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MANY APPLICANTS WILL TAKE COMPETITIVE TEST.

Nearly One Hundred Men And Women
Of This County Will Be Examined
For Qualifications As To
Enumerators' Places.

Between 85 and 90 men and women of this county have complied with all of the requirements so far in connection with the positions as census enumerators, and will take the competitive test today in this city. Supervisor Isaac H. White has arranged with the school board and the examinations for positions in this county will be conducted under civil service regulations in the Wicomico High School building, on Upton street, South Salisbury. All applicants are especially requested to be in the building so that the examinations may be started at the prescribed hour, 10.30. Three hours will be allowed in which to complete the test. The examinations will be conducted under the supervision of the local secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, Mr. Willis Taylor, Supervisor Isaac H. White and Mr. Walter B. Miller, chief clerk.

Besides the large number who will take the examination from this county, several applicants for positions in Worcester county have asked permission to take the test in Salisbury and the privilege was granted by Mr. White, so that in all there will be a class of about one hundred applicants to day.

In Wicomico County there are eighteen appointments to be made so that there will be a large number of candidates who are successful with the examination who cannot possibly be appointed to positions. There is to be one enumerator for each of the fourteen election districts of the county except Parsons, Pittsburg, Salisbury and Camden. In these four districts two enumerators will be given positions, one for the part of the district within the corporate limits of the town, and one to gather the necessary statistics in the rural sections of the districts.

Captain White stated yesterday that arrangements had been completed for the examinations in each of the nine counties in his census district and that in a few weeks all of the appointments will be made.

The actual work of taking the census will be started on the 15th of April, and all of the work must be completed, as far as the enumerators are concerned, in thirty days from that date.

With The Commissioners.

The County Commissioners were in session Tuesday and transacted the following business:

A large delegation of the citizens of Fruitland was before the Board and submitted a proposition that if the county would furnish tiling to drain the town of Fruitland they would lay the tiling. The board accepted the proposition and Engineer Clark was instructed to make an estimate of the cost of laying the tiling and submit same to the citizens.

F. Leonard Wallis was before the board to ask that the board reconsider its action in ratifying the report of commission on Mt. Herman-Nassawango road. Attorney G. W. Lilly was also before the board in the interest of Mr. Lemon on the same subject. Board held the matter open for consideration.

Commissioner Ward was authorized to purchase tiling for use on the road near Mr. Sweigart's farm.

Commissioner Taylor and Engineer Clarke were employed to repair the bridges at Quantico and Gum Mills.

Commissioner Trutt was authorized to purchase an acre of ground to be used for causeway at Purnell's crossing.

An Interesting Letter.

We are now in the midst of a glorious revival at the Chapel. Fourteen have confessed faith in Christ, many backsliders reclaimed and the Church greatly built up. Twenty-two have already joined the church, most of whom are heads of families, which means much to the church.

The interest has become so great, and the gatherings so large that on account of the small seating capacity of the Chapel many have to be turned away nightly.

Brothers James Wilson, of Mt. Vernon, and John Bozman have been with us part of the time and rendered very helpful service. On Wednesday evening the District Superintendent, Rev. G. P. Jones, was with us and preached an excellent sermon from the subject, "The Man of One Talent", at the close of which a man and his wife, both of whom are past fifty years of age, fell at the altar and were happily saved.

Rev. J. W. Hardesty.

PINE BLUFF SANATORIUM READY FOR "WHITE PLAGUE" VICTIMS.

Expert Medical Authorities Pronounce It One Of The Best
Equipped Institutions For Treatment Of Tuberculosis In The Country--Will Be Opened As
Soon As Sale Of Stock Will Permit.

The Pine Bluff Sanatorium Company has reorganized by the election of Rev. Dr. A. H. Holloway President, and Dr. George W. Todd Superintendent and Manager. The capital stock has been increased from ten to twenty thousand dollars, and a solicitor engaged to dispose of enough of this stock to finish paying for the building and to provide a working capital. The building is complete, and ready for the reception of patients. As soon as enough money can be secured to justify the directors in making a start, the work of the institution will be begun.

Wicomico is to be congratulated that within her borders is an institution so complete in its appointments as is this Sanatorium. Expert medical authorities pronounce it one of the best equipped for its purpose in the country. It offers the comforts of a first-class hotel in addition to the environment most needed for recovery.

Of all the great scientific discoveries of the age, what is probably with the most far-reaching good to humanity is that incipient tuberculosis is curable by the so called fresh air treatment. The Sanatorium provides conditions under which this treatment can be successfully taken by the patient. It supplies quarters filled with health giving air, nutritious food, scientific attention and regular routine which the patient could not find or supply in private homes.



ONE OF THE CORRIDORS.

It was formerly believed that one suffering from tuberculosis must go away from home to find the right climate and environment for the successful treatment of the disease. This belief has brought many a poor mortal to a premature grave in a strange land among inhospitable people. The nearer home one can be the better, provided the proper treatment may be had. This the Pine Bluff Sanatorium is able to provide in the fullest measure. When once its advantages become known, it is believed that not only will the people of this county patronize it for needed treatment, but that patients will be attracted to this place from Baltimore, Philadelphia, and other cities, as well as from adjacent counties.

The Sanatorium tract comprises about twenty acres of pine woodland, on a bluff where Tony Tank Creek joins the Wicomico River. The park is about one and one-half miles from Salisbury, from which point it is reached by carriage or by gasoline launch. When the County Commissioners shall have improved the "River Road" to Shad Point, one of the finest river driveways in the state will lie along the Sanatorium park.

A very attractive booklet, issued by the Sanatorium Company, says: "The building, consisting of a central administration building with wings to the right and left, lies in a beautiful pine grove, and faces about south-east. Standing on the front steps, one looks out across a grass plot to the winding Tony Tank. This building is shielded from the North and the West by the encircling pine wood through which the breezes filter, robbed of their sting. It is this advantage of position that makes it peculiarly adapted for a winter resort. In the summer, the prevailing winds are from the South and these sweep up the river and across the creek uninterruptedly.

The administration building is a three story building with large basement beneath in which are placed the kitchen, servants' quarters, laundry, and hot water heating plant. A broad glass-enclosed porch surrounds the building. On the first floor is the attractive dining-room, three of whose sides are made up of glass doors and windows opening on the porch. The fourth side has an open fireplace and doors leading to the main hall and pantry, respectively. On the same floor are two administration offices. On the second floor are nurses' rooms and a large bath room. This floor is surrounded by an airy porch.

Each of the wings contains a large glass-enclosed sun parlor, baths, and rooms for the patients, opening on the glass enclosed corridor, and having windows that look into the green woods. Each of the patients' room is supplied with a stationary wash-stand, affording hot and cold water, a mahogany bureau and wardrobe, electric lights, chairs, rugs, etc. The sun parlors are attractively furnished with easy chairs, library chairs, and other comforts.

The electric light fixtures throughout the building are of white enamel, while the hardware is glass set in buffed brass. All finishings are white. The Sanatorium has its own electric light and water plant in a separate building some distance away. The water is pumped from driven wells. A flock of thoroughbred white leghorn chickens supplies fresh eggs in abundance.

When it is realized that practically no one is immune from contagion, and that any one may develop the "white plague" at any time, and that by knowing something about it, the chance of getting it may be greatly lessened, or, if one does get it, its dangers may be lessened to others in the family, the value of such an institution as an educational factor in a community is manifest. A much less selfish reason is, that every man and woman worthy of the name wants to help, not only himself and his loved ones, but every suffering human being. For these reasons it is hoped by the management that the stock now offered for sale will find a ready sale, so that the Sanatorium may throw open its doors and begin its work of relief and cure at the earliest possible moment.

Publishing House Incorporated.

With a capital stock of \$7,500.00, The Salisbury Advertiser Company has been incorporated and the proper papers filed for record in the office of the Clerk of the Court. The incorporators are Mr. S. King White, J. Roscoe White and Mrs. Iris Toll White, and these three are also named as the directors for the first year. The stock is divided into 300 shares of \$25.00 each.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Clerk of the Court Toadwine this week:

Hopkins-Lloyd:—Mitchell Hopkins, 23, Wicomico county, and Helen Lloyd, 18, Wicomico county. Mitchell Hopkins, applicant.

—See Ulman Sons' window display and prices on Matting remnants.

LOCAL THESPIANS WILL GIVE CHURCH BENEFIT.

Members Of The Epworth League Of
Asbury M. E. Church Will Entertain
At Green & Brewington's Auditorium.

An entertainment will be given by the Epworth League of Asbury M. E. Church, at Brewington and Green's Auditorium, on Tuesday, February 8, at 8.30 p. m. The following program will be rendered:

Selection—Epworth League Orchestra.
Monologue—Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett.
Piano Duet—Misses Della Dashiell and Edith Short.
A Bachelor's Revue—Mr. J. W. Hinson.
Tableaux by—Misses Della Dashiell, May Humphreys, Margaret Woodcock, Mary Smith, Dorothy Wilcox, Isabel Carey, Belle Jackson, Maria Serman, Anne Humphreys, Male Quartette—Prof. W. T. Dashiell, E. Laws, R. K. Trutt and Percy Dashiell.

—"THE TEETH OF THE GIFT HORSE."
CAST

Ernest Butler, Mr. R. K. Trutt
Ernest Butler, his wife, Mrs. Harry Hayman
Ernest Williams, his aunt, Miss Dorothy Mitchell.
Ernest Fisher, Miss Emma Wood
Ernest Blake, Mr. C. E. Laws
Kate, the maid, Miss Nina
Ladies Sextette—Mrs. M. A. Humphreys,
Mrs. Harry Hayman, Misses May Simman,
Willie Woodcock, Miss Emma Day and Miss Maria Ellegood.

Admission 25 cents. All are cordially invited. Seats on sale at box office.

Would Bridge Nanticoke.

A movement is being actuated by the people of Sharptown and the residents of the Dorchester side of the Nanticoke river to have a draw bridge built across that stream at Sharptown. The consummation of such a movement would greatly facilitate traffic between the two counties and would be much more desirable than the ferry which is the only present means of transportation. It is understood that the County Commissioners of both Wicomico and Dorchester counties are not seriously considering the matter as it is believed that when the State highway is built an arrangement could be made by which financial aid would come from the State. This would mean a big saving for the two counties.

Mr. Fooks Now Foreman.

Mr. J. Ryland Taylor, who has been an employee of the Courier Office since its first issue, nearly eleven years ago, and foreman of the job department for the past year, resigned last week on account of his health. His resignation took effect Monday of this week. He has been succeeded as foreman by Mr. Ernest D. Fooks, an experienced printer, who has been connected with the mechanical department of the office for some time.

Mr. Henry Morgan, formerly with the Wicomico News, has secured a position as a compositor on THE COURIER force, and took up his new duties Monday.

No More Loose Coins.

The following communication has been received by all postmasters from whose offices mail is delivered by rural free delivery service. The letter is of great interest to patrons of the rural routes and is published in full. The Postmaster, Sir:

In view of the extent to which the practice of placing loose coins in boxes by rural patrons has grown, and the delay in the delivery and collection of mail and the hardship imposed on rural carriers incident thereto, you are informed that, commencing 15, proximo, rural letter carriers will not be required to collect loose coins from rural mail boxes.

Patrons should enclose coins in an envelope, wrap them securely in a piece of paper, or deposit them in coin holding receptacle, so they can be easily and quickly taken from boxes, and carriers will be required to lift such coins, and where accompanied by mail for dispatch, attach the requisite stamps.

This should be promptly announced to the rural patrons through whatever means you may employ, without expense to the Department, and you are at liberty to give the information embodied herein to your local papers for publication, if they so desire.

Respectfully,

P. V. DeGraw,
Fourth Assistant
Postmaster Gen.

Notice!

Unless party who was seen taking bicycle from front porch of No. 113 Walnut St., Friday evening, returns same within 36 hours they will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

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goes into the most exclusive
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We wish to thank our
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of the year 1909, and
ask a continuance of the
same for 1910, and promise
to do all in our power to
deserve it. Wishing a
prosperous and happy New
Year. Yours truly,

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IN which a poor man may become wealthy. One is by saving a part of his income regularly and putting it into the bank until it amounts to a comfortable fortune. The other is by saving his money and investing it in profitable enterprises. In either case the bank is a necessity. And whichever you try, this bank is glad to hold out a helping hand and assist you in every way possible. Have an account with us—become one of our patrons—and see

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MARYLAND HAPPENINGS.

Delays in the Counties—News Items of Interest To The People All Over The State.

Fresh tomatoes are bringing about as much in the market per dozen as canned tomatoes are by the dozen cans. Green beans are bringing 30 cents a peck; string beans may be purchased for the same price as early peas.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

At the last meeting of the Quarterly Conference for Preston circuit, resolutions were passed expressing their appreciation of the work accomplished by Dr. S. M. Morgan, who will resign from the Superintendency of the District at the coming session of the Wilmington Conference.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

Fifty-one years ago, rather than lose his week's wages and a shotgun, which he had loaned to his employee, Peter W. Stevenson took under protest a corner lot of land in Portland, Me., 50 by 100 feet in dimensions. On Wednesday Stevenson sold the lot for a quarter of million dollars.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

Andrew K. Smith, a building contractor, and for years an active Republican of Washington county, is dead at his home, at Rouseville, aged 76. He had been in ill health for some time. Mr. Smith was a native of the county and had resided in the Rouseville district all his life. Six children survive him.

Many illa come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

The following newly-elected officers of Masonic Lodge, No. 106, A. F. & A. M., were installed by Grand Inspector Wm. H. Dashiell last Tuesday evening: Worshipful Master, E. Herrman Cohn; Senior Warden, Rev. L. R. Watson; Junior Warden, B. H. Dougherty; Secretary, Robt. F. Maddox; Treasurer, E. L. D. Stanford; Tyler, Columbus Lankford.

LaGrippe pains that pervade the entire system, LaGrippe coughs that rack and strain, are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Is mildly laxative, safe and certain in results. Sold by John M. Toulson.

At a regular meeting of Princess Anne Camp, No. 8,530, Modern Woodmen of America, of Princess Anne, held Monday evening of last week the following officers were installed by Deputy Head Council, W. O. Lankford; Council, Columbus Lankford; Adviser, Warren Pusey, Clerk, Charles B. Morris; Banker, Arthur Powell; Manager, W. O. Lankford; Sentinel, Williams McAllen.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered the most effective remedy for all kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up the system, and restores lost vitality. Sold by John M. Toulson.

The milk trust in New York City, with \$35,000,000 of capital, has a hard fight on its hands, as the District Attorney, although in office a few weeks, has gone after it with hammer and tongs. It is alleged that it is a combination in restraint of trade, violating not only the laws of the National Government, but of the State government, too, and that in addition it is guilty of giving short measure.

Many medicinal elements so beneficial to one kind of animal causes serious injury to some other kind. That's why there is a Separate Fairfield Blood Tonic for each kind of animal. Ask for free book. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

The President sent to the Senate Monday of last week the names of Charles C. Mumford as postmaster at Berlin, and H. Clay Powell as postmaster at Pocomoke City. These are two new appointments, succeeding the two former incumbents at these two points. Both of the new appointees had the endorsement of former Congressman William H. Jackson, who is political referee for the First District.

Sore Lungs and Raw Lungs

Most people know the feeling, and the miserable state of ill health it indicates. All people should know that Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, will quickly cure the soreness and cough and restore a normal condition. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by John M. Toulson.

Members of the State Board of Education and County School Superintendents met at Annapolis last Tuesday to consider the report of Governor Brothman's Educational Commission. While a majority of the recommendations of the commission were approved, one was disapproved and several others were held under consideration. Each recommendation was discussed. It is believed that the State educators will also submit their views on the Public School laws to the Legislature.

The annoyance caused poultry by Lice reduces vitality to such an extent that egg production is hindered, and the way opened to disease. The regular use of Fairfield's Lice Killer exterminates lice and makes the fowl comfortable. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Delaware is to have a new State House, the contract having been awarded Friday evening to John A. Carter & Co., of Philadelphia, at their bid of \$55,000. This bid was \$10,000 lower than the bids of the Delaware builders bidding, and a strenuous effort was made by the unsuccessful bidders to have the Carter Company's bid rejected, because of the failure of the concern to deposit the certified check required in an advertisement and also because it was alleged that a Pole, Liesofsky, was a bidder, and that the name of the lot for a quarter of million dollars was only a firm.

Poultry diseases are caused by lack of proper care or wrong combinations of food. Fairfield's Egg Producer makes the regular ration a properly balanced one, increases egg production and fortifies the system against all forms of disease. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

At the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Princess Anne charge, held at the Antioch M. E. Church last Friday evening, a unanimous call was extended to the pastor, Rev. W. E. Gunby, to return for another conference year. At the same session the following officers were elected: Stewards—Princess Anne: E. I. Brown, A. N. Gibbons, Chas. W. Long, J. S. P. White, Dr. C. T. Fisher, Albert E. Krause, R. B. Cullen, L. L. Pusey, A. M. Humphreys, P. C. Gladde, and Miss Susie Collins; Hahnab: E. W. Smith, Robert Bozman, E. W. Pusey, George Bloodsworth, James Green and Joseph Reese; Recording Steward, A. E. Krause; District Steward, C. W. Long; Trier of Appeals, W. H. Dashiell.

The Cow's Winter food is not so rich in milk making elements as the summer diet, consequently winter milk is not so rich in butter-fat. Fairfield's Milk Producer supplies the needed elements and increases the quantity as well as the quality of the milk. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

The town of Port Deposit, Md., located on the upper bank of the Susquehanna River, about five miles west of Perryville, is an annual victim of the Susquehanna floods. Occasionally the damage sustained is so slight that it is regarded as only an ordinary incident, but as a rule the property loss is extensive and at times it reaches appalling proportions. This year the visitation of flood and crushing ice was almost unparalleled in volume, with the result that enormous damage was inflicted upon the people. Many dwellings were ruined and all the industries of the town were brought to a standstill. In consequence of the distress that attends this large destruction of property and resources, the people of Port Deposit, who heretofore have managed to recoup their losses from their own pockets, now find themselves compelled to appeal to the outside world for assistance.

Your horses will be in a better condition for Spring work if you feed them Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It cleans the digestive tract, purifies the blood, expels worms and increases vitality. Results are guaranteed when directions are carefully followed. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Some private and co-operative creameries in Illinois and other dairy states are following a plan which does much to encourage patrons to increase the size of their dairy herds. The plan consists in helping the patron to select good cows and in lending him money with which to buy other cows. One-half of the amount of his subsequent milk checks is withheld until the cows bought are paid for. This plan not only gives the farmer of small means a lift, but is a direct benefit to the creamery whose volume of business is thereby increased. Within reasonable limits this plan would seem to be most excellent.

Noarse Coughs, Stuffy Colds,

pain in chest and sore lungs, are symptoms that quickly develop into a dangerous illness if the cold is not cured. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough, heals and eases the congested parts, and brings quick relief. Sold by John M. Toulson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Study for Tomorrow, "Alms Giving and Prayer" Ably Discussed by A Local Writer.

We must not forget that this lesson is a continuation of the sermon on the mount. After teaching the principles underlying the law, as studied last week, Jesus continuing, took up two important Christian duties, alms giving and prayer. The fact that they are dwelt upon so fully in this sermon leaves no doubt but that they are cardinal duties.

In the original, the word translated alms carries with it a meaning differing somewhat from the meaning we give to the word alms to day. We confuse the meaning to the thing given; the Greek implies as well a condition, attitude, or spirit of consideration. Hence the great temptation upon the part of the door of alms to be seen in the act, the hypocrisy indulged in by giving to be seen, to be deemed by others to be highly charitable, worthy of honor and respect. This was the recompense of men, as spoken of by Christ. True alms-giving is done quietly and in private. You owe the public nothing in alms giving; you owe the unfortunate kindly consideration, and it is not only the giving of substance, but also the way in which one carries himself toward others less fortunate. Acts of kindness, kindly feeling, acts of mercy are love, bearing fruit in service.

Prayer must not be indulged in for a like purpose. Prayer to attract the attention of men will never attract the attention of the "Hearer and Answerer of prayer." There are but two persons to the most acceptable prayer, the Father and child. There is a spirit between them into which no other one may enter, and thus the very publicity of alms-giving and prayer dulls their finer tones. This does not exclude the public prayer of the church where the united petition of kindred spirits are offered, but applies to the great personal prayers of God's people. Neither does the plea for privacy in alms-giving argue against the publicly collecting of means for a community suffering from a great calamity, as this is but an act of temporary assistance. When thou prayest or doest these alms or deeds of righteousness, do it privately, quietly, even "about thy door," "let not thy right hand know what thy left hand doeth," and thy Father who seeth in secret shall recompense thee. The place for personal prayer is in "thy closet," a secret place, in privacy. The directions mean three things, separation, secrecy, and silence—alone with God.

Christ gives a model prayer for our guidance, the Lord's Prayer. It is the prayer of men, women and children all over the world. It teaches, first, our relationship. "Our" means that we are all related, brothers, "Father" of all who come unto Him; second, reverence—when we come to Him, do so in a spirit of reverence, quietly and orderly, giving thought to His Being, and bear out the expression "Hallowed be Thy Name;" third, submission to His purpose, not my will, but in all things, Thy will. Even "Thy Kingdom Come," the kingdom of Heaven, which is at hand, is to be the desire of every heart. Prayer is not a demand for certain things, but to come close to God. Some one has said "Aloneness with God," to know His will and get into the way of doing it, that blessing may come from doing; fourth, that God gives us every blessing, all things are from Him, "Our daily bread," yet, fifth, it teaches co-operation, for bread is not given ready for use, but by our labor with God's giving all things are utilized to our good. Then we must work as well as pray; sixth, it teaches that sin is a debt that God alone can wipe out, and seventh, that a forgiving spirit is very necessary if we expect forgiveness. Prayer for anything is getting our minds under the will of God as touching the desire. How could we know what forgiveness upon the part of God is if we did not have a knowledge of what is meant by forgiving; eighth, it teaches us our dependence upon God, "Lead us not into Temptation." Trial is the hard reality of life. We may pray to be relieved of it, assistance must be granted that trial is not beyond what we are able to endure; ninth, guidance and protection, "Deliver us from Evil." We may ask for it, knowing that we may receive it, and this means much. Withhold all things that would be for our hurt, and guide us in all things that it may be to Thy glory, for, tenth, supremacy; Thou art supreme, and all is for Thy kingdom, power and glory, for ever.

Prayer is a matter of the heart. It cannot be external. To the world it is separate, secret and silent. Prayer is the desire, as brought into subjection with the attributes of God, as displayed in love; the "Christian's vital breath." These two phases of Christian life are here specifically dealt with by Jesus. The object of giving and how to give; how to pray and what to pray for. If a father has a great business, and his labor and care has made it a power for good, and a great enjoyment to him, and a son desires to have the pleasures of association with his father in this business, would the father, in the wisdom gained by the experience of his labors, deem the son ready to conduct

or enjoy the business, and would the son, without knowledge and experience, be able to appreciate the effort and power of the father in conducting the business? The proper spirit for the son would be, what are the conditions, what laws govern, how are they applied for results, how do you reason, let my mind possess and grasp what your mind possesses, and how you apply it, and direct me in its application. To that mind the father's mind may make all things plain. On such a plan in prayer. C. B.

Fairfield's Egg Producer contains the elements of which eggs are formed. These are so combined with elements that tone up the digestion that they are immediately assimilated and carried to the Egg Sac of the hen, where they develop the embryonic eggs. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Vienna now has a fine library located in Mrs. W. J. B. Robison's millinery store, and those wishing good reading may secure books by calling there for them. Unless the library is properly patronized it will possibly be discontinued.

Lack of exercise induces Constipation in your horses. The poisonous wastes back up in the system and poison the blood, opening the way to disease. Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only regulates the bowels, strengthens digestion, expels worms and purifies the blood. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Annapolis Aroused.

