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While the daylight dies,
And the blush of evening
Dreeps o'er the eaves;
Sitting till the crimson
Fadeth into dusk,
And from gardena cometh
Fountain and mist;
Fitting idly musing;
Till the stars appear.
One by one in Heaven,
Beautiful and clear:
Rolling air caresses
In the dizzy height,
Dreaming of the future
Only fair and bright;
Hears she not her lover
Pass the garden through?
Sees she not the shining
Stars in the depths of blue?

Lo, he comes and standeth
At the open door,
And his shadow falleth
On the moonlit floor.
Looks he with emotion
On her upturned face,
As she gazes on Matilda's
In its sunny grace.
How his strong heart yearneth,
He alone can tell;
Pining there a moment
Ere he breaks the spell.
Near her now he standeth,
Silently bends o'er,
And two shadows meet
Upon the moonlit floor.
Who will dare to listen
What those two will say?
Leave them at the window,
Gently come away.

Select Reading.

MR. TURVYTOP.
Mr. Turvytop's coat had lost a but-
ton. Mrs. Turvytop was sick in bed,
and must on no account be disturbed.
Matilda was but a child, and had
never sewed on a button, but thought
she could if papa would only allow
her to try.
But Mr. Turvytop was well aware
that sewing a button on was no
small matter—that to sew on a but-
ton—especially a coat button, well-
required judgment to say the least.
So Mr. Turvytop decided to sew
on his own button, with a little of
Matilda's assistance perhaps.
Now, the first thing was to find a
needle. This was easy enough, of
course, for Mrs. Turvytop was a mod-
el of order, and her needle box,
which was in her work-basket, upon
stairs, were sure to be plentifully
stocked with needles of all sorts and
sizes.
So Matilda went up stairs, tip-toed
into her mama's room, found the
work-basket, the needle box, and a
needle, which she carried straightway
to her papa.
"All right so far," said Mr. Tur-
vytop, "but thread will also be nec-
essary, my little daughter."
"Oh, yes," Matilda had not thought
of that, but the thread was in mam-
ma's room, too; so she went softly
up stairs again; again she tip-toed
into her mamma's room, found the
box of thread, and carried it down
stairs.
"Very well," said Mr. Turvytop,
with an air of business, "now we
have the tools, we will proceed to
sew on the button. But first we
will select some thread. Here it is
in every variety; blue, brown, green,
which shall it be, daughter?"
"Oh, black thread, I should think,
papa, on a black coat," said the child.
"Perfectly correct," said Mr. Tur-
vytop. "Uniformity of color. Ah! yes.
Very desirable, and here is the
article in perfection, good, strong,
black thread, which will defy every
effort to detach my coat button a
second time. But there seems to be
something wrong with this needle,
Matilda. It resists all my efforts to
thread it."
"Bite the end, papa," said Matilda.
Mr. Turvytop bit the end, but suc-
ceeded no better than before.
"Fuzz it out, papa," continued the
child, interestedly.
Mr. Turvytop fuzzed it or tried to,
according to directions, but all in
vain.
Then Matilda wanted to try. She
had begun to do patchwork, and had
learned to thread her needle beauti-
fully.
"But you can't get this great
thread through the eye of the needle,
papa," said the child, as soon as she
had taken it into her small hands.
"Oh, then the fault is in the
thread," said Mr. Turvytop. "We
must find something else; turning
over and mixing up the spools in a
way that would have struck dismay
to the orderly heart of his spouse.
But there was nothing else in black
thread that would do at all—nothing,
indeed, but some fine black silk,
which Mr. Turvytop knew would be
quite insufficient to hold the button.
Mr. Turvytop reflected. "After
all," soliloquized the gentleman, "the
color of the thread is quite immater-
ial. When the button is neatly sewed
on the thread is not expected to be
visible. Here is plenty of good,
strong, white thread, quite capable
of holding the button, and which I
think you will go through the eye of
the needle. On reflection, Matilda, I
think your mother generally uses
white thread when she sews on a
button."
Matilda looked doubtful, but Mr.

Turveytop proceeded to thread the
needle with the white thread. But
somehow it did not set right. In spite
of Mr. Turvytop's most assiduous
efforts the thread would split, and only
half of it pass through the needle's
eye.
"Something is wrong, I am con-
vinced," said the gentleman, after re-
peated efforts and failures. "Daugh-
ter, I think the fault is in the needle.
It was probably designed for a smaller
thread. Once more you may quietly
repair to the mother's apartment and
see if you cannot find a needle with
a larger eye."
The child obeyed, and soon re-
turned, bringing the needlebook in
her hand, that her father this time
might make his own selection. There
by displaying a degree of forethought
which Mr. Turvytop considered as
quite in advance of her years.
There was no needle to be found,
however, with an eye large enough
to admit the passage of the coarse
black thread except the darned need-
le, which Mr. Turvytop knew would
not do at all. He was well aware
that it was unworkmanlike to sew on
button with a darned needle. But
after several trials a needle was found
which Mr. Turvytop threaded with
the cotton with ease, and that gentle-
man breathed a sigh of relief.
"There's nothing like having plenty
of thread when one sews on a
button," said Mr. Turvytop, as he
pulled about two yards through the
eye, doubled it, and tied a large,
strong knot in the end. "There,
daughter, every obstacle is now over-
come, and we will have this button
on in a trice," said Mr. Turvytop.
But the button did not seem to
want to be sewed on, for it kept slip-
ping out of Mr. Turvytop's fingers,
and twice it rolled quite across the
room.
"There is something here that I
don't quite understand," said Mr.
Turvytop, stroking his beard and
looking puzzled as Matilda measured
her length upon the carpet, while
with the handle of the feather duster
she tried to poke the button from be-
neath the secretary. "There must
be some arrangement for holding a
button in place while it is being
sewed on. Did you see anything in
the work basket, my daughter, which
would answer that purpose?"
Matilda having recovered the but-
ton, replied that she did not, but
thought she could hold it on while
Mr. Turvytop sewed.
"The very thing!" exclaimed the
delighted parent. "Daughter, that
little head of yours is worth as much
to plan as my fingers are to execute.
Between us both, this button will
soon be fixed in proper position."
But just at that juncture the needle
slipped and went right into one of
Matilda's poor little fingers. Of
course she cried out with pain and
dropped the button.
Whether Mr. Turvytop dropped it
or not he was unable to say. For a
few moments that gentleman's habi-
tual self-possession quite forsook him,
and he was violently agitated.
Matilda must not be allowed to
disturb her sick mother with her
cries, and a bread and milk poultice
must be immediately applied to the
injury finger, as a precaution against
lockjaw, but it was very evident to
Mr. Turvytop that they might have
done so if there had been any occa-
sion for it.
When order was once more re-
stored Mr. Turvytop prepared to re-
sume his work, but ah! where was
the button? It was not on the floor,
where Mr. Turvytop had in his haste
thrown his coat. It was not on the
table, or under the sofa, or indeed
anywhere. What was to be done?
Mr. Turvytop wiped the perspiration
from his forehead with his handker-
chief and reflected.
"Finally it occurred to him that one
of the other buttons might be spared
to take the place of the missing one.
The top one, perhaps, which he so
seldom had occasion to use. So,
with his knife he carefully removed
that button, congratulating himself
on the neatness and dispatch with
which it was accomplished. Ther-
unassisted, he recommenced the task
of sewing on the button. In trying
various experiments for holding the
troublesome button in position, he
finally hit upon the plan of placing it
against the knee. That seemed to
work admirably, and Mr. Turvytop
felt his troubles were substantially
over, sewing on a button would now
be a comparatively simple affair.
One stitch! So far so good—but
what could be done with all the
thread; it did not draw through prop-
erly; it seemed and dispatched with
determined to tie itself up in knots.
Matilda thought it might be too
long; so Mr. Turvytop shortened it,
and found it an improvement. Then
Mr. Turvytop took another stitch,
and drew the thread without difficul-
ty. How many stitches would be
required? Matilda did not know;
so Mr. Turvytop thought best to ex-
amine the button to see how firm it
had already become. He raised the
coat from his knee, and the button
fell to the floor. Astonishing! A
close examination proved, however,
that Mr. Turvytop had simply taken
two stitches through the coat with-

out affecting the button at all.
Mr. Turvytop sighed! He was be-
coming more and more convinced
that it was a great thing to sew on a
button. Still he did not despair. Mr.
Turvytop was not the man to be dis-
couraged at trifles. Again he placed
the button in position; once more he
pressed it against his knee, and the
closely compressed lips of Mr. Tur-
vytop would have proved to the by-
stander—if there had been any be-
side Matilda—his determination that
this time his stitch should affect the
button as well as the coat.
And we are happy to assure you
that all his persistent efforts were
crowned with success. The
button was on! Sewed on! And Mr.
Turvytop had done it!
Matilda was afraid the white
thread was going to show, but Mr.
Turvytop thought not, at least after
it had been worn awhile and become
soiled.
"There, my daughter," said Mr.
Turvytop, triumphantly, "that but-
ton is on! It has taken time, to be
sure—two hours, precisely by the
clock—but it was time well spent.
We have both of us had an opportu-
nity to learn some valuable lessons."
"We have learned what a great
thing it is to sew on a button. If it
is such a great thing to sew on one
button, think what it must be to sew
on eight buttons; then consider what
it must be to make a whole coat; and
then realize how thankful I should be
for my coat."
"Again we have learned that al-
most anything can be accomplished
by patient perseverance."
"Again, we have felt the blessed-
ness of having been able to assist
your mother."
"Yes, dear, yes. I know you have
been injured, but it must be a satis-
faction to suffer in so good a cause."
"But I must now leave you for a
short time. I have just time to go
to the post-office before tea. I take
a great deal of pleasure in putting on
this coat," continued Mr. Turvytop,
as he donned the garment in ques-
tion, "feeling that it has been repaired
by my own hands, assisted by the
active brain of my daughter. The
air is keen, but I shall not feel it, for
with the warm coat snugly buttoned
over my chest—what—what—what
—what! and Mr. Turvytop didn't
button his coat, as he seemed about
to do, but stood looking at it with a
strange, puzzled expression on his
face, from which the exultation of
the previous moment had all passed.
"Why papa's what is it?" asked
Matilda.
"Daughter," replied Mr. Turvytop,
in a subdued tone, "we have made a
mistake; a sad mistake, a very sad
mistake; we have sewed the button
on the inside of the coat."
Mr. Turvytop went to the post-of-
fice with his Sunday coat on, with
collar turned up about his ears.
Mrs. Turvytop recovered in due
course of time and when she could
collect the scattered contents of her
work-basket, set about repairing Mr.
Turvytop's coat—darning the hole
that gentleman had made cutting off
the top button, and restoring the
severed member to its place, also re-
placing the missing button for which
Mr. Turvytop sought so long and
vainly, and which Bridget afterward
discovered in the bread jar; and
finally advising Mr. Turvytop if he
ever lost another button not to go
and make of fool of himself.
Mr. Turvytop preserved a dignified
silence, but has never been known to
sew on another button.

CHEERFULNESS is a matter of health
and constitution. An invalid or a
nervous person—a very sensitive per-
son, easily affected by atmospheric
and other influences—cannot be uni-
formly cheerful. He may do much
toward endeavoring to be so, it is
true, but it must be a thing of effort.
Many people are cheerful because
they are apathetic. The sorrows of
others, not being their own, are easy
to hear. We do not wish to cry
this social sunshine; but let us not
forget that there are very sweet
flowers that flourish and give out
perfume in the shade.

HE CAME back to his mother, look-
ing very forlorn, with a big red
swelling under his left eye, and four
or five handfuls of torn shirt boiling
over his breeches band. "Why,
where on earth have you been?" she
asked. "Me an' Johnny's been
playin'." He played he was a pirate
and I played I was a duke. Then
he put on airs, and I got mad, and
— Yes, yes!" interrupted his
mother, her eyes flashing, "and you
didn't flinch!" "No, mother, but
the pirate looked."

VIRGINIA claims that since the whip-
ping post was re-established most of
the jails have been emptied, petty
crimes have almost ceased, and va-
grants are seen no more in the
streets.

"Hiram," said a down East farmer
to his hired man, who was working
in a field, "it looks as if it might
rain; 'spose you leave off work and
go play dig cellar."

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Religious Notices

Trinity M. E. Church, Rev. R. J. Moorman, pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M.; Morning Service at 10 1/2 A. M., and Evening Service 7 1/2 P. M.

Wm. McGrath of this county raised from one barrel of potatoes, thirty barrels of merchantable potatoes.

The oldest inhabitant says he never saw the like of going to watering places before. Well he may not. We didn't have Ocean City before.

Thistles require radical treatment to remove them, and so do Boils and Pimples. Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture is a radical blood purifier, curing all skin eruptions.

MISSMATCHED.—A couple in our town who are not yet married, seem to be mismatched. The lady is 5 feet 10 inches, and the gentleman 4 feet 10 inches high.

One of the longest men in Sussex Co., Del., is named Short; one of the shortest men in Somerset Co., Md., is named Long.

Now is the time to buy while Mr. James Cannon, at No. 24 Main St., is closing out his immense stock of summer goods to make room for his fall stock.

The corn crop of Wicomico County is severely injured by the heavy rains. Not more than half a crop will be raised.

FRUIT WANTED TO DRY ON SHARES.—Having procured a new Automatic Fruit Evaporator, and not having enough fruit to keep it at work, we would like to procure fruit to dry on shares.

HORSE DEAD.—Mr. E. M. Waller lost a valuable horse last Wednesday night week. Mr. W. drove the horse to this place on Tuesday, and nothing seemed to be the matter, but on Wednesday morning he was sick, and died the following night.

Read in another column the advertisement of valuable real estate to be sold on the 18th inst. by G. H. Rider and E. E. Jackson, executors of Dr. Wm. H. Rider, deceased.

If you want a nice fitting white vest go to Jas. Cannon's, No. 24 Main St., where you can find them of every style at low figures.

All officers of Registration for Wicomico County will please inform us during the next week where they will sit for the registration of voters, and the correction of the list of qualified voters, so that we may prepare the notice correctly.

SCARED TO DEATH.—John D. Perdue's horse was standing hitched to a cart at Parsonsburg, on Thursday when the excursion train from Wilmington to Ocean City came along.

Suffering will exhibit its presence by a series of the baby, and should be removed by the prompt use of that highly recommended remedy—Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

The Second Quarterly Meeting of Salisbury Circuit, Methodist Protestant Church, will be held at Parker's Chapel, August 5th.

Mr. Robert Jones, of Nutter's district, this county, at the age of eighty-one years, felt so young last week that he went out in the woods, ran down one of his logs which was very wild, caught and conveyed it to the house, and put it in a pen.

We noticed last week the death of Rev. John H. Brinkley. He was buried at Fruitland last Sunday, and although the day was stormy, a large concourse of people attended the burial and performed the last sad rites affectionately.

The steamer Helen will leave Baltimore this (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, for Crisfield, with an excursion to Ocean City, arriving to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 4 o'clock.

Now is the time to buy summer clothing, Graham Bros are closing out their large stock to make room for fall clothing.

The fellow who examined a mule's heel to see if it was really India rubber, thinks the "livery" a very uncertain business.

Rev. J. L. Polk, of Newtown, will preach in the Presbyterian Church of this place to-morrow, Sunday, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and 8 o'clock, P. M.

The civil and police force of Salisbury consists of five Commissioners, one Bailiff, one Assistant Bailiff, three resident Constables, and five Justices of the Peace.

Low quartered shoes are "all the go" in town now. The wearers ought to go to Graham's and get some neat colored shoes to wear with them.

No little excitement was created on Tuesday morning last by an alarm of fire, caused by the explosion of a jug in Dr. L. D. Collier's kitchen.

We have received the August number of the American Agriculturist.—Like its predecessors, it is filled with useful and valuable information to the farmer, stock grower and housekeeper.

