largest carriage and harness dealers on the peninsula.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

WHAT SHALL THE ISSUE BE.

Discussions By Judge Holland and Hon. James E. Ellegood—Anti-Imperialism the Issue.

In response to the question from the editor of the ADVERTISER, "What in your judgment should be the dominant issue in the coming congressional campaign?" we received the following:

Mr. Ellegood.

In response to your request to express my views on some of the political issues, I beg to say that I know of no greater service that the democratic papers of the First Congressional District can do the people than the exposure of the dangers threatening our institutions from the imperialistic ideas with which the present republican administration is fast becoming impregnated.

The economic questions of finance and tariff are now, as they have been, and will continue to be, of great importance, but like all other subjects are relatively so, as compared with other matters of public concern. It seems to me that the new departure on the lines of annexation of outlying islands, territorial expansion and a strong government, aptly characterized under the new word in American politics, as imperialism, is of unusual gravity and that we are making rapid progress toward a crisis in our national polity, the result of which no one can see. Heretofore our national development has been on continental lines and of contiguous territory, except in the case of Alaska, and the assimilation of people who were of our faith and blood, who could adapt themselves to our form and principles of government and were capable of self government. They were not colonies, much less were they dependencies, as our new acquisitions will be, which instead of being a help will be a burden and a hindrance, requiring military governors with military establishment, which is so repugnant to the genius of our institutions, to our traditional policy and to the framework and constitution of the government, that the very thought if it should be repulsive to every lover of self government.

The reactionary effect upon ourselves is likely to be of vastly more important and injurious than any benefits we may be able to confer on our outlying dependencies even if we wish to start on a quixotic venture of building up military establishments in all the islands of the sea, and enforcing our civilization and christianity by the potent, if not persuasive argument of battleships, bombs and rapid fire-guns.

I have spoken of the present tendency as a "new departure." Territorial expansion is not new to us, but the principles now involved as well as the methods employed are both new and startling. Our "splendid isolation," the dangers of "foreign entanglements" and the "Monroe Doctrine" have been the accepted national policy from the beginning of our government; but all of a sudden, amidst the "pomp and circumstances of war" and in the blaze of "the rockets red glare," we hear Governor Grosvenor, the spokesman of the administration say in the Republican Convention of Ohio: "We are all confronted with new questions; new questions of National policy, the question whether we will take hold and fortify and eternally defend with the blessing of God the Hawaiian Islands. When the war is over we will then settle the question of what sort of government we will have over there. It is not important to settle the status of the Philippines now." And likewise he spoke of Cuba and Porto Rico.

Of course they are to have no voice in the establishment, character and permanency of their home government. We are to take, *(vi et armis)*, hold and fortify all these and doubtless others, and bestow *vi et armis* upon them a permanent government of some unknown character, regardless of our constitutional limitations or of treaty regulations, or of their inherent rights; and all with the promised benedictions of the Supreme Ruler of nations. General Grosvenor is the well-known champion of the spoils system in party politics; he would now infuse into our National system the virus of the lust of conquest and make us a freebooter and robber nation.

Evidently the Scriptural doctrine that "Righteousness exalteth a nation" has no place in the creed of the modern apostle of territorial extension. "Might maketh right" is the active principle of imperialism; "all men are born free and equal," or in the language of President Monroe, "all men are equally free," is the essential principle of democracy. Let the American people choose, as they must and will, which side of this issue they will adopt.

Judge Holland:—My position on the money question is unchanged, but there is a radical change in conditions. We are at war now and already in possession of foreign territory. This territory and much more will likely be our lands when peace comes. Out of such a result will arise an issue in national politics which will demand the attention of our statesmen and people to the exclusion of all other national questions. It is even now anticipated and is claiming the attention of the thoughtful for it is of vital import. Shall we change the beneficent scheme of our government as it was originally conceived, and turn from a peace-lov-

ing, agricultural and manufacturing people, concerned only with our own affairs and prosperous beyond precedent, to a warlike, military nation, conquering and ruling foreign territory, and thus to become a contesting factor in affairs of all other nations? To do this would be to abandon the spirit of republican government. It would be imperialism in that it would require a government stronger than the people.

This question will divide the parties in the near future and now is the time for the democratic party to take its rightful place and speak its will, and it is gratifying to see our leaders planting their flags along the line of the true policy of our government and pointing where its genius leads. I hope to see this great party, irrespective of other issues, local and national, standing resolutely upon that line to preserve our government in present pure republican form.

This, in my opinion, should be the issue in the coming congressional campaign, and our candidate should be a man who could and would advocate firmly, ably and aggressively the democratic doctrine upon this question. Other issues, including that between silver and gold must be held, of necessity, in abeyance till the war and the questions arising out of it shall be settled.

Reduced Rates to Nashville via Pennsylvania Railroad, account Christian Endeavor Convention.

On account of the Christian Endeavor International Convention, to be held at Nashville, Tenn., July 5 to 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets of the continuous passage, ironclad signature form, from stations on its line to Nashville at rate of single fare for round trip. Tickets will be sold, and good going, July 2 to 5; returning tickets will be good to leave Nashville to July 15, inclusive, except that by depositing ticket with agent of terminal line at Nashville on before July 15, return limit may be extended to leave Nashville to August 1, 1898, inclusive. 2-t

Miss Reid's Concert.

Miss Mary S. Reid of Princess Anne and her sister Miss Constance Reid assisted by Miss Julia Ellegood of this city gave a musical concert at Ulman's Hall last Tuesday evening.

The audience was composed of some of the town's most cultured people. The concert gave great pleasure to the audience. Miss Reid is an accomplished musician and is now engaged in imparting piano instructions to a class of Salisbury ladies.

No Races on the Fourth.

Messrs. George R. Collier and O. J. Schneck have made the announcement that there will be no races in Salisbury on July 4th, as has been formerly announced.

They could not make arrangements to enter some of the best horses, and were obliged to give up the plan for the present, but they are hopeful that the races can be arranged for another date later in the season.

Notice.

There will be Divine Service and celebration of the Holy Eucharist, on next Sunday morning, at Spring Hill. Evening Prayer and sermon that evening at 8 o'clock, in S. Phillip's Chapel, Quantico.—FRANKLIN B. ADKINS, Rector.

An Old Idea.

Every day strengthens the belief of eminent physicians that impure blood is the cause of the majority of our diseases. Twenty-five years ago this theory was used as a basis for the formula of Browns' Iron Bitters. The many remarkable cures effected by this famous old household remedy are sufficient to prove that the theory is correct. Browns' Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

Hon. Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier Journal, has been selected by the Key Monumental Association of Frederic, to deliver the oration at the unveiling exercises on August 9.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



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THE GOLDEN Opportunity OF THE SEASON

RARE BARGAINS IN—Hammocks, Base Ball Goods and Croquet Sets.

We are selling cotton wove hammocks, pillow and stretcher from \$1.00 up.

A good quality Mexican hammock, with one pair of stretchers thrown in for 75c.

A SCORCHER

is what we are likely to have any day now. You crave cooling drinks. Try a glass of delicious soda dispensed from our refrigerating fountain for 5c.

Ice cream soda, all flavors 10c.

WHITE & LEONARD'S DRUG STORE

Cor. Main and St. Peter's Sts., SALISBURY, MD.

Duty Calls Us To The Front.

Whether we covet the position or not, our duty to our patrons, the public, calls us to the front, and to the front we go.

The people like the way we have served them. They believe in our shoes. They have confidence in our representations. They have faith in our price-rightness. They look to us to lead all others in the selling of shoes, and we do our best in measuring up to their expectations.

We are now offering for sale several different styles of

SUMMER SHOES

at prices you would never think possible, but we have found a way to get them at much less than the usual cost, and our patrons may participate in our good luck while the lot lasts.

HARRY DENNIS

Only Shoe House, Salisbury, Md.

A \$100 Wheel FOR \$25.00 OR AN OLD ONE MADE NEW.

I have just opened a shop and ware room on Dock street, where I have for sale New Bicycles, having taken the agency for two leading makes. I have opened a repair shop in connection with it where all kinds of repairs to wheels will be properly and promptly done at reasonable prices. If you want a wheel call to see me. If you have one out of order bring it with you.

T. BYRD LANKFORD.

Do You Want TO MAKE MONEY?

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200 PAIRS SLIPPERS

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TO EVERYBODY.

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All kinds of Shoes besides.

J. D. Price & Co

SHOE SUPPLIERS AND MEN'S OUTFITTERS, SALISBURY, MD.

N. B. Don't forget our Crash Caps with eye-glasses attached, and our great line of Straw Hats.

Press Notice.

The Children's Fresh Air Society of Baltimore has completed six years of successful work. The character of this work is familiar to the public and its success is due to the prompt responses to the Society's appeal for help which a generous public has always given. Year after year, since 1890, during the mid-summer heat when the mortality is greatest among the children of the poor in our City the Society's friends in the country have opened their homes to these little ones, giving them comforts and pleasures unknown to a childhood passed amid unwholesome surroundings. Last year the people responded nobly to the Society's appeal for homes. Committees were formed in small towns and from two to four carloads of children were entertained at these places. The farmers also found room in their busy homes for many and when the season closed nearly 1900 children had been made happy.

There are still children, whose pale faces and frail bodies tell of the need of the Society's aid. If the Auxiliary Committees formed in country neighborhoods for securing homes report to the Baltimore Society, these children may be added to the 1900 now clamoring for their country trip to the country. Miss Florence Galloway, Secretary, 4 West Saratoga Street will cheerfully reply to all communications from those who are interested in this wonderful Home Missionary Charity.

Yours cordially,
HENRY N. HANNA, Chairman.

Baltimore Harbor Mines.

We take pleasure in informing our readers that, through the efforts of the officers of the different steamboat companies of Baltimore, the rigid regulations of the War Department, closing the harbor of Baltimore, between sunset and sunrise, have been greatly modified, so as to allow all light draft steamers to return to Baltimore after dark. The channel used by all these Eastern Shore light draft boats, is that whole wide sheet of water lying north of Fort Carroll, and between it and Sparrow's Point. This stretch of water is shoal in comparison with the main ship channel lying south of Fort Carroll, and between it and Hawkins Point, and it has not been mined at any time. The only mines are those lying in the deep water south of Fort Carroll, as stated above.

We write this for the benefit of our readers, who may have some hesitation about the risk they think they are running, in using the steamers plying between the Eastern Shore of Maryland and the city of Baltimore. We wish to assure them on this point.

Death of Dr. Dougherty.

Dr. Jas. F. Dougherty of Princess Anne, died at the home of his father in Princess Anne, last Sunday evening, of nervous prostration.