Annapolis, January 31.—The removal of the Shellfish Commission's offices from Annapolis to Baltimore will be taken up by the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting early this week, and it is probable that a committee will be appointed to lay the matter before the Governor. Citizens of Annapolis are extremely indignant over the move and claim that the plain provisions of the law have been violated.

Attention is called to the fact that not only does the law make provision for an office at Annapolis and nowhere else, but it requires that all leases, plats, surveys, etc., shall be filed in that office.

The offices formerly used by the commission are today being prepared for Senate committee-rooms.

No one connected with the Shell Fish Commission remains here, and any records or papers connected with the office which may be here, are under lock and key and not available to the public or those having special business in connection with them.

This, it is claimed here, is in clear violation of the law, and a committee from the Chamber of Commerce will probably lay it before the Governor sometime this week.

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Radical measures sometimes have to be adopted to stamp out diseases among farm animals. During the recent outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in some of the eastern states the plague was discovered in a herd of 126 cattle near Lasalle, N. Y. As soon as the government inspectors were notified they had a trench dug 10 feet wide, 8 feet deep and 17½ feet long. The herd was driven close to the edge of this pit and shot, the bodies toppling over into it or being pushed in and later covered with several feet of earth. Measures of this kind impose a heavy loss on the owner of infected herds, but only in such way can a spread of plagues be prevented.

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Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the School Board.

Bids must be filed at the office of the School Board on or before

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By order of the Board,

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Order of Publication

Martha E. Parsons and Leonard Parsons, her husband, vs. Elmer H. Walton and George W. Bell, Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Roscoe Grant Jones.

No. 1888 Chancery, in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to have Lots No. 1 and 4 of the real estate of Richard P. Jones as per plot, in 1063 Chancery in this Court, conveyed to said Martha E. Jones, free from all claims, right title and interest of said Trustee, and of the unknown heirs at law of said Roscoe Grant Jones.

The bill states that by a decree of this Court, passed in No. 1063 Chancery, the said Walton and Bell were appointed Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and that having passed as such Trustees, they sold enough of the real estate of the said Richard P. Jones to pay all his indebtedness.

That at the request of the said Martha E. and Roscoe Grant Jones, the Trustees did not sell Lots 1 and 4 of said Richard P. Jones real estate, as shown by the said Trustee's report filed in said 1063 Chancery.

That through inadvertence, the real estate as unsold was not conveyed to the said Martha E. Jones (now Parsons) and Roscoe Grant Jones, the widow and son, and only heirs at law of said Richard P. Jones. That Roscoe Grant Jones died in August, 1908, intestate leaving as his only known heirs at law, his mother, Martha E. Jones (now Martha E. Parsons) his other heirs at law, if any, being unknown.

That she is entitled to have the said real estate conveyed to her in fee simple, so as to remove any doubt or uncertainties as to her title to same, and make it merchantable and asking for process against said Trustees and the unknown heirs at law of Grant Jones.

It is thereupon this 28th day of January, in the year 1910, ordered that the Plaintiffs give notice to the unknown heirs at law of said Roscoe Grant Jones by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once a week for four successive weeks before the 5th day of March, next, of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 5th day of March, next, and answer the premises and, abide by and perform such decrees as may be passed therein.

Filed Jan. 28, 1910.

CHARLES F. HOLLAND.

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ERNEST A. TOADVINE,

Clerk.

Trials which have been made with "hogging down" corn by experiment stations and individual feeders seem to demonstrate quite clearly that a corn crop fed in this way is handled with the least possible expense, while the hogs make more rapid gain in weight than under any other system of feeding. This is a somewhat rare instance of where that which seems to be the easiest way of doing a thing is also the most to be commended from the standpoint of dollars and cents. To make the plan most effective the field should be fenced off in small areas and the hogs made to eat one section up clean before being turned into another.

One of the first things that strike the attention of the eastern tourist in California is the extensive use of crude petroleum as a substitute for coal. Steam engines have an oil tank instead of a coal tender, the oil being drawn from elevated tanks in the same way that water is for the supply of steam. Manufacturing plants not operated by electricity use the crude oil almost exclusively, as do ocean and river steamboats as far north as Seattle. The crude oil is also used extensively in sprinkling railroad tracks, suburban streets and country roads, and when the road is once "made" but a single application of oil is needed in eight or ten months to keep it in excellent shape. The discovery of oil in California has been a boon to her transportation and manufacturing interests that it would be difficult to estimate, as it is cheap, economical and easily handled.

The Turkish red variety of winter wheat is being sown this fall by many a farmer in the small grain belt who has not raised a bushel of wheat on his place for a score of years or more. Among the advantages of substituting winter wheat for oats in a crop rotation may be mentioned the fact that where conditions are at all favorable it will give a larger net return per acre than oats, while it matures two weeks earlier than early oats, enabling one to turn under the stubble early and thus keeping myriads of weeds from maturing a crop of seed. Where one wishes to make a fall sowing of alfalfa, winter wheat makes an excellent preceding crop, as there is time to give the land several diskings before the alfalfa is sown. With conditions at all favorable there should be a yield of from twenty-five to thirty-five bushels per acre, while the price should be not less than \$1 per bushel.

Recent inspection of a great many fields of tilled crops—corn, potatoes, etc.—seems to indicate without exception that the poorest crops are to be found on the fields which have been given least cultivation and bear the largest and rankest crop of weeds. There's a vital connection here that a good many tillers of the soil ought to be waking up to.

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The man whose aggressive personality, baseball sense and indomitable spirit have played so important a share in the success of the Detroiters is thirty-nine years of age, a native of Pennsylvania, and in his day was one of the famous stars of the diamond. After five managers—Stallings, Dwyer, Barrows, Lowe and Armour—had failed to whip together a fairly good second division team he was selected as



JENNINGS IN ACTION.

plut of the Tigers. When Jennings joined his team in the training camp in Macon, Ga., in the spring of 1907, the members of the team were fighting and quarrelling. Every player was at the throat of his fellow. The general opinion was that Jennings' task was hopeless. But before leaving the training camp he had welded them together into a scoring machine that has since won three pennants, and he did it by the force of his own personality. They were drawn to him, looked up to him and forgot their petty disputes. When they did a good piece of work he was always ready with a slap on the back and a cheery favorable comment. It was always:

"That's the way—ah!"

By the time the team reached Macon Jennings had pounded this expression down to the one stirring shriek—"E-e-yah!"

"That's the way" was not explosive enough to suit his fighting nature. He wanted action and action quickly. Any three syllable yell was too tame for him. And the players understood the yell just as though he had spoken English.

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usual, come out with flying colors. In fact, his recent remarkable flights in New York were the greatest, both in spectacular interest and personal daring, that have ever been accomplished in the history of aviation.

As Mr. Wright was about to give a last exhibition he had one of the closest calls of his career, an explosion blowing a hole through the top of machine and a chunk of brass narrowly missing the inventor. Mr. Wright, however, only smiled and shrugged his shoulders.

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of millions of great meteoric stones

would, of course, bring catastrophe.

If, however, it were merely a rain

of small particles or dust we might never

become conscious of it, for the particles

would never reach us. They would

be fused into gas through friction with

our atmosphere many miles before

reaching the surface. If the gases lib-

erated by friction were in excessive

volume we might suffer discomfort or

even disaster. It is estimated that

hundreds of millions of meteoric particles

strike our atmosphere every day.

This would be a serious matter if we

were not protected by our great shel-

tering envelope of air. Occasionally a

meteoric boulder is large enough to

resist the heat generated by this fric-

tion and reaches the surface. This we

call a meteorite. The now established

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teors is a matter of great interest.

Ralph B. Larkin in North American Review.

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Cockades and Buttons.

The cockade originated simply in the

knot of ribbons or strings by which

the broad flaps of the seventeenth cen-

tury round hat were "cocked" or

drawn up to the brim in fine weather,

and thus originated the three cornered

hat as well as the cocked hat of later

times. There was nothing specially

military about the usage, as the ig-

norant assert. The same strings sur-

vive in the loops of the hats of bishops

and other ecclesiastical dignitaries in

Great Britain, in the strings of the

hats worn by French eures and Span-

ish and Italian padres and in the cords

which are still seen on the hats of

some lively servants.

It naturally became the custom for

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Baltimore's Fire Record.

The large number of fires which have recently occurred in Baltimore is now attracting decided attention outside of that city. One of the larger municipalities of the country have had such an unfortunate record along that line during the past year, and if it continues it is an undeniable fact that it will certainly injure the city in the commercial world.

For some time efforts have been made to ascertain the reasons which have brought about this unusual condition, but so far no satisfactory explanations have been given. It is fortunate in view of the heavy demands upon it that the city has a most excellent Fire Department, and were it not for this fact it is quite possible that insurance rates would be very materially advanced.

During the large fire in East Baltimore during the week, General Thomas J. Shryock, former Police Commissioner, watched the operations of the Department, and on the following day made this significant and complimentary statement to the Chief:

"Being largely interested in the lumber district, I was on the fire ground yesterday a few minutes after the fire started, and having some little knowledge of lumber fires, I was immediately impressed with the magnitude and task before the department in confining this fire to the block in which it started.

"From an advantageous point I watched the workings of the department, and I think a fire has never better handled. The department deserves the very highest praise that can be given it for the manner in which they handled this fire under tremendous difficulties, and I take this occasion to congratulate you and your men upon the splendid work accomplished."

While it may be true that they have a well-equipped and drilled Department, if they can strike a blow at the cause itself they will have performed a public service, not only to the city, but to the entire State as well, for the interest and welfare of the city are necessarily entwined with that of the counties.

Charity Should Begin At Home.

While we are of course necessarily in sympathy with the movement in Baltimore extending aid to the Paris sufferers it would be well for the people of that city also not to forget the distress in their own State. The people of Port Deposit have suffered one of the greatest losses in the history of that town, and it has even been necessary to appeal to the legislature for help.

While every one realizes the absolute dependence of one upon another, and naturally cooperates in a movement which bridges the chasm between this nation and another, and affords relief for distressed humanity in another country and under another flag, still the first thought and consideration of the people of Baltimore should be for the sorely stricken town of Cecil on the Susquehanna banks. In the overwhelming and sweeping character of a disaster such as has overtaken Paris, it is so easy to overlook a minor catastrophe like that which has occurred at

Port Deposit, but while a vastly smaller number are involved and the property losses are incomparable to the millions which have been swept out of existence in the French Capital, still as to the flood sufferers in our own State the demands are as pressing and the needs are as real as at the other place. They should not be forgotten nor overlooked, and while the funds are being gotten together for use across the water, let a sufficient amount also be sent to these of our own kindred and State to relieve the distress which abounds within our midst, so that there may be an exemplification of the universally recognized doctrine that charity begins at home.

The Proposed Vaccination Law.

A bill has just been prepared and presented to the Maryland legislature, having for its object the repeal of the present compulsory vaccination law. There are a large number of people throughout the State who agree with the proposition and believe that the law should never have been enacted in the first place. It is a question of decided importance to the people of the State, and in view of the fact that our medical friends are hopelessly split upon the question, it is more than ever essential that the matter be taken up in the most thorough and searching manner.

Considerable local interest has been manifested already in the proposed repeal of this law, and it would be well for the people of Wicomico to let their views be known upon the subject, as it is impossible for the Senator and delegates at Annapolis to represent in their actions the views of their constituents unless they are informed in regard to them. In a large number of places there has been a very decided change of sentiment in relation to laws of this kind, and Maryland is not the only State which has found an enactment of this kind obnoxious to a large number of persons.

Ground Hog Day.

Once more the ground hog has arranged the weather for the next six weeks, and according to his prognostications we may well begin to refill the rapidly dwindling coal bins and expect a season of cold and bluster. Of course the ground hog may be wrong, but fortunately for him it never seems to hurt his reputation when he fails to be correct in his annual forecast. Wednesday was a cloudless day from practically sunrise to sunset, and yet his followers are so devoted to his cause, and so strong in their faith that even should the next forty days resemble a summer on the California coast, they would next year be ready to swear allegiance to his cause.

The day is Candlemas Day, and while it is by no means so commonly known by that as the other and more familiar designation, the old superstition in relation to its control of the weather is quaintly set forth in the following old rhyme:

Candlemas Day! Candlemas Day!
Half our fire and half our hay.
If Candlemas Day be fine and clear,
Corn and fruits will then be dear.
If Candlemas Day be fair and bright,
Winter will have another flight;
But if Candlemas Day bring cloud and rain,
Winter is gone and won't come again.

The Freedom Of The Press Upheld.

Once more the freedom of the press has been vindicated and the Federal Government has been defeated in its prosecution of the Press Publishing Company, of New York, publishers of the New York World, in which Joseph Pulitzer and others were charged with criminal libel. The principle of the freedom of the press is one of the oldest and most revered doctrines connected with the institutions of this country, and while it is possible to overstep the bounds of propriety, and violate the freedom which is granted, still it would be most dangerous to establish the precedent that either the Federal or State Governments could at will suppress the

publication of articles directed against public officials, provided, of course, they were published in good faith, and with a belief in their truthfulness, even though in fact they may have been incorrect.

Fortunately for the press of the country it has fully understood and appreciated the wide latitude allowed it. There have been few instances where the liberty which has been vouchsafed to it, and the privileges enjoyed by it have been violated.

Editorial Jottings.

When is the work to begin on the Humphreys Lake Scheme? The people are anxious to see the first stroke of work in connection with this great improvement.

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Saturday, February 5th, 1910

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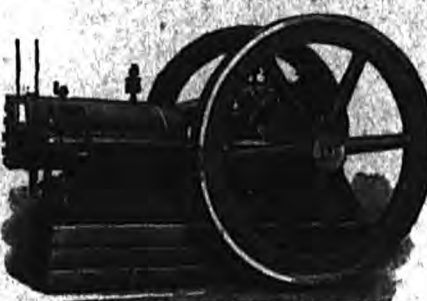
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Town Topics.

—The Mite Society of Asbury M. E. Church met at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

—Do you need a short length of Matting? Then visit Ullman Sons' Matting Remnant Sale.

—A meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the Hospital will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the city hall.

—A meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the Home for the Aged is called for Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the city hall.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church will be entertained next Tuesday evening at the parsonage by Mrs. T. E. Martindale.

—If the time established tradition about the ground hog and his shadow has any significance then there will surely be six more weeks of winter weather.

—Mr. Ernest H. Ellis has been appointed a clerk in the office of Supervisor of Census Isaac H. White. The appointment will cover a period of about four months.

—Hon. Roscoe Jones gave an address to the students of the Salisbury Business College on Tuesday afternoon, taking as his subject, "Industry as a Factor in Business Success."

—Contractor Otis S. Lloyd has begun the work of rebuilding Turners Bros. Co.'s wharf adjoining the pivot bridge. This long wharf will be entirely rebuilt from the top to low-water mark.

—Capt. I. H. White, census supervisor for the First Maryland District, received his commission from President Taft last Friday, the Senate having confirmed the appointment of Capt. White.

—"The Christian at Home", will be the sermon topic at the Division Street Baptist Church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Woolston will sing at this service. The sermon theme at 11 a. m. will be "A Mission from Daniel."

—Capt. Isaac H. White, supervisor of the First Maryland Census District, will hold the examinations for enumerators in the Wicomico High School Building, Salisbury, on Saturday, Feb. 5th. There are a large number of applicants.

—County Superintendent Holloway attended a meeting of County Superintendents in Annapolis last week. The meeting was called by State Superintendent Stephens for the purpose of considering proposed changes in the school laws.

—Mrs. Leah J. Short, aged 78 years, died at the home of her son, Gardiner, in this city yesterday. She is survived by another son, Mr. L. S. Short, of Salisbury. Her remains will be shipped to Snow Hill for interment in the family burying ground.

—Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor of Riverside Church and the M. E. Chapel near the depot, and Rev. J. J. Bunting, of Maryland, will exchange pulpits tomorrow. Rev. Bunting will preach at the Chapel in the morning and at Riverside in the evening.

—Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Miss Anna B. Jacobs, of Avoca, Iowa, to Mr. A. J. Crockett, of Las Animas, Colorado, on January 12th, at Avoca, Iowa. Mr. Crockett was formerly of this county and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Crockett, of Quantico, Md.

—Hon. R. B. Glenn, ex-Gov. of North Carolina, one of the best public speakers in the country, will deliver an address in this city on the night of March 1st, taking as his subject "Our Country, Its Dangers and Possibilities." Governor Glenn will speak in this city under the auspices of the Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church.

—Misses Sara Phillips, Margaret Woodcock, Mary Cooper Smith and Emma Wood are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Wilbur F. Jackson, in Baltimore, and attended the reception given Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. James H. Preston, at their home, 815 North Charles St., in honor of Miss Jackson, of this city, and Miss Page and Miss Petre, two of Baltimore's debutantes.

—Mr. H. Wirt Steele, executive Secretary of the Maryland Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis, is in Salisbury in the interest of the great work in which he is engaged in the arousing of public interest in the work of stamping out and preventing the spread of tuberculosis in this State. Secretary Steele will confer with many of the leading citizens in regard to the work.

—An entertainment will be given at Green and Brewington's Auditorium by the Epworth League of Asbury M. E. Church on Tuesday, February 8, at 8:30 p. m., consisting of the play "Teeth of a Gift Horse," "The Bachelor's Revue," and monologues and music, vocal and instrumental. Small boxes of candy will be sold during the intermission. Price of admission 25 cents. All are cordially invited.

—Matting Remnants below cost of Ullman Sons.

—All of the texts upon which Rev. W. T. M. Beale, pastor of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church, will preach during the month of February, have been suggested to him by members of the congregation. Tomorrow morning the text will be Ez. 4-10, "The Power of Weakness." Tomorrow evening, Psalms 30-5, "God's Judgment and His Mercy."

—That some of the old bank notes of the long since defunct Somerset & Worcester Savings Bank have made their appearance in New York is evidenced by an inquiry received by Clerk of the Court E. A. Toadvine. Yesterday he received a letter from Kora, Lehman & Co., dealers in investment bonds, of New York City, inquiring whether or not the bank was still in existence and if not whether funds were set aside to redeem its outstanding bank notes.

—Road Engineer Clarke has completed the improvements to Phillips' mill dam which has been under way for several months. The narrow dam has been widened to 30 feet and a new concrete bridge built in place of the old wooden bridge. The road a short distance north of the mill dam has also been widened several feet in all making great improvements in that section. The road was opened to traffic Monday.

—Rev. G. P. Jones, District Superintendent, has received a flattering report from Smith's Island Church. Rev. William P. Taylor, the pastor, reported the parsonage improved and enlarged at a cost of over \$500, all paid. A review of his three years' pastorate on the island shows 115 conversions and \$1,332 paid on parsonage and church improvements. Mr. Taylor requested that he be released as pastor at the expiration of this conference year, subject to the approval of the bishop and his cabinet.

Personals.

Mrs. M. A. Cooper is visiting in Baltimore.

—Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvine is visiting in Annapolis.

—Mr. Raymond Truitt spent Thursday in Baltimore.

—Mrs. W. S. Gordy is spending the week in Baltimore.

—Miss Mary Tilghman entertained at cards Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Mary Crew spent a few days last week with friends in Berlin.

—Mrs. Edison, of Chicago, was the guest of friends in town this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Thoroughgood have returned from their wedding trip.

—The "500" Club met at the home of the Misses Ringgold Wednesday afternoon.

—Miss Mary Lee White has returned home, after spending two weeks in Baltimore.

—Miss Carrie Peters, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, returned home Monday.

—Mrs. M. A. Humphreys entertained Wednesday afternoon at her home on Camden Ave.

—Miss Sara Phillips gave a card party Thursday afternoon at her home on Camden Ave.

—Mrs. William Poole, of Wilmington, is the guest of the Misses Houston, on Camden Ave.

—Mrs. William Shelmerdine, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William P. Jackson.

—Miss Myra Waller has returned to her home in Hebron, after a visit to Mrs. Fred Grier, Jr.

—Mrs. E. E. Twilley has returned home, after a visit to Miss Anna Jump, in Queen Anne County.

—Mr. W. H. Hallerman, of Havrestraw, N. Y., was the guest of Hon. William H. Jackson this week.

—Miss Elizabeth Woodcock entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. William Poole.

—Miss Clara C. Walton, of Wilmington, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Walton, East William street.

—Mrs. D. J. Wheaton and Mrs. Lloyd Watson entertained at cards and dominoes Thursday afternoon, at their home on Park Ave.

—Mrs. O. B. Brittingham and daughter, Olga, have just returned from a three week's trip to Norristown and Philadelphia, Pa.

—Miss Belle Jackson, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, Providence, Baltimore and Washington, returned home to-day.

—Mrs. Jesse Price gave a beautifully appointed tea Friday afternoon, in honor of her sisters, Mrs. Hornthal and Mrs. Porter, of Norfolk.

—Miss Louise Tilghman entertained Tuesday afternoon at her home on Camden Ave., in honor of Mrs. William Poole, of Wilmington.

—Miss Margaret Woodcock, who has been the guest of Miss Mabel Davis, in Wilmington, for the past ten days, returned home Wednesday.

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16.50 Suits now... 13.00	16.50 Overcoats now... 13.00
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LUBBER LAST

By Grace H. Boutelle

EVER since they had come to Perkinsville De Peyster and his mother had failed to adjust their respective standpoints to a mutual harmony.

To begin with, it was spring. With the delicious odor of resinous smoke from the boughs that had banked the house assailing one's nostrils, who could resist joining the dancing silhouettes that circled the bonfire and daring one's fate by leaping across it to avenging competition as the flames died down?

But she drew lurid pictures of his certain fate if he should repeat the offense. Blind defiance rose insurgent within him. He would go. And then all of a sudden he remembered what his father said and hung his head to think how those grave, kind eyes of his would look at him now.

"Take good care of mamma," he had said at the last. "You must be her big brother and never let her worry about you, she's so little and delicate." And then he had whispered over two or three times, "My pretty little wife, my dear little girl!"

And De Peyster had tried with all his might to remember. But often it did seem as if it could have been a little easier if she could have understood that one was disgraced if one did not keep neck and neck with "the other fellows" in every prank they played.

There was a long and weary period of dooryard discipline after this episode. There were a good many times when De Peyster had to clinch his fists as tight as he could and remember his father very hard.

By and by June came, quivering with gold green sunlight, perfumed with a universal blossoming and pungent with the joy of living. At this time every true joy thrills with the half realized rapture of it all and finds the fullest expression of his ecstasy in going swimming.

Every bright morning in some part of the town there was sure to be a group of boys toting a line, their necks bobbing eagerly forward and their bodies giving anticipatory jerks and twitches as they waited for the word. When the leader said "Go!" they darted forth, and there was a kaleidoscopic and dissolving view of legs racing madly down a side street that led to the river. Then collars came off, coats followed, as they ran with undiminished speed, the fellow who was farthest ahead sometimes slowing up with magnificent daring to get off his shoes and stockings while the others were still hampered by shirts and trousers, and by the time they tumbled in headlong competition over the bank the timblest carried their entire wardrobe on their arms and flashed white-ly into the water while the laggards tumbled at their shoe lacing. The unfortunate who popped into the river, flushed and panting, after all the rest were in was greeted with taunting cries of: "Lubber last! Lubber last!"

De Peyster had never been told not to go in swimming. It had not occurred to his mother as among the list of his possible perils, as she was in blissful ignorance of the fact that "the other fellows" did it.

So it was with the thrilling excitement of the Greek runner that he set his toe on the line with the rest and hurried himself forward, head up and elbows in.

The first few rods it felt like flying. His feet scarcely seemed to touch the ground. Then a pair of legs flashed by him, and another and another. He gathered his strength and shot forward again, but another pair of legs went by, and another and another.

They were stripping off their coats; they were stripping off their shirts. He felt at his collar, wrenched it off and flung it away, to have both hands free for his coat and shirt. They were almost at the bank now. He could see Micky Daly's white skin dangle in the sun as he took a splendid dive ahead of the rest. His own feet were growing heavy, and there was a mist before his eyes. The knot in his shoe lacing would not come untied. A savage rage filled him. If he could have cut off his foot to rid himself of the hampering shoe, he would scarcely have hesitated. You were ruled out if you went into the water with anything left on. As he struggled and perspired and agonized the two or three whom he had distanced leaped past him, and as he shook the shoe off at last and made a dive he heard the air ringing with "Lubber last! Lubber last!" and slowly realized that it was meant for him.