The concert given at Wetupquin on Tuesday evening, July 24th, for the purpose of raising money to pay Prof. Tilghman a balance due on his last quarters salary, was a success.

His Honor, Judge Irving, came up on Monday morning last and drew the Grand and Petit Juries for the September term of the Circuit Court, for Wicomico County, which convenes on the fourth Monday. Below is the list:

Joseph Brattan, W. M. Thoroughgood, W. W. Hearn, W. R. Dennis, W. S. Williams, I. S. Williams, Wm. A. Trader, J. W. Fenuel, A. B. Howard, John F. Jester, Wm. N. Hastings, B. W. Truitt, Eph. J. Holloway, J. D. Johnson, Isaac N. Hearn, S. M. Rider, John B. Taylor, Geo. H. W. Ruark, E. M. Waldron, B. B. Gordy, John L. Morris, Joseph Travers, Elijah Holloway.

What does a man look like without a neat fitting Boot, Shoe or Gaiter? A. P. Trader, at No. 29 Main Street, has several of the best workmen in the country. If you want a good fitting calfskin boot or gaiter, he can put it up to perfection.

INACCON'S Sure Death Insect Powder for the destruction of Bed Bugs, Ants, Roaches, Moth, &c., for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

Ruta Baga Seed just received from Philadelphia for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

S. Frank Toadvine has on hand a nice lot of Cecil county hay.

Buy one box of Kitcholins, the best article for cleaning and polishing Tinware, Silverware, Brass, Knives, Forks, &c., for sale by B. L. Gillis & Son.

Use Stayner's Instant Fly Poison. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

For all kinds of toilet, fancy & family soaps, inquire at R. K. Truitt & Sons, No. 58 Main St., where you will find any kind you may desire.

B. L. Gillis & Son, have received a large and well selected stock of Groceries at bottom prices. Call and see them at No. 70 Main St., where you will find no difficulty in being suited.

Bonanza Bouquet Soap for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

We guarantee our paints to go twice as far as these chemical paints, ours being ground by machinery and made of pure white lead and oil.

Select the best, Pure Paints, 14lbs. to the gallon. Please call and examine sample board.

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Now is the time for farmers and all persons handling horses and cattle to use Truitt's challenge horse powders. They are sold by merchants all over the shore, and are guaranteed to be the best now in use.

FOR SALE.—One half of a splendid double cottage, at Ocean City, or if two gentlemen, with their families, desire the whole cottage they can be accommodated. For particulars apply at this office.

For the best Ladies Boots, Gaiters and Shippers, go to A. P. Trader's, where they can be put up in the latest styles on short notice. Give Mr. T. a call, ladies.

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Cincho-Quinine, a substitute for Quinine and answers all purposes without effecting the head, for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

H. D. Spence is still operating with Titus Bros., 154 West St., New York. Cards and Stencils furnished on application to J. T. Parsons, who will attend to shippers during his absence.

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POLITICAL NOTICES. SALISBURY DISTRICT, June 26, 1877. Mr. Editor: You are requested to announce E. M. Waller, of Warren Creek district, a candidate for the sheriffship of Wicomico County, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention hereafter to be held.

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Many other goods which cannot be noticed here will be sold at greatly reduced prices, comprising altogether a large and desirable stock, and a rare chance for bargains.

Yours Truly, A. G. TOADVINE, No. 29 Main St., Salisbury, Md. June 30-1877.

There are still a few of those beautiful Percale Shirts left at Graham's, and are selling for \$1 apiece.

Elijah S. Adkins, Esq., left at our sanatorium on Wednesday some very large apples, some of them weighing 12 ounces. This is hard to beat.

FESTIVAL.—The ladies of Trappe church will furnish supper, ice cream and cake on Friday next, 17th inst., at 4 P. M.

Col. W. J. Leonard's new mansion is fast approaching completion, and before the blasts of winter set in, it will be ready for occupancy.

You can get a whole suit, coat, pants and vest, at James Cannon's One Price Clothing Emporium, No. 24 Main street.

Our delinquent subscribers will please bear in mind that we have not heard from some of them. Friends, please send us a lock of your hair, that we may know you still live.

The people of Wicomico have learned that a crop of wheat can be grown on our lands without the aid of fertilizers. Look out for a large seeding the coming autumn.

"Jim" can't tell why a certain fellow with a red head and black mustache goes out in an easterly direction so often. He will have to mention the matter to Eliza. If she can't account for it he will have to give it up.

The letter of "Nullius in Verba," which appears on our fourth page, came too late last week for insertion. We call special attention to it, and we hope our friend will continue to let us hear from the Trappe.

Don't forget the beautiful and cheap colored hose at Graham Bros., 47 Main street.

We call special attention to the sales advertised in this issue to take place in the future. The real estate of the late Dr. Wm. H. Rider will offer a rare chance for the purchase of desirable property.

The mud machine "Blue Dick" is undergoing repairs, and will soon be heard puffing and blowing in our harbor, deepening and widening our channel. Captain Parsons will give us steamboat navigation this time.

If you want to find the cheapest place to buy Ready-made Clothing, Boots and Shoes, go to James Cannon's, No. 24 Main street.

If every watermelon and cantaloupe produced in Wicomico county this year had brought one dime, the amount would be sufficient to build a new court house for the county and a church in each of the ten districts.

It is proposed to hold a memorial service at Fruitland M. E. Church, in memory of Rev. John H. Brinkley. It is expected that Rev. Vaughn Smith will preach the sermon on the occasion. Notice of the time will be given out in the churches to-morrow.

The editor of this paper, desiring to devote more time to his farming operations, as well as to pay more attention to his profession, would like to sell one-half or one-third interest in the ADVERTISER to a good newspaper man, who could devote all his time to it.

If the earnings of the Wicomico & Pocomoke railroad could be kept up the year around in the same proportion to the earnings of the last thirty days, it would be the best paying road in the country, in proportion to the expense of running it.

Rev. J. J. Smyth has been sojourning among the mountains of Pennsylvania for some weeks. Rev. Joseph I. Polk, of Newtown, filled his pulpit last Sunday and preached an interesting discourse to a large and appreciative congregation.

Mem. from Society Journal: "Miss S." appeared to positive disadvantage because of cloudiness of complexion and—must we write it?—Pimples spoiling an otherwise beautiful countenance. [She should by all means procure and use Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture. Rep.]

We understand it is the intention of the members of Asbury M. E. Church (colored) to hold their connecting year this year near their connecting Friday next, 17th inst. They give the assurance that good order will be kept, and cordially invite all friends of religion to encamp with them.

The paint brush is still in motion on Main street. Messrs. Holland & Cooper's office has received a new dress, also the building occupied by Wm. M. Collins. The Wicomico House, we understand, is to have a new dress also, as well as the offices of Justice Peck and Huston Humphreys.

Wm. J. Wimbrow showed us on Wednesday two potatoes of the Early Rose variety, the largest one weighing 23 ounces, both grown from young potatoes of this year's growth, or in other words, they were the second growth.—Beat this who can.

Mr. James Cannon is now selling off his Summer Goods at great reductions, to make room for his immense stock for the fall trade.

Candidates are getting as thick as stubbles in a rye field. One candidate treated to a large lot of watermelons on Tuesday; another had his dog killed by the cars; another has recently lost a fine horse; another went home with a brick in his hat, and the rest are rejoicing that it is no worse with them.

There will be a rat killing in Salisbury on Monday morning next, 14th inst., beginning at 7 o'clock, A. M.—Every section of the town will appoint its own captain, four or five dogs will be enough in one pack. Housekeepers are requested to give every aid possible by removing rubbish, lumber, boxes, etc.

ONE OF THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES.—Wm. M. Thoroughgood, on the east side of Camden street near the bridge, has a sign which does not only tell who does business on the premises, but gives the day of the week and month. Call and take a peep at it and have your work done on short notice, either wood or iron work. Also contracts made for carriage building, etc.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Messrs. L. L. Landon & Co., 1016 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. Mr. L. is well known to the people of the Peninsula as a first class jeweler, and a reliable gentleman. Persons purchasing anything of his firm will get what they bargain for, or cash refunded. This has been our experience with the firm.

Ocean City was alive with people on Thursday. Excursions from Baltimore, Wilmington, Salisbury, Franklin and way stations on the Del., E. S., W. & P., Worcester and other railroads brought over an immense concourse of people.—Good order generally prevailed. Some young bloods got too much and in their hats, there not being many bricks for ballast, which made them a little top-heavy. Or it might have been the effect of salt water, as it is said some fellows who follow the sea continue to roll on high land.

For RENT.—The Store and Dwelling House on Division st. Inquire of the present occupant, C. R. JORDAN.

For the Best GIGS in town, go to S. H. EVANS.

FOR SALE.—Cypress Canoe Masts of any size and length desired, at reasonable prices. Inquire at this office.

ICE CREAM.—Persons desiring ICE CREAM can be accommodated at S. H. EVANS, No. 16 Main St., where he keeps it constantly on hand.

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To THE PEOPLE'S ADVANTAGE.—We are happy to inform our readers that they can get first class photographs at P. C. HEMKER'S, Salisbury, Md., at reasonable figures. He can, and will, enlarge your old pictures to any size, and in any style, such as Oil, Pastele, Crayon, India Ink, Water colors or plain, also fine Porcelain. He also keeps a fine assortment of frames. We know he will be happy to have you call and look at his specimens which he has on exhibition at all times at No. 141 Main Street, Salisbury, Md. We advise one and all to call and see the fine work he has on hand. Don't forget the number.

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W. H. Rounds has made arrangements to supply our people daily with CLAMS fresh from the sea-side. Call on him at Dock St.

For all kind of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Aniline Dyes, Dye Wood of every description, go to R. K. TRUITT & SONS, 58 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

Wadsworth, Martineux and Longman's Pure Paints. 1 gallon will cover 230 square feet of wood, surface two coats. L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

S. H. Evans keeps constantly on hand a large supply of Fresh Bread, which he is selling cheap for cash.

For choice Groceries, Tobacco and Snuff, go to R. K. TRUITT & SONS.

Admirers of the fine arts should visit Munson's studio, opposite the post office and examine his fine paintings, which are for sale at extremely low prices.

Paris Green, an article that will certainly kill the potato bug, for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

H. D. Spence, with Fisher Bros., No. 48 South Market St., Boston, will endeavor to give the shippers the advantage of the market, as he will receive telegrams daily from each market. References: Howard National Bank, Boston; Bain & Bro., Bankers, Portsmouth, Va.; H. & D. W. Allen, Vineland, New Jersey.

Systemic Refrigerator, a substitute for Cod Liver Oil for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

A fine lot of Confectionery, Oranges, Lemons, &c., on hand, for sale by J. T. Hayman.

Flat Dutch, Seven Tops, White Globe and all other Turnip Seed for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

Just received a fresh stock of turnip and ruta bags, seed, for sale in any quantity you may desire. Truitt & Sons, 58 Main st.

Select the best, Pure Paints, 14lbs. to the gallon. Please call and examine sample board. L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

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For Notions, Cutlery, Fancy Soaps, Lamp Goods of every description, call at R. K. TRUITT & SONS.

Hams! Hams! Hams! For sugar cured hams, go to S. Frank Toadvine's.

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POLITICAL NOTICES. SALISBURY DISTRICT, June 30, 1877. Mr. Editor.—You are requested to announce F. M. Waller of Barron Creek District a candidate for the sheriff of Wicomico County, subject to the action of the Democratic Convention hereafter to be held, and to be held and oblige many voters of this district.

TAKE SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR. DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, Jaundice, Bilious Attacks, SICK HEADACHE, COLIC, Depression of Spirits, SOUR STOMACH, Heartburn, &c., &c. IT HAS NO EQUAL!!

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J. OSCAR BERTHOLE, Fruit and Produce

Commission Merchant For the Sale of

PEACHES & BERRIES, 107 Park Place, New York.

References—C. W. IDELL, Commission Dealer in

Fruits, Vegetables, Poultry AND SOUTHERN PRODUCE, No. 27 Washington St., NEW YORK.

References—J. C. QUICK, A. G. REED, QUICK & REED, PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANTS, For the Sale of

PEACHES, BERRIES, &c., 27 Washington Street, NEW YORK.

References—L. BRADLEY, with SHILLINGSBURG & KNOX, Produce

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Commission Merchants, No. 8 VINE STREET, Philadelphia.

References—Dr. R. F. Chatham, Cashier Philadelphia National Bank. [Apr. 21-18.]

J. W. WHARTON, Wholesale

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IVINS & BROTHER, Manufacturers and Dealers in

FURNITURE, BEDDING and Feather, No. 61, 63 and 65 N. Second St., Near Arch Street, PHILADELPHIA.

References—Charles S. Jones, Wholesale Dealer in

FISH AND PROVISIONS, No. 216 North Wharves, PHILADELPHIA.

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS. C. MESSICK, Commission Merchant

For the Sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, Third Street Market, WILMINGTON, DEL.

References—Col. L. N. Mills, Wilmington, Del. [May 19-18.]

GILBERT & REA, Wholesale

Commission Merchants, 15 CORNHILL SQUARE, Fruits, Vegetables & Peaches Specialty, No. 163 Scott Street, BUFFALO, N. Y.

References—S. A. GRAHAM, Attorney at Law, No. 3 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

JAS. E. ELLEGOOD, Attorney at Law, No. 19 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

J. AUG. PARSONS, Attorney at Law, No. 4 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

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Wicomico County is bounded on the North by the State of Delaware, South and East by Somerset and Worcester Counties, and the Pocomoke River, West by the Nanticoke River, which divides it from Dorchester County. The Wicomico River has its source entirely in this County at Salisbury, which is the head of Navigation, while its lower waters divide this from Somerset County.

Wicomico County was created by the Constitution of 1867, out of parts of Worcester and Somerset Counties. It contains about 400 square miles, and is watered by the Nanticoke, Wicomico and Pocomoke Rivers, and the Wicomico Creek which is navigable for large schooners.

The soil in the Western part is a stiff, clay subsoil with a dark loam, the center is high and sandy, while the Eastern part is a black loam or sweet gum soil, well adapted to the growth of Corn, Oats and Small Fruits. The Western part is well adapted to the growth of Wheat, Corn, Hay, &c.

There are several villages in the County, Pottsville, Pittsville and Parsonsburg in the East, Belmar and Shartown in the North, Delmar Creek Springs, Quantico, Riverston, White Haven and Waltersville in the West, Fruitland and Upper Trappe in the South, and Salisbury in the center.

Salisbury, the County seat, is the largest and most important town on the Eastern Shore. Its commerce is extensive, and its mechanical and mercantile pursuits are carried on with great activity. It has nine Churches, eight Schools, about Fifty Stores and twenty manufacturing institutions of various kinds. It is on the line of the Eastern Shore Railroad, an extension of the Delaware and Philadelphia, Wilmington & Pocomoke Railroad, and the Wicomico & Pocomoke Railroad connects this place with Ocean City, Berlin and the intermediate towns.

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WICOMICO LANDS FOR SALE. No. 1. A House, Lot and Wharf Property at Shad Point, known as the

Steamboat Wharf. This is desirable property, having a river front of about 400 feet, and is a good location for a

MARINE RAILWAY. Will be sold cheap on application to this Agency.

No. 2. Located about a quarter of a mile from the first named, contains

40 Acres, is mostly in young timber, and will be sold with the above wharf, to sell party, who is a widow lady, desires to see her share cannot attend to it.

No. 3. Is a Farm situated 5 miles from Salisbury, and 3 miles from Fruitland, and contains

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YOUNG ORCHARDS of excellent fruits just beginning to bear.— Will be sold cheap, on reasonable terms.

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No. 5, 6, and 7 are Houses and Lots in the town of

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Lot No. 9. A House and Lot in that part of Salisbury called Canton, 200 by 100 feet, improved by a Commodious Dwelling, and necessary improvements: Will be sold a bargain.