Dr. Dougherty was born November 8, 1869, and at the time of his death was in his 29th year. After being educated at the High School, he attended medical lectures at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Baltimore and graduated in 1895. He immediately formed a partnership with Dr. R. W. Dashiell and from the beginning of it was successful. His premature death in the flower of early manhood is greatly deplored.

The funeral services and interment took place Tuesday afternoon. The pall bearers were William H. McConkey, of Salisbury; John W. Carroll, of Cape Charles, Va.; B. Louis Lankford, Oscar Webster and Frank Dashiell, of Somerset, and James U. Dennis, of Baltimore.

—Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, whose fame as a brilliant writer, a man of remarkable scholarship and literary attainments, is even greater than that of the distinguished Senator, announces a new book on the subject of the American-Spanish-Cuban War. It is entitled "America's War For Humanity in Picture and Story." It is published by the N. D. Thompson Publishing Co., of St. Louis, Mo., and is an exhaustive discussion of the causes of the war, and an equally exhaustive history of its incidents, and a brilliant analysis of the famous characters conducting it. It promises to be the one great and popular work called forth by this wonderfully interesting national episode. Whatever Senator Ingalls touches he adorns; and this book shines and sparkles in the light of his genius. The present work is worthy of his genius, and will be a monument to his fame. The subject now so engrosses the popular mind as to forecast for this book a sale that will be universal. It will be sold by subscription only, and the canvassing samples are now ready for agents. We advertise it in another column.

Convention National Educational Association, Washington, D. C.

For the National Educational Association Convention to be held at Washington, D. C., July 7 to 12, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line to Washington and return at rate of single fare for the round trip plus \$2.00 membership fee. These tickets will be sold on and good going, July 4 to 7, and good to return leaving Washington July 8 to 15, when stamped by Joint Agent at Washington. By depositing ticket with Joint Agent on or before July 12 and on payment of 50 cents the return limit may be extended to August 31. Tickets for side trips from Washington to Gettysburg, Richmond, Old Point Comfort, and Southern battlefields will be on sale at the ticket offices of the Railroad Company in Washington during the continuance of the Convention.

MOTHER'S HANDS.

Since faded by imprints of care,
That falls a mother's lot to share,
Her hands are not so white and full,
But cares have made them beautiful.

These hands knew not a task undone
That childish joy would bring begun,
No childhood troubled tears we cried,
But that her hands fair would have dried.

Oh they had caressed my brow
With gentle touch, I know not how,
And then the lingering fever sped,
Her soft cold hands I felt instead.

Her thin aged hands, they tell of care
That love knows only how to bear,
Through the wearied nights they've toiled in pain,
Relief and strength they toiled to gain.

No other hands can these replace,
In humble home or castled place,
And hands as true, willing, and kind,
Alone these are of all mankind.

Dear to my heart I sacred keep
These cherished hands of wrinkles deep,
Trembling with age, long toil and care,
No other hands are near so fair.

Long since at rest these hands have lain
So still, so cold, though free from pain,
Yet in my vision, in my dream,
Those still, cold hands are beckoning.

Some day her beckoned hands I'll clasp
Though many sad years shall have passed,
We'll greet at Heaven's portal fair,
My mother's hands, I'll clasp them there.

—GEO. ZIMMERMAN.

A Great War Atlas.

"The Philadelphia Press" has secured a war atlas which will cover every portion of the earth where a conflict on land or on sea could occur.

"The Philadelphia Press" ordered a very large number of the atlases and through its great order is enabled to place separate copies before its readers at almost actual cost.

"The Philadelphia Press" great war atlas contains sixteen pages of maps, and six pages of valuable statistics, showing the financial, military and naval strength of the United States and Spain. It also contains a brief, interesting and accurate history of Cuba.

Those ordering the war atlas to be sent by mail must enclose 10 cents and an extra 2-cent stamp for postage. Mail orders will be filled the same day as received. They should be addressed to the War Atlas Department, "The Press" Philadelphia.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with two bottles has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz. Thus writes W. C. Hammick & Co., of Shelby N. C. Trial bottles free at Dr. L. D. Collier's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

The Rev. Dr. William F. Brand, rector of St. Mary's P. E. Church, Emmorton, Friday, celebrated his 84th birthday. He was born in New Orleans, and Andrew Jackson attended his christening. He has been rector of St. Mary's for 47 years. He educated President Jefferson's son.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. Bell our druggist, recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering from this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours. M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky."

Sold by Dr. L. D. Collier Druggist.

The Rev. A. H. Zimmerman of Cumberland has been appointed principal of the Buckingham Industrial School at Buckeystown, Frederick county, established by the Messrs Baker of that place.

The Modern Beauty.

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant Syrup of Figs, made by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

The Hagerstown street commissioners awarded E. G. Buck, of Bedford City, Va., the contract for paving the streets with Clearfield brick, 6,500 square yards, at \$1.24 per square yard.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures all wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty cents a bottle.

Dennis Tyler, a Hagerstown negro, who followed the advice of a "witch doctor" to burn a hen alive, has been jailed for 15 days for cruelty to animals.

SUMMER OUTINGS.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the following Personally-Conducted Tours for the Summer and early Autumn of 1898:

To the North, (including Watkins Glen, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga, and a daylight ride through the Highlands of the Hudson), July 26 and August 16. Rate, \$100 for the round trip from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, covering all expenses of a two-weeks' trip. Proportionate rates from other points.

To Yellowstone Park and the Trans-Mississippi Exposition on a special train of Pullman sleeping, compartment, observation, and dining cars, allowing eight days in "Wonderland" and two days at Omaha, September 1. Rate, \$235 from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington; \$280 from Pittsburgh.

Two ten-day tours to Gettysburg, Luray Caverns, Natural Bridge, Virginia Hot Springs, Richmond and Washington, September 28 and October 19. Rate \$65 from New York, \$68 from Philadelphia. Proportionate rates from other points.

For itineraries and further information apply to ticket agents, or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

Don't bolt your food, it irritates your stomach. Choose digestible food and chew it. Indigestion is a dangerous sickness. Proper care prevents it. Shaker Digestive Cordial cures it. That is the long and short of indigestion. Now, the question is: Have you got indigestion? Yes, if you have pain or discomfort after eating, headache, dizziness, nausea, offensive breath, heartburn, languor, weakness, fever, jaundice, flatulence, loss of appetite, irritability, constipation, etc. Yes, you have indigestion. To cure it, take Shaker Digestive Cordial. The medical herbs and plants of which Shaker Digestive Cordial is composed, help to digest the food in your stomach; help to strengthen you stomach. When your stomach is strong, care will keep it so. Shaker Digestive Cordial is for sale by Druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

Strong, steady nerves
Are needed for success
Everywhere. Nerves
Depend simply, solely,
Upon the blood.
Pure, rich, nourishing
Blood feeds the nerves
And makes them strong.
The great nerve tonic is
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Cures nervousness,
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Bits of Maryland News.

Deer Park, in the Alleganias, is open.
A mad-dog scare is reported in South-Caroline.
Efforts will be made to collect a dog tax in Cecil county.
A new schoolhouse will be built in Westminster at a cost of \$4000.

Hyattsville is suffering severely from the drouth. The wells are drying up.
Apples will be scarcer in Frederick county this year than for many seasons past.

A post office has been established at McDonald, Frederick county, with Lizzie Klien postmistress.
The congregation of Ebenezer M. E. Church, Easton, contemplates building a new church edifice.

Fifteen recruits were sent from Cumberland Tuesday to the First Regiment at Fortress Monroe.

Carter's paper mills, near Elkton, will resume operations shortly. They have been idle for a year.

Capt. W. H. Miller was knocked down and robbed in his store at Hampstead by two men, who escaped.

Hagerstown is buying war bonds. Applications for \$7,000 worth were received at the banks in one day.

Four children in the family of Henry Robinson, Williamsport, have died of diphtheria within seven days.

Members of the highway division of the Geological Survey visited Cecil county, Saturday, to inspect roads.

The miners of Eockhart have raised a flag in honor of Dewey's victory. The staff is surmounted by a pick and shovel.

The wheat crop in Washington county is unusually large, despite reports of great damage having been done by the fly.

Captain Cooper is opposed to the Round Bay site for the proposed Chesapeake dry dock, and prefers Drum Point.

The victory rests with America's Greatest Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, when it enters the battle against impure blood.

The Annapolis City Council Monday night fixed the tax rate at 65 cents on the \$100, a reduction of 5 cents on last year's levy.

F. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

The Southern Maryland tobacco-crop will be between a third and a half less than that of last year, owing to the drouth.

A well-known grain dealer of Frederick city says that the farmers of Frederick county have about 10,000 bushels of wheat.

Peach-growers from the mountain districts of Western Maryland say that small peaches are falling from the trees in great numbers.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggist.

Francis Thomas, colored, charged with the murder of George Smith at Indian Head, on June 12, has been placed in La Plata jail.

President John J. Stump has appointed the committees of the State Firemen's Association. The Baltimore appointees are Jacob Durm, statistical committee; Augustus Albert, exhibit committee; Conrad Kratz, legislative committee.

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The Kent county wheat crop will be below the average. There will be a large pear crop. The June "drop" has lessened the peach crop.

Isaac Fields, colored, was shot and killed at a negro picnic near Marion Monday night. Isaac Purnell, colored is in jail at Princess Anne, charged with the murder.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

Mr. Horace Sterling and Miss Etta Dryden were married Monday night at the home of the bride's brother, Senator A. L. Dryden, Crisfield.

The McMurray canning factory, Frederick, will put up about four hundred and fifty acres of peas this season, which is twice as large an acreage as last year.

Washington county has sent 48 recruits to the Fourth Regiment, U. S. V. at Fredericksburg, Va. This is the regiment to which Capt. Osmun Latrobe is attached.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels it and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay, besides; one pays out 25 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Druggists.

Caroline county strawberry growers complain that the crop this year has not been a paying one. In many cases the returns brought the shippers in debt.

Dewey Park, on the Sassafras river, Cecil county, has been opened under the management of T. J. Shallcross and E. Thomas Massey. It will be a pleasure resort.

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Cambridge fishermen report great success in catching sturgeon above Chancellors Point, in the Choptank, one of them having made over \$100 on his catch last week.

Governor Lowndes, accompanied by Judges Sloan, McSherry, Page and Roberts and State Geologist Wm. B. Clarke, left Cumberland Monday in President John K. Cowen's private car for a tour about the lakes.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY make oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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—You should see the line of new tailor-made wrappers at Birkhead & Carey.