He tried manfully two or three other days, but it was always the same way. His muscles were flabby from the dooryard discipline, and he could not pick up in a few weeks what the others had acquired through joyous years of summer vagabondage.

He took it quietly and good naturedly, but it went deep.

His mother found out the custom shortly and forbade him to go near the water.

As for De Peyster himself, the numbness of despair settled upon him. How he could never learn to redeem himself, to have some day perhaps the ineffable joy of being the first in, ahead of Jimmy Spratt, ahead of Micky Daly, ahead of everybody. His career was ended before it had begun.

"But I got to not let her worry," was the rueful conclusion he always

And then he breathed hard and looked fast.

It was his constant friend and brought him alleviating messages from time to time, such as that "the other fellows" all say he has lots of sand and kin to as well as the next fellow if he has half a chance."

When even these encouraging remarks ceased to comfort, he gave him his own horned toad as a last desperate resort. The effect was wonderfully efficacious, but transitory.

"I'd oughter been a girl," said De Peyster many times to himself, "but I wish she didn't want to make believe I am one when I ain't."

This was the nearest to a reproach that he allowed his loyal little heart to utter, but a baffled, unchildlike look grew in his eyes as he watched his mates go off without him day after day.

In July a light epidemic of scarlet fever prevailed. The oldest inhabitant called it "walking scarlatina," the illness was so slight.

Van Voort kept De Peyster in his house.

One day De Peyster caught it. He regarded it rather in the nature of a festive occurrence than otherwise, for all the boys who had had it came up to see him, and, although they were not allowed to stand long, it cheered him amazingly to hear what they were doing, for he had constantly the hope that these new delights they told of one after another would not be on the forbidden list when he was out again.

For a while he did not seem to care whether they came or not and when he told that Micky Daly was now said languidly: "I guess I can't care about seeing him just now. I'm sorter tired, but tell him I'll be built to have him come tomorrow."

But when tomorrow came no one was admitted, for he was tossing about in a weakening struggle with something he did not understand that those who watched by him realized only too well.

He heard a voice as if from very far away.

"You'd better tell him, doctor," it said. "I can't stand it to see him fight for his life like a little Trojan when it isn't any use."

The voice broke and then went on: "He's a brave little chap, brave enough to face anything, and it isn't treating him square not to let him say goodbye."

De Peyster opened his eyes. The doctor was standing over him.

"You don't have to tell me," said De Peyster, for he dimly saw that the old doctor's lips were quivering. "I guess—I know."

He felt for his mother's hand.

"I'd like to hear you sing just once first, mamie," he said.

"There's a bully song one of the fellows taught me, 'One Wide River.' I've liked it specially much since—since it worried you to have me go in swimming."

His mother sobbed out a few lines, faltered and stopped.

A look of patient disappointment came over his face.

"Never mind, mamie; you needn't," he gasped. "I'm going to see it, you know, so it don't matter. Won't the cool water feel good, though? And don't you worry, mamie. Who's afraid? Father'll find me!"

He lay quite still a moment; then he whispered:

"I would 'a' liked to try one more run with the fellows—Micky Daly was most always ahead. He's a peach sprinter. You tell him and Jimmy and the other fellows about—about me and the wide river. Tell 'em this time I—I ain't lubber last!"

And he slipped away to find that unknown river, the bravest of little pioneers.

There was a roar of laughter, but he waited patiently and made another attempt:

"The sween has cooned."

Again the walls trembled, and the stage manager said in a voice which could be heard all over the house.

"Come off, you doggoned fool!"

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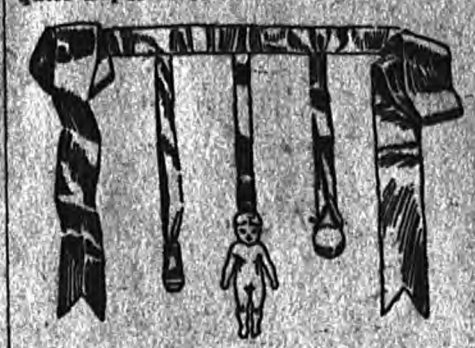
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Christmas Presents



At first glance the Christmas gift for King Baby, impregnable as he is in his pink and white well fed contentment, seems the hardest problem of the holiday season. He has no wants that are obvious and patent, and it is evidently quite hopeless to ask him to follow his

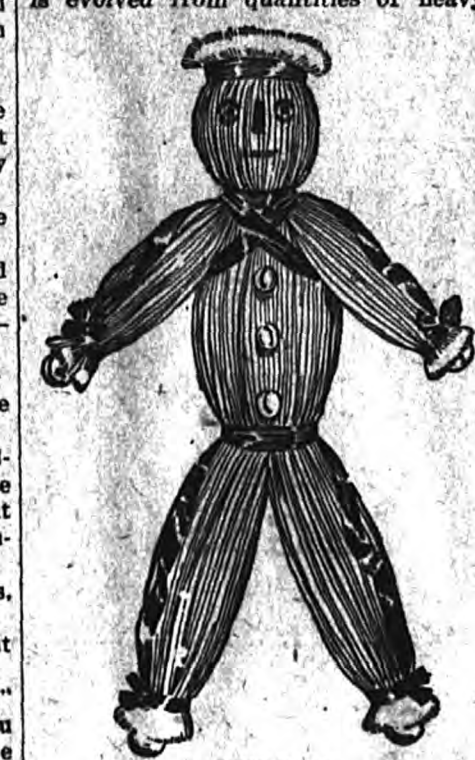


THE TOY BELT.

big brothers and sisters' example and write out a list of the desires of his heart for Santa to gratify. On a venture just try how his highness will like a toy belt. It is made of a piece of two inch satin ribbon long enough to tie in an attractive bow in the back with long ends. The portion that is supposed to go around the waist of the infant is doubled over to form a belt, from which hang pendent from satin streamers a whistle—silver if money is not a consideration—a rubber doll and, on the third end, a small play ball. The belt is then completed.

String Doll.

Easier to make than the rag doll and much more hygienic, for babies have the bad habit of putting things in their mouths and the paint on rag dolls is often poisonous, is the string doll. It is evolved from quantities of heavy



STRING DOLL.

white soft string cut into lengths for the body and arms. The head is stuffed out with wadding, also the body, and the shapes formed by tying about neck and waist pieces of baby ribbon of some bright color. Beads are stuck in for eyes, and a mouth is made with colored thread worked in with a needle. About the wrist is a ribbon outlining the pudgy hand.

Baby's Bonnet Box.

The baby has his bonnet box as well as his mamma, but it is a cunning little round affair covered with flowered paper in a pretty babyish design of forget-me-nots. This is one of the prettiest new ideas in connection with the infant's layette and makes a charming Christmas gift. Inside the box is fit-



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all that lot, piece or parcel of land, in that part of the City of Salisbury called "Camden," in Wisconsin County and State of Maryland, and situated on the South or South-east side of and binding upon West Locust Street, and having a frontage on said West Locust Street of forty-four (44) feet, and having a depth of ninety-two (92) feet, more or less, to a twelve foot alley, and having a frontage on said alley of twenty-five (25) feet and six (6) inches, and bounded on the East by a lot of ground belonging to William T. Wilkins, having a uniform width of forty (40) feet and separating the lot herein described from Mount Street, and bounded on the West by property of Marion Edward Tindle, and being the same property which was conveyed to the said Walter E. Nicholson by deed dated the 7th day of June, Nineteen Hundred and Nine from said William T. Wilkins and others, and duly filed for record among the Land Records of said Wisconsin County, reference to which said deed is hereby made for better and more complete description of the land herein advertised for sale.

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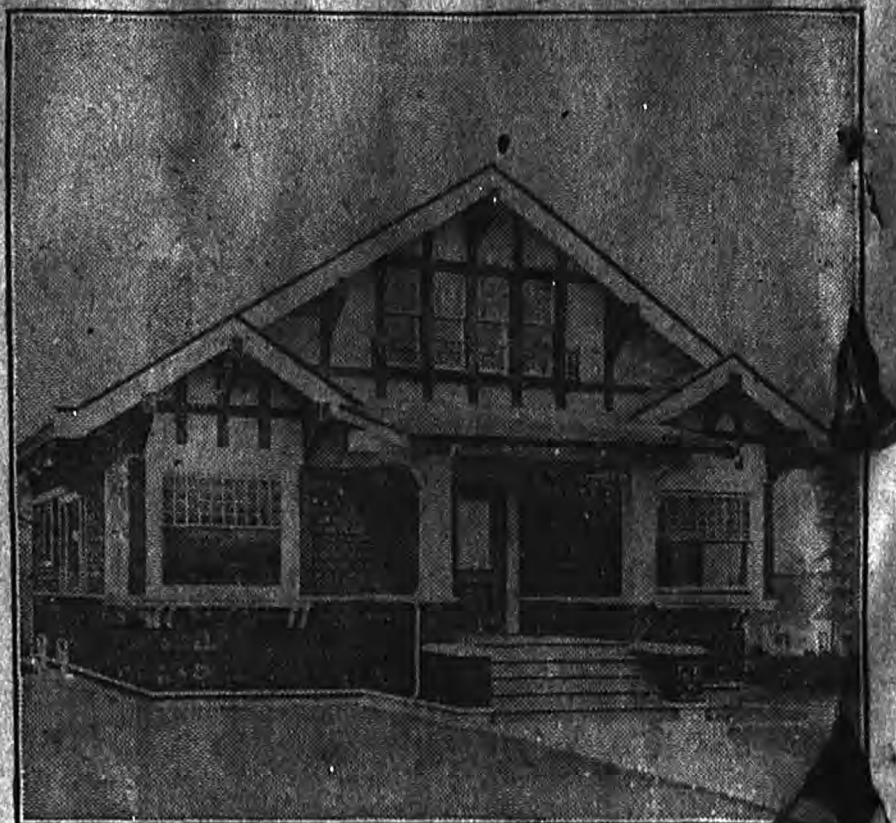
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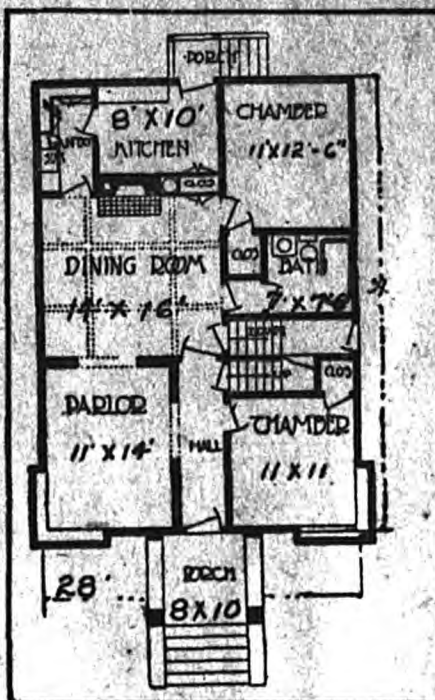
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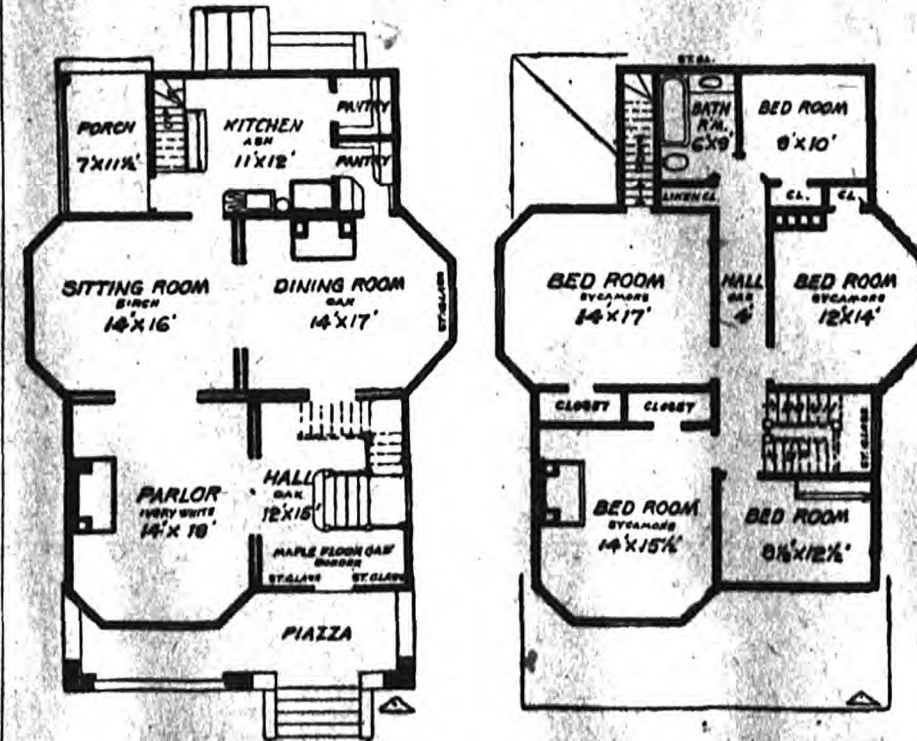
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FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

Here is a design for an attractive gable roof cottage to set upon a terrace. The dimensions are 28 by 43 feet. The foundations are of stone, with rustic field stone underpinning for the piazza. The first story is clapboarded with shingled piazza railing, carrying double and triple colonial columns for the support of roof. Second story and roof are shingled with cypress shingles, gables having projecting verge boards. The cellar floor is cemented with portland cement concrete. There are stained glass windows in the hall, stair landings and bathroom. The hall and dining room are finished in oak, parlor in ivory white, sitting room in birch, kitchen in ash and the upstairs rooms in sycamore. The chamber flooring is of maple with a double border of oak and the other floors of North Carolina pine. There are ample closets and dressers, and the plumbing is first class, with white enameled fixtures and nickel plated trimmings. Electric bells and burglar alarms are provided. There are outside blinds to all side and rear windows. Total cost, including plumbing and hot water heating, \$6,500.

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Feather pompons are very much used and are a stunning trimming for



GIRLISH FROCK IN CHECKED WOOL.

close fitting small shapes. They are of ostrich and in a peculiar composition that looks like marabou and coque. Frocks that are made in the semi-princess style and give the cuirass effect make an important feature of the season. The gown in the cut is of this silk.

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A beautiful gauze rose hand embroidered in buttonhole stitch with heavy



A SMART FALL SUIT.

silk dress is a millinery novelty. Velvet narcissi and sprays of wheat and silk and velvet orchids are new and pretty.

Young girls are wearing a great many rough finished cloths this season, and the suit in the cut is of raisin colored hopsacking with a collar of velvet. The same model could be used for almost any reasonable material.

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THE NATIONAL BEVERAGE

COUNTY.

Riverton.

Mrs. Wm. F. Bradley returned from Norfolk last Saturday where she has been visiting relatives since Dec. 31st. She spent some time in New York also, with her two sons.

Mrs. Carrie English is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Capt. Geo. Higgins, of the schooner Walter, sailed from here Monday morning for Baltimore. The vessel has been lying here since Christmas, partly on account of ice and partly on account of the illness of Capt. Higgins. His wife and little daughter, Mildred, are making the trip with him.

Miss Edna and Sally Phillips and Laura Knowles were the guests of Miss Edna Bradley Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Kennerly, who has been spending the past month in New York and Baltimore with her sons and daughters, returned last week.

Miss Clara Manney, of near Seaford, has been spending several days with relatives here.

Grave fears are entertained here among the friends and relatives of Mr. Richard H. Bailey of this place, concerning his safety. Mr. Bailey was first mate of the schooner Edgar C. Ross, which sailed from Charleston, S. C., Dec. 22nd, laden with lumber. The Ross was spoken on Jan. 10th by the schooner Minnie F. Crosby, and at that time had been blown quite a distance off her route, but reported no distress except shortage of provisions. A cablegram later reported that she had put back to Hamilton, Bermuda, but as this cannot be verified is regarded as an error. The latest report is from the Italian S. S. Europa, which claims to have passed a derelict on Jan. 23rd, on which the name Edgar C. was visible. This leads to a supposition that the schooner was either abandoned and the crew taken off by a passing craft, or else that all were lost. Mr. Bailey's brother, Capt. Ernest Bailey, of the Beniah McCabe, was lost a year ago last September, while on his way from Mobile to the West Indies.

Mr. Joseph Walker, of this place, and Miss Mollie Walker, of Sharptown, were quietly married last Thursday evening.

Miss Flora Wright, who has been quite sick with La Grippe, is now out again.

Athol.

The mid-year examinations at Athol School closed Jan. 29, 1910, and were equally satisfactory to teacher and pupil. Marlow Cox led the eighth grade with an average of 94.5, and Lillian Wright with an average of 92, made an excellent second. Elizabeth Kiffin led the six grade with an average of 93.5. Elizabeth Graham was first in the fifth grade with an average of 96.3, and Glen Elliott was leader of the fourth grade with an average of 91. The numbers of

the primary room were not ready for this week's issue.

In spite of the inclement weather the oyster supper was a success and the returns amounted to nearly thirty-five dollars. There were many present and an enjoyable time was spent.

Miss Ida Phillips entertained on Sunday Miss Hattie Twilley, Miss May Elliott, Miss Ella Calloway and Miss Harriet Fort.

There was such a heavy snow Monday night there was few children at school Tuesday.

The Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Will Calloway Wednesday night. Many were present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Hebron.

Mrs. Lulu Hutchinson is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Phillips.

Quite a number of the young people from Hebron attended the dance Wednesday evening at Mrs. David Knowles, near Spring Hill.

Mrs. Downing and Mrs. Hitch, of Salisbury, are visiting Mrs. E. Downing.

Miss Coral Collins spent last week in Baltimore as the guest of Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Mrs. Calloway and daughter Miss Grace, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. G. Gillis.

Mrs. Charles Otwell and Mrs. Anna Nelson, of Laurel, Del., spent last Wednesday with their Mrs. E. Connors.

Miss Mattie Wright returned home last week after a month visit with friends in Delaware.

Mrs. Allen Bailey, of Philadelphia, is spending sometime with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Trull.

Eden.

Mrs. Minnie Stevens and little son Edward, of Pocomoke City, spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. C. W. Bozman.

Mrs. Nellie Hastings and two children, of Chincoteague, Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. T. Toadvine.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow, of New Church, Va., spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fooks.

Mr. E. A. Bozman gave a party last Saturday evening to several of his friends. Among those that were present were: Misses Carrie and Bertha Jones, May, Ruby and Hattie Snelling, Bessie Banks, Ella Shockley, of Salisbury, and Nellie Foxwell, of Pocomoke City; Messrs. Theodore and David Pryor, Page and Carroll Snelling, Arley Taylor, Oscar Gillis, Matthew Jones, Albert and Robert Bozman and Arthur Stevens, of Pocomoke City.

Allen.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. Geo. I. Porter's Friday evening.

Master George Hitch, who has been sick for some time, we are glad is much better.

Miss Edna Laws, of Wango, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Carolyn and Martha Huffington.

Mrs. William Phoebus is spending a few days with her father at the "Everglades."

Mr. Wallace White, of Powellville, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Allen.

Mrs. S. F. Smith spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Lee Johnson, Salisbury.

Mrs. Mary Price, who was not so well last week, is much better.

Powellville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Perdue, of Snow Hill, spent last Monday with relatives near this place.

Miss Mattie Jones, of near Gumboro, Del., was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jones, last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Dollie Rayne was the guest of Miss Bessie Jones last Saturday evening.

Mr. E. T. Jones is spending this week in Baltimore.

Mr. Geo. Jones and family spent last Wednesday with his father, Mr. A. H. Jones, of Mt. Pleasant.

Pittsville.

Miss Bettie Hearn spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Maud Hall, of Whaleyville.

Mr. Chas. Morris, of Princess Anne, was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holloway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Riggin.

Miss Mattie Farlow spent Sunday with Miss Ida Adkins.

Mr. Jonathan Parker met with a very serious accident the past week. He stepped on the end of a stick of wood, which slipped, causing him to fall, breaking his leg.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following parties remain uncalled for at the Salisbury Post Office and will be sent to the Dead Letter Office two weeks from today. When inquiring please state that these letters have been advertised:

Mrs. Rich Deshield, Mr. Carl Deshields, Mrs. Mary Ruders, Mr. John Fields, Mrs. Robert Fisher, Mr. John N. Furubush, (5); Mr. Carroll Jones, Mr. J. Sam Layfield, Mrs. Lyton, Mr. Andrew Long, Capt. Harry Mills, Mr. J. A. Mills, Mr. Silas J. Morse, Misses Phillips, Mr. H. D. Sumner, C. C. Workman.

—Guy Brothers Minstrels played to a large audience at Ulman's Opera House Wednesday night and presented an exceptionally clever performance. The Guy Brothers have been appearing in Salisbury for a number of years, but never gave an evening's entertainment equal to the one given Wednesday night. "The Girl Who Dared" was presented last evening by the Delaware-Maryland Stock Company, under the management of Mr. Clarence Bennett. This was the first of a series of six attractions to be given under the same management during the next six weeks. The second will be presented next Friday night.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Bethesda M. E. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 8 p. m.; Christian Endeavor Service at 6:45 p. m.; Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9:30; preaching and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11, and preaching at 7:30 by the pastor; Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.; Mid-week Prayer Meeting Thursday night.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30, W. A. Crew, Supt.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; morning sermon at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion every Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 Services and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Riverside Chapel, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Regular services tomorrow. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 6:45; sermon at 7:30 o'clock, by the pastor.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 2:30, Geo. Kersey, Supt.; preaching at 3:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11 a. m. and praise service at 7:30.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the day named:

March 3-4, 1910.—Business Principal (male).
March 3, 1910.—Ethnologist.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE HELD HERE NEXT WEEK

Experienced Truckers And Growers To Visit Salisbury Thursday And Friday—Meetings Will Be Held In Court House.

Arrangements have been made to hold an Institute in the Court House at Salisbury, Thursday and Friday, March 24 and 25. The Institute workers will be:

Mr. C. C. Hulsart, Matawan, N. J. Mr. Hulsart was born on a farm in 1855; when he was a boy, he was in a railroad office, which he gave up for the farm; has been a close reader of agricultural literature; starting as a tenant, he afterward bought land and built a home where he now lives as a successful farmer, his specialty being trucking and growing small fruits. For a series of years he carried on numerous co-operative experiments for the New Jersey Experiment Station; is a contributor to many agricultural papers.

Mr. Charles M. Day, Geneva, N. Y., another instructor, is a nephew of the well known fruit grower of Geneva, Mr. S. D. Willis. He has had entire charge of a large orchard of 105 acres for the last ten years. Under Mr. Willis he has had several years' experience in nursery work. Mr. Van Wagenen, one of the former Institute workers, says of Mr. Day: "He has a good deal of first hand experience in the management of large orchard operations. He knows well and intimately how to conduct all orchard work. He knows plums, apples, cherries, peaches and something of small fruit."

Mr. T. C. Johnson, of the Norfolk Trucking Experiment Station, Va., graduated from the West Virginia University in the year 1896; taught science for three years and in 1899 re-entered the University on a fellowship; in 1900 was graduated with the degree of M. A.; in 1901 was appointed Acting Professor of Horticulture in the University of Missouri; in 1902 accepted the fellowship in the Cornell University; from there he went to the University of West Virginia; in 1907 accepted the position of Superintendent of the Virginia Truck Experiment Station at Norfolk, Virginia, where he is now Director.

The program is as follows:
Thursday and Friday, March 24 and 25, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Conductors Announcement.
Charles M. Day—"Commercial Fruit Growing."
C. C. Hulsart—"Home Mixing vs. Commercial Fertilizers."

AFTERNOON SESSION.
T. C. Johnson—"Irish Potatoes as a Truck Crop."
C. C. Hulsart—"Cantaloupes for the Market."