Lot No. 10 & 11. Adjoining the above named, same depth, 50 feet front.— Sold on easy terms

Lot No. 12. A Farm on the Nanticoke River, near Nanticoke Point, containing

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Lot No. 13 & 14. Are two tracts of Timbered Land, about four miles from Fruitland. One contains 124 ACRES, the other 53 ACRES of land. The first named has on it some very fine first-growth timber.

Lot No. 15. Situated 2 miles from E. S. Railroad, at Williams' Sliding, and contains

200 ACRES, mostly in Timber. It is desirable land, and can be bought on easy terms.

Lot No. 16. Situated on the south side of the Wicomico River, and binding thereon, containing

320 ACRES OF LAND, improved by a two-story dwelling, and one or two tenant houses, about 250 Acres in Timber of first-growth. Will be sold on easy terms.

Valuable Store House Property for sale in Shartown, Md.

This is desirable property, as it is three stories high, first floor occupied as Store; 2nd by Red Men; 3rd as an Old Fellows Hall. Will be sold a good bargain, on easy terms, as the owner is engaged in business elsewhere. This property is very desirable, as it is within a few rods of the river. If the purchaser would prefer he could also buy the lot and dwelling house adjoining the above property, which has a river front of one hundred feet. The store house is nearly new.

For particulars apply to this Agency, or to George C. Tuttle, Sheppardville, Wicomico County Md.

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LORI & ROBINSON, 88 and 90 BALTIMORE, MD. June 24-18.

NOTICE TO VESSEL OWNERS.

The undersigned, late Superintendent of the Alexandria (Va.) Ship Canal, and now residing in Baltimore, Md., having been of the Wicomico Marine Railway at SHAD POINT, Wicomico County, Md., hereby gives notice to the owners of all vessels, of all descriptions, all kinds of machinery, kept on hand and for sale, including

COPPER PAINTS, Work done on short notice and in the best manner.

This Railway being located in fresh water, is a safe place for vessels to lie in, and gives me a call, and I will endeavor by prompt and efficient service to give general satisfaction.

WM. W. SMITH, Fruitland, P. O. Wicomico County, Maryland. April 25, 1877.

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Let not friendly vows be broken, Rather strive a friend to gain; Many a word in anger spoken, Finds its passage back again.

Do not, then, in idle pleasure, Trifle with a brother's fame; Guard it as a valued treasure, Sacred as your own good name.

Do not form opinions blindly, Hastiness to trouble tends; Those of whom we've thought unkindly Of become our warmest friends.

Select Reading.

TWO MINUTES TOO LATE.

With his good-bye ringing in her ears, Druce Miller re-entered the little telegraph office and dropped into the chair before the clicking instrument. Glancing at the clock above her head, she noticed that it was almost time for her to close the office for the night, and seek her humble home at the foot of one of the darkened streets of the village. The rumbling of the train that had just left the station was growing fainter, and the girl listened to it as though it was the voice of a friend who was leaving her for a long time.

She did not expect any more messages that night; the engine breathing heavily from its great iron lungs on the track near her window would not move until the night express had moved up, and the engineer, knowing this, had sought his sweetheart, who lived in the village.

Tom Gray, the engineer of the train just departed, was Druce's lover, and his intimate friends knew when the wedding was to take place. He had not known her long, but that did not matter, since he was a true fellow, who loved her with all his heart, and with all her's she loved him.

The rumble of the train at length died away, and Druce was about to shut off the current and leave the office when a message began to fall upon her ears.

She started, for the first word drove the color from her cheeks, and standing over the instrument she heard this message:

"Number ten switch at Colby till number six passes. Six just starting!"

"Six just starting! My God! They will meet!" cried the beautiful operator, starting from the table—"What can I do to save him—then!"

And with her eyes staring at the clock she stood in the center of the room, thinking of the two trains approaching each other through the mist that almost hid the moon.

The real situation, enough to blanch a young girl's cheek, was appalling.

The order for the train which had just left Fletcher to switch at Colby could not be obeyed now. The telegraph could not stop it, for there was no night office at Colby. It was an unusual matter for six to leave Fort Wayne before the arrival of number ten; but as the latter train was some twelve minutes behind time on that particular night, six, anxious to leave on time to save its connections, telegraphed to Fletcher the message which had so started Druce Miller. From Fletcher to a point four miles below Colby, the company had completed a double track, which, when finished to Fort Wayne, would obviate the trouble of switching and prevent accidents.

When Druce recovered her self-possession, she started from the office with a message in her hand. It had arrived just two minutes too late, and Tom Gray, unconscious of his existence, was driving his engine ahead and thinking of the girl he had lately kissed adieu. He knew that it was known in Fort Wayne that he was unavoidably behind time, and thought that according to custom the express waiting there would not move until he arrived.

But let us return to Druce Miller.

This paper has double the circulation of any paper published in this county.

To Correspondents.—All articles designed for publication must be in the office by noon on Thursday, and should be written in ink, on one side of the paper only.

Religious Notices.

Trinity M. E. Church, Rev. R. J. Moorhead, pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Morning Service at 10 A. M., and Evening Service at 7 P. M.

St. Paul's Church, Rev. W. W. Wilson, pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Morning Service at 10 A. M., and Evening Service at 7 P. M.

Wilmington Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. J. Smith, pastor. Sunday School at 9 A. M. Morning Service at 10 A. M., and Evening Service at 7 P. M.

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If you want one of those superior Silk Hankerchiefs, to be had only at Graham Bros, we would advise you to call soon, as only a few are left.

BIRD DISAPPEARED.—Mr. Charley Birkhead lost a valuable mocking bird this week. The door of the cage was found open and the bird gone. Any one seeing a stray singer about town may guess that it is the runaway.

J. H. Trader has just received a line of Prints and Muslins which he is offering at low prices.

Bishop Lay, of the Diocese of Easton, performed morning and evening service and preached two sermons in the parlor of the Atlantic Hotel, Ocean City, on Sunday last. The Bishop's health, we learn, is much improved by his visit to the seaside.

Continuance of effort impoverishes the blood unless it be kept pure by suitable food and (when needed) Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture.

The registers will meet on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th days of September to revise the list of voters. Those who have not been heretofore registered, or have removed from one district to another, should give the matter their attention without fail.

Mr. Albion H. Patrick presented us with a basket of peaches on Tuesday, which for size, color, flavor and general quality, exceeds all others received to date. We would not object to seeing them best by another basket left at the same place, but we don't expect to see it.

SHIRTS! SHIRTS! of every style, quality, color and price, at Graham Bros.

DROWNED.—On Wednesday, the 8th inst., as the schooner Octavia was passing Kent Island, on her trip from Baltimore, the crew discovered a man floating in the Bay. He was well-dressed, and did not look like a waterman. The wind was blowing at the time and a rough sea on, so that an examination or recovery of the body was out of the question.

WANTED.—Everybody to know that James Cannon, at No. 24 Main St., has the largest and best-selected stock of Boots and Shoes, which are sold at prices to suit the present hard times.

Mr. Henry, from Philadelphia, is in our town exhibiting samples of fruit and vegetables preserved by his new patent process. He will sell family or county rights. The fruit looks natural, and it is claimed to retain its taste, and will keep for years. It is cheap, and the preserving is done with very little trouble. Sample jars shown us attest the beauty of this method of keeping fruit.

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STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The Oyster Police sloop, Annie Franklin, Capt. J. R. Willing, while lying at anchor off Roaring Point on Monday night last, was struck by lightning, tearing her mast all to pieces, and otherwise injuring the boat. The crew were on board; no one was hurt, but the shock was severely felt by all. Capt. Willing informs us that the damage will be repaired in a few days, and the sloop will be on duty next week.

Summer Clothing at greatly reduced prices, to make room for the immense stock of Fall goods now beginning to arrive, at James Cannon's Main St.

Messrs. E. E. Jackson & Co., despite the hard times, are running on a large business as usual. This enterprising firm are doing the largest business in lumber ever done on the Eastern Shore, and perhaps as large in their line as has ever been done in Maryland. They are running several mills, one railroad entire, besides a large business over others, with several large schooners. They employ more than a hundred men constantly, and yet they have their business under complete control.

Paper Collars, only 20 cents per box, at Graham Bros.

We call especial attention to the valuable real estate to be sold in front of the Peninsula House in this town to-day at the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M. Messrs. E. E. Jackson and G. R. Rider, Executors, will sell the real estate of Dr. Wm. H. Rider, deceased.

J. E. Ellegood, Esq., as Trustee, will sell a valuable farm situated in Spring Hill, which will be a rare chance for the purchase of such valuable real estate. Capitalists can do no better than to invest in such desirable property. All these properties are well located and desirable.

HORSE STRUCK TO DEATH BY BEES.—On Sunday last Mr. Isaac J. Cooper was about to leave Mr. Anthony Politt's in Rockaway, when he hatched his horse near a beehive. The bees having been robbed of their honey, they were disposed to be a little savage. All at once they made a raid upon Mr. Cooper's horse, and by the time the horse could be removed, he was literally covered up with bees. The horse rolled upon the ground while remedies were applied, such as salt water, &c., but in vain, the horse died in one hour after the attack. The horse was worth \$150.00.

Mr. John S. Lowe left at our sanctum some of the largest and best flavored peaches we have seen this season. They were of the Early York variety, and show what Spring Hill can do. Mr. Lowe was the best exhibitor at our office last year. Mr. Geo. W. Perry so far, is next to Mr. L.

School Board was in session on Tuesday last. The schools will be opened October 1st. The examination of teachers will be held September 12th, notice of which will be found in another column. J. H. Bacon, Richard Venables and Marcellus Weatherly were appointed trustees for school in Barron Creek Springs.

The best white shirt for \$1 in the market, can be found at James Cannon's.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Keller's Vegetable Life Drops, and recommend such as need a really good medicine to try this valuable remedy which always does more than it promises, and effects results unattainable by the use of any other medicine. It is especially adapted to the treatment of so many diseases and their prevention when used in time, that it should be kept in every house. The Drops are for sale by all Druggists.

Beautiful envelopes, Letter Heads, Business and Visiting Cards, of various colors printed and sent to any address at 35 cents per hundred. Send address and directions to this office.

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FRUIT EVAPORATOR FOR SALE.—Brand new. Cost \$100.00. Will take off 10 per cent. for cash. Reason for selling—no peaches to dry. Apply at this office.

S. H. Evans has now on hand a choice lot of Tobacco and Cigars, which he is selling remarkably low.

Go to Mrs. A. E. Williams' store for your cambric Hats, Bonnets, &c., No. 52 Main St.

Liobig's Extract of Beef, Hoff's Malt Extract, Balm of Life, Keller's Life Drops, Pond's Extract, Vego line, Phenol, Sordine, Oak Orchard Acid Water, and all the proprietary and popular medicines of the day for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

J. H. Trader is selling Coatings, Cassimeres and Dry Goods generally, very low. He has also a fine assortment of Queensware, Glassware, &c., on hand, and let us say to all persons who are, or intend commencing house keeping, this is the place to buy such goods. He has valises hand, satchels willow baskets, and various articles in that line, and now is your chance to buy a nice silk parasol cheap, as he is determined to close them out.

Persons visiting Ocean City should not forget that John P. Owens holds forth right in front of the Atlantic Hotel, where Ice Cream, Soda Water, and Notions can be had in the East wing, while in the West, best Liquors are served. Call and see him.

Go to Mrs. Hearn & Brenner's for first class Millinery & Ladies' Fancy Goods, No. 27 Main St.

Farmers, Fruit Growers and Truckers, look to your interest and buy of S. Frank Toadvine, W. M. Ross & Co.'s Raw Bone Phosphates.

FOR SALE.—One horse and carriage. Horse gentle, and not afraid of cars. Inquire at this office.

Why have chills when you can get at Collier's Drug Store a medicine that will certainly cure you?

TO THE PEOPLE'S ADVANTAGE.—We are happy to inform our readers that they can get first class photographs at P. C. Hunter's, Salisbury, Md., at reasonable figures. He can enlarge your old pictures to any size, and in any style, such as Oil, Pastels, Crayon, India Ink, Water colors or plain, also fine porcelain. He also keeps a fine assortment of frames. We know he would be happy to have you call and look at his specimens which he has on exhibition at all times at No. 143 Main Street, Salisbury, Md. We advise one and all to call and see the fine work he has on hand. Don't forget the number.

FOR RENT.—The Store and Dwelling House on Division st. Inquire of the present occupant, C. R. JORDAN.

FOR THE BEST GIGS in town, go to S. H. Evans.

FOR SALE.—Cypress Canoe Masts of any size and length desired, at reasonable prices. Inquire at this office.

Nooney's Fruit Preserving Powder 50 cents per box at Collier's Drug Store. Try a box of it.

ICE CREAM.—Persons desiring ICE CREAM can be accommodated at S. H. Evans', No. 16 Main St., where he keeps it constantly on hand.

Now is the time for farmers and all persons handling horses and cattle to use Fruit's challenge horse powders. They are sold by merchants all over the shore, and are guaranteed to be the best now in use. Try them and if they do not give satisfaction call at R. K. Truitt & Sons, No. 58 Main st., and your money will be refunded.

FOR SALE.—One half of a splendid double cottage, at Ocean City, or if two gentlemen, with their families, desire the whole cottage they can be accommodated. For particulars apply at this office.

B. L. Gillis & Son, have received a large and well selected stock of Groceries at bottom prices. Call and see them at No. 70 Main st., where you will find no difficulty in being suited.

FOR SALE.—One Climax Refrigerator brand-new. For particulars apply at this office.

H. D. Spence is still operating with Titus Bros., 154 West St., New York. Cards and Stencils furnished on application to J. T. Parsons, who will attend to shippers during his absence. Feeling grateful for the liberal patronage of the past, I hope to receive a continuance of the same. All produce shipped by me will not require the freight to be paid at this end.

Fresh Spices of all kinds, viz.—Green Ginger, White Ginger, Cloves, Cinnamon, Mace, Allspice, &c., to be had cheap at Collier's Drug Store.

Persons in need of Plaiting Machines and Sewing Machine attachments can procure the same on application to the store of C. M. Brewington, No. 40 Main Street.

We agree to repair any building with English White Lead if our paints do not prove perfectly satisfactory.

FOR SALE.—A Shop in excellent order. Inquire at this office.

Brohawn, at the Advertiser building, No. 44 Main street, is still selling great bargains in cassimeres, calicoes, notions, &c., with a great variety of nice things too tedious to mention. Go and see before purchasing elsewhere.

What does a man look like without a neat fitting Boot, Shoe or Gaiter? A. P. Trader, at No. 29 Main Street, has several of the best workmen in the country. If you want a good fitting calfskin boot or gaiter, he can put it up to perfection. He keeps constantly on hand the best French and American calfskins, out of which he can make a boot, which for durability, style and quality can't be beat. Try him and be convinced.

Nearly all the internal disorders of horses that are curable by medicine, will be relieved by the use of the Challenge Horse Powders, prepared by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

S. Frank Toadvine has on hand a nice lot of Cecil county hay.

Buy one box of Kitchelone, the best article for cleaning and polishing Tinware, Silverware, Brass, Knives, Forks, &c., for sale by B. L. Gillis & Son.

Use Stayner's Instant Fly Poison. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

Sign and Decorative Painting at Munson's Studio.

A new supply of Globe Burners and Chimneys, the best in the world, at L. W. Gunby's.

For the best Ladies Boots, Gaiters and Shippers, go to A. P. Trader's, where they can be put up in the latest styles on short notice. Give Mr. T. a call, ladies.

For all kinds of toilet, fruit & family soaps, inquire at R. K. Truitt & Sons, No. 58 Main st., where you will find any kind you may desire.

Trader Bros. are selling Family Groceries at bottom prices. Call and see them.

W. H. Rounds has made arrangements to supply our people daily with CLAMS fresh from the sea-side. Call on him at Dock St.