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—Harness is essential at this time of the year. R. E. Powell & Co. have a large stock.

—Better Soda, longer glasses, and all the latest flavors at White & Leonard's New Soda Fountain.

—Buy your groceries of Davis & Baker and save Money. All goods delivered free.

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Now do not wink the other eye—

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ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY shows the poisonous alkaloids of Coffee, as in Tobacco, Whiskey, and Morphine.

A PERFECTLY HEALTHY MAN or woman can stand these for a time, but "constant dripping wears a stone" and finally headache, torpid liver, sick stomach or heart, and that "weak-all-over" feeling show that a poisoned nervous system is calling for help and relief.

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SMALL WONDER that a fixed organic disease of some of the members is finally set up.

RELIEF cannot be obtained unless the cause is removed.

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WHERE ARE WE?

Looks very much as if there will be a general shaking up of the political parties in the near future and a new alignment, caused by the war now being waged.

The tariff question will not be an issue again for many years to come, for the reason that the Dingley bill took the place of the Wilson bill which had proved unsatisfactory on account of its free list. There was a feeling after the passage of this bill in the country that it would not be advisable to disturb business again by tariff discussions. The bill lately passed by congress will be considered a war measure, pure and simple, and will no doubt be repealed as soon as the war is over and conditions require it; so the tariff is not likely to be an issue in 1898 or 1900.

The Cuban war has forced upon the republican party a policy entirely new to the country, that of extending our domain and acquiring new territory.

No such policy was intended when we went into the war, but events have shaped this policy.

It was not thought when the war was undertaken that it would extend beyond Cuba, but it was soon apparent that Admiral Dewey in the Orient, would have a "resting place;" this seemed to necessitate an attack upon Manila.

We now have the Philippine Islands as an elephant on our hands and the republican party must decide what we shall do with them.

In settling the Cuban question the administration has decided, whether wisely or not, that we had as well dispense with the services of the Spanish on the Western Continent, and this calls for a notice to "vacate" Porto Rico, as well as Cuba. All this necessarily brings new issues. Shall we acquire all this new territory and if so, what relations will it bear to the mother country? We have promised that Cuba shall be independent, but it doesn't take a statesman to see that autonomy in Cuba without the protection of this country is a long distance off. The native Cuban is not capable of self government, and property of foreigners in Cuba must be protected. This will call for a large standing army. Similar conditions exist in Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands, except that we are not pledged to give them an independent government. All this calls for a standing army and a powerful navy.

What will be the position of the administration after this territory is occupied? The speech of Congressman Grosvenor before the Ohio State Convention last Tuesday is significant, from the fact that he is supposed to represent the administration.

"I doubt much," he said, "whether you and I will live to see the day when, by order of a republican administration, and surely not by the order of McKinley's administration, the stary banner of your country's glory shall be pulled down from any flagstaff where conquest of arms has placed it."

It will be somewhat difficult for the democratic party to join issue with the

republicans on this question as the rank and file were clamoring for the war and the issue seems the natural outgrowth of it.

There is however, a strong sentiment among the more conservative, in favor of combatting the policy of territorial acquisition.

It will be found very difficult to make the money question an issue in the fall elections

THE SUN'S NEW STANDARD OF VALUE.

The Baltimore Sun in a recent editorial on "Decline of Gold and Silver" has somewhat changed its base on the money question. After reviewing the history of silver from the discovery of Columbus to the "glorious victory of Hanna" in 1896, to show that the white metal has steadily declined in value it makes a savage attack upon its pet—gold.

"Gold as well as silver has declined in value and for the same reason—larger and cheaper production. Time was when rock yielding not over \$4 a ton could not be profitably mined; now it pays to crush ore that yields but \$1.50 of gold a ton. Nearly every product of human labor is now more abundant and cheaper than formerly, because of the larger use of steam and electricity, with improved machinery and processes. That gold has fallen is proven by the greater weight of it that must be given for the great staple commodity of the world—labor. Wages are higher than in 1873. Nothing is bought and sold in one-tenth the volume that labor is. The value of labor is as nearly constant and unvarying as anything else on the globe. By the census of 1860 it is shown that the average wages per annum of factory employes then were \$288 per capita; in 1890 they were \$484 per capita, an increase of 68 per cent. in the amount of gold paid for labor."

As soon as the Sun is convinced that the "damnable heresy," free silver is stamped out, we shall expect to see an onslaught made upon gold with a view of despoiling that also, for the purpose of establishing as a unit of value, "The one true and only measure of value, labor." This is the one commodity that never changes, the Sun would make us believe; the same yesterday, today, and forever, and the condition of the laborer has been the same in all ages and under all conditions, and is the same now the world over, whether in New York City or in Hong Kong, China.

"Gold has a fixed value the world over." This has been the song of the Sun for the past two years. Now it seems that this is erroneous. That luminary has discovered that gold has depreciated nearly 50 per cent., and that labor alone is the standard of value and in the future is to be known as a medium of exchange. Of course it is entirely immaterial whether it is American, European or Asiatic labor, as we must have a universal standard. Anything that had a different measure of value in different countries could not be accepted. It is this that is now about to condemn the gold standard—its depreciation in the American market. It has suddenly been discovered that gold has depreciated nearly fifty per cent according to the new standard, while in Europe it has maintained its own fairly well and in Asia the standard has depreciated but little if any.

Labor is to be the standard of value; the unit by which all values are to be measured. When the ideal condition of things is established and it is to be in the near future—as soon as these fluctuating monetary systems are stamped out our bankable notes will then read something like this: Three months after day I promise to pay to John Jones or order One hundred days' work, value received. And at the head of the Editorial column the Sun will have its subscription price run something like this: Single copies, ten minutes labor; three months, one and one half day's labor; one year, six days labor.

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Silver, you are gone; Gold you are doomed as a medium of exchange. Labor is to be the unit of value in the future.

—There is a noticeable improvement in the Marylander since it has been in the hands of Mr. W. H. Dashiell who recently purchased it. The columns are filled with bright news matter well prepared. The former editor, Mr. Polk had been in feeble health sometime previous to the transfer and was hardly able to "hustle around" to collect the news.

The new editor has ability and the industry to make a successful newspaper man. We welcome him to the fraternity and hope that shekels in abundance may fall to his lot. It would of course be out of place to suggest how he should run a paper as we have had some experience—only those who have had no experience play this role.

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B Stands for bearings, so hard and round.
C The Crescent has the best that can be found.
D Stands for Dorman, the best wheel on earth.
E People who ride them are full of mirth.
F Is the designer who planned this machine.
G Perfect in all parts, neat and clean.
H Stands for easy running and light.
I That helps Crescent wheels to give such delight.
J Is the frame, so staunch and strong.
K It will carry 2,000 pounds along.
L Is the ground over which the wheel glides.
M Without bumping or jolting the rider's sides.
N Stands for handle bars, any shape wished.
O Upwards, downwards, or sideways dished.
P Is improvement which can't be made
Q On this wheel, for it's the highest grade.
R Is the joy that riders feel
S While gliding along on a Crescent wheel.
T Stands for keenness which people use
U Who buy the Crescent, who says the Muse.
V Is the logic that riders show,
W Who buy Crescent wheel, the best they know.
X Is the manufacturer, who works night and day,
Y To fill Crescent orders, so they say.
Z Is the name, in itself a truth,
& For the Crescent eclipses others in their youth.
A Stands for orders, which come thick and fast.
B For the "Crescent" season is never past.
C Is the price which suits everyone,
D 'Tis low for the highest grade wheel under the sun.
E Is the question all persons ask,
F Why have Crescents all other wheels past?
G Stands for riding, which easy is made,
H By a Crescent dealer making a trade.
I Is the sprocket of very nice make,
J Use it once and no other you'll take.
K Is the trade-mark, handsome and neat,
L A Crescent, look for it on the street.
M Is the usefulness which marks the wheel,
N Persons owning Crescents, pleasure will feel.
O Is the vile language by riders used,
P When they are by breakage of other wheels bruised.
Q Stands for woman, healthy and strong,
R Who pushes the Crescent wheel along.
S Is the unknown quality of steel,
T Used in others than the Crescent wheel.
U Is the youngster, full of joy,
V He rides a Crescent, sensible boy.
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Local Department.

—Miss Daisy Bell is a guest of the Misses Byrd of Winchester Va.

—Mrs. Harry Dennis and little daughter are visiting relatives in Norfolk.

—Mr. Frank Evans is home from St. Johns College for the summer vacation.

—Mr. Fred Bell is home from the Maryland Agricultural College for the summer vacation.

—Messrs. R. E. Powell & Co., will close their store evenings at 7 o'clock beginning with July 5th.

—Miss Mary Ellen Showell Henman, daughter ex-sheriff Henman of Berlin, is visiting Mrs. Chas. Disharoon and Mrs. Jehu Parsons.

—The Clerk of the Circuit Court has received the laws of 1898, and is now ready to deliver them. Magistrates will please call for them.

—Married, Wednesday, 23d, at the Missionary Baptist Church, by Rev. Mr. Clark, Miss Lottie Brewington of this city to Mr. Winfred Waller of Seaford.

—At the M. P. Church next Sunday morning the pastor will speak on "Paul's Thorn in the Flesh." Evening subject, "The Dominant Sin of the Age."

—Mr. Vaughn S. Gordy gathered from his tomato patch on his Rockawalking farm last Wednesday a very large and pretty tomato grown in the open air. This is early for tomatoes in this locality.

—Rev. G. W. Bowman of Gumboro charge, Salisbury District, Wilmington M. E. Conference, will have two camp meetings to hold this year. One at Bethel, beginning July 30th; the other at Carey's, August 13th.

—The Baltimore blockade does not affect the B. C. & A. Fleet. Ocean City booms again. Every Sunday School but yours will be going, why not join the throng? For rate, date etc. apply to W. J. Morris, Division Passenger Agent.

—Lieutenant Albert Laws, son of Mr. W. L. Laws, of this county, has recently been advanced to the position of 1st lieutenant, and he has been made quartermaster of his company, the twenty-fourth, which is now at Tampa, Fla., ready to join in the invasion of Cuba.

—The Ocean City Special Train from Baltimore, Sunday, June 26, 1898, will stop at Salisbury, 12.21 noon to take on passengers for Ocean City. Returning, the train will leave Ocean City at 4.45 p. m., arriving at Salisbury at 5.30 p. m. Fare for the round trip 90 cents, tickets good for the day only. W. J. Morris, D. P. A.

—The residence of Mr. Thos. Dennis at Pittsville was totally destroyed by fire last Thursday night and nearly all the furniture. Mrs. Dennis was visiting in Salisbury at the time and had been for several days. Mr. Dennis was in Worcester county at the time. There was no one at home. The property was insured for \$800.