SECOND DAY.
Wm. L. Amoss—"Organization."
Chas. M. Day—"Spraying and Spray Mixtures."
C. C. Hulsart—"Seed Breeding and Seed Saving."

AFTERNOON SESSION.
T. C. Johnson—"Diseases of Truck Crops."
C. C. Hulsart—"Successful Truck Farm Management."

The evening session will be announced during the Institute.

Questions will be answered through the Question Box at the beginning of the afternoon sessions.

Moore-Peters.

"Fairfield," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Peters, near Salisbury, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday morning, February twenty-third, at 6 o'clock, when their daughter, Carrie Massey, was married to Mr. Thomas Howard Moore, of Plainfield, N. J.

The bride was attired in Reseda broadcloth and carried roses and lily of the valley shower. Miss Annie Peters, sister of the bride, was made of honor and wore amethyst broadcloth and carried sweet peas. The groom was attended by Mr. John Bucklin, of Red Bank, N. J.

Miss Lucille Collins, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march as the bride and maid of honor descended stairs and entered the parlor, where in front of an embankment of green they were met by the groom and best man entering from a side door. Dr. T. E. Martindale performed the ceremony. The house was decorated in greens and potted plants, the color scheme being green and white.

Tuesday evening the relatives and most intimate friends of the contracting parties were informally entertained at the home of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore left on the 6.44 a. m. train for a trip North and will be at home in Plainfield after May 1.

CONFERENCE PROGRAM COMPLETED AND HOMES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED.

Everything Now In Readiness For The Opening Session Of The Methodist Episcopal Conference Which Will Convene In Salisbury March 16th.

Next month, on March 16th, the forty-second session of the Wilmington Annual Conference will be held in this city. Bishop John W. Hamilton, President of the Conference, will preside. The committee, which has had in charge the arrangement of the program and the work of securing places of entertainment for the visiting clergy, has completed its task, and the complete program, together with the assignment of homes, is published below.

MONDAY, MARCH 14.

8.00 p. m.—Examinations, Presbyterian Lecture Room. (Private.)
TUESDAY, MARCH 15.
2.00 p. m.—Evangelistic Institute. Speaker, Rev. W. H. Morgan, D. D.
8.00 p. m.—Missionary Sermon. Rev. E. C. MacNichol, D. D.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16.

9.00 a. m.—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
10.00 a. m.—Opening Session and Organization of the Conference, Bishop John W. Hamilton, L. L. D., Presiding.
2.00 p. m.—Evangelistic Institute. Speaker, Rev. Dr. W. H. Morgan.
8.00 p. m.—Popular Lecture by Bishop Hamilton, at the Court House, for the benefit of the injured San Francisco Churches, Subject, "Some Persons of Quality at Boston."

THURSDAY, MARCH 17.

8.30 a. m.—Devotions.
9.00 a. m.—Conference Session.
1.30 p. m.—Conference Claimants Anniversary. Chairman, Rev. H. S. Thompson. Speaker, Dr. J. B. Hingeley.
3.00 p. m.—Anniversary of Woman's Home Missionary Society. President, Mrs. C. C. Browne. Speaker, Mrs. Wilbur P. Thirkield.
7.30 p. m.—Anniversary of the Conference Epworth League. Chairman, Rev. D. J. Givan. Speaker, Rev. Dr. P. H. Swift, of Baltimore. Subject, "The Mission of the Epworth League."

FRIDAY, MARCH 18.

8.30 a. m.—Devotions.
9.00 a. m.—Conference Session.
10.00 a. m.—Bishop's Address to the "Class for Admission."
1.30 p. m.—Anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Chairman, Rev. C. T. Wyatt, D. D. Speaker, Rev. Henry Farmer, Washington, D. C.
3.00 p. m.—Board of Education. Chairman, Rev. H. W. Kellogg, D. D. Speaker, Dr. Thomas Nicholson.
7.30 p. m.—Board of Home Missions and Church Extension. Chairman, Rev. Adam Stengle. Speaker, Dr. Robert Forbes.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19.

8.30 a. m.—Devotions.
9.00 a. m.—Conference Session.
3.00 p. m.—Anniversary of Freedmen's Aid Society. Chairman, Rev. H. T. Quigg. Speaker, Dr. J. O. Spencer.
7.30 p. m.—Temperance Anniversary. Chairman, Rev. J. M. Arters. Speaker,

SUNDAY, MARCH 20.

9.30 a. m.—Conference Love Feast, in charge of Rev. C. W. Prettyman, D. D.
11.00 a. m.—Sermon, by Bishop John W. Hamilton, D. D.
2.00 p. m.—Anniversary of the Board of Sunday Schools. Chairman, Rev. W. G. Koons. Speaker, Rev. Dr. O. S. Baketel.
3.15 p. m.—Ordination of Deacons and Elders and Consecration of Deaconesses, in charge of Bishop Hamilton.
7.30 p. m.—Anniversary of Board of Foreign Missions. Chairman, H. S. Goldey. Speaker, Rev. Dr. John F. Goucher.

MONDAY, MARCH 21.

8.30 a. m.—Devotions.
9.00 a. m.—Conference Session.
Subsequent sessions will be at the order of the Conference.

Executive Committee

James E. Ellegood, Esq., Mr. William J. Downing, Mr. George W. Phillips, Mr. E. E. Twilley, Mr. Thomas H. Williams, Hon. William P. Jackson, Mr. Ernest Hearn, Dr. T. E. Martindale.

Following is the list of ministers and official visitors and the homes at which they will be entertained while in Salisbury.

Official Visitors

Bishop John W. Hamilton, D. D., President of the Conference. W. P. Jackson
Dr. William H. Morgan, Conductor of the Evangelistic Institute, J. E. Ellegood
Dr. L. T. Wideman, Agent Maryland Bible Society, M. E. Parsonage
Dr. Robert Forbes, Secretary Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, W. J. Downing
Dr. Franklin Hamilton, Chancellor of the American University, The Misses Houston
Dr. John F. Goucher, Board of Foreign Missions, Wm. H. Jackson
Dr. P. H. Swift, Guest of Conference Epworth League, L. Atwood Bennett
Rev. Harry Farmer, Speaker at Women's Foreign Missionary Meeting, President of M. E. Seminary, Manila, Jay Williams
Dr. O. S. Baketel, Board of Sunday Schools, J. E. Ellegood
Dr. J. O. Spencer, Board of Freedmen's Aid Society, W. P. Jackson
Speaker at Temperance Anniversary, W. J. Downing
Dr. J. B. Hingeley, Secretary Board of Conference Claimants, W. J. Downing
Dr. Thomas Nicholson, Secretary Board of Education, M. A. Humphreys
Dr. E. L. Cross, Principal Conference Academy, Mrs. G. W. Wilcox
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Mrs. H. H. Kluhnefelter, W. F. M. Society, W. J. Downing
Mrs. C. C. Browne, President Conference W. H. M. Society, W. H. Jackson
Mrs. Emma L. Weldon, Cor. Sec. W. H. M. Society, Miss Alice Humphreys
Mrs. Wilbur P. Thirkield, and V. P. Nat'l. W. H. M. S., Miss Alice Humphreys
H. S. Goldey, President Conference Board of Foreign Missions, M. V. Brewington
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Wilmington District Conference Steward, M. V. Brewington
R. M. Cooper, Conference Steward, Drs. W. G. & E. W. Smith

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WICOMICO'S GREEN DAG OPENED BY GOVERNOR.

Justices Of The Peace And One New Notary Public Appointed By The Governor—Mr. L. L. Price School Commissioner.

Many appointments for Wicomico county were included in the batch which were sent to the legislature by Governor Crothers Wednesday. They follow:

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE—William A. R. Bailey, Isaac L. English, George D. Freeny, Hanson S. Phillips, Minos B. Downing, William Denton, H. James Truitt, Samuel P. Parsons, William A. Trader, William S. Boston, Marcellus Dennis, Isaac P. Meadick, T. Rodney Jones, Walter C. Mann, Walter B. Stephens, Levin T. Walter, John F. Phillips, Henry D. Powell and Frederick N. Hall.

NOTARIES PUBLIC—Elizabeth L. Wailes, Mary E. Hearn, Funnell T. White, H. C. Fulton, George R. Hill, Thomas J. Walter, Joseph J. W. Perdue, Minos A. Davis, Howard M. Ruark and Dallas H. Hearn.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER—Isaac L. Price.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Clerk of the Court Toadvine this week:

Adkins-Mitchell:—Johnnie E. Adkins, 21, and Jennie M. Mitchell, Wicomico county.

Hill-Dawns:—Geo. R. Hill, 27, and Alice Downs, 19, Wicomico county.

Dalby-Thrift:—Harry E. Dalby, 22, and Emma K. Thrift, 17, Wicomico county.

Richards-Parsons:—Harry D. Richards, 21, and Nancy E. Parsons, 20, Wicomico county.

Phipps-Richardson:—Reuben G. Phipps, 48, Chincoteague, Va., and Hattie Richardson, 29, Wicomico county.

Small-Cordray:—Joseph W. Small, 23, and Clarissa P. Cordray, 20, Wicomico county.

Moore-Peters:—Thomas H. Moore, 35, N. J., and Carrie Peters, 34, Wicomico county.

Parsons-Short:—Benj. H. Parsons, 22, and Lena B. Short, 18, Wicomico county.

Phippin-Snyder:—Jno. P. Phippin, 62, and Mary Snyder, 38, Wicomico county.

Kirwan-Mason:—Isaac S. Kirwan, 35, div. recd. Baltimore, and Lillie May Mason, 20, Virginia.

Famous Southern Orator.

Salisbury will indeed enjoy a treat next Tuesday night when Ex. Gov. Glenn of North Carolina, will deliver a lecture in Ullman's Opera House under the auspices of the Young Men's Club of the M. P. Church. His subject, "Our Country, Its Dangers and Possibilities," is one of which true Americans never tire.

It is seldom that a City the size of Salisbury has to come to it, a man of such national reputation as Ex. Gov. Glenn. He is a typical Southern orator, and is considered one of the most powerful speakers in America today.

It has been learned that a large number of people from the country and nearby towns are coming to hear Ex. Gov. Glenn. Tickets are fast being redeemed at the box office, and it looks as if a packed house is assured for Tuesday night.

Two Performances Cancelled.

The two remaining engagements of the Maryland-Delaware Stock Company which were to be given at Ullman's Opera House Friday, February 25 and Friday, March 4th, have been cancelled, owing to the illness of Miss Edna Marshall, the star of the aggregation. The following letter which was received by Manager Ullman Monday is self explanatory:

Mr. I. Ullman,
Dear Sir:—
Miss Edna Marshall is very ill and as I cannot replace her on such short notice, I am compelled to cancel the rest of my engagements with you. Yours truly,
Max Rosenberg, Mgr.

Phipps-Richardson.

The marriage of Miss Hattie Richardson, of this city, and Mr. Reuben G. Phipps, of Chincoteague, Va., was solemnized at the home of the bride Wednesday evening, February 23rd, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Phipps will reside in Chincoteague.

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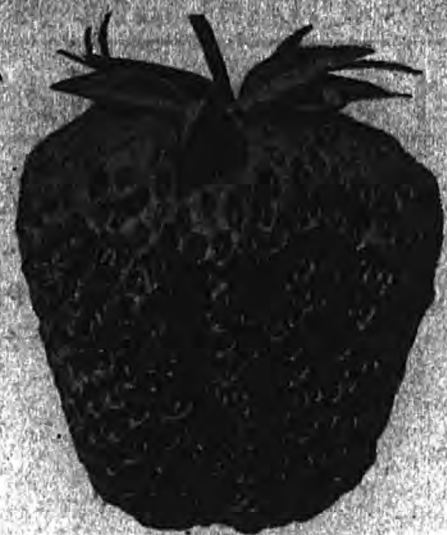
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This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Wicomico County letters of administration on the personal estate of J. A. Bradley, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit same, with the vouchers thereon, on or before the Ninth day of August, 1910, or they may be excluded from all the benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this Ninth day of February, 1910.

PAUL E. WATSON,
Executor.
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Register of Wills for Wicomico Co.

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Augustus A. Crooks, a fruit inspector for the Atlantic Fruit Dispatch Company, died in Cumberland, after an operation performed on his head, which was crushed in an accident.

The investigation of the murder of Watchman Collins and the burning of the plant at Crisfield still continues, with no solution of the mystery in sight.

His Lesson in Golf.
A prominent business man, not long since become afflicted with a bad case of "golitis"—that is, he joined the army of cranks at the game, wanted to play all the time, talk of nothing else, etc. As is the case with all "duffers," he had his troubles at the start, and the way he fired questions at his friends was a caution. His golf acquaintances accommodatingly replied with all sorts of remedies, until finally the bewildered one got his stenographer to jot them down. One friend's advice included three points—first, keeping the eye on the ball; second, the necessity of hitting the ball with an easy stroke, and, third, the use of a rocking horse to develop the stroke. The fact that the friend had a keen sense of humor did not occur to the tyro until later. He immediately purchased a large rocking horse and after business hours seated himself astride the fiery charger and swung at the ball, which was securely fastened to the floor by a strong cord. He has learned a thing or two since. The hobbyhorse is no more, and he has vowed to get square with "Mr. Joker" if it takes a thousand years.—New York Tribune.

Subduing a Bully.
A writer in a Vladivostok paper tells of an encounter he once witnessed on a Siberian train between a lady and a nobleman.

When the train pulled up at Tsitkhar, in Manchuria, a Manchurian noble who had bullied all his fellow passengers, alighted at the station restaurant after warning them that he would decapitate any of them who took his seat. During his absence a smartly dressed young Russian lady entered the car and, despite the alarmed expostulations of its occupants, calmly appropriated the seat. When the noble returned he flew into a passion and advanced threateningly with his curved saber drawn. But the young woman coolly covered him with a shining revolver.

"Do you take us for a pack of cowardly mandarins?" she exclaimed, and then, pointing to her feet, she remarked, "Here is your place, my hero."

The Manchurian noble surrendered and sat at her feet for the rest of the journey.

Hugo and the Barber.
When Victor Hugo lived in Paris in the Place Royale he used to be shaved by a barber named Brassier. A friend of the poet asked the barber one day if he was busy. "I hardly know which way to turn," was the reply. "We have to dress the hair of thirty ladies for sores and boils." And M. Brassier showed the list to his friend. A few days after the friend returned and inquired about the thirty ladies. "Ah, monsieur," said the barber sadly, "I was not able to attend half the number, and I have lost many good customers through M. Victor Hugo." It appears that the poet when about to be shaved was suddenly inspired and seized the first piece of paper he could find to write a poem. Hugo hastily left the shop with his unfinished verses, on the back of which were the names and addresses of the thirty ladies, many of whom waited in vain for their coiffeur.

Used the Wrong Gender.
A Frenchman with an imperfect knowledge of English was once called upon for an after dinner speech. He struggled along manfully for a few minutes, managing to turn one or two good phrases. Finally he excused himself from further effort by saying, "I will no longer cockroach on your time." An Englishman sitting next to him at the table remarked: "Your speech was doosed clever, bah Jove! But you used the wrong word at the close, don't you know. You should have said 'I will no longer henroach upon your time.'"

A Curious Stone.
A curious stone is the alexandrite. It is a dark green stone that is polished, cut and set, very like a fine topaz or amethyst, in large showy rings surrounded by diamonds. By the light of day the alexandrite has no special beauty save its fine luster, but directly a shaft of artificial light strikes the dull stone deep gleams of red flash out of the green, and under the gas or in the daylight one ignorant of this vagary would instantly pronounce it a ruby.

Keeping Up Appearances.
Husband (suddenly waking up at dead of night)—What in the world was that noise? Wife (calmly)—It's all right, dear. The guests of the Moneybags' ball are just coming home. I slipped down and gave our front door a slam, so the neighbors would think we were there.—New York Journal.

He Found It Was.
Judge (to prisoner)—You are charged with having seriously injured your wife by including her in a folding bed. What have you to say for yourself? Prisoner—Your honor, I wished to see if it was possible to shut her up.

The Rescue.
The Major—What's this I hear, David, about your nearly saving a man from drowning? David—I did save 'im from drowning, only the life buoy 'im on the 'ead and killed 'im.—London Tatler.

Did Not See It Before.
Miss Eastside—That is a lovely gown, but haven't I seen it before? Miss Westside—No; I think not. I have only worn it at a very few smart affairs this season.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Study for Tomorrow, "False And True Discipleship," Ably Discussed By A Local Writer.

Golden Text:—Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

In this lesson a great picture taken from the sermon on the mount is before us. It shows the whole world brought under the laws of the new kingdom as therein laid down, and we also get a glimpse of a second world wherein every inhabitant lives by these laws, governed by them, where no sin entered, man, where the ideal of spiritual life has been attained, and the environments are perfect to match it. There is a gate-way into this kingdom. It is difficult of entrance, and narrow is the way, difficult of travel, very difficult at first. There are always two things of interest about a way,—how pleasant it is, and where it leads to.

The way of the world is broad, and yet not always pleasant. What are its disagreeable things, and why leave it? As we advance the senses derive less and less satisfaction from its pleasures. Habit is a hard task-master and becomes tyrannical, and the way becomes uninviting, the future more contracted, without the hope of improvement.

The road to the kingdom of Christ is narrow and difficult, but more inviting from day to day as it unfolds new beauties. The way grows easier as we progress, and leads to a great expanse of light and truth with full enjoyment. Men complain of the narrowness of the road to the kingdom; we would not change it, to make it easier would lower the standard of the ideal heaven. Jesus did not make the way narrow,—eternal truth and justice made it so. Christ stated the fact, and endeavors to open the way, and offers assistance in the way. Is it possible that but few find this way? It was then; but some day, when the kingdom shall be complete and no sin in it, there will be many. Read J. h's prophecy in Revelations of what it shall be.

How may we know that we are in the way? By our fruits,—that is the great test of character. Fruits draw the line between profession and true works. The parable of the man who built a house makes this clear. Works of virtue, spiritually, is the house of character we build, and Christ, and the laws of this kingdom, is the rock foundation upon which we build. It is high ground, difficult of approach, the ideal is high. The sandy soil is near by, easy at first, looks well, is inviting, but not firm. The ideal is not firmly set, the winds of temptation and floods of adversity will dash it to pieces, and the fall is humiliating.

Every one is invited to enter in at this gate to the kingdom, but it requires a great change. We forsake so much to go through this narrow way, but it is good for us. A young man who was wealthy came to Jesus one day asking to be shown this gateway, and when he found it, it was so narrow that he could not get his riches through, and he went away sorrowing. The high ideal appealed to him, the security of the life was attractive, but he could not forsake his load. Others laden with earthly pleasures and selfish motives, and many with all the things forbidden in the laws of this kingdom come up to this gateway and are unable to enter. It requires a complete surrender to enter and become a citizen of this kingdom. It requires a declaration of intentions and a acknowledgment of allegiance to the King to become a partaker of its benefits. As to the benefits,—in this kingdom is a Tree of Life, and a River of Water for the healing of the nations.

The people who heard this great sermon were astonished. They had often heard the teachings of the day read, the Rabbin of the Pharisee and Sadducee expounded belief in this and that special doctrine, but this sermon sounded like authority, it carried conviction with it. It was truth made plain, everyone could understand, it appealed to a consciousness within them that could not deny its force. The truth and righteousness of this teaching was the great force back of it, and is still back of it, forcing it into the hearts and lives of men today.

Yet there is opposition to the truth. Error, the negative force, is ever against truth. There is no force without an opposing force. Truth brings error into relief, which, to shield itself, evolves false doctrine of which we are warned. False doctrine is evidenced to history, a history of failure upon its part to make good. It is making history today which will a timely record the complete overthrow of error.

Opposition to Christianity offers nothing to replace what it strives to overthrow. It has no counter proposition. It rests at the negative. The world today offers but scant enjoyment from anything unjustly acquired. A spirit of socialism born of the teaching of Christianity is the great leaven that is awakening new ethics in the masses, and the act that does not bear its scrutiny evokes a criticism calculated to deter a repetition of the act. This is wherein "the mills of God grind slow, but exceedingly fine."

Truth and righteousness is positive and enduring. It offers all that may be reached out for. Upon its ethical consciousness rests secure and the faith and hope of the follower of it becomes a ground of assurance that he may become heir to all its benefits. It is the way to this narrow? Perhaps it is, but how the way broadens and brightens as it develops into the perfect day.

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Princess Anne Grange met last Tuesday afternoon and nine new members were added. The officers were installed by Organizer Dawson assisted by Mr. F. B. Allen. This grange will have a rally day Saturday, February 26th, and the ladies will serve refreshments. At a meeting of Marion Grange Wednesday afternoon 14 new members were added. Another meeting will be held Thursday afternoon, February 24th, when their officers will be installed. Granges will also be organized at Costen Station and Marumco and a meeting looking to the same end will be held in Crisfield Wednesday evening, February 23d.

TO FLY TO NORTH POLE.

Dr. F. J. Fielding's Plans For Aerial Arctic Trip.

Dr. Frederick J. Fielding of San Antonio, Tex., who won a trophy for making the longest balloon trip out of Chicago two years ago, says that he is very much in earnest in his proposition to make a journey to the north pole and back in a dirigible balloon. He already has his plans well advanced, and when a few more of the necessary details are arranged he will let the contract for the construction of the big balloon. It will hold 200,000 cubic feet of gas and carry 6,000 pounds burden.

Dr. Fielding has made a close study of balloons for several years, and the new craft will embody a number of new ideas that he believes will be advantageous in its operation. It will be built for speed and comfort. The power equipment will consist of a gasoline engine of 200 horsepower, which Dr. Fielding claims will drive the cigar shaped balloon through the air at a speed of 100 miles an hour. He expects to accomplish the daring journey with ease, and the trip both ways, including a short stay at the pole, ought not to take more than eight or ten days, probably much less time than that, he says. His equipment and supplies will be ample for all possible emergencies. A tank containing 25,000 cubic feet of extra gas to replenish the supply for the balloon will be taken along. A sled and team of dogs, a scientist of note and one or two other congenial companions will also be taken along.

It is not to be a trip of exploration, but one of verification. Careful observations will be taken to settle any disputed questions that may arise as to the records of exploration that have already been made in the far north. The starting point has not yet been decided upon. Owing to the rapidity with which the journey can be made it would be feasible to start from some point in Canada or the northern part of the United States. Dr. Fielding is a man of wealth and will finance the expedition out of his own pocket.

BAN ON TOBACCO.

Pennsylvania Railroad Giving Preference to Nonusers of the Weed.

Employees of the Pennsylvania railroad at Pittsburg have been ordered to refrain from the use of tobacco while on duty and also have been requested to break themselves of the habit. Applicants for positions are questioned closely regarding tobacco, and scores who admitted themselves confirmed tobacco users have failed to get positions.

As yet the order has been applied only to office forces and to those handling passenger trains.

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SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1910

Clean Shops And Pure Foods.

The proposed organization of a Board of Health in Wicomico county is decidedly a movement in the right direction. The county has long needed the enforcement of laws looking to better sanitation. Another important item should be embodied in the bill before it is introduced into the Legislature, and that is a provision for the frequent inspection of all stores and shops selling articles of food. Can there be anything any more unhealthy than a square box filled with saw dust and contaminated mucus matter hawked, coughed up and spit forth from the tobacco stained mouths of idlers and loafers in a grocery store? Is there a worse germ breeder and disease carrier than the barrels of refuse and garbage which are frequently found in the back rooms of butcher shops?

A frequent inspection of the dairies from which our milk and butter are delivered is also essential in the enforcement of laws intended to preserve the health of the community. In the larger cities it is believed that more disease and suffering have been caused from the consumption of impure milk, principally among children, than from any other known source. These things should not be overlooked in placing the proposed law upon the statutes of this State. Another condition which should receive the attention of the authorities at once is the waste matter on our city streets. At any and all times the principal thoroughfares in the business section are littered with paper and refuse from the stores. In this, however, the merchants are not wholly responsible, and the condition did not exist before the removal of the garbage carts from the streets by the action of the Mayor and Council. One thing is certain; Salisbury needs a Board of Health, also it needs a garbage system in order that the constant collection of fifth and litter may be systematically removed from its streets and byways. Cleanliness is the very fundamental law of sanitation, and unless it is enforced all the enactments which could be heaped upon the statute books of Maryland could not make a cleaner, healthier Salisbury.