For all kind of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Aniline Dyes, Dye Wood of every description, go to R. K. Truitt & Sons, 58 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

Wadsworth, Martinez and Longman's Pure Paints. 1 gallon will cover 230 square feet of wood, surface TWO COATS. L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

S. H. Evans keeps constantly on hand a large supply of Fresh Bread, which he is selling cheap for cash.

For choice Groceries, Tobacco and Souff, go to R. K. Truitt & Sons.

Admirers of the fine arts should visit Munson's studio, opposite the post office and examine his fine paintings, which are for sale at extremely low prices.

H. D. Spence, with Fisher Bros., No. 48 South Market St., Boston, will endeavor to give the shippers the advantage of the markets, as he will receive telegrams daily from each market. References: Howard National Bank, Boston; Bain & Bro., Bankers, Portsmouth, Va.; H. & D. W. Allen, Vineland, New Jersey.

Just received a fresh stock of turnip and ruta baga, seed, for sale in any quantity you may desire. Truitt & Sons, 58 Main st.

Select the best, Pure Paints, 14lbs. to the gallon. Please call and examine sample board. L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

H. D. Spence, with Baker Bros., Co., 140 North Del. Ave., Philadelphia. This Old Established House is too well known to require comment, but will continue to conduct the trade in the interest of the producer.

The place to buy a neat, comfortable boot or shoe at a low price, is at C. M. Brewington's, 40 Main St. His stock has been selected with care, and no one can fail to be suited. His assortment of hats and caps is complete, and any one in want of a hat would do well to give him a call.

For Notions, Cutlery, Fancy Soaps, Lamp Goods of every description, call at R. K. Truitt & Sons.

Hams! Hams! Hams! For sugar cured hams, go to S. Frank Toadvine's at this office.

We guarantee our paints to go twice as far as these chemical paints, ours being ground by machinery and made of pure white lead and oil.

L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

MURDER WILL OUT. A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Draspetics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one suffering to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist, L. D. Collier or R. K. Truitt & Sons, also L. M. Dashiell & Co., Tony Tank, and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE. VALUABLE FARM! BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Worcester, sitting in Equity, No. 21, in Rockaway, vs. Geo. H. Hart, et al, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at the front of the Peninsula House, Salisbury, Md., on Saturday, August 18th, 1877, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following VALUABLE REAL ESTATE: A Farm located in said county on the road from Salisbury to the town of Green Spring, containing the lands of Geo. Hart, Daniel Hart and Peter Freeny, containing 175 ACRES. This farm is improved with a large, Two-Story Dwelling House, and suitable out buildings in good repair. TERMS OF SALE:—\$500.00 cash on day of sale, the balance in 2 equal instalments of \$250.00 each, with interest from day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by bonds of purchase with securities to be approved by Trustee.

EXECUTORS' SALE. REAL ESTATE. BY VIRTUE of authority vested in me by the last Will and Testament of Dr. William H. Rider, late of Worcester County, deceased, who died on the 1st day of August, 1877, I, the undersigned, Executor of said Will, do hereby offer for sale at public auction at Tracy's Hotel, in the Town of Salisbury, Md., on Saturday, August 18th, 1877, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, viz: 1. The Lot of Ground and BUILDINGS thereon, situated at the X corner of Main and Division streets in Salisbury, the first story of which is at present occupied by G. K. Truitt & Sons, Goods Store, the second story is designed for offices and third as a Hall.

THE DWELLING. This is one of the most desirable lots in Salisbury. The Lot of Ground on Camden street, adjoining lot of Dr. Wm. T. Smith with GRANARY and STABLES.

4. House and Lot of Ground on east side of Camden street, and adjoining lot belonging to S. Frank Toadvine, and at present occupied by George Moore.

5. Lot of Ground on Newton street, containing THREE ACRES. This Lot is in a high state of cultivation, and the convenience of purchasers will be divided into three lots.

6. The Lot of Ground on the East side of Camden street, binding on the limits of the Corporation, containing 4 ACRES.

7. The Lot adjoining No. 6, but outside the limits of the town of Salisbury, containing 10 ACRES.

8. A tract of land called the "Rain Farm," lying on the West side of the public road leading from Salisbury to Tony Tank, and near the last mentioned place, containing about FORTY-FIVE ACRES.

9. A tract of land in Rockaway, about two and a half miles West from Salisbury, and on the road leading from said place to Quantico, and containing about 100 ACRES.

THE FARM HOUSE and other buildings, will be sold in one parcel, and that part lying North of said road, containing about 120 ACRES, in another parcel. The quality of this land, together with its location, makes it valuable to any one desiring a productive farm and pleasant residence.

Plots of Lots No. 5, 6, 7 and 9, showing the divisions will be exhibited at the time of sale, and in the afternoon of the day of sale, at the store of G. R. Rider by those desiring to purchase. Possession given the first of January next.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money in cash, and the balance in three equal instalments of one-third each, and the purchaser giving their bonds with security to be approved by the undersigned, and bearing interest from the day of sale.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Worcester county letters of Administration on the personal estate of SAMUEL JENKINS, late of Worcester county, dec'd. All persons having claims against said dec'd., are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the subscriber on or before February 11th, 1878, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of August 1877. W. R. GILLIS, Adm'n.

Test, WM. BIRCKHEAD, Reg. Wills.

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REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

To the Voters of Wicomico County.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Officers of Registration for the several election districts of Wicomico county, will on

MONDAY, the 3rd of September, 1877, meet in their respective districts...

Barren Creek Springs, and the Officer of Registration for the Second Election District will attend at

Quantico, and the Officer of Registration for the Third Election District will attend at

Tyaskin Post Office, and the Officer of Registration for the Fourth Election District will attend at

Pittsville, and the Officer of Registration for the Fifth Election District will attend at

Powellville, and the Officer of Registration for the Sixth Election District will attend at

Allen's Store, Upper Trappe, and the Officer of Registration for the Seventh Election District will attend at

A. P. Malone's, (Walter's), and the Officer of Registration for the Eighth Election District will attend at

Dr. L. S. Bell's Office, No. 15, Main St., Salisbury, and the Officer of Registration for the Ninth Election District will attend at

Sharpstown, to perform the duties imposed upon them by the act of Assembly...

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Hotel Cards.

WILSON HOUSE, Crisfield, Md., SETH D. VENABLES, Prop'r.

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Arthur T. Halliday's NATIONAL HOTEL, Nos. 3, 5, and 7 Cortlandt Street, Near Broadway, New York.

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TAYLOR'S HOTEL, Jersey City, N. J.

ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.—Open all the Year.

Opposite the New Jersey Railroad Depot; near the New York Central Office, New York & Erie, and Northern Railroad Depots; near the Canal Steamer, and within twelve minutes of Wall Street, Canal Street, and City Hall.

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First-class Live kept. Passengers conveyed to all parts of the peninsula.

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Rooms 50 and 75 cents per day. The Restaurant is furnished with all the delicacies of the Market at the most reasonable prices.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS. Jy 14-15

MALTBY HOUSE, Baltimore, Md. C. R. HOGAN Proprietor.

Reduction in Fare.

In consideration of the general decline in cost of all necessaries pertaining to Hotel Keeping, the price of Board will be reduced and after January 1st, 1878, to be \$2.50 PER DAY.

being determined that nothing will be left done in the future to make the "Maltby" what has been in the past—second to none in the city. [Jan 25-7]

FRENCH'S HOTEL, ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN, OPPOSITE CITY HALL PARK, COURT HOUSE AND NEW POST OFFICE, NEW YORK.

All modern Improvements, including Elevator, Gas, and Running Water in every room.

AGE 41. T. J. FRENCH & BROS., Proprietors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Wicomico county letters of Administration on the personal estate of

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

February 18, 1878, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of August 1877.

HENRY J. BRINKLEY, Adm'r.

Test, WM. BIRCKHEAD, Reg. Wills.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court for Wicomico county letters of Administration on the personal estate of

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

February 11th, 1878, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 11th day of August 1877.

W. B. GILLER, Adm'r.

Test, WM. BIRCKHEAD, Reg. Wills.

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KELLER'S

VEGETABLE

LIFE

DRUGS

Why we become Sick

Aside from hereditary pre-disposition to many diseases, there are four prominent causes of much human disease, and these are: Impure air, which causes poisoning of the Blood and Pulmonary disease; unwholesome water, which is a great source of typhoid and cholera; fever; and improper food, which is the cause of Stomachic and Intestinal derangement; and sudden changes of climate and temperature, which induce congestive disorders.

Thus, the absolute essentials of life are often charged with the principles and poisons of the germs of disease and death. Whenever the proportional principles of the Blood become disturbed from any of the causes named, impurities or poisonings of this fluid follow; if the digestive organs act abnormally, Dyspepsia and its distressing effects manifest themselves; any cause that tends to excite the untoward action of the Liver is certain to produce Bilious diseases; and whenever there is a torpid or sluggishness of the bowels—Constipation, with its host of attendant evils, establishes itself.

From these universally accepted truths it becomes comparatively easy to explain Why We Become Sick. By neglecting the laws of nature, and eating unwholesome food, or eating in an improper manner; by abstaining drinking at meals, by many other improprieties of eating and drinking, and particularly by that one health-destroying habit peculiar to the American people—rapid eating—Indigestion or Dyspepsia is established with all its distressing consequences; immediately the Blood lowers its standard and begins to deposit its impurities in the weakest parts of the system, causing all manner of discomfort and diseases according to the degree of impurity and the point of deposit. The great organs become involved; the Brain feels the bad influence; the Liver, the Spleen, the Heart, the Lungs, the Kidneys, the Skin—all are affected, and unless the impurity be removed, the whole volume of the Blood will become so poisoned that existence will be impossible.

How to Cure Sickness

Nature's method of purification and consequent cures is founded on the rational principle of judicious purgation; and when it is considered that the best physicians pursue the practice of attending to the stomach and bowels as preliminary (and often the only) treatment of disease, it is not difficult to perceive the wisdom of possessing all the requisites of a purgative and alternative, in addition to other and valuable remedial influences, must obtain for itself more than ordinary consideration and favor. Our remedy is a safe and judiciously prepared, and containing every quality required for the treatment of disease on the above-named rational principle. It is a pleasant Cathartic, active or gentle, according to the dose; it is a Blood purifier, tonic and enlivening; its fluid by its alternative property; its action on the Liver is soothing and certain, promoting the Biliary secretions; it is a safe and reliable Emmenagogue, acting specifically upon the uterine system; it affords the greatest attainable relief in Dyspepsia, and cures whenever used as directed; and in conjunction with hygienic means is the best preventive of Constipation that can be suggested.

From the above it would then appear that the simplest method to cure sickness is that one which combines judicious purgation with physical sustenance, and the manual referred to below (which every one should read) the strength should be sustained by nourishing (not stimulating) food of the kind adapted to the complaint while the remedy is remaining in the system.

To Prevent Sickness.

The pronounced opinions of the ablest Therapeutists indicate that most diseases are the direct result of vitiated Blood; and as their successful treatment of disease is founded on the principle and practice of eliminating this blood poison by judicious purgation, so this same principle, by reasonable adaptation to any case, is the surest means to prevent disease.

Keller's Vegetable Life Drops are an absolute preventive of diseases caused by impurity of the Blood, of Liver diseases, of diseases of the Stomach, Intestines, etc. Its corrective influence will prevent or shorten attacks of Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Nervous Debility, Uterine Disorders, Fever and Ague and all that numerous class of diseases induced by malarial poison. To prevent disease, then, purify the blood if needed by using a reliable alternative and purgative; this, conjoined with the observance of hygienic directions, will establish a condition of body in which health will be the rule and disease the exception. A careful perusal of the "Manual of Purgation and Depurative Medicine" will fully illustrate the subject of which the above is a mere outline, and will clearly indicate the method of using Keller's Vegetable Life Drops. To be had at Drug Stores or sent to any address on receipt of 3 cent stamp.

W. L. KELLER, Chemist, Baltimore

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No. 3 VINE STREET, Philadelphia.

Reference—Dr. B. F. Chatham, Cashier Philadelphia National Bank. [Apr 21-7]

Poetry.

"When a Man Comes Home."

BY MRS. MULLOCK GRAVE.

When a man comes home, Don't begin to wrangle; Better far to sleep In the heavy sleep.

'Neath white sheets of foam, And of sea-wind tangle. Peace, peace, peace; Cease, cease, cease, When a man comes home, Don't begin to wrangle.

When a man comes home, Let him enter smiling; Take the children sweet, Playing round his feet, Throw off grief and gloom, And the world's beguiling.

Peace, peace, peace; Cease, cease, cease, When a man comes home, Let him end all smiling.

Select Reading.

THE PICTURE.

It was just in the shadow of the ruined wall which towered above the blue, shining waters of the river, and when the tide was high dropped down the long, trailing ivy vine to kiss the laughing waves—they sat, two women! One, with her arm resting upon a broken column, her dark eyes with the memory of the long ago stirring their brilliancy into life, gazed afar out at the floating clouds, her face a sad reflection of the past; while the other, many years younger, half knelt at her feet, and with a smile upon her red lips, and the light of hope in her glorious eyes, played with the moss upon the bank beside her.

It was a perfect picture, for the twilight crept in and fell across the foreground just enough to bring the wondrous beauty into relief.

To the artist eyes of Ralph Bertram, who, wandering down the river bank, came upon them, it was perfect harmony of light and shade—an exact subject for a masterpiece. Then and there he sat down, and sketched until darkness shrouded the whole and shut it from his view. He took his sketch home, and for hours sat and gazed upon it, enraptured with the glorious beauty of the faces. Who were they, or rather who was she? Who was the girl with her dreamy, happy face, and dark, melting eyes, with their hopefulness and trust?

When morning dawned he went down again to the river's bank and watched and waited for hours, but they never came. He inquired of every passer, but no one knew them. One would say: "Ah, yes, I have seen them—two women—one old and sad, and the other young and happy. I do not know their names."

And another would declare he was never aware of their existence; and thus Ralph found his search a vain one.

He went on working day and night upon his picture, and at last it was complete; and when he went up to his studio in the city, and placed it there, his friends held up their hands in admiration and worshipped it; and before many days it found a place in the most renowned art gallery, and all the world went crazy over it.

Thus Ralph Bertram became celebrated; and orders came upon him faster than he could fill them. He became the lion of the season; and far and near his praises were sung. But to him it was as nothing when the thought of his beloved picture came, and hour after hour he sat and gazed upon that beautiful face like one entranced.

"I believe, Mr. Bertram, that you are positively in love with that young face!" said a belle, as she came upon him in the gallery. "Was it from life or your own imagination that your painted it?"

"Impossible! It must have been a dream! No living woman was ever blessed with such beauty."

"Yes, one!"

The lady went away, and before night one-half the world was jealous of his picture and declared him crazy.

"It must be so, for no woman ever possessed such rare beauty. It was a dream; a mere hallucination."

Bertram heard it all and laughed. Perchance the day might come when he could bring this wondrous beauty before them and convince them; and with this hope he labored and sought her far and wide.

It was a cold, bitter night, and round the corners the wind swept, bringing with it fitful gusts of hard, cutting sleet, and penetrating to the bone every unfortunate being who chanced to be abroad. Bertram came briskly down the street from his studio, of his pleasant rooms before him, and lightly humming an opera. He had turned from the principal street, and was walking along where all was quiet, when he suddenly came upon two women, who stood near the iron railing in front of the house.

"Mother," said one, "it is but a little farther. Do try to keep up! Here, lean upon me! Mother, mother!"

She was vainly trying to support the sinking form, but not all her

strength could prevent her from falling. And Bertram sprang forward in time to receive her in his strong arms as she fell back.

"Mother, oh, my mother!" was the wild, despairing cry.

"Don't be alarmed. She has only fainted. My home is here, close at hand, and if you will assist me, I will take your mother there."