—Mr. W. E. Wilder left Salisbury Monday for Buffalo, N. Y., to attend the graduating exercises of the school where his daughters and son graduated this week. The family will arrive here in a few days and become permanently domiciled at the residence which Mr. Wilder recently purchased of Mr. Geo. W. Messick through S. P. Woodcock & Co., real estate agents.

—Mr. Hilary L. Mitchell and Miss Rena Poe were married on the 14th, inst., at the home of the bride's sister, Richmond, Va. The groom is the oldest son of Robert C. Mitchell of this county, and for the last ten years has lived in Richmond, where he has been associated with Armour & Co. as book-keeper and cashier. The bride is the youngest daughter of the late Major Poe, who for twenty-eight years previous to his death was Chief of Police of Richmond. The happy couple have been visiting Washington and Baltimore and the remainder of their honeymoon will be spent with the groom's parents. Mr. J. Ernest Mitchell of Washington, D. C., will also visit the family at the same time, when a reunion will be held.

—Bishop A. W. Wilson, Senior Bishop of Southern Methodist church, will preach at Trinity church next Sabbath morning. He is an able and eloquent divine. The public are cordially invited to hear him. The Bishop, Mrs. Wilson and Miss Wilson are guests of Ex-Governor Jackson at "The Oaks." The Bishop expects to leave Baltimore on the 30th for the Canadian Pacific and will sail from Vancouver's Island by the "Empress of China" and Japan on the 11th of July. This will be Bishop Wilson's fourth visit to the East, and is of particular interest as he goes by express invitation to preside at the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of Southern Methodist Missions in China.

HOPKINS—BENNETT.

Marriage of Two Young People at Mardela Springs.

The Methodist Protestant church at Mardela Springs was the scene of a pretty wedding Thursday evening. The contracting parties being Miss Cora E. Bennett and James T. Hopkins. At 8.30 the bridal party entered the church, keeping step to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Warner of Salisbury Methodist Protestant church, assisted by Rev. Mr. McKnett. The bride entered the church alone and was met at the altar by the groom and Chas. S. Cooper, his best man. The bride was dressed in white organdy over white silk; white trimmings with hat to match and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The maid of honor, Miss Mabel Elderdice, was becomingly attired in a gown of white organdy over pink silk with white trimmings and carried pink carnations. The ushers were Messrs. John W. Humphreys, James E. Bennett, T. Rodney Taylor and Mark R. Cooper.

The church was handsomely decorated, the entire party passing through floral gates and the bride and groom and officiating clergyman standing under floral parasol during the ceremony. During the recessional the congregation showered rose leaves and rice upon the bridal party.

A large number of guests from elsewhere attended the wedding. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the groom. They were the recipients of many pretty and useful presents.

—The remains of Mrs. Mary Jane Bacon, widow of the late John H. Bacon, of Laurel, Del., were brought down to Salisbury last Saturday night by the B. C. & A. R'y. and taken to Spring Hill Sunday afternoon for burial. Mrs. Bacon died Friday afternoon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Holland, Baltimore. The deceased was a sister of Mr. Geo. W. Cathell of this county, and the late James Cathell; was twice married, her first husband was Dr. John Fowler of Spring Hill, by the side of whom she was laid to rest. From this union there were several children, three of whom survive—Mrs. Ada Holland, of Baltimore; Mrs. Ernest Laws, of this county, and William, of South Boston, Va. Her second husband was the late John H. Bacon of Laurel.

The Iron Hill outlaw race tracks are advertised at sheriff's sale. Racing in Cecil is forbidden under an act of the late session of the Legislature.

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UNCLE SAM DREAMS OF "FLYING SQUADRONS" AND "MOSQUITO" FLEETS.

Darn the skeeters anyhow. They won't let a fellow sleep. Every time I shut my eyes I think I hear one of 'em buzzin' aroun', and I wake up an' swat at him, but he aint there. I don't know of a thing in the world that's so confounded annoyin' as a lot of skeeters. FUST they buzz, and then stab, and you wake up and swipe at 'em, and you don't hit 'em, then you get up an' chase 'em an' stub your toe an' disgrace your trainin' by sayin' cuss words, and after you kill one of the pesky things you're ashamed of yourself for takin' so much pains to kill such a little thing. DARN 'EM I dunno why I had to be waked up out of my good rest to be annoyed by a lot of things that don't do nothin' but annoy a fellow. Poor UNCLE SAM. There isn't a man living who hasn't had pretty much the same experience. We all know there isn't anything on earth quite so hard to find as a mosquito, even after you hear him, unless it's the average newspaper bargain. They're worse, more annoying, and harder to catch. You read of a dollar straw hat for 'leven cents, but you never catch 'em. You read of ten dollar suits for two-ninety, but they're always out when you try to catch 'em. Lacy Thoroughgood has no **Mosquito Bargains**. You can put your hand on anything Thoroughgood advertises, and you won't get bit. To-night or tomorrow either you can buy straw hats from Lacy Thoroughgood for 25c, 45c, 75c, 95c, \$1.15, \$1.25, or \$1.50. You'll have to almost double Thoroughgood's prices to buy like qualities at other stores in Salisbury. You can buy new colored FEDORA Hats for \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, to \$2. You can buy the finest kind of Suits of Clothes for \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$12, \$15. Want to bite?

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GOOD AND BAD SPORT.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON ABOUT THE AMUSEMENTS OF THE HOUR.

When the Blind Old Giant Samson Was Called Forth to Amuse the Wicked of Gaza—The Christian Who Recreates Wisely—The Deadly "Good Time."

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WASHINGTON, June 19.—From an unusual standpoint Dr. Talmage in this discourse discusses amusements and applies tests by which they may be known as good or bad. The text is Judges xvi, 25, "And it came to pass, when their hearts were merry, that they said, Call for Samson, that he may make us sport. And they called for Samson out of the prison house, and he made them sport."

There were 3,000 people assembled in the temple of Dagon. They had come to make sport of eyeless Samson. They were all ready for the entertainment. They began to clap and pound, impatient for the amusement to begin, and they cried: "Fetch him out! Fetch him out!" Yonder I see the blind old giant coming, led by the hand of a child into the very midst of the temple. At his first appearance there goes up a shout of laughter and derision. The blind old giant pretends he is tired and wants to rest himself against the pillars of the house, so he says to the lad who leads him, "Bring me where the main pillars are." The lad does so. Then the strong man puts his hands on one of the pillars, and, with the mightiest push that mortal ever made, throws himself forward until the whole house comes down in thunderous crash, grinding the audience like grapes in a wine press. "And so it came to pass, when their hearts were merry, that they said, Call for Samson, that he may make us sport. And they called for Samson out of the prison house, and he made them sport." In other words, there are amusements that are destructive and bring down disaster and death upon the heads of those who practice them. While they laugh and cheer they die. The 3,000 who perished that day in Gaza are nothing compared with the tens of thousands who have been destroyed, body, mind and soul, by bad amusements and by good amusements carried to excess.

In my sermons you must have noticed that I have no sympathy with ecclesiastical straitjackets, or with that wholesale denunciation of amusements to which many are pledged. I believe the church of God has made a tremendous mistake in trying to suppress the sportfulness of youth and drive out from men their love of amusement. If God ever implanted anything in us, he implanted this desire. But instead of providing for this demand of our nature the church of God has for the main part ignored it. As in a riot the mayor plants a battery at the end of the street and has it fired off, so that everything is cut down that happens to stand in the range, the good as well as the bad, so there are men in the church who plant their batteries of condemnation and fire away indiscriminately. Everything is condemned. They talk as if they would like to have our youth dress in blue uniform, like the children of an orphan asylum, and march down the path of life to the tune of the dead march in "Saul." They hate a blue sash, or a rosette in the hair, or a tasseled gaiter, and think a man almost ready for the lunatic asylum who utters a conundrum.

Young Men's Christian associations of the country are doing a glorious work. They have fine reading rooms, and all the influences are of the best kind, and are now adding gymnasiums and bowling alleys, where, without any evil surroundings, our young men may get physical as well as spiritual improvement. We are dwindling away to a narrow chested, weak armed, feeble voiced race, when God calls us to a work in which he wants physical as well as spiritual athletes. I would to God that the time might soon come when in all our colleges and theological seminaries, as at Princeton, a gymnasium shall be established. We spend seven years of hard study in preparation for the ministry and come out with bronchitis and dyspepsia and liver complaint, and then crawl up into the pulpit, and the people say, "Doesn't he look heavenly!" because he looks sickly. Let the church of God direct rather than attempt to suppress the desire for amusement. The best men that the world ever knew have had their sports. William Wilberforce trundled hoop with his children. Martin Luther helped dress the Christmas tree. Ministers have pitched quoits, philanthropists have gone a-skating, prime ministers have played ball.

Our communities are filled with men and women who have in their souls unmeasured resources for sportfulness and frolic. Show me a man who never lights up with sportfulness and has no sympathy with the recreations of others, and I will show you a man who is a stumbling block to the kingdom of God. Such men are caricatures of religion. They lead young people to think that a man is good in proportion as he groans and frowns and looks sorrowful, and that the height of a man's Christian stature is in proportion to the length of his face. I would trade off 500 such men for one bright faced, radiant Christian on whose face are the words,

"Rejoice evermore!" Every morning by his cheerful face he preaches 50 sermons. I will go further and say that I have no confidence in a man who makes a religion of his gloomy looks. That kind of a man always turns out badly. I would not want him for the treasurer of an orphan asylum. The orphans would suffer.

Among 40 people whom I received into the church at one communion there was only one applicant of whose piety I was suspicious. He had the longest story to tell, had seen the most visions and gave an experience so wonderful that all the other applicants were discouraged. I was not surprised the year after to learn that he had run off with the funds of the bank with which he was connected. Who is this black angel that you call religion—wings black, feet black, feathers black? Our religion is a bright angel—feet bright, eyes bright, wings bright—taking her place in the soul. She pulls a rope that reaches to the skies and sets all the bells of heaven a-chiming. There are some persons who, when talking to a minister, always feel it politic to look lugubrious. Go forth, O people, to your lawful amusement! God means you to be happy. But when there are so many sources of innocent pleasure, why tamper with anything that is dangerous and polluting? Why stop our ears to a heaven full of songsters to listen to the hiss of a dragon? Why turn back from the mountain side, all a-bloom with wild flowers and a dash with the nimble torrents, and with blistered feet attempt to climb the hot sides of Cotopaxi?