Mr. Price's Appointment And Minority Representation.

Just why it is that the Governors of Maryland invariably appoint a man to represent the minority on the Wicomico County School Board who is in no way affiliated with the Republican party is one of the problems which can only be solved by a complete and honest confession on the part of the appointees. They only know why they were selected. The latest appointment, which was published in the Baltimore papers of Thursday, is but a confirmation of the truth.

Wicomico county is supposed to have minority representation on the School Board—representation that it has not had for a number of years. When the present minority member was named

by the Governor for the place it was done over the protest of the Republicans of this county and in the absence of any official endorsement of the State Central Committee. The recent appointee of Governor Crothers has not been recognized for a number of years as a Republican, and it should be distinctly understood that he, like his predecessor, will receive his commission over the protest of the recognized members of the Republicans of this county. The reasons for his selection are best known to himself and to those who are responsible for the official action which has been taken.

It is quite probable that Mr. Price will prove to be a valuable member of the Board. His business experience, especially in financial matters will undoubtedly be of intrinsic worth. It is not because we feel that Mr. Price is in any way incompetent that we mention these facts. The law provides that Wicomico county shall have minority representation on the School Board, and it is in simple justice to the party and to place the responsibility where it rightfully and unquestionably belongs that we give the matter publicity.

Editorial Jottings.

Will the fact that two fashion followers in St. Louis, Mo., contracted leprosy from "rats" made of hair imported from Asia be an object lesson to other women?

Where is the dredging machine which ought, by this time, to be slinging the mud from the bottom of Lake Humphreys? What has happened to the Lake Syndicate, anyway!

Those few persons on Broad street and Poplar Hill avenue who have put down cement sidewalks certainly set a splendid example, but so far the remaining property owners seem to be extremely dull of comprehension.

If Senator Aldrich can save \$300,000,000 annually by simply placing Governmental affairs on a business-like basis, it seems to us that the gentleman from Rhode Island would be an admirable successor to the present head of the Postoffice Department.

Preliminary to the formal launching of a movement to establish a permanent Board of Health in Salisbury, it might be a good thing if the city authorities would inspect the source from which Salisbury gets its water supply. They could then see with their own eyes the slimy, filthy water which lies stagnant on the surface directly over the driven wells from which we drink.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Crisis to Character". Junior Endeavor Temperance Service at 3 p. m.; Special Christian Endeavor Services at 6:45 p. m.; Mid week service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9:30; preaching at 11; and preaching at 7:30 by the pastor; Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.; Brotherhood at 6:45, led by Mr. Glen Perdue. Mid-week Prayer Meeting Thursday night.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30, W. A. Crew, Supt.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; morning sermon at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion every Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30. Services and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Riverside Chapel, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Regular services tomorrow. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. subject, "What the Bible Says About Jesus". Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 6:45; sermon at 7:30 o'clock, by the pastor, subject, "Dreamers".

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 2:30, Geo. Kersey, Supt.; preaching at 3:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11 a. m. and praise service at 7:30.

Doings Of The Council

The following business was transacted at Monday night's meeting of the City Council:

Building permits were granted as follows: Robert D. Kenny, blacksmith shop on Upton Street; W. Cleveland Carey, dwelling on South Division Street; Merrill Morris, dwelling on South Division Street.

The Council decided to purchase 8,900 to 10,000 bushels of shells from Capt. R. G. Evans & Son, at 3 cents per bushel, delivered; also \$5,000 to 20,000 from J. M. Clayton & Co., of Hoopers Island at the same price. Clerk was instructed to order the shells at once. The Council will buy about 50,000 bushels more for street improvements this spring.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city, on the day named:

March 23, 1910.—Chart Engraver, Navy Department.

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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Geo. B. Gray cleans, sponges and removes the gloss from your suit for 50 cents. 125 Main St.

—Miss Jessie Richardson, of Salisbury, will leave Friday for Baltimore where she has secured a position.

—LOST:—Gold locket and chain, heart shaped. Has three initials, M.B.C. engraved. Return to 417 Camden Ave.

—An attendance of all the members of the King's Daughters is requested at the home of Mrs. D. J. Wheaton Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—After paying all expenses of the lecture by John Kendrick Bangs, the Board of Lady Managers of the Hospital cleared \$90.00 on the venture.

—Miss Coral Collins is in Baltimore this week selecting her line of Spring and Summer millinery. She will hold her opening at Hebron, March 4 and 5.

—Every husband owes it to his wife, his children—born and unborn and himself, to read the book "Knowledge vs. Ignorance". For sale at White & Leonard's.

—WANTED:—Girl for position in office. Knowledge of stenography not necessary but must write neat hand. Apply Eastern Shore Real Estate Company, 211 N. Division St.

—The Farmers Institute will meet in the Court House, Salisbury, March 3rd and 4th. All the farmers are invited to attend. An interesting program will be prepared for the occasion.

—Messrs. Wm. A. Crew and Isaac L. Price are in Chicago this week attending a meeting of the National Concrete Association. Mr. Crew is representing the National Concrete Vault Co., of Salisbury.

—The plans for the new warehouse and addition to the present buildings of the Turner Brothers Company have been submitted by the architects. The building operations are to be commenced at once.

—Dr. Harry C. Tull, has purchased, through the local agents, Messrs. F. A. Grier & Sons, a Hudson automobile. The car was delivered yesterday. It is a roadster model and is fully equipped with all the latest appliances.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor leaves next week for Philadelphia and Baltimore where she will attend the openings, and will purchase a full line of up-to-date millinery. Mrs. Taylor will carry the largest and most exclusive line of millinery in the city.

—One thousand feet of new fire hose for the Salisbury Fire Department arrived Friday. The Department now has 3,500 feet of first class hose, besides several hundred feet of old hose. The new hose is one of the best and latest patterns made.

—Mr. D. J. Wheaton, in the near future, will build a handsome new residence on the lot on North Division street which he purchased last year from Mr. Charles J. Birchhead. The new residence is to be of brick and will be an imposing structure.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor will have a "special silk sale" Friday and Saturday March 4th and 5th. These two days only. Sale will be strictly cash. Silks will be sold for less than cost; there are great bargains and you cannot afford to miss them, also ribbon remnants.

—Mr. George R. Collier contemplates the building of a modern home in the Spring. The plans have been prepared and are now in the hands of the contractors. Dr. Collier's residence is to be built on the lot adjoining the D. J. Wheaton property on North Division street.

—Preparations for the coming packing season in the counties of the Eastern Shore are being made and signing of contracts has begun. Prices are ranging from \$7 to \$9 a ton for tomatoes, the high price of \$9 being contracted by some Dorchester county packers.

—Judge James A. Pearce, of Chestertown as agent for his sister, Mrs. M. C. Ringgold, of Salisbury, has sold the farm in Queen Anne County, known as the lower "Wye" or "Hobbs Farm" to Capt. Charles W. Bueler. The farm contains 244 acres and the price paid was \$10,500.

—Plans have been arranged by the Salisbury Ice Company by which a large number of towns along the B. & A. and N. Y., P. & N. Railroads will be served with ice daily by wagon service during the coming Summer. The ice will be shipped each day from the plant in this city and a wagon will be permanently located in each town.

—An auto-delivery wagon is something which, with the exception of the L. W. Gunby Co.'s truck, has not as yet been brought to use in this vicinity. A carload of these vehicles was received this week by the Farmers & Planters Company and it is expected that they will be disposed of to local farmers and city merchants. These machines are 20 horse power and are equipped with solid rubber tires which are guaranteed to wear for several years.

—Rev. W. T. M. Beale, pastor of the Wicomico Presbyterian church, will have as his subject at tomorrow morning "The Glorious Gospel" 1 Timothy 1:11 and tomorrow evening "Woman's Sphere, Proverbs 31:25" Mr. Beale has been requested to speak upon these subjects as has been the case with all of the subjects upon which Mr. Beale has spoken the at regular church services during the past month.

—The students of the eleventh grad of the Wicomico, Delmar and Sharptown High Schools will make a trip to Annapolis next Tuesday. An arrangement has been made through the efforts of Superintendent Holloway and Delegate Twilley by which Governor Crothers has consented to transport the pupils from Calhoun to the Capitol City on the State steamer "Governor McLean". The trip is in connection with the study of civil government and is taken so that the students may attend an actual session of the Legislature. They will be received by the Governor at the Executive Mansion after which they will visit the many historical buildings at Annapolis.

Personal.

—Mr. Clarence Russell spent Wednesday in Laurel.

—Mr. Irving Russell is visiting in Baltimore this week.

—Mr. S. P. Woodcock was in Philadelphia this week.

—Miss Edith Miller, of Easton, is visiting friends here.

—Miss Maria Ellegood is visiting friends in Baltimore.

—Miss Louise Veasey was in Baltimore several days last week.

—Mr. J. W. Hirots was in Chestertown several days this week.

—Mrs. W. Upshur Polk visited relatives in Snow Hill this week.

—Mr. Lewis Reed, of Wilmington, was a visitor in town this week.

—Miss Martha Toadvine entertained the "500" club Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Venables spent the week end with relatives at Maryland.

—Mrs. J. D. Showell and daughter Miss Elizabeth were in Pocomoke this week.

—Miss Alice Carey, of near Portsmouth, Va., was in town several days this week.

—Mrs. L. D. Collier left this week for Baltimore, where she will visit friends and relatives.

—Miss Lane, of Easton, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Leroy Lane, on Camden Ave.

—Mrs. John H. White, who has been in Baltimore for some time, has returned home.

—Miss Mary Dennis gave a "bean" party to several of her young friends Saturday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Peters entertained a few friends Tuesday evening at their home "Fairfield."

—Mrs. William Hall and daughter Bernice, of Crisfield, were guests of Mrs. George Nealey this week.

—Mrs. George Nealey entertained a number of her friends Tuesday afternoon at her home on Broad street.

—Mr. Howard H. Ruark, of this city, spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Dick, at Cambridge.

—Mrs. M. A. Humphreys, who has been visiting Miss Edna More, in New York, returned home Saturday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer C. Gullett, who have been in Philadelphia for the past ten days, returned home Thursday.

—Misses Clara Riggan and Mattie Eskridge, of Laurel, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Russell last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillerman, of Haverstraw, arrived in Salisbury this week, where they will make their future home.

—Mrs. E. Stanley Tondvin entertained a few friends Monday evening after the lecture to meet Mr. John Kendrick Bangs.

—A George Washington reception was given by several members of Trinity M. E. Church, South, Tuesday evening, at the church.

—Misses Lucile Collins, Richardson and Paine, of Snow Hill, and Mrs. Massey, of Wilmington, were house guests at "Fairfield" this week.

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An Aeroplane Elopement

A Story of 1935

By JASON JUDSON

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It was the old story with a variation only to occur in these days when our wealthier classes have money. Miss Anita Beriton loved a poor man, and her father desired that she should wed a rich one. Young Van Damme Follansbee had but a beggarly ten million, while the old widower Plankinham Forkenpaker possessed a cool billion. Follansbee should have seen the propriety of asking for a girl he could not support in the style to which she had been accustomed, but he came of an old Dutch family on his mother's side, and the Dutchmen who settled New York were proverbially obstinate and stupid.

One would suppose that the Beritons, who owned a railroad starting from New York, running to New Orleans and thence around the Pacific coast and back through Canada, might afford to let their daughter marry a poor man. But a panic at the time of the courtship had reduced their dividends to 20 per cent, and they felt unusually poor. Mrs. Beriton, who had married her husband when he was a brakeman on one of the railroads which he afterward united in the circular coast line system and became that system's owner, sympathized with her daughter, but Beriton swore a round oath that he would have no beggars in his family.

On the morning of June 10, 1935, Miss Anita Beriton was sitting with her mother and a younger sister in the spacious roof garden of her father's residence occupying the four blocks between Five Hundred and Tenth and Five Hundred and Fourteenth streets and avenues D and E, New York, when Mrs. Beriton proposed a ride. One of the family aeroplanes was called and in a few minutes it was up the roof garden. Mr. Beriton, fearing that his daughter Anita might in some of these rides elope with Follansbee, had given orders that August Spindleton, a driver of his own choosing, should at all times conduct the machine, and on this occasion Spindleton was in his accustomed seat.

Mrs. Beriton and her two daughters entered the machine, which rose, lightly circling upward for a thousand feet, when Spindleton was directed to proceed southward along the coast for a brief trip to Annapolis. They were moving at a moderate pace of some sixty miles an hour, when Spindleton cast a glance to the right and, seeing a machine coming toward the party, clapped on double speed.

Mr. Beriton's fears had proved to be well grounded. Mr. Van Damme Follansbee was out in a machine of a new pattern and was bearing down upon them. It was evident that Follansbee was intending to get into communication with Mrs. Anita Beriton.

Spindleton was true to his employer. He drove his machine at its best speed, passing over cities, bays and rivers, but his aeroplane was gradually gained upon by Follansbee. Hovering over Philadelphia, Spindleton endeavored to descend, but Follansbee glided down like a bird and reached a plane beneath him. Spindleton then rose and made a bee line for Baltimore. But Follansbee, evidently with the determination to drive him out to sea, got to the west of him and forced him over Chesapeake bay. In a few minutes more the pursuer had the party over Fortress Monroe, flying due east.

The race was won. Spindleton was not prepared to cross the ocean, and there was no way for him to get back except by encountering Follansbee. Spindleton slowed down, and Follansbee glided up beside the Beriton aeroplane. A conference took place, after which Mrs. Beriton and her two daughters stepped from their own aeroplane into that of Mr. Follansbee.

Meanwhile Mr. Beriton had left the roof of his office building downtown in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, intending to go home. Soon after rising he saw in the direction of his mansion an aeroplane starting, and, seeing a glass he always carried in the smoking room of his capacious bird-car, brought it to bear on the one just setting out. Discovering that its occupants were his wife and daughters with his own aviator in control, he was about to lay aside his glass when he saw another aeroplane hovering near his home. Bringing his glass to bear on this machine, he saw Follansbee alone in it and just starting for the one occupied by the Beritons.

Mr. Beriton noticed that Follansbee's aeroplane was of a kind he had not seen before. It was of the bird type, and on its prow was a sharp ram. The merchant was at once filled with apprehension. It was plain that Follansbee was bent on some course connected with the Beriton family, but it was impossible to imagine what that course would be. It was not to be expected that he would run down the Beriton car and thereby precipitate the girl he loved to a distance of some 500 feet. Nevertheless he was soon in full chase. Mr. Beriton directed his aviator to follow the two aeroplanes.

Unfortunately for Mr. Beriton's success in overtaking the others, his car was equipped with several apartments fitted up luxuriously and carrying a large supply of food and drinkables though furnished with the latest pattern of engines. It was not to be ex-

pected that this machine could compete for speed with the lighter machines. However, he followed close on their heels, getting near them at Trenton, losing them over Wilmington, again coming in sight of them at Baltimore. While passing over Virginia his aviator slowed up to tighten a loose nut, and after this the fugitives were lost to him entirely.

After Spindleton's surrender he was permitted to go where he liked. Making a bee line for Richmond, he met his employer over the peninsula. The two drew up side by side, and while hovering the aviator gave Mr. Beriton an account of what had happened.

"What are the best points of your machine?" asked the latter.

"Quick rising and an ability to fly in an air."

"Good. To fight this pauper we must get above him. To bring him to terms we must have bombs to drop on him."

"But the bombs will annihilate your own wife and daughter as well as Mr. Follansbee."

"He cannot sacrifice them to his own covetousness. Our success depends on our obtaining a commanding position."

Stepping into the Spindleton machine, he permitted the one he left to go where it liked—to the moon if it chose—and he and Spindleton started for the nearest city, Richmond. There they procured bombs and, rising, started in the direction Spindleton had left Follansbee and the Beritons.

There was a hubbub in Follansbee's aeroplane as soon as Spindleton left. Mrs. Beriton, sympathizing with Miss Anita, would have been glad to give her consent that the party should swoop down for a clergyman that the lovers might be married, but she feared her husband's displeasure. The younger Miss Beriton was indifferent. The lovers finally prevailed over the elder lady's caution, and it was decided that the marriage should take place.

Being a couple of hundred miles out at sea, not a likely place to find a clergyman, Follansbee turned his machine toward the land. But time had been spent in coming to a decision, and he was too late. When fifty miles off Norfolk the machine bearing Mr. Beriton, driven by Spindleton, appeared over Virginia beach, like a seagull, standing northeast.

Follansbee considered. A great deal of power had been used in his machine since starting, and he knew it had not the capacity for a long quick run with the coming aeroplane. It was to supply this very defect—in other words, to be ready to turn and fight—that he had provided his bird with a ram. If the worst came he would smash the pursuing flier and drop its owner into the waves below. But he hoped this would not be necessary. However, in order that the contest should take place over water he made a pretense of flight.

When Mr. Beriton reached a point some two miles distant from Follansbee the latter saw his machine suddenly rise in a spiral. He divined the upshot of the maneuver in a moment. Bombs had been so long used that it was evident the enemy had procured them and, getting on a higher plane, would command the situation. The Beriton car climbed a thousand feet; then Follansbee, who was a splendid aviator, made for a point directly over Follansbee.

The lover knew his enemy's determined nature and that he would place him in a position to be bombed or to yield. Of course he would have to yield. He therefore put on all speed, but, of course, moved slowly, losing ground because it was essential that he move on a rising incline.

Notwithstanding the power of Follansbee's aeroplane to rise in this gradual fashion, Mr. Beriton maintained a position above him. Mrs. Beriton begged Follansbee to give up the fight, but the young man was contending for a half billion dollar bride and was not to be discouraged. When Mr. Beriton was a mile away and 500 feet above him Follansbee lighted a fuse, threw the end over the car and waited. The other end of the fuse was attached to a rocket-like firework, fixed to the bottom of the car, which in a few moments was ignited, and, blowing off a great quantity of burning powder, the aeroplane shot rapidly upward.

When this sudden ascent ceased Follansbee was on a level with his enemy and but fifty yards away.

"I'm about to ram you, sir!" cried Follansbee.

"Don't!" pleaded Mrs. Beriton.

There was a pause. Mr. Beriton saw that the game was lost.

"What's your terms?" he asked.

"Consent to my marriage with your daughter."

"Very well," replied the merchant.

"I will consent, but positively refuse to give her a dowry of more than a hundred millions."

The terms were accepted, and both aeroplanes started for the Beriton residence, where the past was forgotten and his future son-in-law's ability to beat him in the game of aerial ships. The wedding took place with great brilliancy, another \$100,000,000 being added to the settlement in order to enable the young couple to maintain their position in the highest circles.

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Order Nisi.

Morris A. Walton versus Walter E. Nicholson, Lillie E. Nicholson, his wife.

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, to Right No. 1829, January Term, 1910.

Ordered, by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, this 10th day of February, 1910, that the Sale of the Property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Elmer H. Walton, attorney for Morris A. Walton, for the purpose of foreclosure under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage to said Morris A. Walton from Walter E. Nicholson and Lillie E. Nicholson, his wife, dated June 7, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico Co. in Liber E. A. T. No. 63, folio 128, and the distribution in said report of sale be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of March next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico Co. once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of March next.

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Wilmington	10:44	12:05	3:44

Leave		Arrive	
Delmar	1:30	3:01	7:00
Salisbury	1:45	3:10	7:15
Cape Charles	4:40	6:15	10:25
Old Point Comfort	6:35	8:05	
Norfolk (arrive)	7:30	9:05	

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Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Norfolk	8:00	6:15	
Old Point Comfort	8:45	7:15	
Cape Charles	10:55	9:30	4:00
Salisbury	1:50	12:25	7:40
Delmar	2:10	1:03	7:05

Arrive		Leave	
Wilmington	4:40	4:10	10:15
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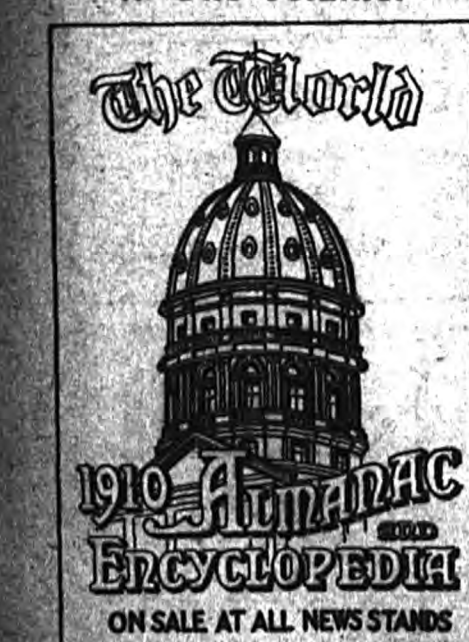
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Order of Publication

Martha E. Parsons and Leonard Parsons, her husband, vs. Elmer H. Walton and George W. Bell, Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Roscoe Grant Jones.

No. 1833 Chancery, in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to have Lots No. 1 and 4 of the real estate of Richard P. Jones as per plot, in 1853 Chancery in this Court, conveyed to said Martha E. Jones, free from all claims, right title and interest of said Trustees, and of the unknown heirs at law of said Roscoe Grant Jones.

The bill states that by a decree of this Court, passed in No. 1653 Chancery, the said Walton and Bell were appointed Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and that having passed as such Trustees, they sold enough of the real estate of said Richard P. Jones to pay all his indebtedness. That at the request of the said Martha E. and Roscoe Grant Jones, the Trustees did not sell Lots 1 and 4 of said Richard P. Jones real estate, as shown by the said Trustees report filed in said 1653 Chancery. That through inadvertence, the real estate as unsold was not conveyed to the said Martha E. Jones (now Parsons) and Roscoe Grant Jones, the widow and son, and only heirs at law of said Richard P. Jones. That Roscoe Grant Jones died in August, 1908, intestate leaving as his only known heirs at law, his mother, Martha E. Jones (now Parsons) his other heirs at law, if any, being unknown.

That she is entitled to have the said real estate conveyed to her in fee simple, so as to remove any doubt or uncertainties as to her title to same, and make it merchantable and asking for process against said Trustees and the unknown heirs at law of Grant Jones. It is thereupon the 29th day of January, in the year 1910, ordered that the Plaintiff give notice to the unknown heirs at law of said Roscoe Grant Jones by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once a week for four successive weeks before the 5th day of March, next, of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 29th day of March, next, and answer the premises and abide by and perform such decrees as may be passed therein.

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BEN TILLMAN OF SOUTH CAROLINA

How Hard Study Cost the Palmetto State Senator an Eye. Odd Experience With a Senate Page.

By WALTON WILLIAMS.

SOUTH CAROLINA has been represented in the United States senate by many notable men, among the number having been John C. Calhoun and Robert Young Hayne, who debated with Webster, but of them all there was no more picturesque figure than Benjamin Ryan Tillman. Senator Tillman was born in Edgelyield county, S. C., on Aug. 11, 1847. He was educated in an academy and left school to join the Confederate army in the summer of 1864. A severe illness that resulted in the loss of an eye prevented him from going to the front and kept him an invalid for two years. He became a farmer and took no part in politics until the Farmers' Alliance became active in the state. In 1898 he started an agitation for industrial education, which resulted in the establishment of the Clemson Agricultural and Mechanical college at Calhoun's old home, Fort Hill. In 1890 he was elected governor as the farmers' candidate and was re-elected in 1892. The two chief achievements of his administration were the passage of the liquor dispensary law and the establishment of the Winthrop Normal and Industrial College for Women. He was elected to the senate in 1895 and re-elected in 1901 and 1907. When he entered the body he was known as a radical and was called the "pitchfork" senator. Of recent years, however, he has had the entire respect of his colleagues of all parties and has been regarded as one of the really great figures of the senate.