The young woman obeyed him without a word, and with her assistance Ralph bore the senseless form to his elegant apartments. There was no light within the room, and after placing the inanimate form upon the sofa, he lighted the gas. As the soft radiance shone through the room, he sprang back with an exclamation of surprise and delight.

His picture! The face of his idolized one! At the sound, the younger started up and looked toward him. How beautiful she was, with her hat falling back, and the damp waves of chestnut hair clinging to her broad white forehead, and the great lustrous eyes fixed upon him in wonder! Bertram could not speak.

"My mother!" she began, with quivering lips.

"Pardon me! I forgot myself." And he brought wine, cordials, and labored until the blood stole back in little flushes, and the dark eyes opened. For several moments she did not seem to understand the strange surroundings; but when the younger spoke, she said, "Agnes, darling!"

"Mother, are you better?"

"Yes, yes!"

"Agnes! It was like her. Pure, good, beautiful, saint-like."

Bertram sat in the window until they called him. The elder was standing in the center of the room, her mantle thrown around her, and one hand resting on the shoulder of her daughter.

"I wish to bid you good night, and thank you for your kindness. If it were in my power, I would—"

"Madam, I beg you to sit down. I have spent months in searching for you, and I beg you, now that I have found you, to remain here. If you are willing to confer a favor on me, remain here to-night at least."

"Searching for us! What do you mean?"

"You will hear one day! I owe you all I possess."

She sat back, seemingly petrified with astonishment.

"Who are you? I never met you! You owe me nothing."

"Will you remain here?"

"Yes, if you need us."

After a time, the noble-looking woman sat in a comfortable chair near the grate, her loving daughter at her feet, and Ralph Bertram brought forth the sketch and told the story.

"And are you the great painter, Ralph Bertram?" asked Agnes.

"I am Ralph Bertram," he answered smilingly.

"And the great picture of which we have read was only poor mamma and I, sitting upon the bank of that beautiful river in the country where we visited last summer. How strange."

Agnes la Grange was happy and contented in the splendid room, with her head resting in her mother's lap, heard her tell the story of her father's death, their flight from their beautiful home in France, of their struggle and hardships, and their utter loneliness, and smiled when Ralph Bertram gave his hand and begged them to accept his friendship.

The Art Gallery was crowded, and all the fashion of London was out and promenading up and down the grand saloon, and passing before Ralph Bertram's picture to admire and comment. All at once there was a buzz and the crowd parted on either side. Down the opening Bertram came with a lady leaning on either arm, and as he passed a murmur went round.

"The faces in his picture! How beautiful! How perfect!"

Ralph was never happier or prouder than when he stood with his fair companions and heard the words of praise, and when Agnes whispered: "It is grand, Ralph, and I am proud of you."

"My darling, your praise is worth more than all else to me," he answered, and he pressed her hand tenderly, and looked into the dark eyes, worshipping her glorious beauty with all his heart.

Once more the world gathered to envy and admire, when the handsome artist and his love stood before the altar in a fashionable church, and were made one.

The great picture brought him a fortune, and the originals brought him comfort and peace.

An observatory has just been erected on the highest point of Mount Equinox, in Vermont, by the United States Coast Survey.

Mrs. Moody, wife of the evangelist, is teaching a large class of men in the Orthodox Sunday school in Northfield, Mass.

THOMAS JEFFERSON'S birthplace, Shadwell, in Albemarle county, Va., is advertised for sale.

THE MULE.

The mule is the only animal that Noah didn't take into the ark with him. I have looked over the freight list carefully, and could not see a mule way-billed for any place. So clear-headed a man as Noah did not dare to take one on board, as he knew he would kick a hole through her in less than a week. I don't know a man on whose head you could pour quicksilver and run less risk of its spilling off than on Noah's. He was a dreadful level-headed man, and before the freshet was over everybody on earth realized the fact.

The origin of the mule is enveloped in a good deal of mystery. Tradition informs us that when the flood had subsided, and the ark had laid on Mount Ararat, Noah was very much surprised in one of his observations to find a good healthy mule standing on the top of an adjoining mountain. The same tradition informs us that the mule is the only animal that lived through the flood outside the ark.

The mule can be considered in a good many ways, though the worst place to consider him is directly from behind, anywhere within a radius of ten feet. I never consider a mule from that point unless I am looking through the flue of a boiler.

The word mule comes from the Greek and signifies "to stop," and the mule himself comes to a stop also. Like mules multiplied by like produces like. Grasshoppers multiplied by grasshoppers produce a famine, and potato bugs multiplied by potato bugs produce a rise in the price of yeast. But when you try to multiply mules they don't multiply, and hence the word mule. You study your arithmetic, and read through all of Train's lectures, but you can't discover why that is so any more than you can why a woman cannot put on a rubber without leaning up against something.

The mule has one more leg than a milking stool, and he can stand on one and wave the other three round in as many different directions. He has only three senses, hearing, seeing and smelling. He has no more sense of taste than a stone jug, and will eat anything that contains nutriment, and he don't care two cents whether it be one per cent or ninety-nine. All he asks is to pass him along his plate, with whatever happens to be handy round the pantry, and he won't go away and blow how poor the steak is. He just eats whatever is set before him and asks no questions.

If I were to have a large picture of innocence to hang up in my parlor, and I did not wish to sit for it myself, I should get a correct likeness of a mule. There is innocence enough depicted in a mule's countenance to fit out a Sunday school class. It looks as guileless as an angle worm.

A mule never grows old or dies. Once brought into existence he continues on forever. The original mule is now alive somewhere in the South, and is named Robert Toombs, because he is so stubborn.

Mules are chiefly found in the South and West. They have been more abused than Judas Iscariot. A boy who would not throw a stone at a mule when he got a chance would be considered by his parents too mean to raise.

The mule is a good worker, but he cannot be depended on. His is liable to strike, and when a mule strikes his manual calculation fails to find out any rule by which to reckon when he will go to work again. It is useless to pound him for he will stand more beating than a sitting-room carpet. He has been known to stand eleven days in one spot, apparently thinking of something, and then start off again as though nothing had happened.

Down South, when they have a surplus of small darkeys on the plantation, they send them out into the barnyard to play where there is a loose mule. They always bid them good-bye when they start out, for they are sure the parting will be final. This is the most economical style of funeral now in the market.

To fully appreciate the mule one should listen to his voice. You never can really know whether you like a mule or not till you have heard him sing. I attended a mule concert at Fort Snelling. The programme opened with a soprano solo, and then swung into a duet, and then pranced off into a trio, followed by a quartette, and ending with a full chorus of 150 mules. I didn't hear the whole thing, for when I came to the regimental surgeon was standing over me, giving me powerful restoratives, and I heard him say that I might possibly get out again, though I would never be a well man again. I have been through the New York Stock Exchange, and spent part of a day in a boiler factory, and have been on one or two Sunday school excursions for children, but I never know what noise was till I heard a lot of army mules bray.

One of the dead certainties about a mule is that he is sure-footed, especially with his hind feet. He never misplaces them. If he advertises that his feet will be at a certain spot at a certain time, with a sample of mule shoes, to which he would call your attention, you will always find them there at the appointed time. He is as reliable as the day of judgment, and he never cancels an engagement. Every man how living who drove a mule team during the

war draws a pension.

I never owned a mule. I came near buying one once. He was a fine looking animal; his ears stood up like the side spires on an Episcopal church. His tail was trimmed down so that it looked like a far brush leaning up against him. He was striped off like the American flag, and Raphael's cherubs never looked more angelic than did that mule. He looked all innocence, though he was, in no sense. The owner sat in the wagon, with his chin resting on his hand and his elbow resting on his knee. In the hand he held a stick with a brad on the end of it. I examined the mule and asked the man a few questions, and out of mere form inquired if the mule was kind, or if he kicked. "Kick! Kick!" said the man, and these were the

LEMUEL MALONE,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,
SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1877.

POLITICAL NOTICE.

The Democrats of Wicomico are requested to meet in their several Election Districts, at the usual places of voting, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH,
at 2 o'clock, P. M., to select two (2) Delegates to represent them in the County Convention to be held in the Court House at Salisbury, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH,
at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., to nominate candidates for two Delegates to the Legislature, one Sheriff, five County Commissioners and one County Surveyor, to be voted for at the election in November next.

H HUMPHREYS,
PURNELL TOADVINE,
A. J. CRAWFORD,
Democratic Central Committee for Wicomico County. [Aug. 24th, '77.]

With this issue the ADVERTISER completes its tenth volume. Ten years ago to-day, Salisbury was situated in the counties of Somerset and Worcester, and the running of a newspaper so far from the county towns was an experiment. The first labor performed by the ADVERTISER was the advocacy of the formation of the new county of Wicomico, and nobly did it contend for the success of the scheme. At that time a news paper called the New Era was being published on the Worcester side of the town, and continued to survive until late in 1868, when it was removed to Snow Hill, and became the Democratic Messenger. But, in the meantime, another paper had started in Salisbury, the Eastern Shoreman, which started under rather favorable auspices. Messrs. Bell & Wailes, editors and proprietors. Messrs. Parker & Morgan, the founders of the ADVERTISER, continued to run the paper until 1870, when they sold out to Messrs. Freeny & Richardson, and soon after started the Bachelor, another lively sheet, owned by Mr. S. Q. Parker, and edited by Messrs. Holland & Cooper, all "bachelors." With the advent of the Bachelor, three candidates for public favor were contesting the field for journalistic success. It was at this stage of affairs we were drawn into the field, more by accident than choice. In the spring of 1873, Mr. Richardson prevailed upon us to take the place formerly occupied by Mr. Freeny, we reluctantly yielded, and thus became a sort of journalist. In September of the same year, Mr. Richardson withdrew entirely, and left us alone to contend with the giants who conducted the other two papers. Soon after this event we purchased and consolidated the Bachelor with the Advertiser. But this did not seem to cure the evil. Another paper was started called the Granger. After changing its name a time or two, and having a somewhat interesting career, we purchased it, and ran it nearly a year as the Sentinel, edited by Dr. L. S. Bell. It too, was consolidated with the Advertiser after a brief existence, since which time the ADVERTISER and Eastern Shoreman have been the only papers published in the county, and with the exception of the Sentinel, a paper started about fifteen years ago by Rev. John Morgan, we have mentioned all the papers which have ever existed in this county, or its territory. The last named paper lived about two years, and met the fate of many enterprises of its kind, starting as pioneers.

We said our first purchase of the ADVERTISER was accidental. The last purchase of the remainder was a necessity. At that time the Democratic party of Wicomico county would have been without an organ, but for the last purchase. The county convention met in the fall of 1873 and nominated a ticket which was not acceptable to the Shoreman, nor was the associate editor of the Advertiser willing to support it, but was absolutely opposed to it, and the purchase of his interest in the Advertiser became a necessity, hence our sole proprietorship of this paper. The other papers were purchased in self defence.

As to the subject, we have endeavored to discharge the duties of

a faithful journalist to the best of our ability, and while at times we seemed to be a little harsh on our opponents, politically. So much so, that some of our subscribers, of that persuasion (for we have many such) are good, honest, clever, reliable men, have often in a friendly way called us to account, and asked us for their sake to be a little more conservative. All we could say was, that while we appreciated them as worthy patrons, we could only say that we were running a Democratic paper, and speaking our conscientious sentiments and political faith, which we must continue to do, no matter whose ox may be goaded. Just here we feel it our duty to say, that many of our own political household have been delirious in their support of the ADVERTISER, commensurate with the obligations they and their friends were under to it, for the sacrifices it had made for them and their success. But we have no complaint to make, so long as the solid men all over the county appreciate our labors, and recognize the claims of the ADVERTISER upon their support and patronage. This we feel, we are receiving. We have not lost a single subscriber, whose friendship we valued, with but one single exception, which was the result of a correspondence, who renews his subscription with this issue. The circulation of the Advertiser has more than tripled itself since our connection with it, which is very encouraging, and while it is not as good as it should be, we are glad it is a welcome visitor to a thousand households, and that it is read by more than ten thousand people, is a gratifying reflection. Thanking our patrons for their hearty co-operation in the past, we hope to deserve more of it in the future.

The last Sunday Telegram contains a portrait of Hon. J. W. Garrett, President of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., with a sketch of his life, and history of his connection with that great enterprise, which has done so much for the State. Mr. Garrett has been truly a great man in his sphere, but it may be that a change would be beneficial to all parties concerned, as he has grown prematurely gray in the noble service of his company. We think he may retire for a while, and if the road cannot be managed as well by others, he should again be chosen. He is not yet an old man, having been born in 1820, only 57 years old. If he could have a year's rest, he would be good for many more of faithful management. It is for his own good we make these suggestions, having always admired his energy and good sense.

Hall.
In a few weeks the people of the county and State will be called upon to place in nomination certain gentlemen for the various offices to be filled this fall. As is usual upon such occasions the office having the largest amount of financial profit in it to the occupant is the one which absorbs public attention, to the exclusion of offices of vastly more importance to the people and the tax-payers. This is a great mistake by the people, because any man of ordinary sense, with a good clerk can conduct the Sheriff's office, but not every man who puts his head up is competent to be a county commissioner to conduct the county affairs and levy taxes upon the people, nor a member of the legislature, to make laws for our government and lay down policies for the State to pursue. In such offices you want good men, men of brains, of character and high integrity. In such offices you want business men, not politicians; men who are honest, faithful, true. You want men who can manage their own affairs successfully, and you do not want men who cannot conduct their own business with success to undertake the job of conducting the public business. It is a safe rule, and should be rigidly applied by the people in selecting their officers, that no man who recklessly neglects and destroys his own business should be placed in charge of public affairs. We want for such offices men who are sober, industrious, honest, sensible, and if men measuring up to these requirements are always selected the public need have no fear of embezzlements and of bad management. In the legislature you need all these and the additional qualification of legislative talent. It is not every good lawyer, or good doctor, or good farmer, or good merchant, that can make a good legislator. A peculiar talent is required for that business, and it is not possessed by every sensible man you meet. It is peculiar, indescribable something which nature has given him. Every man who has watched the current of events for any length of time has seen what shamful failures have been made in that regard. We have seen our members of Congress attend session after session and yet amount to nothing, being lost apparently in the general array of legislative talent they had to encounter in Washington. Some of them too have been men upon whom we have relied to make their mark. The same is also true with regard to many members of your leg-

islature, and it is to avoid a repetition of these unfortunate blunders that we have deemed it proper to call the attention of the people to the great necessity of expending due caution in the selection of persons to fill the offices which the law makes it necessary to fill this fall. The people should not permit themselves to be too much taken up with the Sheriff, important in its way, but not the office to which tax-payers and the people generally should address their attention.—Centreville Observer.

"Three million unemployed men in the United States"—that is the text upon which have been threaded more editorial attempts at pathos lately than any statement that has been made since the panic. A contemporary questions its truth, and suggests these reasons for doubt:—There are in the United States about 40,000,000 people, 20,000,000 male, of whom not over 8,000,000 are mature, able bodied men. Of these 8,000,000 about 2,000,000 are Southern negroes, of whom it can hardly be said that any are really out of employment, since there is work enough for all who are willing to work. Of the remaining six millions, at the least three millions are farmers, of whom it cannot be said that any are out of employment. This calculation leaves but about 3,000,000 to be accounted for, and if these are all "out of employment" then there is nobody at work in the United States, except the women, the Southern negroes and the farmers! But this of course is an absurd conclusion. Of these three millions we know that fully one million are engaged in active business in professional work, or else supported from accumulated wealth. And of the remaining two millions, at least one-half or one million is engaged in mechanical trades, in the great business of transportation, in manual labor, in Government or State employ, etc. This would leave but one million men really unemployed in the whole country, of whom at least half are Southern whites, who can't work, tramps, lazy young men living on their fathers, etc. We thus arrive at the conclusion that not over half a million men in the United States are really unemployed.—Den- ton Union.