Now, all opera houses, theaters, bowling alleys, skating rinks and all styles of amusement, good and bad, I put on trial today and judge of them by certain cardinal principles. First, you may judge of any amusement by its healthful result or by its baneful reaction. There are people who seem made up of hard facts. They are a combination of multiplication tables and statistics. If you show them an exquisite picture, they will begin to discuss the pigments involved in the coloring; if you show them a beautiful rose, they will submit it to a botanical analysis, which is only the post mortem examination of a flower. They never do anything more than feebly smile. There are no great tides of feeling surging up from the depth of their soul in billow after billow of reverberating laughter. They seem as if nature had built them by contract and made a bungling job out of it. But, blessed be God, there are people in the world who have bright faces and whose life is a song, an anthem, a psalm of victory. Even their troubles are like the vines that crawl up the side of a great tower on the top of which the sunlight sits and the soft airs of summer hold perpetual carnival. They are the people you like to have come to your house; they are the people I like to have come to my house. Now it is these exhilarant and sympathetic and warm hearted people that are most tempted to pernicious amusements. In proportion as a ship is swift it wants a strong helmsman; in proportion as a horse is gay it wants a strong driver, and these people of exuberant nature will do well to look at the reaction of all their amusements. If an amusement sends you home at night nervous so you cannot sleep, and you rise in the morning, not because you are slept out, but because your duty drags you from your slumbers, you have been where you ought not to have been. There are amusements that send a man next day to his work bloodshot, yawning, stupid, nauseated and they are wrong kinds of amusements. There are entertainments that give a man disgust with the drudgery of life, with tools because they are not swords, with working aprons because they are not robes, with cattle because they are not infuriated bulls of the arena. If any amusement sends you home longing for a life of romance and thrilling adventure, love that takes poison and shoots itself, moonlight adventures and hair-breadth escapes, you may depend upon it that you are the sacrificed victim of unsanctified pleasure. Our recreations are intended to build us up, and if they pull us down as to our moral or as to our physical strength, you may come to the conclusion that they are obnoxious.

Still further, those amusements are wrong which lead into expenditure beyond your means. Money spent in recreation is not thrown away. It is all folly for us to come from a place of amusement feeling that we have wasted our money and time. You may by it have made an investment worth more than the transaction that yielded you \$100 or \$1,000. But how many properties have been riddled by costly amusements? The table has been robbed to pay the club. The champagne has cheated the children's wardrobe. The carousing party has burned up the boy's primer. The tablecloth of the corner saloon is in debt to the wife's faded dress—excursions that in a day make a tour around a whole month's wages; ladies whose lifetime business it is to "go shopping" have their counterpart in uneducated children, bankruptcies that shock the money market and appall the church and that send drunkenness staggering across the richly draped carpet of the mansion and dashing into the mirror and drowning out the carol of music with the whooping of blasted sons come home to break their old mother's heart. When men go into amusements that they cannot afford, they first borrow what they cannot

earn, and then they steal what they cannot borrow. First they go into embarrassment and then into theft, and when a man gets as far on as that he does not stop short of the penitentiary. There is not a prison in the land where there are not victims of unsanctified amusements. How often I have had parents come to me and ask me to go and beg their boy off from the consequence of crimes that he had committed against his employer—the taking of funds out of the employer's till or the disarrangement of the accounts. Why, he had salary enough to pay all lawful expenditure, but not enough salary to meet his sinful amusements. And again and again I have gone and implored for the young man—sometimes, alas, the petition unavailing!

How brightly the path of unrestrained amusement opens! The young man says: "Now I am off for a good time. Never mind economy. I'll get money somehow. What a fine road! What a beautiful day for a ride! Crack the whip, and over the turnpike! Come, boys, fill high your glasses! Drink! Long life, health, plenty of rides just like this!" Hardworking men hear the clatter of the hoofs and look up and say, "Why, I wonder where those fellows get their money from. We have to toil and drudge. They do nothing." To these gay men life is a thrill and an excitement. They stare at other people and in turn are stared at. The watch chain jingles. The cup foams. The cheeks flush. The eyes flash. The midnight hears their guffaw. They swagger. They jostle decent men off the sidewalk. They take the name of God in vain. They parody the hymn they learned at their mother's knee, and to all pictures of coming disaster they cry out, "Who cares!" and to the counsel of some Christian friend, "Who are you?" Passing along the street some night you hear a shriek in a grogshop, the rattle of the watchman's club, the rush of the police. What is the matter now? Oh, this reckless young man has been killed in a grogshop fight. Carry him home to his father's house. Parents will come down and wash his wounds and close his eyes in death. They forgive him all he ever did, though he cannot in silence ask it. The prodigal has got home at last. Mother will go to her little garden and get the sweetest flowers and twist them into a chaplet for the silent heart of the wayward boy and push back from the bloated brow the long locks that were once her pride. And the air will be rent with the father's cry, "Oh, my son, my son, my poor son; would God I had died for thee, oh, my son, my son!"

You may judge of amusements by their effect upon physical health. The need of many good people is physical recuperation. There are Christian men who write hard things against their immortal souls when there is nothing the matter with them but an incompetent liver. There are Christian people who seem to think that it is a good sign to be poorly, and because Richard Baxter and Robert Hall were invalids they think that by the same sickness they may come to the same grandeur of character. I want to tell Christian people that God will hold you responsible for your invalidism if it is your own fault and when through right exercise and prudence you might be athletic and well. The effect of the body upon the soul you acknowledge. Put a man of mild disposition upon the animal diet of which the Indian partakes, and in a little while his blood will change its chemical proportions. It will become like unto the blood of the lion or the tiger or the bear, while his disposition will change and become fierce, cruel and unrelenting. The body has a powerful effect upon the soul. There are people whose ideas of heaven are all shut out with clouds of tobacco smoke. There are people who dare to shatter the physical vase in which God put the jewel of eternity. There are men with great hearts and intellects in bodies worn out by their own neglects. Magnificent machinery capable of propelling a great Etruria across the Atlantic, yet fastened in a rickety North river propper. Physical development which merely shows itself in a fabulous lifting or in perilous rope walking or in pugilistic encounter excites only our contempt, but we confess to great admiration for the man who has a great soul in an athletic body, every nerve, muscle and bone of which is consecrated to right uses. Oh, it seems to me outrageous that men through neglect should allow their physical health to go down beyond repair, spending the rest of their life not in some great enterprise for God and the world, but in studying what is the best thing to take for dyspepsia. A ship which ought with all sails set and every man at his post to be carrying a rich cargo for eternity, employing all its men in stopping up leakages. When you may through some of the popular and healthful recreations of our time work off your spleen and your querulousness and one-half of your physical and mental ailments, do not turn your back from such a grand medicine.

Again, judge of the places of amusement by the companionship into which they put you. If you belong to an organization where you have to associate with the intemperate, with the unclean, with the abandoned, however well they may be dressed, in the name of God quit it. They will despoil your nature. They will undermine your moral character. They will drop you



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 "Because I only thought of one, And then along came two! Yer honor sees as clear as day A double fee was due!"
 "Now, Adam Born, good man, speak up. If aught you have to say, So great a blessing came to you, Yet you have failed to pay."
 "Der baby kam, and he vas twins—Joost touble purden—see? One vas a boy and one vas girl It vas too much vor me."
 "Der baby hav zvei mont' to feed, He hav zvei bek to clot? So hard I work! I nicht kann pay But half so much vor bote."
 Then answered Justice John McKeane (Don Quixote in the chair), A softer heart, a greater soul, Perchance you'll find—but where?
 "The plaintiff's charge is right and just, As any one may see. The man is poor, and I, for one, Will help to pay her fee."
 "And I!" "And I!" came quick response In silver clinking sound, And when the sum was counted out Sufficient it was found
 And now 'twas Mistress Miller's turn, "With half I'll be content, And Adam Born shall have the rest—I'll not touch one red cent!"
 The justice beamed, and erring souls Felt lightened of their sins, And Adam Born went home to buy Some sundries for the twins.
 —New York Sun

TRIAL BY FIRE.

There are colonels and majors and generals and some old captains who hold that Isabel Hampden was the most attractive woman who ever graced the frontier, and in their time most women seemed attractive because of their scarcity. She was handsome and accomplished and clever and something more than all these which was inexplicable, but very potent. She had been brought up in garrisons and large cities, and by the time she was two and twenty she knew the world rather well. Moreover, she knew men—not girls and women, but men.
 Because she had been allowed to live in posts during most of what should have been her boarding school days and because she was pleasant to look upon and to converse with at an age when most girls are impossible, men had fallen in love with her pretty much ever since she could remember. It was said that she had refused all the bachelors in all the frontier regiments. This was not far from the truth. A woman who had married one of the rejected ones said that refusing was a habit Miss Hampden had formed, and that it began to look as if she might never break herself of it. In the nature of things this was repeated to the girl. Her good temper was one of her charms. "It is so much better a habit than accepting them all," she argued sweetly. Nevertheless, she wondered if there were not some truth mingled with the malice.
 But Lieutenant Loring was the last victim of her practice. He proposed to her, unfortunately for himself, just after she had met young Ardsley.
 "I thought this morning that maybe I would marry you," said Miss Hampden. "But I've changed my mind some way."
 Loring was accustomed to a great deal of frankness from her, but it clashed with his notions of feminine modesty for a woman to have entertained thoughts of marriage before the offer thereof.
 "Weren't you just a trifle prompt in determining my intentions?" he asked.
 "Has the event proved me wrong?" she returned.
 He lost his temper. "You are spoiled," he said.
 "If you knew how often I have heard that! Yet I do not think I am. I am simply sincere, and you are a little too vain, all of you, to grasp the difference. I like you awfully well—no, now, don't misunderstand me. I don't love you, and you are too nice a fellow to be married to a girl who only likes you. No," she repeated, "I do not think I'm spoiled. I am not agitated and tearful as I ought to be, perhaps, under the circumstances. I used to be, but I've passed that. I have been so placed that men were making love to me at an age when other girls were playing with dolls. It's partly because I am pretty and partly, largely, because there are so few women out here. When I have been in the east, I haven't made much of a sensation. I've grown a bit hardened, perhaps. Custom has dulled the edge—which was fearfully keen and cutting at first—of being told that I am breaking a heart. But though I am only 22 I've lived to see dozens of you marry and be happy. You'll do the same."
 "Oh, no, I shall not!" moaned Loring.
 "Oh, yes, you will, Jack, and I shan't mind! Now I've promised to dance this with the new Mr. Ardsley, and if we stay out here any longer every one will guess what has happened."
 "They'll know when they see me."
 "Don't be a goose, Jack. It's only the heart that is trying to take itself seriously that exhibits the pain."
 "Don't discuss a subject you know nothing about. You have no heart."
 He left her with an exaggerated bow