Senator Tillman was but two years old when his father died, being the youngest of seven sons. His uncle, John Tillman, was a man of strong intellectual qualities and a constant

Striking Examples of His Keen Wit—When the Tables Were Turned on Him—Some of His Characteristic Utterances.

loquy with Senator Bailey of Texas, Senator Warren of Wyoming slipped up stealthily, extracted a bottle from the pocket in the tail of Tillman's coat, uncorked it, smelled of its contents with an appearance of intense appreciation and then restored it to its original position. The senate was convulsed, but the South Carolinian was unconscious of the pantomime and went on with his speech. When he had finished a nearby senator explained to him the cause of the hilarity which still prevailed.

Samples of His Wit.

Without a moment's thought Tillman rose in his seat and said benignly: "I don't want to magnify a trivial matter, but I learn that a friend has taken advantage of my preoccupation to examine a bottle which I am carrying in my coat pocket. Now, in order that there may be no misapprehension and that I may not be considered inhospitable and perhaps selfish I will state that the bottle contains a solution of boracic acid, a throat lotion placed in my pocket by Mrs. Tillman with the admonition to use it frequently. I regret deeply that the gentleman should have been disappointed in his investigation, although I know that had the bottle contained that for which he was searching I should never have seen it again."

During one of the daily colloquies that occurred between the two Senator Spooner said: "The last cartoon I saw of the senator from South Carolina represented him as down in the straw and being kicked by the Democratic donkey."

"The last one I saw," said Tillman, "represented me as riding the donkey."



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BENJAMIN RYAN TILLMAN.

careful and discriminating reader. He collected a large library, and he was of the kind that profusely annotated his books. Even when his nephew, Ben, was a small lad his uncle picked him out as the one who would most likely conserve and advance the Tillman name, and to him he bequeathed this library. Inheriting his uncle's tastes and his mental abilities, as well as this large library, the boy became a close student of those books.

How He Lost an Eye.

Senator Tillman never had the opportunity to go to college. When the civil war broke out he was fourteen years old, and his mother sent him to school to a neighboring academy to prepare him for college. But, realizing very soon that he could probably never do this on account of the war, he made up his mind that that would be about the only schooling he would ever be able to get, so he determined to make the most of it. He studied so hard that his health was seriously impaired, and it was this that caused him to lose his left eye. An abscess formed in his head back of this eye and burst through the socket, destroying the eyeball. This also prevented him from actively participating in the closing bloody affairs of the civil war.

An amusing story is related concerning the senator's one eye. Some time ago, while in the senate, he clasped his hands for a page from the cloakroom door. A new page who had not yet mastered the senatorial names responded:

"Tell Senator Clay," he said, "that I want to see him in the cloakroom." The page ran on the errand, on his way stopping to ask the head usher where Senator Clay sat. Then he asked, "Who's this that has only one eye?"

The usher, thinking it a question in mythology, replied, "Why, Cyclops, of course."

The page delivered his errand in this astounding way: "Senator Cyclops wants to see you in the cloakroom."

How a Critical Situation Was Saved.

On a certain occasion when Senator Tillman was talking in a vehement manner he had the tables neatly turned on him. The conversation threatened to be stormy. A friend expostulated with the senator, saying it was "hardly the place for such a discussion."

"Please don't talk so much," said the warning voice. It irritated Tillman. "Talk!" he shouted. "I'll talk as much whenever and wherever I please. I would like to see the man who can keep me from talking!"

"I can!" came a voice from the crowd. Tillman turned and glared about him. Then his eye caught the speaker. He pretended to quail. The laugh went around, and the critical situation was saved.

The man who had hurled the defiant "I can!" was Dr. T. T. Moore, Tillman's lifetime dentist.

Here are a few characteristic utterances of the South Carolina senator: "I would rather go to the infernal regions with my followers than to heaven with the other crowd."

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He's put away all pine and charms... And just wears one upon his breast... Along the bird man's coat of arms... is ravens on his mainly chest... The people stare to beat the Dutch... And wish they had that gold bug-dub... This Paulhan ain't no awful much... Since father's joined an aero club.

Of course he's never tried a flight—... Ma says he's mighty minded, though—... But he'll go up some time, all right... Just like the Wrights or Bleriot... And now there's glory here for all... A sight down to little Sis and Bob... The family data are all too small... Since father's joined an aero club... Your Chapman in Denver Republican.

Helping the Minister.
A Scotch preacher had in his congregation an old woman who was deaf. In order to hear the sermon each Sunday this old lady would nest herself at the foot of the pulpit stairs. One day the sermon was about Jonah, and the preacher became very rhetorical.

"And when the sailors threw Jonah overboard," he said, "a big dab swam toward him up. Was it a shark that got 'im? Nay, my brethren; it was a mermaid. Was it a swordfish that eat him? Nay—"

"It was a whale," whispered the old lady excitedly.

"Hush, Biddle!" said the preacher indignantly. "Would ye tak' the word of God out of yer an' meenister's mouth?"—Success Magazine.

Time Suitable.
The clergyman's telephone bell jangled merrily.

"Well?" he asked, snatching off the ear piece.

"Am dis de Rev. Mistab Elise?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"How long will yo' be home dis afternoon?"

"Oh, I'll be in and out every half hour or so. Why?"

"Me and Jim Jefferson want t' git married dis afternoon. Will yo' officiate if we come down?"

"Yes. How will 3 o'clock do?"

"Fust rate. Dat'll gib me time t' do another washin' fust."—Judge.

Would Give Her Away.
Officiating Clergyman—At the wedding this evening, Mr. Simpkins, do you intend to give your daughter away?

Mr. Simpkins—Sure! I don't expect any remuneration. Besides that, I'm only too glad to get her off my hands.

—Judge.

Attractive Color.
Englishman—I don't see what our men see in you Yankee girls, bab Jove! You haven't the red cheeks of our girls.

Yankee Girl—Yes, but think of our greenbacks!

Not Grand.
Benham—I expect to serve on the jury tomorrow.

Mrs. Benham—A grand juror you'll make.

Benham—This isn't a grand jury.—New York Press.

Almost.
"It's wonderful how these Italian women can carry so much around on their heads, isn't it?"

"Yes, indeed. They almost equal their American sisters."—Town and Country.

Bad For Her.
"Why do you wear black?"

"I'm in mourning."

"I didn't know your husband was dead."

"He ain't, darn him!"—Cleveland Leader.

Flying About.
Yeast—Don't you like to see a girl's hair flying about her head?

Crimsonbeak—Well, yes. But I get kind of nervous when I see it flying about the soup.—Yonkers Statesman.

Neither Here Nor There.
Politician—Congratulations, Sarah. I've been elected.

Sarah (with delight)—Honestly? Politician—What difference does that make?—St. Louis Times.

He Knew.
Teacher—When water becomes ice, what is the great change that takes place?

Bright Pupil—The change in price.—New York Journal.

After the Winter.
An' we'll ha' a chance ter wander
Jes' get through de winter,
Jes' live out de snow—
Where de lil' violets grow.

Jes' get by de blizzard,
Jes' get past de storm,
An' we'll wander ter de ribbon
When de days an' nice an' warm.

So dere ain't no use repinin',
An' dere ain't no use ter sigh,
Fo' de springtime am a comin',
When de winter's trash is by.

—Detroit Free Press.

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RECEPTION IN HONOR OF MISS BELLE JACKSON.

Elaborate Affairs Marks The Debut Of Accomplished Daughter Of Hon. And Mrs. W. P. Jackson At Their Palatial Home.

Hon. and Mrs. William P. Jackson, at their handsome home in the city, gave a largely attended reception Thursday night in honor of their debutante daughter, Miss Belle McCombs Jackson. Miss Grace Battles, a school mate of Miss Jackson's, of Philadelphia, assisted in receiving.

The house was beautifully decorated with palms, potted plants, and La-France roses were in profusion. A stringed orchestra, hidden by banks of palms, added to the pleasures of the evening.

Mrs. Jackson was attired in a gown of yellow brocade veiled with chiffon of the same color and carried a bouquet of yellow roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Belle Jackson wore an imported gown of white princess lace, over white satin, the sleeves draped with diamond buckles and carried a magnificent bouquet of orchids and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Grace Battles looked charming in a beautiful frock of white satin ornamented with wide bands of crystal passementerie. Her flowers were orchids. A large number of out-of-town guests attended the reception and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson had as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McCombs, of Havre de Grace; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Matthews, Mr. George Sheldermine, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoble, Miss Clara Schoble, Miss Marie Sheldermine, Miss Grace Battles, of Philadelphia, and Gov. Pennell, of Delaware.

Mrs. Harry C. Tull wore an elaborate gown of draped messaline embroidered in gold and diamond ornaments. Mrs. Jay Williams was becomingly gowned in white lace over pink satin. Mrs. Marion A. Humphreys was attired in a gown of white lace over old rose satin. Mrs. E. W. Smith was costumed in a dress of old rose chiffon cloth embroidered in gold and jet. Mrs. F. A. Grier, Jr., wore blue messaline with silver trimmings and pearl ornaments. Mrs. Fred P. Adkins was dressed in champagne crepe, meteor trimmed in gold and jet. Miss Alice Humphreys wore black silk grenadine with lace trimmings and diamond ornaments. Miss Margaret Woodcock looked charming in a gown of pink satin trimmed in passementerie with pearl ornaments. Miss Mary Tilghman wore a handsome gown of black crepe meteor heavily trimmed in jet with corsage bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and violets. Miss Maria Ellegood wore a gown of light blue pompadour silk with rose point and Duchess lace. Miss Emma Wood was dressed in an elegant creation of draped black lace over satin with jet and fringe. Miss Sara Phillips wore lavender messaline embroidered in silver.

Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Lee Goldsborough Gambrige, Md., Frank Schoble, Hot Springs, Va., Josiah Marvel, Wilmington, Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Brewington, F. P. Adkins, E. W. Smith, Morris A. Walton, R. L. Leatherbury, George W. Todd, Rev. T. E. Martindale, L. Atwood Bennett, Harry C. Tull, George Collier, L. D. Collier, S. P. Woodcock, J. Williams, F. A. Grier, Jr., Mrs. W. S. Hopkins.

Misses Little Leatherbury, Clara Tilghman, Mary E. Tilghman, Alice Johnson, Rebecca Smyth, Ora Disharoon, Mary Houston, Maria Ellegood, Nina G. Venables, Annie Peters, Edna Peters, Eva Catlin, Edith Short, Margaret Woodcock, the Misses Wood, Miss Woodcock, Miss Veasey, the Misses Wallis, Miss Powell.

Messrs. Howard H. Rank, M. C. Evans, C. C. Porman, Walter R. Disharoon, Raymond K. Frull, Frank Perry, G. V. White, Carl F. Schuler, Edgar Laws, J. W. Hiron, G. Wm. Phillips, W. G. Smith, F. Leonard Wallis, Laird Todd, William Sheppard.

Fair Association Report.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Wicomico Fair Association, was held in the office of the Association on Thursday. Dr. S. A. Graham, Treasurer of the Association, made a report of its condition which showed that its first year was a successful and prosperous one. The action of the Directors in selling the stock which had not been subscribed or paid for up to \$20,000 was approved. The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Messrs. D. J. Ward, W. F. Allen, W. B. Miller, W. M. Cooper, S. A. Graham, D. W. Perdue, J. McF. Dick, S. King White. At a meeting of the Directors following the stockholder's meeting the following officers were elected: D. J. Ward, President; W. F. Allen and W. B. Miller, Vice-Presidents; S. A. Graham, Treasurer; S. King White, Secretary.

WICOMICO COUNTY JURORS DRAWN BY JUDGE HOLLAND.

Names Of The Men Will Serve On Grand And Petit Juries During March Term Of The Circuit Court For This County.

The following jurors for the March term of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County were drawn Thursday by Judge Charles F. Holland. Court will convene for this term on Monday, March 28th.

Barren C. District—John J. Phillips, George W. Bennett, Charles E. Bacon and William H. H. Bailey.

Quantico District—John D. Overton, Stewart W. Graham, Joseph J. Palmer and John S. Brady.

Tyaskin District—Julius Hambury, E. Stanley Bedsworth, Charles Layfield and George Moore.

Pittsburg District—Elisha Q. Sturgis, John Wells and Joseph Lynch.

Parsons District—Eugene Nichols, Samuel A. Gordy, George M. Downing, Joseph M. Holloway, James E. Ball, John P. Owens and Ebenezer G. Walton.

Dennis District—James E. Massey and Isaac W. Perdue.

Trappe District—Ephraim A. Denison, Charles W. Fields, Azariah P. Disharoon and Frank E. Smith.

Nutters District—Louis T. Bussels and George W. Causey.

Salisbury District—Benjamin H. Parker, Albert C. Smith, Marion V. Brewington and Thomas A. Nelson. Sharptown District—Geo. E. Owens and Thomas Taylor.

Delmar District—George W. Elliott and Elijah Holloway.

Nanticoke District—Herman Larimore, Wilbur F. Turner, Albert F. Robertson and Edward F. Heath.

Camden District—James C. White, Lee Johnson, C. Lee Porter and Washington Jenkins.

Willards District—Levin T. Davis and Charles R. Hearn.

Girl Held Fast In Machinery.

While working in Miller's kindling wood factory, in this city, Saturday, Mary Beers, 14 years old, got her foot caught in a cogwheel in one of the machines. She was carried to the Peninsula General Hospital where it was found that her leg and foot were badly crushed. Owing to the fact that the machine had to be taken apart before the child could be released, considerable time elapsed before she received medical attention, and in the meantime her mother appeared and became hysterical. The girl, although in agony, repeated to her mother: "Don't worry; I am all right." On her way to the hospital, in a cab with the physician, the little girl, remarked that she would not allow the leg to be amputated. Upon examination it was found that it would not be necessary and she is rapidly improving. The little girl was not employed in the mill, but had gone in to be with her older sister, who is an employee.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Clerk of the Court today this week:

Shockey - Hearn: — Solomon W. Shockey, 25, and Georgia H. Hearn, 18, both of Wicomico county. Solomon W. Shockey, applicant.

Gordy - Wilkinson: — Marvin Bounds Gordy, 22, and Bertha Wilkinson, 21, of Wicomico county. J. Raymond Fields, applicant.

Moore - Demar: — Sewell M. Moore, 45, and Ethel E. Demar, 21, both of Cambridge. Uhlman D. Hopkins, applicant.

Murrell - Tyler: — Albert Murrell, 21, and Julia Tyler, 22, both of Dorchester county. Albert Murrell, applicant.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the day named:

March 4, 1910.—Chemist, qualified in Metallurgy and Metallography.

March 9, 1910.—Junior Animal Husbandman, (male).

March 16, 1910.—Expert Engrosser, (male).

March 16, 1910.—Forest Clerk, (male).

March 20, 1910.—Scientific Assistant, (male).

Special Series Of Sermons.

The pastor of the Division St. Baptist Church will preach a series of morning sermons on the general theme "Back to the Bible," as follows: Feb. 13th, "What the Bible Says about Sin"; Feb. 20th, "What the Bible Says about Holiness"; Feb. 27th, "What the Bible Says about Christ"; March 6, "What the Bible says about Satan";

BILL INTRODUCED FOR NEW STATE ASSESSMENT.

Senator Price Father Of Measure That Will Greatly Increase State's Revenue And Place Values Of Property Better.

In a bill containing 84 type-written pages, Senator Jesse D. Price, of this county, will shortly introduce into the Maryland Legislature a measure providing for a new general assessment of real estate and personal property throughout the entire State, accepting the City of Baltimore, as adopted by the Federal Association of County Commissioners, of which Mr. William M. Cooper, of Wicomico, a member.

The bill to a great extent is similar to the measure under which the last assessment of the State was made. The counties are divided into districts, there being one to eight districts in each county. The Governor is to appoint two assessors at large for each district, while the County Commissioners of each county are to appoint an assessor for each election district. The assessments are to be made by the three assessors in each district and submitted to the County Commissioners.

The assessors appointed by the Governor are to receive \$5 a day, while those named by the County Commissioners are to be paid the same amount and \$2 additional a day for serving as clerks to the assessors. The assessment is to be completed in 90 days, although the Governor will be empowered to increase this limit if he deems it necessary. The assessment is to begin on the first Tuesday of May next, when the assessors will meet at the courthouses of the different counties.

\$4,000.00 Loss By Fire.

The tomato cannery and oyster-packing house belonging to Mr. W. K. Leatherbury, at White Heaven, were completely destroyed by fire last Friday night. In the oyster house were 2600 bushels of oysters in the shell besides several tubs of shucked oysters ready for shipment. Fortunately Captain Leatherbury shipped about 600 cases of canned goods which had been stored in the tomato cannery house the same day, a few hours before the fire broke out. The loss is estimated to be over \$4,000.00 with insurance amounting to \$3800.00. Captain Leatherbury was on the Steamer Virginia bound for Baltimore at the time of the fire.

Applies For Divorce.

On the grounds of abandonment, Mrs. Loreta Goslee has made application, through her attorney, for an absolute divorce from her husband, Louis W. Goslee, of this county. The bill states that the couple were married in 1880 and lived together until 1903 when the wife was deserted by the husband. Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Goslee, five of whom are now living. They are in the custody of the father.

Leaves Family Destitute.

Leaving a wife and seven small children almost in destitute circumstances, John Brumley, a resident of near Rockaway, died Sunday, after a brief illness. The oldest of the children is eleven years and the youngest seven months. The funeral services were conducted Monday with interment at Fruitland.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following parties remain uncalled for at the Salisbury Post Office and will be sent to the Dead Letter Office two weeks from today. When inquiring please state that these letters have been advertised:

Mr. H. H. Dorman, Mr. Edward Deblids, Mrs. J. W. Deahfield, Mr. J. Fairbush, Mr. John N. Furbush, Mr. Robert Handy, Mrs. Charles E. Hughes, Miss Maggie Handy, Mr. Eddie Jones, Mr. L. M. Johnson, Mr. Will Leitch, Mr. John Macquaid, Marshall & Chiptman, Mr. Jack Orvis, Mr. Alfred M. Phillips, Miss Blanch Hudson Parsons, Miss Merthagan Parsons, Mrs. Andrew Raum, Mr. Levy Shockey, Miss Mildred Sturges, The Salisbury Gazette, Mr. Haxton D. Taylor.

—There is an unusual demand for shunkat hides this season, and the buyers are paying very high prices for the pelts. The ruling price is 70 cents but even a higher price has been paid within the past few days. A. L. Wingate, of White Haven, one of the largest fur buyers on the Peninsula, paid 78 cents apiece for a lot of 2,000 skins a few days ago. Mr. Wingate came in competition with two New York buyers, and the price was run above normal.

RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS MAY REACH SALISBURY.

Changes And New Buildings All Along Line Of New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk—Union Station May Be Erected Here.

Among the many improvements scheduled to be made during the present year by the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad Company, is a new union station for Salisbury to be used jointly by both of the railroads in Salisbury. It is said, not officially, however, that the plans call for a handsome building. The improvements also include the erection of large car and repair shops at Cape Charles, Virginia, several bridges, and the completion of the double track system the entire length of the road. It is understood that the laying of the track is to be finished in time to handle the heavy shipments during the produce season. The Company is now enlarging and substantially improving its wharf property at Cape Charles.

Church Notices For Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. K. Graham, D. D., pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m.; Christian Endeavor Service at 6:45 p. m.; Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9:30; preaching and Missionary Service at 11, and preaching at 7:30 by the pastor; Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.; Mid-week Prayer Meeting Thursday night.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30, W. A. Crow, Supt.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.

Wicomico Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor. Sabbath School at 9:30; morning sermon at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion every Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30. Services and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Riverside Chapel, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Regular services tomorrow. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 6:45; sermon at 7:30 o'clock, by the pastor.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor. Sunday School at 2:30, Geo. Kersey, Supt.; preaching at 8:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11 a. m. and praise service at 7:30.

Items Of Interest.

—FOR SALE: Rhode Island Red Roosters. Apply 308 Camden Ave.

—See the display of up-to-date Hair Goods at Kennerly-Shockey Co's.

—Don't forget the Bargain Counter Shoes; sale begins today—at the "Big" Shoe Store—E. Homer White Shoe Co.

—Kennerly & Mitchell's cut price sale of Winter Suits and Overcoats will close soon. If you expect to need any more clothes you should visit this sale.

—Have you seen the new English Soft Hat, the hat that is selling so great in the cities? Kennerly & Mitchell are selling this hat. They are new. Try one! See case in front door!

—Kennerly & Mitchell are showing the new English Soft Hat for Spring. This hat is making a great hit in the cities. Remember, you can buy this hat in your own town, at Kennerly & Mitchell's.

—Postmaster M. A. Humphreys has received word from the Post Office Department at Washington to the effect that new postal cards have been issued and that he may make application for them. The design of the card, as is the present one, will be in memory of President McKinley. The paper will be of a light blue tint and the printing will be in bronze blue ink. The stamp is an eclipse on end. It contains a portrait of William McKinley looking to the left, with a background of horizontal lines and a border bearing the following inscription: "U. S. Postal Card, One Cent, McKinley," and on either side of portrait within the border the numerals "1".

MARYLAND HAPPENINGS.

Delays In The Counties—News Items Of Interest To The People All Over The State.

Senator Wilkinson, of St. Mary's, has introduced a bill in the Senate to repeal certain sections of what is known as the Haman law, claiming that the present law is running the State to too much expense.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

Permanent improvements are now being made to the wharfage property of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad at Cape Charles, and it is reported the coaling of their steamers will be changed to the South side of the harbor.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

The bill being urged by the Democrats from Somerset county to place the collection of taxes in the hands of the county treasurer, passed the Senate Friday. This system seems to have become very popular throughout the Eastern Shore.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

At a meeting of farmers at Marion last Thursday quite a number gave their names as members of a grange to be organized there. Another meeting will be held at Marion this Tuesday afternoon and a meeting will also be held in Princess Anne Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Many ill come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lax liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

Dr. Gordon T. Atkinson, of Crisfield, former Controller of the Treasury, filed an application Friday for appointment on the board of managers of the Maryland Hospital for the Insane, Sykesville. In his application Dr. Atkinson claims that the Eastern Shore should be given more representation on this board.

LaGrippe pains that pervade the entire system; LaGrippe coughs that rack and strain; are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Is mildly laxative, safe and certain in results. Sold by John M. Toulson.

The steamer Eastern Shore of the B. & A. line went ashore near Rue's wharf, in Accomac county, in the storm on Tuesday morning, and it was several days before she could be floated. The Maryland did not leave Crisfield until early Tuesday morning—just twelve hours late.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered the most effective remedy for all kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up the system, and restores lost vitality. Sold by John M. Toulson.

The maximum temperature for the month of January was 68 degrees on the 7th; minimum temperature 10 degrees on the 1st. The total precipitation was 4.25 inches; total snowfall 2 inches. There were 5 clear days, 14 cloudy and 12 partly cloudy. Sleet on the 5th. The prevailing wind was northwest.

Many medicinal elements so beneficial to one kind of animal cause serious injury to some other kind. That's why there is a Separate Fairfield Blood Tonic for each kind of animal. Ask for free book. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

At the annual meeting of the Maryland and Virginia Racing Association seven tracks were assigned dates, as follows: Tadey, Va., August 2 to 5; Pocomoke City, Md., August 9 to 12; Salisbury, Md., August 16 to 19; Rantow, Md., August 23 to 26; Rockville, Md., August 30 to September 2.

The annoyance caused poultry by Lice reduces vitality to such an extent that egg production is hindered, and the way opened to disease. The regular use of Fairfield's Lice Killer exterminates lice and makes the fowl comfortable. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Mr. F. B. Allen, Real Estate Agent of Princess Anne, has sold Mr. T. W. Renshaw's farm, containing 168 acres, located four miles from Princess Anne on Montic creek, to Mr. Isaac R. O'Leary, a lawyer from Brooklyn, N. Y. Consideration \$8000. Mr. Renshaw and son will stay on the farm this year.