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Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for September will be welcomed wherever it goes. It opens with "An American Severeign Abroad," an illustrated article, showing the movements of General Grant in England, the Kitchen in the Mansion House, Windsor Castle etc. Then we have "The Mystery of the Pyramids," by Richard A. Proctor, illustrated, with fine views of the interior and exterior of the Great Mosque, and other places of interest there; "Turkish Schools," "Southern Scenes," all about "Pottery and Porcelain," quite a number of beautiful stories, anecdotes, historical sketches, witty paragraphs, poetry, etc.—128 pages, 40 illustrations. Above all, don't miss this number if you value a good week's reading. It is to be had for 25 cents, or the Monthly may be purchased for an entire year for \$2.50, post free, to your address, by sending to Frank Leslie's Publishing House, 537 Pearl Street, New York.

ONE of the most amusing and suggestive scenes is a company of average Americans at a dinner table. Suggestive, because it indicates the prevailing national habit of rapid eating, with its inevitable result—Dyspepsia. If people must eat so rapidly as to induce discomfort, and ultimately establish disease, then let such, for self-interest at least, remove all discomfort and tendency to disease by taking the most efficacious medicine—Keller's Vegetable Life Drops, freely recommended, because it never fails.

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COLLECTOR'S SALE!
BY VIRTUE of authority vested in me by appointment from the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, Maryland, as Collector of State and County Taxes for the years 1874 and 1875, I have levied upon the following described parcels of real estate upon which the amount of taxes set opposite the several parcels have been levied for the respective years and still remain unpaid, viz:

BARREN CREEK DISTRICT, NO. 1.

Charlotte E. Acworth, 190 acres known as Venables' place, 1874 1875	1874 1875
Levin H. Bennett, 107 acres 111-neighborhood, 20 50	102 04
Wm. H. Bradley, 112 acres, Darby's Addition, McDaniel's Luck, 13 14	13 20
Jeremiah Bradley, 70 acres, Queycocks, 48 25	48 25
Wm. J. Budd, 98 acres William's lot, 10 17	10 16
Margaret Crosby, house and lot purchased of L. M. Wilson, 2 33	2 33
James K. Elliott, 233 acres, Acworth's old age, 55 19	52 87
Eleanor A. Elliott, house and lot near Bum Pole, 6 38	2 26
Wm. T. English, part Wilson's discovery, 95 acres, 8 24	8 24
James H. English, part Brown's conclusion, 54 acres, 9 32	8 92
Levin Graham, house and lot at Barren Creek Springs, 5 61	5 48
John H. Giles, house and lot near Riverton, 5 59	6 38
Margaret Grayson, part Wilson's Discovery, 75 acres, 16 10	16 10
John Hughes, part Western Field's 250 acres, 39 24	39 24
John J. Howard, part Darby and Wilson's Addition, 56 acres, 14 04	13 60
Howard & Brother, part Corn Hill, 119 acres, 13 60	13 60
Prisilla Horsemann, land name unknown 30 acres, 2 66	2 66
Robert W. H. H. Howard, 2-15 saw and grist mill, known as Double Mills, 16 10	16 10
Hiram H. Howard, part Western Field's 250 acres, 10 39	10 39
George E. Johnson, house and lot from Wm. G. Moore, 3 00	3 00
Wm. S. Lloyd, house and lot from Sarah J. Lloyd, 2 30	2 30
Mary Phillips, 7 saw mill and stream known as Hornum's Mills, 14 30	21 27
Eleanor A. Quinn, part Oak Hill, 9 acres, from Ann Dashiell, 1 81	1 81
Samuel W. Robertson, part Barrens Neck, 51 acres, 50 87	50 87
Charles Robertson, house and lot adjoining Thos. B. Taylor, 3 03	3 03
Joseph S. Taylor, 1 bay mare, 8 11	8 11
Hiram Taylor, 129 acres of land, bought of John E. Harris, 16 43	16 43
E. Mansour Waller, part Giles's Lot, Tit Tat and Tat Again, 275 acres, 51 69	51 69
Isaac T. Wilson, part Best Log and Flat Glade, 76 acres, 9 99	8 79

QUANTICO DISTRICT, NO. 2.

Mary A. Acworth, part Nutter's Neck, 175 acres, 1874 1875	1874 1875
John Rickard, part Westley's Addition, 80 acres, 51 01	74 87
Stephen T. Bailey, part Chelsea, part Eight, part Addition 100 acres, 54 12 34	12 34
acres of land from Levin Lowe's heirs, 11 94	11 42
Anna A. Boston, part Garrett's tract, 160 acres, 18 28	18 02
Anna E. Brady, 84 acres of land from James McJones, 4 24	4 10
John F. Collier, house and lot home place in Quantico, 80 44	80 44
Wm. C. Dashiell, Westmore Neck, 51 acres, 33 99	6 70
H. H. Dashiell, 2 houses and lots in Quantico, 108 80	108 80
Sally Fletcher, house and lot in Quantico, 7 76	7 76
Martha W. Fletcher, Moore farm from Chas. Rider, 170 acres, 24 12	24 12
John F. Freeny, Bragg Hill, 90 acres, 23 12	23 12
Harris & Hearn, 1 steam mill, 17 88	17 12
John Humphreys, home farm, name unknown, 180 acres, 42 21	41 68
Sally Hull, carriage shop on ground rent in Quantico, 4 18	3 98
John H. Harris, part Weatherly's Adventure, 200 acres, 103 11	98 77
Samuel H. D. Jones, house and lot from Clara A. Turpin, 1 05	1 05
Samuel H. D. Jones, Skinner's Farm, 51 acres, 24 71	33 19
Isaac P. Jones, Sallup from Sam'l J. S. Kerr, 6 00	6 00
Arthur Jones, 18 acres land from Geo. D. Freeny, 1 92	1 92
Mary E. Kelley, part Sallup, part Palmer's Field 1st choice, 136 acres, 29 11	29 11
John M. Langsdale, 250 acres of land from John Taylor, 21 46	21 46
John F. Collier & Son, Schooner Creek, 11 acres, 47 78	47 78
Vincent Moore, part Jones' Delight, 116 acres, from S. F. D. Jones, 4 03	4 03
Leonia Kerr, house and lot in Quantico from S. J. S. Kerr, 1 05	1 05
Henry Parker, house and lot 15 acres, 3 81	3 81
Thomas P. J. Rider, 260 acres of land, Calm Retreat, 6 12	6 12
Naugan P. Turner 236 acres, part Kerr's, 40 14	40 14
Clara A. Turpin, Giles's Folly, 150 acres, 22 46	22 46
Jesse Walter's heirs, saw, grist mill and stream at Quantico, 20 60	20 60

TYASKIN DISTRICT, NO. 3.

Victoria Adams, house and lot from Wm. Insley 1874 1875	1874 1875
Ezra Barkley, Pt. Stainway, 50 acres, 8 47	8 47
Noah Ballard, col. house and lot, 5 70	5 70
Katy Barkley, col. house and lot, 1 48	1 48
David Barkley, col. house and lot, 2 19	2 19
Ezra Barkley, col. house and lot, 3 70	3 70
Stephen Barkley, col. house and lot, 6 acres, 11 60	11 60
Henry Brewington, Pt. Evans chance 90 acres, 8 84	8 84
Robt. F. Britton, land from Geo. W. Adams, 2 28	2 28
Mary A. Barkley, Pt. Stainway, 30 acres, 2 48	2 48
Wm. Conway, col. house and lot, 1 19	1 16
Ephraim Conway, col. house and lot, 1 16	1 16
John Conway, col. house and lot, 2 50	2 50
Joseph Critchett, col. house and lot, 3 13	2 99
Chaplin Conway, col. house and lot, 13 acres land, 1 91	1 82
James Conway Raimor, house and lot, 2 11	2 11
James H. Cordray, Fisherman's Quarter 111 acres, 23 75	21 82
George W. Cordray, Fisherman's Quarter, 90 acres, 14 97	14 97
Samuel Conway, col. house and lot, 3 81	3 81
Samuel Chase, col. Pt. Hog Quarter 20 acres, 3 21	3 21
Bayard Cook, col. Pt. Hog Quarter 34 acres, 3 94	2 91
Julia Crosby, house and lot 22 acres from Jas. Harrington, 7 14	6 84
Phillip Covington, Hog Quarter, 29 acres, 5 65	5 58
Maria Conway, col. house and lot from Edward Evans, 4 50	4 37
Edly Critchett, col. house and lot from Jas. Critchett, 5 58	5 52
Wingate Dashiell, col. house and lot 9 acres, 13 37	13 08
Martha Dickey, part Bell Air 140 acres, 3 71	3 71
Joseph D. Dunn, house and lot 6 acres, 8 85	8 85
Adm. Dunn, house and lot 5 acres from J. T. R. Lammour, 2 57	2 57
Ethelr Dunn, house and lot, 1 90	1 90
Terry Dashiell, col. house and lot, 1 90	1 90
Louisa Dougherty's heirs, part tract Discovery from Geo. Riell 120 acres, 13 66	13 66
Mary K. Donoho Hog Quarter, 350 acres, 70 61	70 61
Charles H. Dashiell, col. 15 acres land with improvements, 2 67	2 67
Savage's Evans, house and lot, 6 56	6 56
John S. Douglas, part Betsey's Gift from Jno. B. Roberts, 3 70	3 70
Caleb Dashiell, 1 sch. Jno Cooper from Geo. Bounds, 6 76	6 76
Jno. H. Evans, house and lot 10 acres, 18 38	18 38
Samuel Eley, col. house and lot, 4 97	4 97
James Eley, col. house and lot, 3 44	3 44
Samuel Eley, col. house and lot, 10 84	10 84
Thomas Eley, col. house and lot, 11 80	11 80
F. Harrison, Farmhouse, part Western Field's, 12 40	12 40
Maria E. Farwell, part Western Field's 24 acres from S. W. Cook and wife, 8 18	8 18
Jesse Gatties, col. house and lot, 1 61	1 55
John W. Garrison, col. house and lot, 3 30	3 30
Henry Green, house and lot, 7 50	7 50
Julius Greene, land from J. F. Mezik 36 acres, 2 39	2 39
Robert Garrett, house and lot, 2 02	1 99
Mary Roberts, house and lot, 2 02	1 99

COLLECTOR'S SALE—CONTINUED.

Several Horseman, house and lot, 2 acres, 8 31	8 31
John R. Hamby, 5 acres land name unknown, 3 10	2 95
John P. Heath, house and lot, 9 acres, 3 21	3 07
Samuel Hapdy, col. house and lot, 8 acres, 3 21	3 07
James H. Harrington, house and lot, 6 acres, 4 18	3 98
Charlotte Hopkins, part King's Misfortune 47 acres, 4 44	4 12
Charles Hopkins 14 acres land, name unknown, 1 99	1 99
Geo. C. Horsemann & Bro. house and lot, 15 acres land from P. L. Horsemann, 2 46	2 46
Charles Hubbard, col. house and lot, 1 48	1 48
John Handy, col. house and lot, 1 70	1 70
Jesse Hughes, house and lot, 3 83	3 83
Walter Hurley, part of Spy, 44 acres from Henry A. White, 14 98	14 42
Geo. Jones, col. house and lot, 6 63	6 35
Wm. Garrett, house and lot, 4 17	3 98
Abraham Garrett, house and lot, 16 03	16 03
Peter W. Jackson, 26 acres land name unknown, 8 63	8 35
Washington Jones, col. house and lot, 4 17	3 98
Littleton Lanthierberry, store house and dwelling at White Haven, 18 03	18 03
Priscilla E. Lankford, part of Shadwell 25 acres, 9 29	9 29
Geo. R. Lammour, house and lot, 4 51	4 34
John Laws, col. house and lot, 1 00	98
Arnold Laakford, col. house and lot, 35 69	35 69
Wm. J. Langrall, part Waverlyville 78 acres and Winder farm 86 acres, 30 03	30 03
A. H. D. Lammour, house and lot from Reuben Lammour, 1 96	1 80
Levin Lloyd & Brother, house and lot and wharf property at White Haven, 2 69	2 57
W. B. Mezik, house and lot 2 acres, 19 19	19 19
Jesse Miles, col. house and lot, 2 69	2 57
Wm. G. Moore, land from S. A. Graham, 167 acres, 6 42	6 30
Mahlon Mezik, house and lot 4 acres, 6 42	6 30
Afira D. Mezik, house and lot, 6 42	6 30
Wm. Mezik, part Spy 92 acres, 25 67	24 63
Lazarus Mezik, 24 acres land from Drucilla Mezik, 36 67	35 63
Delia R. Moore's heirs, part Discovery from Geo. Riell, 36 67	35 63
Levin B. Newton, part Edwina's Luck from A. W. Catlin, 60 acres, 3 47	3 32
John North, land name unknown 66 acres, 2 04	2 00
Wm. Nutter, col. house and lot, 1 17	1 13
Theodore North house and lot, 1 17	1 13
Matta North, col. house and lot, 18 24	17 47
Zachous Nutter, col. house and lot, 13 25	12 97
Edward Nelson, 81 acres Gale's Union, 9 61	9 19
John Nutter house and lot, 22 89	21 92
Elisha Q. Owens, part King's Misfortune, 98 acres, 13 64	13 04
Bronius Palmer, house and lot, 3 64	3 36
Samuel Q. Parker, part Bagley, from J. E. Haley, 86 acres, 13 60	12 07
Jesse S. Parks' heirs, house and lot, 2 acres, 13 60	12 07
Thomas J. Parks, house and lot, 12 84	12 84
James W. T. Phillips, 125 acres land, name unknown, 9 49	9 16
Algeron Pookum, 4 acres land, name unknown, 1 81	1 76
Price J. Patton, land from Saml. W. Ware, 89 acres, 11 67	11 67
Thomas Pollitt, part King's Misfortune, from Unas Phillips, 150 acres, 1 81	1 76
Ephraim Stewart, col. lot 6 acres, 11 67	11 18
Thomas Street, 37 acres land, name unknown, 8 86	8 86
George D. A. Traverser, part Belair, 40 acres, 5 70	5 70
James Turner, 9 acres land from Marcellus Jones, 5 70	5 70
George Willing 21 acres land, name unknown, 6 80	6 80
William Walter, col. house and lot, 24 80	24 37
William C. Wainwright, 40 acres land name unknown, 2 09	2 01
Henry J. White, Prickle Hat Hut, 190 acres, 2 95	2 84
Elijah Wainwright, col. house and lot, 2 45	2 36
Samuel Wilson, col. lot from Jesse Simpkins, 1 13	1 13
Peter Wainwright, col. house and lot, 2 39	2 28
James Wilson, col. 20 acres land, name unknown, 6 90	6 62
John Walter, col. house and lot, 21 10	20 18
Mary J. Langrall, 40 acres land from Wm. J. Langrall, 8 32	7 98
John H. White, heir of Elizabeth Walter, house and lot, 2 10	2 04
Jesse Wright, 17 acres land, name unknown, 2 84	2 84
Eliza A. Wainwright, house and lot, 2 84	2 84
Katharine White, part Dashiell's Regulation, 203 acres, 4 13	3 93
Thomas W. H. White, Nelson's Adventure, from Geo. E. Wingate, 21 10	20 18
John H. White, 3 acres land from J. Taylor, 2 84	2 84
Noah H. White, 3 acres land from J. Taylor, 2 84	2 84
Joseph D. White, 3 acres land from J. Taylor, 4 13	3 93
John Q. White, house and lot, 2 84	2 84

PITTSBURG DISTRICT, NO. 4.