as young Ardsley came up.
 As Miss Hampden waited off with Ardsley she knew that Loring was wrong; that this tall boy, fresh from West Point, as new in experience of the world as the brass buttons on his blouse, was the man she was going to love. He would love her, of course. It is to be feared that it did not enter her head that he might not. She liked his strong, rough cut face, and his jolly, stone gray eyes, and his drawling, heavy voice, and his waltzing, and the way he held her. After the dance she determined that she liked his hands, and when she looked at them she saw a ring. "Is that your class ring?" she said.
 "Yes," he told her.
 "May I see it?"
 He gave it to her, and while she examined it he sat and admired her. On his part he liked the woman who carried herself laughingly; he liked tall women; he liked straight black hair and olive skin and dark eyes and large features and a neck of statuesque proportions. In short, he liked exactly the things he had never fancied up to then. Miss Hampden raised her eyes and met his. She smiled, but it was like no smile she had ever bestowed on a man before. He looked at her very gravely, and her hand closed tightly over the ring. In a moment she was studying it again.
 "I like this. It's unusual," she said.
 "I am glad you think so, as I conceived the design." He expected to be told that he was clever.
 "Indeed!" was all she said, and that indifferently.
 "How cool! I rather thought you'd express surprise and give me some credit. You are not addicted to flattery, it would seem."
 "I am not. But I don't think it would have been flattering to be surprised that you have done it. It struck me as being quite the thing you would naturally do."
 "That is very pretty."
 "It is perfectly true."
 It happened oddly enough that Ardsley chanced not to have heard of Miss Hampden's reputation by the next night. He was rudely awakened to a knowledge of it. There were private theatricals in the hoproom, and Miss Hampden was the leading lady. Now the suitor was quite recovered, and he meant to play a joke on those in the audience who were not—and these were some eight or ten, three of them married. He proposed to the heroine in nicely read lines and was rejected by her with a perfection that spoke her practice. So the audience thought, and it laughed. When the laugh had subsided, the hero arose from his knees. He walked to the footlights and sighed.
 "Ah, well," he said, "I have one crumb of comfort—I am not the only man in this place who is in the same fix!"
 The astounded Ardsley looked about him, and he picked out the entire number by their faces. Miss Hampden dropped her head in her hands and laughed with the rest.
 Between the acts Ardsley made inquiries and learned the truth. He was bitten with a desire to obtain the unattainable, and he was not one to dally. He went behind the scenes.
 "Whom are you going home with, Miss Hampden?" he asked.
 "I fear no one will take me after the light Mr. Graves has put me in."
 "May I do so?"
 She nodded, and Ardsley went back to his seat.
 "So you have refused the entire army?" he asked as they walked home.
 "Not quite."
 "The entire department?"
 "Well, a fair percentage of it," she admitted.
 "Are you going to refuse me?"
 "I can't say until you are offered."
 "I offer myself now."
 "And I accept you now."
 "Good enough. Will you announce our engagement tonight at supper?"
 "At the risk of being adjudged insane—yes."
 "Put on this ring until I can get you another. Your hands are not small. It will fit your middle finger. Now I am in earnest."
 "So am I," she said.
 They were very much in earnest, the event proved, and the garrison derived unmixed pleasure from the total, unconditional, obvious surrender of Miss Hampden. She was as open in her infatuation as she had always been in everything else. And Ardsley was equally infatuated. He took back the class ring and gave her a diamond which cost him three months' pay. They were altogether happy. So, just a fortnight before the day arranged for their wedding, the gods demanded the first payment on their loan.
 Ardsley was ordered off on a scout. Miss Hampden was the sort of girl who might have been expected to take this reasonably. But she did not. She clung to Ardsley and cried like any little girl and did not behave in the least like a woman who had seen countless scouts. And she let him go to the wars remembering her standing with her arm against the wall and her head upon her arm, sobbing as if her heart were utterly broken. He himself was moved and stern. Loring would have liked to remind her that hearts which were really wrong did not show their pain. He had not yet recovered.
 Ardsley did not come back from the scout. He was in a fight on what should have been his wedding day. Others were

killed and their bodies were recovered and buried, but Ardsley's body was never found. There was a tale that a fire had been seen on the battlefield the night after the encounter, and in the midst of the fire a tree with a form which might have been that of a man against it. There were Indians grouped around it. Miss Hampden never heard the story. She never even guessed at what had happened until 20 years afterward.
 She was the superb and spiritless wife of a mighty general, and she was accompanying her husband on a tour of inspection in the west. They were at an agency one day and were visiting the tepees. It was the agency of the Indians that young Ardsley had fought two decades before, and the general's wife was nerving herself not to show that she remembered this.
 The general was examining the trinkets that hung on a string around the neck of a half blind squaw.
 "Here is a West Point class ring!" he exclaimed.
 His wife repeated her words of 20 years past.
 "May I see it?" she asked coolly.
 She took it in her hands and turned it about. She could make out the design, though it seemed to have passed through some heat that had melted it. There was no doubt in her mind. Nevertheless she looked inside. The heat had not affected it there, and the initials were quite plain even yet.
 "D. A.," she said. "It was David Ardsley's ring. The fire did not touch the letters. I understand now why they never could tell me which was his grave."
 The general broke the string and picked up the class ring from among the scattered baubles. The squaw was chattering and whining and clawing around on the earth. The general held the ring out to his wife. She raised the dark eyes that had been so bright and happy the last time it had been held out to her.
 "Can I have it?" she asked.
 The general put it in her hand, and the hand closed over it.
 "Thank you," she said.—Gwendolen Overton in San Francisco Argonaut.

Effects of a Bee Sting.
 An English physician relates an instance of a lady who was stung by a bee. At the first moment she seemed to pay very little attention to it, but very soon her face became flushed and spots appeared all over her body. Suddenly she developed a most severe attack of asthma, finding great difficulty in breathing. Another instance is that of a young lady who was stung on the back of her head by an ordinary honey-bee. In less than five minutes her face began to swell, and very marked red and white spots appeared all over the surface of the body. The swelling extended over the entire person, accompanied by severe pain, burning and giddiness. The eyes were almost closed and the countenance was so distorted as to be unrecognizable. Very free bathing in soda water, with a little soda taken internally, and hot applications to the feet and thorough massage finally afforded relief, but it was some hours before the patient recovered from what was truly an alarming condition. Violent attacks of nervousness accompanied the trouble, and the sense of suffocation was almost intolerable. The young woman had been stung a number of times before without any apparent unpleasant result. The physicians were of the opinion that the bee had been feeding upon some extremely poisonous plant, which became concentrated in the venom of the sting. Be that as it may, the condition was such as to excite grave apprehension, the more so as it was several days before recovery was complete.—New York Ledger.

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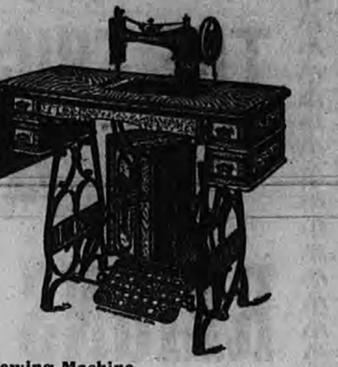
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Again, any amusement that gives you a distaste for domestic life is bad. How many bright domestic circles have been broken up by sinful amusements? The father went off, the mother went off, the child went off. There are all around us the fragments of blasted households. Oh, if you have wandered away, I would like to charm you back by the sound of that one word, "home!" Do you not know that you have but little more time to give to domestic welfare? Do you not see, father, that your children are soon to go out into the world and all the influence for good you are to have over them you must have now? Death will break in on your conjugal relations, and alas if you have to stand over the grave of one who perished from your neglect!

I saw a wayward husband standing at the deathbed of his Christian wife, and I saw her point to a ring on her finger and heard her say to her husband, "Do you see that ring?" He replied, "Yes, I see it." "Well," said she, "do you remember who put it there?" "Yes," said he, "I put it there." And all the past seemed to rush upon him. By the memory of that day, when in the presence of men and angels you promised to be faithful in joy and sorrow and in sickness and in health; by the memory of those pleasant hours when you sat together in your new house talking of a bright future; by the cradle and the excited hour when one life was spared and another given; by that sickbed, when the little one lifted up the hands and called for help and you knew he must die, and he put one arm around each of your necks and brought you very near together in that dying kiss; by the little grave in the cemetery that you never think of without a rush of tears; by the family Bible, where in its stories of heavenly love is the brief but expressive record of births and deaths; by the neglects of the past and by the agonies of the future; by a judgment day when husbands and wives, parents and children, in immortal groups will stand to be caught up in shining array or to shrink down into darkness—by all that, I beg you to give to home your best affections. I look in your eyes today, and I ask you the question that Gehazi asked of the Shunammite: "Is it well with thee? Is it well with thy husband? Is it well with thy child?" God grant that it may be everlastingly well!

Let me say to all young men your style of amusement will decide your eternal destiny. One night I saw a young man at a street corner evidently doubting as to which direction he had better take. He had his hat lifted high enough so you could see he had an intelligent forehead. He had a stout chest; he had a robust development. Splendid young man. Cultured young man. Honored young man. Why did he stop there while so many were going up and down? The fact is that every man has a good angel and a bad angel contending for the mastery of his spirit. And there was a good angel and a bad angel struggling with that young man's soul at the corner of the street.

"Come with me," said the good angel, "I will take you home. I will spread my wing over your pathway. I will lovingly escort you all through life. I will bless every cup you drink out of, every couch you rest on, every doorway you enter. I will consecrate your tears when you weep, your sweat when you toil, and at the last I will hand over your grave into the hand of the bright angel of a Christian resurrection. In answer to your father's petition and your mother's prayer I have been sent of the Lord out of heaven to be your guardian spirit. Come with me," said the good angel in a voice of unearthly sympathy. It was music like that which drops from a lute of heaven when a seraph breathes on it. "No, no," said the bad angel, "come with me. I have something better to offer. The wines I pour are from chalices of bewitching carousal. The dance I lead is over floor tessellated with unrestrained indulgences. There is no God to frown on the temples of sin where I worship. The skies are Italian. The paths I tread are through meadows daisied and primrosed. Come with me." The young man hesitated at a time when hesitation was ruin, and the bad angel smote the good angel until it departed, spreading wings through the starlight upward and away, until a door flashed open in the sky and forever the wings vanished. That was the turning point in that young man's history, for, the good angel flown, he hesitated no longer, but started on a pathway

which is beautiful at the opening, but blasted at the last.