FAIRFIELD'S
BLOOD TONIC FOR ANIMALS

Walter Hudson shot and killed a seal on the beach at Ocean City a few days ago. It was quite a curiosity to many who never have seen one before. One man was so certain of its value he offered forty dollars for it, but Mr. Hudson was reluctant to part with it at so low a figure, and is holding it for a larger sum. Several people have been to see it at his home.

Poultry diseases are caused by lack of proper care or wrong combinations of food. Fairfield's Egg Producer makes the regular ration a properly balanced one, increases egg production and fortifies the system against all forms of disease. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Mr. Bredelle H. Dougherty, who recently purchased the Auditorium property, Princess Anne, is making extensive improvements on the ground floor of the same. The partition between his store and the one occupied by the late George B. Fitzgerald has been taken down, and Mr. Dougherty will have a storeroom 22x50 feet. This room will be used for his general confectionery.

The Cow's Winter food is not so rich in milk-making elements as the summer diet, consequently winter milk is not so rich in butter-fats. Fairfield's Milk Producer supplies the needed elements and increases the quantity as well as the quality of the milk. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

It is reported that the Pennsylvania Railroad, into whose hands the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad has fallen, will locate at Cape Charles, Va., car shops and locomotive works. The deed for the land was recorded in the County Clerk's office last week, and it is expected in a few months the works will be under operation. The site is about 20 acres of land fronting on the county road leading out of Cape Charles.

Your horses will be in a better condition for Spring work if you feed them Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It cleans the digestive tract, purifies the blood, expels worms and increases vitality. Results are guaranteed when directions are carefully followed. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

During the months of July, August and September, according to records kept by the Interstate Commerce Commission, the number of persons killed as a result of railroad accidents in the United States was 832; injured, 19,241. This astounding total shows an increase of 118 killed and 2696 injured as compared with the three preceding months. The damage to roadways, cars and equipment, as a result of collisions and derailments, was \$9,316,014.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Crushed To Death.

One Stackewes, aged 25 years, unmarried, a native of Poland, was accidentally killed Monday of last week while working at the plant of the Maryland Portland Cement and Lime Company, at Security, near Hagerstown.

He was caught in the wheel of a small stone crusher, into which he was feeding rocks. His foot slipped and he fell headforemost, landing with his head in the wheel and his body between a bank of earth and the side of the machine. His skull was crushed and he lived only a few minutes. Fellow-workmen stopped the engine propelling the crushers, but it was too late.

A Safeguard To Children.

"Our two children of six and eight years have been since infancy subject to colds and croup. About three years ago I started to use Foley's Honey and Tar, and it has never failed to prevent and cure these troubles. It is the only medicine I can get the children to take without a row." The above from W. C. Orseltine, Green Bay, Wis., duplicates the experience of thousands of other users of Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by John M. Toulson.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Study For Tomorrow, "Worldliness And Trust," Ably Discussed By A Local Writer.

This lesson follows our former ones naturally. The chief aim of life has been held up before the people, and, as the great truths fell from the Master's lips, as the beatitudes and laws of the kingdom, and the cardinal lines of christian living were considered, no doubt the Master observed many an anxious, disturbed soul reflect its thoughts in the face of its owner, as it pondered upon the possibility of its being able to do these things.

What a great change in life aims and ideal it meant! A great sacrifice in business and social ways was necessary to be a citizen of this new kingdom, and it is to-day that we are to learn that this change is necessary. The selfishness of our lives is to make them pure, to develop along this ideal life until we are pure even as our Father in heaven is pure. In this lesson we learn that we must be absolutely sincere in our desire to understand life, if we would profit by it, for we are now standing in the midst of anxieties, and the needs and temptations of the world, as they come to us in our world's work. We cannot be idle, a christian is doubly busy. His work may not be done carefully, but in earnestness of purpose, making choice of ways that are best, and that will confirm him in the way already chosen.

It is a great search of true riches, and we may choose Heavenly treasures or earthly treasures. Christ says, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." There are two kingdoms in this world; God and Mammon. What will the kingdom of God give us when we have sought and found its riches, when, as its subjects, we take invoice of our possessions? Take note of the blessings and all of the profits accruing from living the laws of the kingdom as laid down in this great discourse thus far: an ideal life, eternal, and boundless in its light, usefulness, and joy; the power to see the light and truth, the true light, single light, one eye light that brings joy and happiness; the light that brightens the whole life, that beautifies life and develops that condition wherein all the blessings of the beatitudes are applied. If this ideal be our aim, if our treasure is spiritual life, our hearts will be with it.

The kingdom of Mammon, of which Satan is prince, offers a small amount of income and unsatisfying in the extreme. Barth's wisest, after enjoying it to the full, have declared, "Vanity and vexation." It is not sinful to have means, it is in the use of what we have that we sin. There is danger all about wealth; the desire for it may become covetousness, the getting of it lead to dishonesty, the possession of it may lead to its worship, and the use of it lead to the destruction of the finer sensibilities of its possessor. Hence, the Founder of this kingdom said that it would be very hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom, but not meaning that it would be impossible if much wealth is gotten honestly, and used for great good. It is when the supreme desire is for earthly gains, and the life becomes selfish in its very ideal, that evil comes in and humanity suffers. Life in this light is one of worry, strife and worry for that which is material, and the life bound up in this ideal is far from light, truth, and right. When Mammon occupies the life, absorbing ambition, changing character, and using up all its force and power, there is no room for aught else, and therein man stands alone and self-centered, incapable of rising above the desire of present things, completely encompassed within the circle of ideal selfishness, is bounded by the desire of self gratification. Herein all that is best and noblest in man lies. Little wonder that we have heard the cry, "Alas vanity, vanity and vexation of spirit."

How impossible then to serve God and Mammon, so unlike, so directly opposed. The safe place for wealth is dedicated to the Kingdom of God. God wants us to have the best of this world, and also of His Kingdom, but we cannot have them without making Him and His righteousness first and chief. It is only by being His, and fully aware of His wishes that we may enjoy them. Christ bids us take no thought for our lives. Thought here means over-anxious, complete absorption, devote not all our thought and energies to the getting of earthly goods. Seek higher things, know God and thyself, know that in this you will be blessed. If God has created and sustained the natural things of the world, will He not care the more for you whom He has created unto an eternal estate?

Take a lesson from the flowers. God has created them in wondrous beauty, they unfold and develop from within into outward beauty and fragrance, making them useful. They are developed from within by the power of the creative spirit, and though they are of short duration, He cares for them. Much rather would He have us, by His spirit, develop and unfold into beauty and holiness from within, enabling life, enlarging its capacities for good, developing the great germ of immortality that He has endowed us with in the fullness of new life in Christ, heirs unto His kingdom.

With The Commissioners.

Board met with all members present. Minutes of previous meeting held February 1, 1910, were read and adopted. Mr. Truitt was authorized to purchase piece of land consisting of three-eighths of an acre to be used for building causeway from Mr. Patey's at Purnell's Crossing.

Mary D. Powell was allowed an abatement of \$300.00 on 14.63 acres of land situated in Camden District.

The Board went into joint meeting with the City Council at the City Hall to listen to a draft of a bill to create a Board of Health. Mr. Hilegood and Mr. Perry were appointed a committee to draft a bill to be submitted to the City Council at a meeting Monday night and to the Board on Tuesday.

Petition was filed for the improvement of the road from Salisbury to Mt. Herman Church, known as the Mt. Herman Road, under the Shoemaker Law. Petition was ordered filed as of this date.

Richard E. Larmore was appointed constable of Tyankin District, and Emerson J. Taylor of Nanticoke District. Pension of \$1.50 was granted to Drucilla Turner ordered to J. H. Gonlee & Bro.

Bills were passed and ordered paid as follows: George C. Hill, \$16.00; Travers & Mesick, \$12.40; Holloway & Co., \$7.80; W. L. Smith, \$18.00; Wm. Toadvine, \$4.50; W. T. Banks, \$3; John F. Waller, \$10.50; Baltimore Off. Co., \$1.00; E. M. Clark, \$14.82; J. M. Elderfield, \$6.00; Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co., \$1050.37; J. F. Jester Co., \$10.40. Board will meet Tuesday next.

Sore Lungs and Raw Lungs

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Farmers Elect Officers.

The seventh annual meeting of the Peninsula Produce Exchange of Maryland was held Monday of last week at Berlin. The meeting was largely attended, representative farmers from all parts of the Eastern Shore being present.

The following officers were elected: President—Orlando Harrison, Berlin. Vice-President—W. F. King, Pocomoke City. Secretary, Treasurer and Sales Manager—W. C. Callen, Pocomoke City. General Manager—E. E. Nock, Stockton.

Directors—R. C. Peters, Berlin; W. M. Cooper, Salisbury; Robt. W. Adams, Princess Anne; F. E. Matthews, Pocomoke City; W. F. Groten, Pocomoke City; C. J. Byrd, Beaver Dam, and E. E. Nock, Stockton.

It was decided to build a number of storage warehouses in Somerset, Wilcomico and Worcester counties, and to amend the charter so as to handle eggs, poultry and oysters.

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Beach Property Sold.

Quite a large deal was consummated last week at Ocean City, by which the property of the Ocean City Beach Co. is transferred to the American Resort Hotel Co. This would seem to indicate the beginning of a new epoch in the affairs of Ocean City, for the company is composed of first-class hotel men and successful capitalists, who inspired new life and business in other resorts along the Atlantic coast, having hotels at Atlantic City, Palm Beach, Jacksonville, Florida, and other resorts. One of the principals in the company is Henry M. Flagler, the millionaire, who has greatly contributed to the success of the hotels and railroads of Florida.

It is understood the new company will pay off the indebtedness of the old company and begin improvements at once. The first work will be begun at the Atlantic Hotel, which will be fixed up for use as a winter hotel as well as a summer resort.

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Mr. Vernon S. Bradley, editor of the Dorchester Standard, and ex county treasurer, left on the afternoon train Friday for an extended tour of the South and West, including a stop over at New Orleans, where he will attend the Mardi Gras. Mr. Bradley will do some reportorial work while on his trip.

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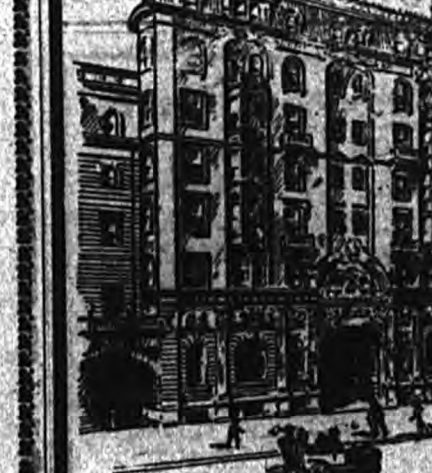
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Notice To Creditors.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphan's Court for Wicomico County letters of administration on the personal estate of J. A. Bradley, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit same, with the vouchers thereon, on or before the Ninth day of August, 1910, or they may be excluded from all the benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand and seal this Ninth day of February, 1910.

PAUL B. WATSON,

Test—**JOHN W. DASHIELL,**
Register of Wills for Wicomico Co.

WANTED

TO BUY, FOR CASH,

50 Leghorn Chickens

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gives the fullest information about all Farm and Garden Seeds, especially about Grasses and Clovers, the kinds to sow and the best way to sow them for successful stands and crops.

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SEEDSMEN,
Richmond, Virginia.

NOTICE

To Contractors

Proposals are invited for the construction of a two-story frame school-building in Mardela Springs, and for a one-story frame school building on the Spring Hill road, known as "Charity."

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the School Board.

Bids must be filed at the office of the School Board on or before

February 24, 1910

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board,
W. J. HOLLOWAY,
Secretary.

Trustee's Notice!

OF

Sale of Valuable Merchandise

By virtue of a Deed of Trust, recently executed the undersigned will immediately offer the entire stock of Dry Goods, Notions, etc., formerly owned by

Larmore Brothers,

In the store house at
Bivalve, Maryland,

and occupied by that firm, at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Everything Must Be Sold at Once

Store open day and night. The business will be in charge of Mr. E. H. Insley, who will represent the Trustee at Bivalve, and he is authorized to collect ALL ACCOUNTS due the firm of Larmore Bros.

ELMER H. WALTON,
Trustee.

TOADYINK & BELL, Solicitors.

Order of Publication

Martha E. Parsons and Leonard Parsons, her husband, vs. Elmer H. Walton and George W. Bell, Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Roscoe Grant Jones.

No. 1833 Chancery, in the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to have Lots No. 1 and 4 of the real estate of Richard P. Jones as per plot, in 1853 Chancery in this Court, conveyed to said Martha E. Jones, free from all claims, right title and interest of said Trustees, and of the unknown heirs at law of said Roscoe Grant Jones.

The bill states that by a decree of this Court, passed in No. 1853 Chancery, the said Walton and Bell were appointed Trustees to sell the real estate of Richard P. Jones, deceased, and that having passed as such Trustees, they sold enough of the real estate of the said Richard P. Jones to pay all his indebtedness.

That at the request of the said Martha E. and Roscoe Grant Jones, the Trustees did not sell Lots 1 and 4 of said Richard P. Jones real estate, as shown by the said Trustees report filed in said 1853 Chancery.

That through inadvertence, the real estate as unsold was not conveyed to the said Martha E. Jones (now Parsons) and Roscoe Grant Jones, the widow and son, and only heirs at law of said Richard P. Jones. That Roscoe Grant Jones died in August, 1903, intestate leaving as his only known heirs at law, his mother, Martha E. Jones (now Martha E. Parsons) his other heirs at law, if any, being unknown.

That she is entitled to have the said real estate conveyed to her in fee simple, so as to remove any doubt or uncertainty as to her title to same, and make it merchantable and asking for process against said Trustees and the unknown heirs at law of Grant Jones.

It is thereupon this 22nd day of January, in the year 1910, ordered that the said Martha E. Jones (now Parsons) and Roscoe Grant Jones, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once a week for four successive weeks before the 8th day of March, next, of the object and substance of this bill, warning them to be and appear in this court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 20th day of March, next, and answer the premises and abide by and perform such decrees as may be passed therein.

Filed Jan. 28, 1910.

CHARLES F. HOLLAND,

True Copy—Test:

ERNEST A. TOADYINK,
Clerk.

Harmless.

A district visitor was paying calls on the folk in a row of cottages and was shocked by the conduct of a shabbily dressed old gentleman who passed from door to door in a great rage and threatened the occupants with all manner of dire penalties.

"Dear me what a peculiar old man!" she exclaimed to one of the tenants. "Why do you permit him to abuse you in that fashion?"

"Oh, we don't mind in the least, ma'am," answered the tenant, with a twinkle in his eyes. "We're quite used to his little ways by now. He's been a harmless lunatic for ten or eleven years."

"You don't say so? Poor old fellow! What particular form does his madness take?"

"Optimism, ma'am. He comes for the rent every Monday and actually allows himself to fancy that he'll get it!"—London Answers.

The Faust Legend.

For 1400 years the Faust legend—the sale of a human soul to a devil—has existed. The first recorded hint of its vitality is given in the sixteenth century story of "Theophilus." That story suited the early Christians in their efforts to stamp out the necromancing devices of evilly disposed persons prone to seek power by unholy means. The association of the name of Faust, however, with the legend is not more than 400 years old. The likeliest prototype of the modern Faust is the man of the same name who in Cracow boldly proclaimed himself a professor of magic. In the sixteenth century stories Helen of Troy was bestowed by Menelaus upon Faust, and not until the middle of the eighteenth century does there appear a shadowy Margaret. In the form of a "beautiful but poor girl," who afterward develops into the Margaret of Goethe.

FOR SALE

Canning Factory

Equipped with all modern conveniences and machinery for canning Tomatoes and Peas. In first-class condition in every respect. Located on Rider farm about 1 1/2 miles from town. Will sell factory alone or with necessary ground as desired by purchaser.

APPLY TO

WM. H. JACKSON.

FARMS WANTED!

Will buy small or large Farms.

Address.

BOX 302,
Salisbury, Md.

TEXAN'S RIDE TO WASHINGTON

With Message For the President's Hopes to Make New Saddle Road.

With the greeting and invitation from thousands of Texans to President Taft safely tucked away and in full cowboy regalia, Ed S. O'Reilly, editor of the San Antonio Light and Gazette, bade adieu to more than 5,000 enthusiastic San Antonians the other afternoon en route to Washington. The start was made from in front of the historic Alamo in San Antonio.

To ride to Washington with an invitation for President Taft was an idea that impressed Mr. O'Reilly favorably as soon as it had been conceived. That the task might prove too much for him or his steed troubled him little. If Mr. O'Reilly has to make forty miles a day for the entire trip he will make them.

There is one factor in the undertaking that would discourage the average man, but which to Mr. O'Reilly will only mean employing a little more grit. He has to reach Washington not later than the middle of September. Were it not that he is riding a cow pony of the best Texas stock, an animal of great stamina, endurance and tenacity, his chances of reaching Washington would be slim indeed. But Aransas, a mare bred on Mr. Taft's brother's ranch on the gulf, will prove more than equal to the occasion. Here is that steady, swinging stride which only generations of hard work in the chapparral rounding up cattle could have given her and her ancestors. Change of feed and water means little to the Texas pony, because selection and elimination on the home plains are strong factors and have weeded out all that is unfit.

The successful completion of the trip would put all previous long distance rides in the shade. Since the days of the pony express nothing like it has been attempted. Even the ride between Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and Santa Fe, N. M., less than one-half the distance Mr. O'Reilly purposes to cover, was considered a remarkable performance.

TO RAISE \$200,000 IN CENTS

Farmer's Suggestion to Celebrate the Anniversary of Rural Free Delivery.

A novel suggestion was made to Postmaster General Hitchcock at Washington the other day for a way in which properly to celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of the establishment of the rural free delivery. A Missouri farmer wrote Mr. Hitchcock that he had seen in the newspapers that the department was at a loss to know what would be a fitting way to observe the establishment of the rural service.

His plan would be to have every patron of the service give a cent to the rural carriers, the money so collected to constitute a fund for some worthy charity like the establishment of a home for children. As there are 20,000,000 rural free delivery patrons, the adoption of the Missourian's plan would yield a fund of \$200,000.

SERMONS ON BALL FIELDS.

Chicago Minister Advocates Opening Sunday Games With Prayer.

A sermon would be a fitting opening to each major league baseball game played on Sunday, according to Bruce Barton, son of the Rev. W. E. Barton, pastor of the First Congregational church, Oak Park, Chicago. He declared the other night that, although he did not favor Sunday baseball, he thought the plan feasible.

Barton said he had mentioned the matter to some of the prominent ministers of Chicago and also has set the facts before persons connected with the management of major league teams and that in all instances his suggestion had been approved. Barton says that the matter has been approved by both President Charles Murphy of the Chicago Nationals and Charles Ebbets of Brooklyn.

G. B. Shaw's Considerateness.

G. Bernard Shaw, who, according to a story teller, never goes to the theater except to see one of his own plays was asked recently why he denied himself the pleasure and answered: "You see, I snore so dreadfully that no one near me can sleep with any degree of peace. That is why I do not go to the theater."

What Next?

A sports barber in St. Louis has offered a free shave to every man who stands second base on the home grounds. Wonder what they have to do to get a hair cut.

To a Katydid.

Somewhere in the clover
When the twilight falls
There's a gypsy rover
Who forever calls
In an aggravating,
Nervous kind of cry,
Just reiterating:
"Bummer goes, goodby!"

Nonsense: Who believes you?
In the clover field,
What is it deceives you,
Gypsy Katydid?
Bees are making honey,
Birds are making song,
You are being funny,
Or my guess is wrong.

Still you call, and still you
Warn me it is so.
Tell me, Gypsy, tell you,
How you chance to know?
You're an arch alarm
In the clover lost.
Quoth your friend, the farmer,
"Bix weas more to frost!"

Careful, little buster,
In your clover shack!
Watch out for Old Winter
Happen on your track!
If by any fate he
Catching at a clew,
Flies out just what Katy
Did, goodby to you!

—Frank Dempster Sherman in Success Magazine For September.

THROW OUT THE LIES

Give Them Help and Many Sufferers People Will Be Happier.

"Throw Out the Life Line!" The kidneys need help. They're overworked—can't get the poison filtered out of the blood. They're getting worse every minute. Will you help them? Doan's Kidney Pills have brought thousands of kidney sufferers back from the verge of despair.

Will cure any form of kidney trouble. H. T. Parsons, 103 Water Street, Salisbury, Md., says: "I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills for a long time and I am glad of this opportunity to tell of my experience with this remedy. About two years ago I suffered from sharp twinges through my back and kidneys and my appetite was very poor. I decided that my kidneys were not doing their work as they should and probably caused all my trouble. I obtained a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at White & Leonard's drug store and they soon gave me entire relief."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Held For Grand Jury.

Wm. G. Fell, a merchant tailor of Cambridge, who had been arrested on the charge of having robbed the store of Geo. W. Meekins, was brought before Justice W. R. Shenton Thursday afternoon for a hearing. Mr. Fell, who was represented by Attorney V. Calver, refused to offer any testimony, and Justice Shenton held the prisoner for the action of the Grand Jury.

Mr. E. A. Kelley, Belvidere, Ill., writes us: "I am an ex-engineer with 22 years active service to my credit. About three years ago my kidneys were affected so that I had to give up my engine. First I was troubled with severe aching pain over the hips. Then followed inflammation of the bladder, and specks appeared before my eyes. A sample of Foley's Kidney Pills that I tried, so benefited me that I bought more. I continued to take them until now I can safely testify they have made me a sound and well man." Sold by John M. Toulson.

Mr. Adolph Hirt, living near Blackwater, lost two of his fingers, while sawing his wood with a power saw last week.

Hoarse Coughs, Stuffy Colds,

pain in chest and sore lungs, are symptoms that quickly develop into a dangerous illness if the cold is not cured. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough, heals and eases the congested parts, and brings quick relief. Sold by John M. Toulson.

Mr. Roy R. Melvin, of East New Market, and Miss Gertrude Schoenbal, of Baltimore, were married in Baltimore last Thursday, Feb. 3, by Rev. Frank R. Hurt.

Science has made it possible to increase egg production in winter by adding to the hen's ration the materials contained in her summer diet. Parfield's Egg Producer contains these elements, combined with elements that perfect digestion and purify the blood. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Curious Lore About Mandrakes.

Perhaps the most extraordinary of the properties attributed to mandrakes are those which it shared in common with the rustrivra of Russia, of enabling housebreakers to pick locks, which is certainly one of the most amusing developments of the solar theory. "Love," it is said, "laughs at locksmiths," but the connection between the mandrake and "burgling" seems a little forced. There is a tradition that the moonwort will unshoe horses if they step upon the plant, and similar powers have been attributed to the vervain and the mandrake. It is, on the other hand, still part of the rural lore of Oxfordshire, Buckinghamshire and Hampshire that the root will improve a horse's condition, but this seems to be founded upon the identification of the mandrake with the bryony, which played such a great part in old English herbalism. It is, however, more than doubtful whether the plants belong to the same class. But both are alike in the curious wealth of legend which surrounds them. East and west meet in their folk and flower lore.—Chambers' Journal.

Located.

Diogenes, lantern in hand, entered the village drug store. "Say, have you anything that will cure a cold?" he asked.

"No, sir, I have not," answered the pill compiler.

"Give me your hand," exclaimed Diogenes, dropping his lantern. "I have at last found an honest man."

Allen's Lung Balm.

is the old reliable cough remedy. Found in every drug store and in practically every home. For sale by all druggists. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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SATURDAY, FEB. 12, 1910

An Important Phase In The Postage Rate Problem.

Much has been said in the public press, especially in the weekly and monthly magazines, recently, against the attitude of Postmaster-General Hitchcock and his report to the President relative to the postal deficit. Taking as its subject that part of the Postmaster-General's report in which he says, "It has been suggested also that in fixing postage rates for second class mail a discrimination be made between purely reading matter and matter for advertising purposes, a higher rate be charged on the latter," *The Saturday Evening Post*, in an editorial under the date of February 5th, publishes the following:

"Quite apart from the obvious difficulties in the way of putting such a recommendation into effect, this sentence brings out clearly Mr. Hitchcock's failure to understand the true significance and importance of advertising, not only to a magazine's readers, but to the business development of the whole country. It is because he is not alone in this that we want to say something about advertising.