John B. Collins, house and lot in Parsonsburg, 1874 1875	1874 1875
James L. Campbell, part of Parsons' lot, 103 acres, 10 71	10 12
George P. Campbell, part of Parsons' lot, 83 acres, 14 18	12 69
Wm. L. Downs, part of Evans' place and Singer's Ridge, 60 acres, 8 52	8 21
Wingate Downs, part of Evans' place, 41 acres, 4 19	4 04
Wm. G. Gordy, addition to P. H. and Conclusion, Poplar Neck and Crown Point, 273 acres, 29 87	28 56
Joshua Johnson of P. Martin's First Choice, 120 acres, 8 52	8 21
George W. Layfield, part's Addition, 100 acres, 3 99	3 99
Isaac J. Lewis, part of Elizabeth Walter's industry, 105 acres, Piney Ridge and Barth, First Attempt, 101 acres, 43 05	35 15
Covington H. S. Littleton, Jacob's Choice and Bartholomew's First Attempt, 60 11	52 38
Jas. S. Layfield, house and lot in Parsonsburg, 1 80	1 71
Isaac H. Parsons, Reading Addition to Reading, 76 acres, 38 15	36 85
Elisha C. Parsons, part of Elizabeth Walter, 50 acres, Haysman's Dis-appointment's 1st 11 13	11 12
Eben H. Parsons, part of Conclusion, 67 acres, 6 43	6 05
George W. Parsons, house and lot at Parsons' Switch, 21 70	21 70
Parsons, Smith & Co.,	

Local Advertiser.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1877.

This paper has double the circulation of any paper on the lower Peninsula.

To Correspondents.—All articles designed for publication must be in the office by noon on Thursday, and should be written in ink, on one side of the paper only.

Religious Notices.

Trinity M. E. Church, Rev. R. J. Moorman, pastor, Sunday School at 9 A. M., Morning Service at 10 1/2 A. M., and Evening Service at 7 1/2 P. M.

16th Sunday after Trinity, August 25th, 1877. St. Peter's Church, Salisbury.

Don't forget where to buy cheap clothing—Graham's, 47 Main St.

Mrs. C. L. Huffington has our thank for a basket of fine peaches, and may the cry be, still they come.

Mr. Robert Hitch sent to our sanctum a curiosity in the shape of a double cantaloupe, it formed two distinct melons, with one stem and two blossoms, and was very delicious.

Samuel T. Bush will sell his household and kitchen furniture this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Bush residence High St. near Division.

We learn that a severe hail storm passed over Tyaskin District on Tuesday last doing great damage to the growing crops. The rain fell in torrents.

By special request the pastor of Parsonsburg circuit, the Rev. T. J. Prettyman, will preach to-morrow (August, 26th) at Parsonsburg at 10 A. M., and at Zion at 3 P. M. Subject: "Recognition of friends in Heaven."

Promises kept inspire confidence; and Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup never promised relief in the diseases of childhood without at once effecting it. Hence the popular reliance upon it. Price 25 cents a bottle.

The mud machine commenced operations on Tuesday, and we understand works like a charm. She has been taken through a thorough repair by Capt. Geo. W. Parsons, who has the contract for dredging the channel.

Conductor Powell, of the W. & P. R. R., informs us that the excursionists from Pittsville on Thursday, the 19th inst. were the best behaved and most orderly of any people who have passed over his road during the excursion season.

I hereby forwarn any person or persons from purchasing my Iron Gray Mare from my son, Thomas F. McAllister.

JAMES McALLISTER.

Voters, and those entitled to vote, should not fail to see that their registration is all right. Remember that Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th, are the days to get registered. Don't fail to go on hand.

Rev. J. J. Smyth and wife returned home on Thursday afternoon, and were greeted in the evening by a pound party. His congregation turned out in force, bringing to the manse innumerable packages, each containing some good or useful thing for family consumption.

FOR SALE.—A good road or work horse, sound and gentle, suited to Family use. Can be purchased cheap. Apply to Dr. S. P. DENNIS, Salisbury, Md.

Our young folks were moved matrimonially last Wednesday. No less than six couples were married in the county. One young couple, attracted by the mania, came up from Somerset and got spliced. They have come to the conclusion that it takes no more to live together than apart.

Take a look at the beautiful lot of Gents' Jewelry at Graham's.

Mr. John White has raised the office of Messrs. Holland & Cooper and the school commissioners, by means of jack screws, several feet, and put another story of brick under it, making a neat stage house, which we understand is to be occupied by Mr. S. T. Williams. This is a great improvement to this part of Main street.

FESTIVAL AND PIC NIC AT SPRING HILL CHURCH.—A festival and pic nic will be held on the ground of the above named church on Wednesday afternoon, the 29th inst. Proceeds for the benefit of the church, and particularly for the purpose of providing a well and pump for the use both of the congregation and of the public school. All who are interested in these objects, as well as those who desire to spend a social afternoon with their friends and neighbors are especially invited.

PLEASE READ.—I have on hand three second hand Pulling Top Carriages and one Family Carriage, all painted, thoroughly repaired, with new tops. Prices from \$50.00 to \$75.00, will sell on easy terms. All in want of this kind of carriage, or new ones either, please call at East Camden street, Salisbury, Md. L. H. NOCK.

Persons desiring to visit the International Exhibition, the great American Industrial Palace, —the largest, grandest, and most complete exhibition in the world,—at the Centennial grounds, Philadelphia, can secure excursion tickets any day, on application to the railway agent, at greatly reduced rates. Those who are visiting the city should bear this in mind and profit by the arrangement.

BATHS.—Messrs. Perry & Johnson having renovated the Laundry building, desire to inform the citizens of Salisbury, that the bath rooms will be opened to the ladies during the afternoon, and to the gentlemen in the evening. The entrance to the bath rooms is strictly private.

Col. O. B. Fish and family, of Mobile, Ala., arrived here on Monday, to spend a week with his mother and sisters. The Col. is looking well. His brother, William Fish, of Louisiana, is also here, spending several weeks of the heated term. They are natives of this town, and we are glad to know have been successful in their adopted homes. Col. S. A. and Major W. E. Wailes, the former of Baltimore, the latter of Selma, Ala., have also been here spending some time with their relatives.

Mrs. Julia Frazier, late of Knoxville, Tenn., writes us that she has been a great sufferer with inflammatory Rheumatism and Neuralgia, and in every attack Keller's Roman Liniment has given her relief, very often upon one application. She adds: "Indeed, in relieving pain on every part of the body I know of nothing superior." Her's is the experience of all who use it as a pain-destroyer.

THE AGONY SOON TO END.—As will be seen by a notice published elsewhere in this paper that the Democratic Central Committee, has called the primary meetings to be held on the 15th of September, and the nominating convention on the 18th—the Tuesday following. Those who want office now know just how much time they have left in which to do their button-holing, and to set forth their particular claims over everybody else. We regret that the convention could not be called earlier, as it sometimes takes some weeks for the disappointed and their friends to cool off and get down to the work of electing the ticket. We trust, however, that this time the people will not permit their personal preferences to run so high as to prevent a ready acquiescence in the will of the majority. The best advice that we can give just now is to keep cool and in good humor.

Messrs. Perry & Johnson desire to inform the public that they are the sole manufacturers of the new Patent Ironing Table, and keep constantly on hand an assortment of them. Furniture of all kinds made or repaired on short notice. Give them a call at the Laundry Building.

HOME CAMPMEETING.—A Campmeeting will commence at Parsonsburg, which is seven miles east of Salisbury, on Sunday, Sept. 2nd. All Christian denominations and ministers are cordially invited, and will be welcomed by pastor and people. The following ministers have been invited: N. M. Brown, Col. James McCarter, T. J. Williams, W. L. S. Murray, T. R. Cramer, R. C. Jones, W. W. Wilcox, W. L. P. Bowen, H. E. Miskimmon, R. J. Moorman, Rev. Mr. Melvin, Robert Powell, Geo. W. Covington, Quinton White, M. M. Hill, John F. Jones, John Tilghman, D. M. Shockley. The following is the programme: Full consecration meeting at 7 o'clock every morning; prayer and experience meeting at 8; preaching at 10; dinner at 12. In the evening, Children's meeting at 1:30; preaching at 3, followed by an exhortation and prayer meeting; a meeting for young people at 6:30; preaching at 7:30, followed by an exhortation and prayer meeting until 10. This is the programme for every day's service during the meeting, which will probably last ten days. We invite the whole community to come and worship with us. T. J. PRETTYMAN, Pastor.

The latest and neatest styles in Gents' Furnishing Goods, at Graham Bros., 47 Main St.

Dobbins Electric Soap. Having obtained the agency for this Celebrated Soap for Salisbury and vicinity, we append the opinion of some of our people as to its merits: Martha Brevington Says: With Dobbins' Soap I have to boil and rub my clothes and it takes me until 12 o'clock to get out my wash.—But with Dobbins' Electric Soap made by I. L. Cragin & Co., Philadelphia Pa., I avoid boiling the clothes, and it requires but little labor in rubbing and have my wash done by 10 o'clock. Charlotte Leatherbury and Caroline Williams both say: We generally have to get 2 cakes of Dobbins' Soap for our Monday's wash and now we do it with one cake of Dobbins' and do it with a great deal less labor and we get our wash out at least 3 hours sooner, and also avoid the use of the washboard and the Soda and need not boil the clothes. Both Molly Purnell and Hester Somers speak highly in favor of Dobbins' Electric Soap. For further information we respectfully refer to the following ladies: Mrs. John Tracy, Mrs. K. T. Williams, Mrs. R. H. Atkins and Mrs. A. E. Williams.

We desire all our friends and customers to give this Soap one trial, so that they may know just how good the best Soap in the U. S. is.

HUMPHREYS & TILGHMAN, August, 25th St. Salisbury Md.

A new lot of Umbrellas just received at Graham Bros. Clothing Emporium, No. 47 Main St.

Don't PUT THE POOR WORKING MAN DOWN!—This is the title of the greatest motto song ever published in America. Written and composed by Bobby Newcomb. Will be sung in almost every theatre in the land. Price 35 cents per copy. If you cannot get it from your regular Music Dealer, send to the publisher, F. W. Helmick, No. 50 West 4th St., Cincinnati, O.

Mr. Samuel T. Williams has the right to sell or dispose of family rights to use Mr. Henry's new patent process. This is one of the greatest discoveries of the age. Persons having fruit, should apply to Mr. W. at once, as the method is a cheap one.

The last general excursion of the season—Salisbury to Ocean City—on Thursday, Aug. 30th. Fare round trip, \$1.00, half fare round trip, 50 cents. Trains leave Salisbury at 6:30 A. M., and 1:50 P. M. Returning leave Ocean City at 6:00 and 10:00 P. M.

The Industries of Salisbury. In our rambles on Wednesday morning we called at the mammoth carriage shop of Mr. Littleton Nock, where we found a large number of men employed in the various branches of carriage work. Just across the street Mr. Wm. Moore was running the same branch of business. Next door to Mr. Moore, Mr. Wm. H. Gray and his men were playing a tune upon the anvil. Blacksmithing done here on short notice, and as cheap as the cheapest. Just across the street Stallman & Dykes, wheelwrights and wagon builders were letting the thing go in fine style. Next came Wm. M. Thoroughgood's machine and general blacksmithing shops, where everything looked lively. Over the Camden bridge the steam saw and planing mills of Mrs. M. E. Williams & Son were filling the air with a general buzz, while everything within indicated regularity and systematic enterprise. Returning via Dock street we noticed the marble yard of Mr. V. R. Huston, where everything was active, and the sound of the mallet resounded through the air. Mr. H. is a widower and was not on the ground. Maybe he sat up late Tuesday night.—Next Mr. Rounds disposes of groceries. On the other side of the street are the lively stable of T. M. Stevens & Co., where horses, carriages and buggies can be had at all times—good travellers, too. Next on the same side is the establishment of the Messrs. Ulman, where a wee drop can be had either by wholesale or retail, and there too was business progressing. Opposite is Sirman & Co., a branch of the same house. Next comes the mammoth store of S. F. Toadvine, where he and his clerks, Ruark and Webster, are busy putting up goods for the large number of customers constantly pouring in and out. Passing down to the Iron Bridge, we noticed the Baltimore Auction House, D. B. Farlow, watchmaker and jeweler Mr. White, merchant. At the bridge is the unpretending (in appearance) house of Messrs. Humphreys & Tilghman, that does more business, perhaps, than any house on the Shore to the looks of it. Across the Iron Bridge is the laundry building, low run as a cabinet shop by Messrs. Perry & Johnson, who are manufacturing ironing tables and various other useful and ornamental things, as well as repairing furniture of all descriptions.—Next is the lumber and coal yard of Messrs. A. C. Smith & Co., who are doing a large business. The marble yard of Ellis & Howard appears to be doing well, and fine, artistic work is being turned out daily. Returning over the bridge we observe Messrs. B. L. Gillis & Son, Mr. McCallister, merchants. Turning around the corner by the nice office of A. C. Smith & Co., we follow up the river and W. & P. R. R., passing the large lumber, box, board and crate manufactory of Messrs. E. E. Jackson & Co., who are perhaps the largest manufacturers and dealers in lumber in the State. Following up the stream we come to the Wicomico Falls Mills, owned and run by General H. Humphreys. This is the finest water power on the Shore. It runs a large saw mill, a carding machine, a large flouring mill with several runners for corn, wheat and bolting cloths, a large planing mill, mortising, turning and box factory, altogether in four separate buildings. Following the railroad to the depot, we came to the kindling wood factory, run by Mr. J. H. Bodell for the owners. This employs a large number of hands. Coming down the Lake we come to the flouring mill of Hon. Thos. Humphreys, next to the water power owned by Gen'l Humphreys. This is the best on the shore, having a constant supply of water to carry a large number of runners, as well as a saw mill a part of the time. For want of space we will have to omit to mention many other industrial establishments, as well as a large number of the largest stores in the heart of the town.

Unremitting application will induce disease unless the blood be kept constantly pure and rich. For all hard work the remedy to keep the blood in the best condition is Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture.

Hams! Hams! Hams! For sugar cured hams, go to S. Frank Toadvine's.

Delinquent subscribers will please bear in mind they have not responded to our call.

S. H. Evans has now on hand a choice lot of Tobacco and Cigars, which he is selling remarkably low.

Go to Mrs. A. E. Williams' store for your camptooing Hats, Bonnets, &c., No. 52 Main St.

Liobig's Extract of Beef, Hoff's Malt Extract, Balm of Life, Keller's Life Drops, Pond's Extract, Vegetable, Phenol, Sodge, Oak Orchard Acid Water, and all the proprietary and popular medicines of the day for sale at Collier's Drug Store.

Persons visiting Ocean City should not forget that John P. Owens holds forth right in front of the Atlantic Hotel, where Ice Cream, Soda Water, and Notions can be had in the East wing, while in the West, best Liquors are served. Call and see him.

Go to Mrs. Hearn & Brenizer's for first class Millinery & Ladies' Fancy Goods, No. 27 Main St.

Farmers, Fruit Growers and Truckers, look to your interest and buy of S. Frank Toadvine, W. M. Ross & Co.'s Raw Bone Phosphates.

FOR SALE.—One horse and carriage. Horse gentle, and not afraid of cars. Inquire at this office.

Why have chills when you get at Collier's Drug Store a medicine that will certainly cure you?

FOR RENT.—The Store and Dwelling House on Division St. Inquire of the present occupant, C. B. JORDAN.

FOR THE BEST CHAIRS in town, go to S. H. Evans.

FOR SALE.—Cypress Canoe Masts of any size and length desired, at reasonable prices. Inquire at this office.

Nooney's Fruit Preserving Powder 50 cents per box at Collier's Drug Store. Try a box of it.

ICE CREAM.—Persons desiring ICE CREAM can be accommodated at S. H. Evans', No. 16 Main St., where he keeps it constantly on hand.

Now is the time for farmers and all persons handling horses and cattle to use Truitt's saddle horse powders. They are sold by merchants all over the shore and are guaranteed to be the best now in use. Try them and if they do not give satisfaction call at R. K. Truitt & Sons, No. 58 Main St., and your money will be refunded.

FOR SALE.—One half of a splendid double cottage, at Ocean City, or if two gentlemen, with their families, desire the whole cottage they can be accommodated. For particulars apply at this office.