The bad angel, leading the way, opened gate after gate, and at each gate the road became rougher and the sky more lurid, and, what was peculiar, as the gate slammed shut it came to with a jar that indicated that it would never open. Passed each portal, there was a grinding of locks and a shoving of bolts, and the scenery on either side the road changed from gardens to deserts, and the June air became a cutting December-blast, and the bright wings of the bad angel turned to sackcloth, and the eyes of light became hollow with hopeless grief, and the fountains, that at the start had tossed wine, poured forth bubbling tears and foaming blood, and on the right side of the road there was a serpent, and the man said to the bad angel, "What is that serpent?" and the answer was, "That is the serpent of stinging remorse." On the left side of the road there was a lion, and the man asked the bad angel, "What is that lion?" and the answer was, "That is the lion of all devouring despair." A vulture flew through the sky, and the man asked the bad angel, "What is that vulture?" and the answer was, "That is the vulture waiting for the carcasses of the slain." And then the man began to try to pull off of him the folds of something that had wound him round and round, and he said to the bad angel, "What is it that twists me in this awful convulsion?" and the answer was, "That is the worm that never dies," and then the man said to the bad angel: "What does all this mean? I trusted in what you said at the corner of the street that night. I trusted it all, and why have you thus deceived me?" Then the last deception fell off the charmer, and it said: "I was sent forth from the pit to destroy your soul. I watched my chance for many a long year. When you hesitated that night on the street, I gained my triumph. Now you are here. Ha, ha! You are here. Come, now, let us fill these two chalices of fire and drink together to darkness and woe and death. Hail, hail!" Oh, young man, will the good angel sent forth by Christ or the bad angel sent forth by sin get the victory over your soul? Their wings are interlocked this moment above you, contending for your destiny, as above the Apennines eagle and condor fight midsky. This hour may decide your destiny. God help you. To hesitate is to die.

A BOOM FOR BAGPIPES.
The Piper's Heroism at Dargal Sets a Fashion in London.
Who cares whether the story of the gallant piper at the recent charge of the Dargal is true? Who dares to say it is not? Are there not at 500 music halls in London and the provinces twice 500 pipers nightly enacting the scene as it was described by Reuter's correspondent—to the intense enthusiasm of the audiences and of all Englishmen—we beg pardon, Great Britons and Irishmen—throughout the civilized world? When shall the glory of the bagpipers die? Nearly every side street—not only in the great metropolis, but in Liverpool, Glasgow, Manchester and Birmingham—has its piper at some hour of the day. They have come to Carmelite street early in the evening to fret the souls of the long dead friars and to set beating the pulses of the scribes—Caledonian and otherwise—whose ears are flogged by the raucous wail. Indeed many of the most trenchant columns of The Daily Mail have been conceived and written to the tune of "Annie Laurie" or the "Girl I Left Behind Me." Our sporting editor has found in "Scots Wha Hae" a most fecund inspiration, and our leading article was yesterday composed to the air of "When Jamie Ganga Awa."

But it takes two pipers to do the thing properly. One of them marches up and down playing the instrument (or is it a machine?), while another accompanies him, handling a sheathed sword. The bearing of both performers is proud and martial and Scotch. Anybody could tell they were Scotch—even a Saxon infant in arms. One old gentleman in Finsbury circus was so pleased by the aspect of one of these bagpipe couples a day or two since that he gave them each sixpence, saying: "Eh, mon, do ye prefer playing the music o' the bonny hame land in musty Lannon streets to marching across the heather wi' the wind in your teeth?" The first Scotchman looked at him in surprise. The second was taken suddenly with engrossing pains in the pit of his stomach.

"Whatcher talkin' abart, gov'nor? Me an my mite buyed this 'ere arm organ an this 'ere rig out down the ditch when the bagpipe boom come in. It's a lot better'n shovin' a bloomin' barrar tryin' to sell oranges when the people has got too many o' 'em at home already. Oh, the business ain't so bad, 'cept for the chilblames you gets on your knees and when the kids don't stick pins in the b'ler of the engine'. Me an my mite, we do wish, though, when people give us coin they wouldn't go jawin' of us in a bloomin' furrin' langwidge."

"But, good heavens, how did you learn? How do you manage to play?" "Ow? Easy enough. Nobody ain't complained yet. Yer just squeezes the old balloon an let's 'er squeal herself sick. An, Lor' bless you, the sicker she squeals herself the more people seems to like it. Blimey, there ain't no account in for taster, but me an my mite makes a quid a dyc, an that's all we know."

UNSPOKEN SYMPATHY.

Little Children Who Were Remarkably Careful Not to Hurt an Uncle's Feelings.
He was a big, burly, good natured conductor on a country railroad, and he had watched them with much interest as they got on the train. There were two handsome, round faced, rosy cheeked boys and three sunny haired, pretty little girls of various sizes and ages. A grave, kind looking gentleman, evidently their guardian, got in with them, and the conductor's attention was soon caught by the fact that the apparently eager conversation was carried on by means of a deaf and dumb alphabet, the gentleman joining in so pleasantly that the conductor beamed on him with approval. Naturally kind hearted himself, it pleased him to see this trait in others, but his honest eyes were misty as he thought of his own noisy crowd of youngsters at home and contrasted them with this prim little company who smiled and gesticulated, but made no sound.

It was plain they were off on a holiday jaunt, for they all had satchels and wore a festive "go away" air, and the conductor, whose fancy played about them continually, settled it in his mind that they belonged to some asylum and were going with their teacher for a vacation trip. He couldn't help watching them and nodding to them as he passed through the car. They returned his greeting in kind, being cheerful little souls, and he began to look forward with regret to the time of parting.

At length at one of the rural stations the gentleman kissed the young ones hurriedly all round and got off the train. They leaned out of the windows and waved enthusiastic farewells as the car moved on. Then the biggest "little girl" took a brown paper bag from her satchel and distributed crackers in even shares. The conductor in passing smiled and nodded as usual as the little girl held out the paper bag to him.

"Do have some," she said.
He started back in sheer amazement. "What?" he exclaimed. "You can talk, then—all of you?"
"Of course!" they cried in chorus.

The conductor sank into the seat across the aisle. "I thought you were deaf and dumb!" he gasped.
"Oh, how funny!" cried one of the rosy cheeked boys. "Why, that was Uncle Jack, poor fellow! He was born that way. We wouldn't talk while he was with us; it might hurt his feelings, you know. Hello, here's our station! Come on, girls!" And the five trooped noisily out and waved their handkerchiefs from the platform as the train moved on.—Belle Moses in St. Nicholas.

Peculiar Betrothal.

Marchesi, the great singing teacher, says that when she found in any of her pupils symptoms of indolence or want of enthusiasm she at once attempted to dissuade them from an artistic career. One such case was very absurd in the manner in which her advice was taken. This was Fraulein T., who was remarkably handsome, but very lazy.

One day Marchesi lost patience with her.
"Get married, my dear child," said she, "and become a good wife. You will never do anything on the stage."
The girl laughingly replied that she believed it was easier to get a good engagement than a good husband, but shortly afterward, on coming for her lesson, she whispered:
"I am following your advice. I am going to be married."
"Ah, that is good! And who is the happy man?"
"I do not know," was the girl's laconic reply.

"What! You are going to marry some one you do not know?"
"Yes; my fiance saw me before he went to India, when I was 12 years old. I have been shown his photograph, and as his noble expression inspires me with confidence I have decided upon marrying him."
"When will your fiance come to fetch you?"
"Unfortunately he cannot come for the wedding," she answered, with a slight blush. "His business prevents him from doing so. I am to be married in my native town to a friend of the family by proxy, and he will take me to Bombay to my future husband."

A few weeks later the ominous ceremony did take place, and the marriage apparently turned out very happy.—Youth's Companion.

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County Correspondence.

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Editor ADVERTISER. Dear Sir:—Gumboro is so near the Maryland line, and contiguous to Wicomico county, that events transpiring, or soon to take place here, will be of interest to the readers of your valuable journal. Two events of considerable interest and importance are to take place at old Bethel M. E. Church. The 4th of July will be celebrated by an oration by Dr. T. E. Martindale, Presiding Elder of Salisbury District. Vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments of all kinds will be on sale, also a basket supper by the ladies of the church; proceeds for the benefit of the church.

It has been decided to hold a camp meeting in the grove adjoining the church, to begin on Saturday, July 30th, to continue ten days. Privileges of the camp will be sold on Monday, July 4th, on the grounds at 2 p. m. All speculators, vendors of cider and other intoxicating drinks are advised not to come within one hundred miles of the camp grounds, as they are neither wanted, nor will they be tolerated. "Far from my thought, vain world be gone. Let my religious hours alone."

This is not to be a dress parade camp, but we trust, one of great religious fervor.

FRUITLAND, MD.

The Epworth League Service Sunday evening will be in charge of Mr. I. H. A. Dulany. Topic, "My Missionary Duty; Go or Send, Rom. 10. 14-17."

Miss Bettie Hearn, daughter of Mr. I. Joseph Hearn returned home from Washington College, Chestertown, Md., Thursday of last week. On the following Friday evening a surprise party was given her by her many friends.

Mr. James Cannon of Salisbury has a shoe store here in the building recently vacated by Mr. John W. Dashiell.

The members of Siloam M. E. church will hold a picnic on the afternoon and evening of July 4. The privileges of the camp meeting which begins July 23 will then be sold.

The annual Children's Day exercise was observed in the M. E. church here Sunday evening, June 12. Potted plants were beautifully arranged about the pulpit of the church. The principle exercise of the evening was entitled "Pictures of Heroic Methodism" which was very instructive treating of the birth and growth of Methodism—first in England, then in America. The leader of this exercise was Miss Lena Robertson, who gave an explanation of each picture as it was shown. The first scene, "Epworth Rectory," Birthplace of the Wesleys, 1709-1708 was by Mr. John Hayman; second, The first Methodist's, Oxford University, The Holy Club, 1729-1789 by Miss Della Ryall; third, an eventful card party, Methodism planted in America 1766 a dialogue by Misses Carrie Pollitt, Iva Acworth and Pearl Carey; fourth, Heroes of the Saddlebags, Methodist Itinerants Evangelize the Continent, 1766-1898 by Miss Florence Carey; fifth a dialogue by Miss Anna Matthews and Mr. Levin Price; sixth, American Methodism's hundredth birthday, 1866. Responsive reading led by the pastor Rev. W. E. Matthews. The music was that of familiar songs adapted to the occasion and was nicely rendered. Miss Ella Messick performed at the organ. The Sunday School Superintendent, Mr. Wm. Moore presented hymnals to Misses Della Ryall, Virgie Gray, Cleve Hearn and Ethleen Vincent for good attendance at Sunday School. A good sum was raised for the board of Education.