B. L. Gillis & Son, have received a large and well selected stock of Groceries at bottom prices. Call and see them at No. 70 Main St., where you will find no difficulty in being suited.

We guarantee our paints to go twice as far as those chemical paints, ours being ground by machinery and made of pure white lead and oil.

FOR SALE.—One Climax Refrigerator brand new. For particulars apply at this office.

Fresh Spices of all kinds, viz: Green Ginger, White Ginger, Cloves, Cinnamon, Mace, Allspice, &c., to be had cheap at Collier's Drug Store.

Persons in need of Plating Machines and Sewing Machine attachments can procure the same on application to the store of C. M. Brevington, No. 40 Main Street.

We agree to repaint any building with English White Lead if our paints do not prove perfectly satisfactory.

FOR SALE.—A Sloop in excellent order. Inquire at this office.

Brohawn, at the Advertiser building, No. 44 Main street, is still selling great bargains in cassimere, calicoes, notions, &c., with a great variety of nice things too tedious to mention. Go and see before purchasing elsewhere.

Nearly all the internal disorders of horses that are curable by medicine, will be relieved by the use of the Challenge Horse Powders, prepared by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

S. Frank Toadvine has on hand a nice lot of Cecil county hay.

Buy one box of Kitcholone, the best article for cleaning and polishing Tinware, Silverware, Brass, Knives, Forks, &c., for sale by B. L. Gillis & Son.

Use Stayner's Instant Fly Poison. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

Sign and Decorative Painting at Munson's Studio.

A new supply of Globe Burners and Chimneys, the best in the world, at L. W. Gunby's.

For the best Ladies Boots, Gaiters, and Shippers, go to A. P. Trader's, where they can be put up in the latest styles on short notice. Give Mr. T. a call, ladies.

Admirers of the fine arts should visit Munson's studio, opposite the post office and examine his fine paintings, which are for sale at extremely low prices.

For all kind of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Analine Dyes, Dye Wood of every description, go to R. K. Truitt & Sons, 58 Main St., Salisbury, Md.

Wadsworth, Martinez and Longman's Pure Paints. 1 gallon will cover 230 square feet of wood, surface TWO COATS. L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

S. H. Evans keeps constantly on hand a large supply of Fresh Bread, which he is selling cheap for cash.

For choice Groceries, Tobacco and Snuff, go to R. K. Truitt & Sons.

For all kinds of toilet, fancy & family soaps, inquire at R. K. Truitt & Sons', No. 58 Main St., where you will find any kind you may desire.

Trader Bros. are selling Family Groceries at bottom prices. Call and see them.

H. D. Spence, with Fisher Bros., No. 48 South Market St., Boston, will endeavor to give the shippers the advantage of the markets, as he will receive telegrams daily from each market. References: Howard National Bank, Boston; Bain & Bro., Bankers, Portsmouth, Va.; H. & D. W. Allen, Vineland, New Jersey.

Just received a fresh stock of turnip and rutabaga seed, for sale in any quantity you may desire. Truitt & Sons, 58 Main St.

Select the best, Pure Paints, 14lbs. to the gallon. Please call and examine sample board.

L. W. GUNBY, Agt.

H. D. Spence, with Baker Bro & Co., 140 North Del. Ave., Philadelphia. This Old Established House is too well known to require comment, but will continue to conduct the trade in the interest of the producer.

For Notions, Cutlery, Fancy Soaps, Lamp Goods of every description, call at R. K. Truitt & Sons.

W. H. Rounds has made arrangements to supply our people daily with CLAMS fresh from the sea-side. Call on him at Dock St.

MARRIED.

PARKS—VENABLES.—At the M. E. Parsonsage August 22, by Rev. W. W. Wilson, Mr. Samuel D. Parks to Miss Susie M. Venables, both of Crisfield.

NETTLES—SMITH.—At the house of the bride's parents in Salisbury August 22, by Rev. W. W. Wilson, Mr. James W. Nettles to Miss Josephine B. Smith.

UPPER TRAPPE, Aug. 22nd, 1877.

MR. EDITOR:—Who's all nature reposes in slumber beneath the conciliating veil of night, and fair Luna, with a pale but sympathizing face sheds her melon light over a sleeping world. I resume my pen to mark the scenes and incidents presented by the evening hand of Father Time. The future is a sealed book, whose pages we cannot peruse, but we may retrospect the past and note the present.

"I would not, if I could, the veil from my future life. Or catch a glimpse of coming days As through a cloudy rift." "Why should I bantish from my life The pleasures of surprise? Or bask the rough vicissitudes, Which warn and make us wise."

Since last I wrote our little village has been reclining in the arms of the dulce far niente of the season, bathing, sitting, in the cheering smiles of the radiant King of Day, whose glorious face has been obscured so long. Thou art welcome, Sol! thou source of life and heat! From whose broad etherial rays, As poured profusely over land and sea, Until all nature kindles in the blaze of summer's sun, emanate our life. Who for six thousand years, and more untold, Hath animated our earth from pole to pole.

The festival announced in your paper came off at the appointed time. The place selected for the occasion, where all may revel in the charms of simple nature, which the restless, impatient feet of our happy aboriginal children tread away the blissful moments of their annual holiday. The day was favorable, and nature, attired in her most gorgeous tapestry lent her charms to the scene and contributed much to the enjoyment of all. The goddess Venus was there arrayed in all her beauty, with the graces playing in her countenance and the cupid by her side who sped their darts and blind the unsuspecting hearts. Nature's minstrels, with hearts overflowing with joy, answered in melodious strains from their lofty positions, the merry peals of laughter that rang out on the evening air and echoed through the woods.

Please excuse haste and inconsistencies for I haven't time to dwell on these pleasing scenes but must hurry on to a termination. The day's bright orb was past hiding his smiling face behind the distant hills, and twilight's gentle hour was hastening on. The august and majestic goddess Juno spread her ample tulle, around which was gathered a goodly number, and with appetites sharpened by the evening's exercises, did full justice to the many good things distributed by the willing and liberal hand of the fair goddess; particular to the innocent lamb, whose delicate voices are hushed forever. With appetites satisfied they went to think, and promote assimilation, resort to the dream weed, while the ladies scatter themselves promiscuously around preserting the appearance of an extensive party. A mingling is however soon effected, and animated conversation goes on until the time to go is come, when all start for their respective homes, feeling satisfied with the evening's enjoyment.

Our quarter's meeting came off on Saturday and Sunday last, and was largely attended, regardless of the camptooing over the river, an indication that the people appreciate the facilities of their old pastor, Mr. Hank, who preached Sunday morning and night.

Harmony has thrown her mantle around us.

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[COMMUNICATED.] DELAWARE CITY, Del. August 1, 1877.

To the Directors and Policy-Holders of the Delaware State Fire and Marine Insurance Company.

GENTLEMEN:—We, the undersigned, auditing committee of the Delaware State Fire and Marine Insurance Company, submit the following report as the result of our examination of the books and accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer of the company:

First. We find the company has Mutual Policies in force, amounting \$1,369,712.00, on which the Premium rates are \$140,525.00. It has Stock Policies in force insuring \$234,314.00, on which the annual premiums are \$4,144.65.

Second. We find the books kept in a plain, comprehensive and correct manner; the Agents' Ledger shows the amount collected on each Policy, the incidental expenses of the Agency, and the net cash sent to the office of the company. The Policy Abstract Book shows the amount paid by every member each year, and all of these books, together with the Agents' reports, agree with the Ledger accounts.

Third. We find the proper vouchers and receipts on file for all losses charged as paid, and for all other sums of money charged as paid out.

Fourth. We find that the Directors at their annual meeting in January, 1877, voted to pay the President \$200.00 and the Secretary and Treasurer \$120.00 salary for the year 1876; and we find up to this year all of the amounts have not yet been drawn by the officers.

Fifth. We find that the present working expenses of the company are reduced to a very small amount, as all advertisements, as well as all special agents on a salary have been cut off; and as the blanks, books, office furniture and fixtures have been previously paid for; that the largest part of the expenses incident to starting and establishing an Insurance company have been paid.

Sixth. We further find that in all the members are prompt in paying their interest, and if the agents are equally prompt in forwarding all moneys collected to the Treasurer, that the company is amply able to pay all ordinary losses, that it may sustain by fire, without making any assessment on its Premium Notes and on the guaranteed capital.

Seventh. We find ample proof of over valuation, and other unsubstantiated things not necessary to mention to justify the Directors in declining to pay the amounts claimed by persons whose claims have been resisted; and while we think that an Insurance company should at all times try to avoid suits at law, yet even that remedy we consider preferable to having the rights of all its members impugned upon by the payment of illegal, unjust and exorbitant claims.

Eighth. In conclusion, we find that the affairs of the company, under the present management, have been managed with honesty and integrity, and in a sound and prosperous condition, and we think it worthy of the confidence of its Policy-holders and the Insuring public.

Respectfully submitted by JOHN P. HUDSON, St. George's Del. SAMUEL HARBADINE, Dover, Del. RANDOLPH HUMPHREYS, Salisbury, Md. Auditing Committee.

H. D. SPENCE is still operating with Titus Bros., 154 West St., New York. Cards and Stencils furnished on application to J. T. Parsons, who will attend to shippers during his absence. Feeling grateful for the liberal patronage of the past, I hope to receive a continuance of the same. All produce shipped by me will not require the freight to be paid at this end.

J. H. Trader is selling Coatings, Cassimere and Dry Goods generally, very low. He has also a fine assortment of Queensware, Glassware, &c. on hand, and let us say to all persons who are, or intend commencing house keeping, this is the place to buy such goods. He has valises, hand, satchels, willow baskets, and various articles in that line, and now is your chance to buy a nice silk parasol cheap, as he is determined to close them out.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ORDER NISI.

John W. Gunby and others, vs. Somers Gunby. In Equity in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, July Term, 1877. No. 287, Chancery.

Ordered by the subscriber, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, this 22nd day of August, 1877, that the report of Samuel A. Graham, Trustee to make sale of the real estate mentioned in the above entitled cause, and the sale by him reported to be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary appear by exceptions filed on or before the first day of next Term; 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 September next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$460.00. S. P. TOADVINE, Clerk. True Copy. Test: S. P. TOADVINE, Clerk. Aug. 23-31.

ORDER NISI.

Mary Moore, Rollison Moore and others, vs. John W. Moore, their next friend, vs. Mary Moore, Rollison Moore and others. In Equity in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, July Term, 1877. No. 243, Chancery.

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The report states the amount of sales to be \$500.00. S. P. TOADVINE, Clerk. True Copy. Test: S. P. TOADVINE, Clerk. Aug. 23-31.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court of Wicomico County, at the suit of Robert Evans, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John E. Ely, colored, and to me directed, I have levied upon, seized and taken in execution the right, title, interest and estate of the said John Ely, or in and to the following property, to wit:

1 HOUSE AND LOT, containing 10 Acres of Land, more or less, situated near Turner's Store, in TYASKIN DISTRICT, Wicomico County, as the property of the defendant. And I hereby give notice, that on

Saturday, September 8th, 1877, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door in Salisbury, I shall proceed to sell the property so taken in execution for cash, to satisfy said writ and costs.

LEVIN R. DORMAN, Sheriff. Aug. 16-18.

SHERIFF'S SALE!

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court of Wicomico County, at the suit of Allison C. Parsons, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of John P. Bennett, and to me directed, I have levied upon, seized and taken in execution the right, title, interest and estate of the said John P. Bennett, or in and to the following property, to wit:

ONE TRACT OF LAND, called "RILEY'S PORTION" and "HARD LUCK," containing

73 Acres, More or Less, also "HIGGINS POINT" and "LONG RIDGE" and "BENNETT'S LOT," containing 80 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, situated at or near

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which deny John's story, shows St. mon carrying the cross, a stout plebeian, who walks upright with it. The artist considers it one great merit of his painting over others, that it is true to history, according to the plainest and most consistent non-sectarian interpretations.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Baltimore city has \$9,620,000 in railways. Mosquitoes are becoming a great annoyance. September will soon be here: then for oysters.

Sailor suits seem to be the fashion for children. At the watering-places seapigeons pass for Counts.

Sunburn may be easily removed with lemon juice. A sign in Baltimore reads: Mocking birds re-tailed here.

Good old times come again: a good dinner for a half dollar. Side-saddles are being frowned down by the strong-minded.

The policeman's motto—"Give us arrest." An old-fashioned watering-places pump.

A dead weight for the canines—the dog pound. A practical veterinary asks: "Is it nice to kiss?" Can a duck swim?

Why is a crow a brave bird? Because she never allows the white feather. If the keeper of a jail is a jailer, why isn't the keeper of a prison a prisoner?

A Harvard student may swing a nice car, and yet be an eye sore to his father. "Mean time" is that kept by a five dollar watch and a boy who is sent on an errand.

A man in a neighboring town has named a hog Mand because it comes into the garden so much. A newspaper proprietor is said to be like a beaver of wood, from the fact that he lives by his adz.

A man who had a scolding wife being asked what he did for a living, replied that he kept a hot-house. Adelina Patti may not come here next season, but oyster pattii will appear without fail in the fall.

The young Texan doesn't tell you his sweet-heart is as sweet as sugar, but says, "O, she'll do to put in coffee." The man who invents a velocipede with a side saddle will do away with a great obstacle to the progress of woman.

Why are one-horse railroad cars safer in a thunder storm than two horse ones? Because they are non-conductors. There is a man somewhere whose memory is so short that it only reaches to his knees, therefore he never pays for his boots.

Dr. Hall says that for the period of a month before marriage, and a month after death, men regard their wives as angels. Next to English sparrows, there is nothing that increases faster than potato bugs; unless it is the interest on an unpaid note.

"If there is no place like home," why are so many people anxious to get away every summer? Give it up.—N. Y. Graphic. "What is the interior of Africa principally used for?" asked a teacher of a pupil. "For the purpose of exploration," was the reply.

In the picture gallery—Young girl—Say, mamma, when shall we come to another of these pictures where I must shut my eyes? A veteran storekeeper says that although his clerks are very talkative during the day, they are always ready to shut up at night.

A writer asks, "Why are we right-handed?" We suspect it is never occurred to him that it was because we were never left-handed. An Iowa papa has evolved the loaded cylinder of a revolver, and expects to "go off" at most any time. He didn't know it was loaded.

A little four-year old silenced his mother the other day by making the following inquiry: "Mother, if a man is mister, ain't a woman mystery?" The first step toward wealth used to be considered the choice of a good wife; but now-a-days wealth is the first step toward the choice of a wife.

"Fair, there's no gentleman in this car. Let me out, kindred. All the imply seats are full. The next time I ride in a car I'll walk, so I will." "My opinion is," said a philosophical old lady of much experience and observation, "that any man as dies upon washing day only does it out of spite."

The Sunday night courting in the parlor is at this season accompanied by considerable perspiration, but neither of them couple.

Writers positively assert that some Arabs live for 200 years on the Sahara Desert. That's a good while for a man to live on a dessert of any kind.

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Having removed to the Shop on the South side of Camden street, opposite my old stand on Camden and Dock streets, Salisbury, Md., I am now prepared to do work on short notice, and on terms to suit the times, or as low as the lowest.

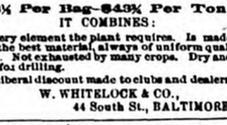
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Travellers' Guide.
PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON, AND BALTIMORE DIVISION TIME TABLE.
DELAWARE DIVISION TIME TABLE.
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Trains will leave as follows:

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MARYLAND STEAMBOAT COMPANY.
Change of Days!
On and after Thursday, April 17th, 1877, the STEAMBOAT "HIGHLAND LIGHT," Capt. Leonard, will leave P. M. for Baltimore, on Saturdays, at 10 o'clock P. M., for Eaton, on Saturdays, at 10 o'clock P. M., for Eaton, on Saturdays, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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