Clifton, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. William Riggan died near here Saturday May 28. His remains were interred on Sunday afternoon in the family burial ground, Rev. Hooper McGrath officiating. We would say in sympathy with the bereaved parents: Grieve not, for that little flower that budded here will bloom in a land far fairer than ours.

We loved him, Yes no tongue can tell; How much we loved him and how well, God loved him too; and he thought best; To take our Darling home to rest.

DELMAR, MD.

Big preparations are being made for an old time celebration of July 4th in Delmar. Among other amusements there will be a grand street parade in the afternoon consisting of the secret organizations of the town, horseback riders, bicycle riders, etc. A good display of fireworks will be exhibited in the evening together with a balloon ascension. Many prominent speakers will also be present and deliver orations throughout the entire day.

Death of Mardela's Postmaster.

Mr. Wm. Bennett, postmaster at Mardela Springs, died last Monday morning at his home in Mardela Springs, aged 64 years. His remains were interred in the family burial grounds on the farm of the deceased Tuesday afternoon, Rev. F. B. Adkins, of Spring Hill parish, officiating. Mr. Bennett had for many years been a communicant of the Protestant Episcopal church. He leaves a widow and several grown sons and daughters. Mr. Bennett was the son of the late Elisha and Nancy Bennett of Baron Creek district. He was the youngest of sixteen children—eight sons and eight daughters—twelve of whom lived to be grown, and eleven married. Elisha Bennett, in his day was one of the most extensive farmers and slave-owners in Wicomico, then Somerset county. Mr. Bennett was appointed postmaster of Mardela Springs about twelve months ago, which office he held at the time of his death. His successor will probably be his unmarried daughter, who has conducted the office during her father's long illness.

Death of Rev. W. B. Walton.

Rev. W. B. Walton, a retired minister of the Wilmington Conference, died at his home on Park street in this city last Tuesday evening about 10 o'clock. He had been confined to the house only about one week but had been in feeble health since he retired from active work in the ministry in 1891. The funeral took place at Asbury M. E. church at three o'clock Thursday. Rev. T. E. Martindale, Rev. Chas. A. Hill and Rev. C. W. Prettyman participated in the services and delivered short addresses testifying to the work of deceased as a co-laborer in the Wilmington Conference. Mr. Walton was always regarded as a sound logical thinker and very active pastor. In his addresses he made no effort at rhetorical polish or ornamentation. His sermons were plain, thoughtful and direct.

The remains were laid to rest in Parsons cemetery. Revs. Potts, Warner, Dr. Reigart, J. E. Ellegood, James T. Truitt and A. W. Woodcock acted as pall bearers.

William Baxter Walton was born near Hatboro, Montgomery county, Pa., November 29, 1823. He attended the public schools and the Lollar Academy in Hatboro, and worked nearly four years on the farm, after which he served an apprenticeship at carpentry and cabinet making.

In August, 1842, Mr. Walton was converted and immediately joined the Methodist Episcopal church. He lived a faithful and consistent life, and his early educational advantages he supplemented by intense application to books.

Rev. Wm. McCombs appointed him a class-leader in 1844, and March 15, 1847, Rev. James Flannery licensed him to exhort. Moved by God's Spirit to undertake the work of the Christian ministry he accepted May, 1847, an appointment to Stroudsburg Circuit, under the Presiding Elder, Rev. James H. McFarland. Licensed to preach August 20, 1847, he was admitted on trial to Philadelphia Conference in March, 1848, and ordained deacon by Bishop Heading, March 31, 1850. Mr. Walton was ordained elder by Bishop James, March 28, 1852. Since 1868, when the Philadelphia Conference was divided, Mr. Walton has been a member of Wilmington Conference.

Mr. Walton faithfully served the church for 44 years. He was pastor of Asbury Church, Salisbury, for three years, 1884-1887. His last appointment was at Snow Hill. Failing health compelled him to ask for a supernumerary relation in March 1891; at his own request his relation was changed in March 1892 to superannuated.

October 9, 1851, Mr. Walton was married to Miss Sarah Diebler, who through all these years has been his patient and faithful helper. By this union four children survive, viz: Rev. Olin S. Walton, of Preston, Md.; Mrs. Mary Nock, of Baltimore; Mr. Elmer S. Walton, of New York City; Mr. Morris B. Walton and Miss Clara Walton of Salisbury.

CAPT. LEVI FIELDS.

Sudden Death of a Bay Pilot at His Home Near Salisbury.

Capt. Levi Fields, master of the bay schooner, May Brown, died suddenly at his home at Shad Point last Saturday evening.

Capt. Fields arrived in our port Saturday afternoon, his vessel laden with corn for B. L. Gillis & Son. After securing his vessel and cargo he went to his home at Shad Point, apparently in good health. About nine o'clock he returned to his home from the store of his neighbor, Mr. Washington Daily, and shortly after he died, having been seized with the cramps.

His remains were interred Monday morning at Shad Point, with Masonic honors; several Salisbury gentlemen attended the funeral. He leaves a widow and two children.

Capt. Fields was a member of the M. E. Church South. He was a good pilot and was mate of the State Steamer Gov. McLane under Capt. Jas. A. Turner, some years ago.

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Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Salisbury, (Md.) Post Office, Saturday, June 25th, 1898.

John Lockey (2), H. M. Dykes, Jacob Pollet, Charles S. Rrbts, Sidney Matthews, Mrs. S. A. Hastings, Mrs. Mollie Fields, Miss Nettie Brown Miss Loney Fields, Miss Sallie Parsons, Miss Cara Hill.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

MARY D. ELLEGOOD, Postmistress.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by R. K. Truitt & Sons, Salisbury, Md.

WANAMAKER'S

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, June 20, 1898. Cotton in fullest June splendor Dress is the cotton goods beauty Goods pickings from American and foreign makers are here; many of the daintiest patterns will be found nowhere else. Beginning with the modest-priced



calicoes there are four thousand styles to choose from before the last dainty Madras has been seen. Magnificent showing!

Counting twelve yards as a dress pattern this list will tell the cost of the fabric needed for the dress—

- THE PRINTED STUFFS—**
 12 yards standard Prints, 48c.
 12 yards best Calicoes, 60c.
 12 yards fine Dimities, 60c.
 12 yards Corded Lawn, 75c.
 12 yards fine Lawn, 84c.
 12 yards Batiste Lawn, \$1.20.
 12 yards Swiss Lawns, \$1.50.
 12 yards Plaid Organdie, \$1.50.
 12 yards Swiss Gullie, \$1.50.
 12 yards striped Organdie, \$1.50.
 12 yards printed Satens, \$1.20.
 12 yards fine Satens, \$1.80.

- THE WOVEN FABRICS—**
 12 yards good Gingham, 75c.
 12 yards fine Gingham, \$1.08.
 12 yards fine Zephyr Gingham, \$1.02.
 12 yards batiste Gingham, \$1.20.
 12 yards plaid Gingham, \$1.20.
 12 yards best Seersucker, \$1.20.
 12 yards standard Gingham, \$1.50.
 12 yards Madras Gingham, \$1.80.
 12 yards Madras Gingham, \$2.16.
 12 yards Scotch Gingham, \$2.40.
 12 yards American Cheviot, \$1.80.
 12 yards Scotch Gingham, \$3.00.
 12 yards American Madras, \$3.00.
 7 yards 45 in. Bordered Gingham, \$2.10.
 12 yards Imported Duck, \$3.00.

Dress Goods LIGHT-WEIGHT stuffs that look and wear well are wanted for the summer outfit. A traveling dress and a separate skirt that will stand hard service, then you are prepared for the right enjoyment of the outing. These we tell of are the serviceable sorts; yet prices are mostly little.

- THESE IN BLACK—**
 Black Serge, 37½c to \$1.75.
 Black Mohair, 28c to \$1.25.
 Black Cheviot, 50c to \$2.50.
 Mohair Sicilian, 50c to \$1.

- THESE IN COLORS—**
 Dress Serges, 37½c to \$1.75.
 Dress Cheviots, 25c to \$1.75.
 Covert Cloths, 37½c to \$1.75.
 Whipcords, \$1 to \$1.75.

Navy Blue Serges and Cheviots are oftentimes chosen for the outing skirts; our showing is of the best wearing sorts in fabrics and color—
 Best American Serges, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.
 Best English Serges, 75c to \$1.75.

Princess May Gloves THIN, elastic, real kid-skins are used in the summer styles of Princess May Gloves. They are the ideal gloves for the season, combining as they do comfort with style, dressiness with their likeable price—
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ORDER NISI.

Jno. Waller, et al., vs. Lizzie Waller, et al. In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1164. May Term, 1898.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by George W. D. Waller, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 28th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 28th day of July, next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$175.00.

JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk. True copy test: JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

Eugene W. Humphreys, trustee, vs. Levin S. Gordy and A. Maria Gordy, his wife

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico county, in Equity No. 1168. May term, 1898.

Ordered this 2d day of June, 1898, that sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Henry L. D. Stantford, trustee, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$1500.00.

JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk. True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

Nellie H. Brattan, Administratrix, vs. Geo. W. Richardson

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 988 Chancery, May Term, 1898.

Ordered, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by James E. Ellegood, trustee, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county once in each of three successive weeks before the 30th day of June next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$715.00.

JAS. T. TRUITT, Clerk. True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

The Wicomico Building & Loan Association vs. William J. Mills and Edith M. Mills, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1194, May Term, 1898.

Ordered that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings and the distribution of the funds arising from said sale as made and reported by Jay Williams, attorney, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 4th day of July next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once a week for three successive weeks before the 27th day of June next. The report states the amount of sale to be \$900.00.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND, Clerk. True copy test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

ORDER NISI.

L. E. Williams, surviving trustee of Gordon H. Toadvine, vs. E. Stanley Toadvine.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 871. May Term, 1898.

Ordered that the sale of property mentioned in these proceedings, for a re-sale, made and reported by L. Ernest Williams, surviving trustee, and distribution, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 15th day of July next provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 15th day of June, next. The report states the amount of sales to be \$1035.00.

CHAS. F. HOLLAND, Clerk. True Copy Test: JAMES T. TRUITT, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the orphan court for Wicomico county, letters of administration on the personal estate of CHARLES W. COLLINS, late of Wicomico county, dec'd. All persons having claims against said dec'd. are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof to the subscriber on or before November 28, 1898, or they may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1898. JOHN W. WILKINS, administrator.

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