"The pioneers of the nineteenth century worked with their hands; those of the twentieth century are working with their brains. Slowly and laboriously the pathway of commerce was hewed out with the axe and broken with the plow. Today the pioneer works with a silent force which is no less revolutionary and far-reaching than the wireless. Whereas a merchant in the past could use but a small force of salesmen, and push forward the development of his business and of the country only by inches, today he has at his command an army which does the work of years in weeks or months. These silent salesmen go into every house, every store, every office in the country. They may be found in the wilderness and in Wall Street. And they have done more to increase the business and the prosperity of this country than any other single force.

"Advertising is true pioneering. It is the great creator of new business, the great expander of old. Advertising is today the mainstay of independent business; it is the bulwark of little business against big business; it is the one open path straight to the consumer; it is the small man's chance to win on the sheer merit of his goods and the brains that he puts into pushing them, against the brute strength of the most powerful trust.

"There is nothing abstruse about this advertising proposition, nothing difficult to prove. Look through this number of *The Saturday Evening Post* or pick up any reputable magazine, and analyze the advertising carefully. Here is an association of growers in Hawaii, advertising canned pineapple. In the old days they would have had to work slowly and painfully through jobber and retailer, interesting one merchant and one consumer at a time. Today they can bring their goods to the attention of almost every consumer in the country and over night a quick demand springs up, making for the immediate expansion of a great industry. Here is a small independent cigar-maker. Under old conditions a trust might have kept him out of business. Today he can secure in any magazine just as choice a corner, passed by as many consumers every minute, as the greatest trust in the world, and so a small independent business is safe and thriving. A city takes two pages to present its advantages as a manufacturing

center. Result: eighteen factories—which it would have taken years to secure in the ordinary course—locate here, and a whole community is benefited. A great railroad system runs through the wilderness, a small town is surrounded by fertile but unsettled prairies. Both advertise, and settlers pour in on every train to make new homes. The settlement of the Northwest, the development of the Western apple country, have been pushed forward ten years by judicious advertising. The enormous expansion of the automobile industry is undoubtedly due to the fact that these manufacturers, who are selling something that appeals to progressive minds, are progressive enough to use the most progressive of all methods of salesmanship—advertising.

"There is no use multiplying examples. They are at your hands. The thing argues itself. Imagine for one moment your daily newspaper without the drygoods store and local advertisements; imagine your magazines without the mass of time-saving and money saving information called advertising, and the consuming public forced to return to the old, slow, wasteful methods. It is stepping back into a world without telephones and trolleys. That will give you some slight idea of what a vital factor in your lives is this advertising matter which it is proposed to tax. The merchant and the manufacturer do not have to imagine; they know just what advertising means to the life and prosperity of business. And the Postmaster-General ought to know not only these things, but also just how much the advertiser does to swell that big profit on the first-class mail. Does he know that from one page in *The Ladies' Home Journal* an advertiser received thirty-one thousand answers and sent thirty-one thousand replies, all at the first-class rate? Does he know that one advertiser, in a four-months' campaign, has created 310,000 letters in reply; that another advertiser spent \$433,242 in a year in first, third and fourth class mail, and that in the same period he received over 4,000,000 answers to magazine advertisements? These are but a few examples; they might be multiplied indefinitely.

"The road to business perdition is choked with men WHO STOPPED ADVERTISING. Sisyphus was the first of these, and he is still trying to get back to the top of the hill.

"While we are on this subject of advertising we might as well make the confession that the magazines and newspapers are 'subsidized'—not by the American Government, but by the Great American Advertiser. Without him, *The Saturday Evening Post* would bankrupt John D. Rockefeller if he sold it at five cents the copy and stuck to it long enough."

Could there be any better argument in the interest of the value of advertising? We think not! And every business man and merchant in Salisbury would do well to read and then read again the facts set forth in the foregoing editorial.

Abolish Compulsory Vaccination!

Last week a bill was introduced into the Maryland Legislature to repeal the present compulsory vaccination law in this State. The measure was introduced by Delegate James E. Duvall, of Montgomery County. This is indeed a step in the right direction and shows conclusively that Maryland has taken its justly deserved place among her sister states which have already started legislative campaigns against the practice of enforcing vaccination. This is a measure of the utmost importance to the people of Maryland, and as the medical profession, not only in this State, but throughout the country, is hopelessly divided on the subject, it is one which should be given the most serious consideration by our representatives at Annapolis before they finally stamp upon it the seal of their approval or disapproval.

We are invariably told that vaccination modifies the disease of smallpox, the vaccinated are said to recover better than the unvaccinated, but by a comparison of the smallpox and vaccination statistics gathered during the last twenty-seven years, it is found that a greater percentage of persons died from the malady who were inoculated with the virus than who had never been subject-

ed to vaccination. Statistics on the subject have been gathered in many cities with similar results. Vaccination itself is bad enough; its compulsion borders on barbarism. The cruelty of an action depends not only upon its nature, but also upon its necessity. Injury, suffering, neglect, want, do not of themselves constitute cruelty; they become so only when inflicted by human volition without necessity. No one can justly deny that vaccination causes some degree of suffering and injury to health, the inoculation of morbid poison into a healthy infant's bloodstream cannot result otherwise. In addition to this it has been proven that even in cases where the injection of the virus was considered entirely successful by physicians, other diseases, more to be dreaded than smallpox have later made themselves apparent, resulting in death.

In his "Osler's Modern Medicine," Dr. William Osler, on page three hundred and twenty-four, of volume two, emphatically states that vaccination causes tetanus or lock-jaw, in an uncertain number of cases. This is a frank admission on the part of the best authority in the world that vaccination may and does cause fatal disease.

Whether this is so or not, it would seem that the parents of children should be the judges in a matter which may or may not affect the health of those who are dearest to them. Who knows the condition of the child better, the parents or the legislators who placed the existing law upon the statutes of this State?

Compulsory vaccination, with the possible result of tetanus, or any of the terrible diseases which have been known to follow the operation, is one of the greatest crimes ever committed by blind but legalized bigotry. That vaccination makes us immune from smallpox, is an assumption; that vaccination occasionally causes disease and death is an established fact.

It is to be hoped that the members of the Maryland legislature will thoroughly acquaint themselves with all the information procurable before they take definite action upon this measure which will decide the fate of thousands of children who are now healthy, happy and the pride of their parents, the children of those who are responsible for the election of the men who now have the power to repeal the law providing compulsory vaccination.

Editorial Jottings.

It is impossible to have a clean city without a complete garbage system. How, then, can Salisbury expect to rate as such without even the remnant of a system?

Senator Price's bill providing for a bond issue to raise funds to pay for the building of several schoolhouses in this county should meet with the approval of his constituents. Anything is good that tends to make better public school facilities.

When we figure the cost of mailing *THE COURIER* to its subscribers, we include our free list. Postmaster-General Hitchcock, however, ignores entirely the franking privilege when he submits to the President his figures showing the enormous deficit in the Postoffice Department.

To cure disease it is necessary to remove the cause. To make the weak strong it is essential to eliminate the cause of the weakness. The seat of the trouble in relation to the enormous deficit in the Postoffice Department has been successfully diagnosed by business specialists and the cause of the financial loss attributed to the abuse of the present franking privilege. Abolish the prevailing system and establish a free delivery service for the mail of officials pertaining strictly to Governmental business and the long suffering Postoffice Department will immediately start out on the road to Wellville!

For Sale.

Seven-room house and lot in Maryland. Apply to

M. W. BOUNDS,
Salisbury, Md.

The Ancient Greeks

Realized that beauty of living came only with beautiful surroundings. They made their public buildings marvels of beauty.

Today, beautiful wall-papers at moderate cost, have brought true art within reach of the most modest pocketbooks.

My business is to suggest and carry out original and individual decorations to suit anybody's requirements as to price and environment.

John Nelson The Paint Shop

Phone 191

FOR SALE

SMALL FARMS—BIG FARMS

We are the exclusive agent to sell the eight Phillips Farms, located on a fine shell road, one mile from shipping point, two miles from heart of Salisbury. The dollars talk with us. We shall sell these farms and other property placed with us at once. Come and let us show you these farms, which are well set in clover and wheat.

J. A. JONES & CO.,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS
SALISBURY, MD.

When the Fire Alarm Sounds

there is a world of comfort in the thought that your house is insured in a good company. Purchase this comfort today by placing your insurance in our agency.

Wm. M. Cooper & Bro.
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PRINTING CALCIMINING AND GENERAL HOUSE WORK

Charges Reasonable
Prompt Service
Estimates Furnished

THEO. W. DAVIS
SALISBURY, MD.



Mrs. G. W. Taylor

will offer all Felt Hats in all colors, including Black and White, at cost. Willow Plumes, black, white and colors at cost. "Pattern" Hats at half price. Children's Felt Hats that were \$1.25 to \$1.98 now at 50 cts. These goods must be sold early to make room for a large Spring stock. A new line of "Beavers" and Fur Turbans.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor

216 Main Street

Phone 425

Lowenthal's

The Up-to-date Store

After Stock Taking House Cleaning Sale

Rare Bargains that mean rich profiting for you. Final selling of odds and small lots at surprisingly low prices. These Odds and Ends, and Remnants of all kinds, must be sold to make room for Spring stock. Look for these Bargains.

36in. Percale at 10c per yard, worth 12½
Remnants of Gingham at 6c per yard, worth 10 and 12
Good Muslin at 5c
Remnants of Dress Goods in Black and colors
Remnants of Calico
Remnants of White Waistings
Remnants of Linens
Remnants of Percale
Remnants of Blankets and Comforts
Ladies' one-piece Cloth Dresses at Remnant Price
Ladies' Suits, Coats and Capes and Remnant prices
Odds and Ends in Pictures, Brass Ware and Etc. a-Brac
Odds and Ends in Laces and Embroideries

Remember all goods are reduced
and this is Remnant week

Lowenthal's

The Up-to-date Merchant of Salisbury, Md.



"BEST YET"

Dorman & Smyth Hardware Co.,

Salisbury, Maryland.

FOR RENT—AT ONCE

FURNISHED. HOUSE COMPLETE

The undersigned, owing to absence from town on a business trip covering a period of three or four months, will rent his modern home at the

Northeast Corner of William Street and Poplar Hill Ave.

The house is equipped with all modern conveniences—hot water heat—electric lights—hot and cold water, etc.

ELMER H. WALTON.

SALISBURY HOUSE

MRS. WILSON FIGGS, Proprietor

Board by the Day, Week or Month
Reasonable Rates

Opposite Ulman's Grand Opera House
SALISBURY, MD.

THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—FOR SALE: 13 barrels of herring, fit for agricultural purposes only. 50c per barrel. TURNER BROS. CO.

—LOST: Tuesday morning, a Diamond Ring, going from Lowenthal's Store to Hotel. Reward if left at Lowenthal's Store.

—The services at the Catholic Church here next Sunday will be conducted by Father Mickle. Mass, 10.30 a. m. Benediction at 7.30 p. m.

—Next Monday will be St. Valentine's Day, and there is no reason to believe that the number of suitors will be less than usual.

—Mr. R. S. Woolston will sing, "Fear ye not, Oh Israel," at the Division Street Baptist Church tomorrow evening. Service at 7.30 o'clock.

—The subjects of Rev. Dr. Graham's sermons at Bethesda M. P. Church tomorrow will be, morning, "Feet Washing," evening, "Demonism of the Past and Present."

—The friends and members of Powellville M. P. Church will hold an oyster supper on February 19. Ice cream and cake and other good things will be for sale. Proceeds for benefit of church.

—Not for years has such a sensation been made by a play as St. Elmo. See it at Ullman's Grand Opera House on Friday Feb. 18th by the Md. & Del. Stock Co. Prices, 25, 35, & 50 cents.

—LOST: Gold Brooch, smutheest setting surrounded in the pearl. Either at Ullman's Opera House or on Main St. between Opera House and Lowenthal's store. Reward if returned to this office.

—Tomorrow night, February 13th, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor of the Division Street Baptist Church, will preach a sermon on the theme, "Heaven." An appropriate solo will be rendered.

—The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. T. E. Martindale Tuesday evening. A delightful programme was arranged and refreshments served by the hostess.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Jay Williams Wednesday evening. A delightful programme was arranged and refreshments served by the hostess.

Noble and true ridges the story of St. Elmo. A play for all, a story that has brought the church and stage close together. Don't fail to see it at Ullman's Grand Opera House Friday Feb. 18th. Prices 25, 35, and 50 cents.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Freeny, widow of the late Peter Freeny, died at Quantico Tuesday, aged 87 years. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Martha Callaway, of Baltimore, and two sons, Benjamin Freeny, of Baltimore, and George Freeny, of Tyaskin.

—Governor Pennewill, of Delaware, and Mr. William Sheldermine, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion A. Humphreys this week. They were in Salisbury to attend the reception given in honor of Miss Belle McCoombs Jackson.

—Owing to the illness of Dr. Terry, Rev. I. J. Bunting has been requested to fill the M. E. pulpit in Easton on the 13th. Rev. B. Parker will preach in the M. E. Church at Mardela in the forenoon. Other work on the circuit will be provided for. The public is invited.

—The Farmers' Institute for Wicomico county will be held in Salisbury on Thursday and Friday, March 3rd and 4th, under the auspices of the Maryland Agricultural College. In addition to the corps of experienced workers from the college and experiment station, several noted lecturers will be here to address the farmers.

—A new by-law adopted by the State Board of Education abolishes the old plan of allowing three days pay each term in case of the sickness of a school teacher, and substitutes therefor half pay for not more than twenty days during a school year, for time lost by actual sickness established by satisfactory proofs.

—National Committeeman Wm. F. Jackson, ex-Congressman Wm. H. Jackson and Postmaster M. A. Humphreys, all of Salisbury, are among those invited to participate in the Lincoln Day celebration by the Union League Club of Baltimore on February 12, which is the one hundred and first anniversary of the birth of Lincoln.

—Rev. W. T. M. Beale, pastor of the Wicomico Presbyterian church, who is preaching during the month of February from passages of Scripture which have been suggested by members of his congregation, will have as his subjects tomorrow "The Problem of Miracles" Matt. 27:51-53 in the morning and "The End of all Effort" 2 Timothy: 2:18, in the evening.

—Look up the Bargain Counters loaded down with Shoes at The "Big" Shoe Store—R. Homer White Shoe Co.

—The coldest day this Winter was experienced Monday when the mercury dropped to two degrees below zero. The cold wave started Sunday, a strong north-west wind prevailing all day and far into the night. The cold wave was general throughout Maryland and Delaware. Wilmington reported mercury 4 degrees below zero. Elkton reported 3 degrees below.

—Bishop John W. Hamilton, LL. D., who will preside at the session of the Methodist Episcopal Conference which will convene in this city in March, will deliver his celebrated lecture, "Some People of Quality of Boston," on Wednesday, March 16th, the opening night of the Conference, at the Court House. Tickets will be placed on sale in a short time.

—There will be a special benefit performance, given at Parsons Opera House on next Thursday Eve. Feb. 17th for the benefit of Wm. E. Williams and family. They have been seriously afflicted with sickness for the last three months. This is a worthy cause and should be patronized by all. Special attractions will be given. Tickets good until used. Admission 10 cents.

—City Solicitor E. Stanley Toadvin returned from Annapolis this week, where he had been for several days framing up some legislation for the Mayor and Council. One of the bills drawn by Mr. Toadvin gives the Mayor and Council the right to borrow a sum of money up to ten thousand dollars for the purpose of curbing the streets of the city and buying a public whar property for the use of the town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Walton expect to leave today for a trip to the North-west covering a period of two to three months. Their objective point is Spokane, Washington, to which place Mr. Walton has been called on business. During their absence from town their home at the corner of William street and Poplar Hill avenue is offered for rent, completely furnished, and full information may be obtained by applying to Mr. C. A. White at THE COURIER office or to Mr. Morris A. Walton.

Personals.

—Mrs. Geo. Kennerly entertained at cards Friday evening.

—Mrs. Arthur Kennerly entertained at "500" Monday evening.

—Miss May Coughlin is spending some time at Deal's Island.

—Miss Ora Disharoon entertained the "500" Club Tuesday afternoon.

—Miss Lizzie Tilghman, of Berlin, is the guest of Mrs. Milton Pope.

—Misses Martha Toadvin and Mary Collier are visiting in Bala, Penn.

—Miss Nellie Waller, of Princess Anne, is visiting Miss Louise Perry.

—Mrs. Emma Waverly, of Onancock, is the guest of Mrs. Louis W. Gunby.

—Mrs. Julia Walcher, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Nelson.

—Miss Grace Battles, of Lakewood, N. J., was the guest of Miss Belle Jackson this week.

—Miss Eva Kidings, of Berlin, was the guest of Mrs. E. C. Fulton several days this week.

—Mrs. Jay Williams, who spent several days in Baltimore last week, has returned home.

—Miss May Sirman, who has been visiting relatives in Baltimore, returned home Monday evening.

—The "Mothers Jewels" will meet at the home of Master Preston Short this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Miss Sara Phillips, who has been visiting Mrs. Will Leonard, in Baltimore, returned home Thursday.

—The Travellers' Club met at the home of Miss Emma Powell, Camden Ave., Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. R. B. Ackley and son Bernard, of New York, are visiting Mrs. William Brewington, Isabella Street.

—Mr. Oscar Evans, who has been visiting relatives in town, returned to his home in Washington last week.

—Mrs. Samuel Lowenthal was in New York and Philadelphia this week attending the millinery openings.

—Mr. Randolph Brewington, of New York, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Brewington, Isabella Street.

—Mrs. Elmer Bailey entertained Friday evening at cards in honor of her guest, Miss Conloun, of Snow Hill.

—Mrs. William Poole, of Wilmington, Del., who has been spending the month of January with friends and relatives in Salisbury, returned home this week.

—Mrs. M. V. Brewington is the guest of Commander and Mrs. Robert E. Coontz, Naval Yard, Annapolis. She attended the Governor's reception Tuesday evening.

—Among the Salisburyans who attended the reception Friday evening given by Mr. and Mrs. James H. Preston in Baltimore were Mr. and Mrs. William F. Jackson, Misses Belle Jackson, May Humphreys, Jess Leonard, Emma Wood, Sara Phillips, Margaret Woodcock and Mary Smith.

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A practical farmer communicating with the Farm and Ranch concerning the stave silos says: This silo consists of the requisite number of staves to make the desired size, bound together, similar to a mammoth tank or cistern, with iron hoops, which can be loosened or tightened as desired. Silos of this type made by different manufacturers differ from one another mainly in the style of door frame and door or the fastening for the same, on which there may be a patent. There is no patent, however, on the stave silo, and any one is at liberty to erect one if he desires to do so.

Any of the various manufacturers will sell the door frame, doors and hoops separately if desired, and the staves can be purchased from a local lumber dealer. If possible it is best to have the staves six inches wide and tongue and grooved. If it is impossible to get these made up in this way 2 by 4 can be used if they are jointed on both edges, but they should not be beveled, as the inside edges will close more tightly if left square.

Where 2 by 4 are used a 400 spike should be driven through each stave into the one next to it every four or five feet to keep them in position should the hoops loosen during the dry weather of summer when the silo is empty. A shallow hole should be bored where each nail is driven to counteract the head.

These silos should be placed on a circular wall the same as the other type of silos mentioned above.

For a silo of this character fourteen feet in diameter and thirty feet high, with a capacity to hold ninety tons, the following bill of materials is suggested by the United States department of agriculture:

Foundation.—Three and three-fourths cubic yards crushed stone or gravel, two cubic yards of sand, four and one-fourth barrels Portland cement.

Silo Staves.—One hundred and thirty-three pieces 2 by 4, sixteen feet; 133 pieces 2 by 4, fourteen feet.

Hardware.—Eight rods three-fourth inch, eleven feet six inches long; eight rods five-eighth inch, eleven feet six inches long; twenty rods one-half inch, eleven feet six inches long; eighteen malleable lugs, fifty pounds; 400 spikes, sixty-four bolts three-



STAVE SILOS.

eighths by four, 133 pieces galvanized steel two inches wide, four by one-fourth inch.

Roof.—Twenty-two pieces 1 by 12, ten feet long; four pieces 2 by 4, ten feet long; one center pole eight inches in diameter, four feet long.

The pieces of galvanized steel are provided to fasten the ends of the 2 by 4 inch staves together, a slit being sawed in the end of each. The iron rods should be threaded for about eight inches on each end and loose fitting nuts provided. These rods make the bands or hoops with which to compress the staves together.

The twelve inch boards for the roof should be split diagonally, leaving the pointed end not over one-half an inch in width. Erect the center pole between the four rafters, making a one-third pitch, and build the roof in the form of a cone, resting the narrow end of the board against the center pole. Make a plate on the inside of the top of the staves by bending around the inside two thicknesses of one-half by six boards and nailing them firmly to each stave.

Anchor the silo to the ground by putting three eye bolts through this plate and running four strands of No. 9 galvanized wire from them to a solid stick or rock buried in the ground not over three feet distant from the foundation. Use three of these anchor cables.

Paralysis in Swine.

Paralysis in swine most often follows overfeeding of rich nitrogenous foods to animals that are closely confined. Pigs do best when allowed a considerable range and not fed too highly. As this affection involves the spinal cord, it is not only liable to prove fatal, but is not, as a rule, satisfactorily treated. First remove the cause. Cut down feed and allow plenty of range, and if not fed too liberally they will forsake about and get exercise. Young pigs only partially paralyzed will often come right treated as above advised. Old animals will not often respond to any form of treatment.

Overfeeding Cattle.

It is argued by those who feed all the corn cattle will consume, swine following at the same time in the pastures, that the hogs will take care of all that is not digested. It is true that the swine will gather all the corn in the paddocks, but it is also true that cattle when fed very heavily will consume and digest more food than can be assimilated by the system, so that neither the animal to which the grain is fed nor the swine will get the full benefit of the same.

BEAUTIFYING FACTORIES.

What May Be Done by Judicious Use of Grass and Vines.

While general exhortations to American towns to put on their beautiful garments and be something more than barracks for tolling thousands have a certain value, there is power in particular instances. Here is a little story of the beautifying of American factories.

Moline, Ill., is a town of shops. It has perhaps 23,000 people, yet its factory district is two miles long, the manufacturing interests being developed out of all proportion to everything else in the community.

The Moline Wagon company occupies a four story brick structure with a frontage on "the factory line"—Third avenue—of several hundred feet. The building stands almost flush with the right of way of the terminal tracks of the local railways. Some years ago Walter Rosenfield, the president of the company, started out to beautify after the German fashion, with climbing vines and window boxes, that portion of the facade where the offices of the company give on the street. A very small grass plot at the office door is made the most of. Virginia creepers embower the windows and climb forty feet up the walls, while window boxes with scarlet geraniums, brilliant floss plants and hanging vines afford splendid masses of color the season through.

Good examples are contagious. The first to follow suit were the two great factories of the Deere syndicate—the Deere & Moline corn planter works and the Deere Steel Plow works. The first named constructed a new office building beside the factory and allowed space for landscape treatment in front of it, employing a landscape architect trained at the Iowa State Agricultural college under the supervision of John Good, the vice president of the company, who is an amateur horticulturist of much experience.

Deere & Co. set apart a long strip of ground, perhaps fifteen wide, between the factory wall and the tracks which parallel the highway for special treatment, and masses of shrubbery have been employed there in a way which breaks the wearisome effect of long lines upon the eye and transforms a considerable stretch of street. The Velle Carriage company has adopted the same plan with like success.

The special significance of this is in the fact that Moline was not laid out with any idea of the recognition of the aesthetic in its manufacturing district. The success there in beautifying a long line of factories of standard construction simply shows what may be done under apparently untoward conditions with even the least foothold for grass, flowers, vines and shrubs when the problem is intelligently and enthusiastically attacked.

BRIGHTEN RURAL LIFE.

Indianapolis Believes Schools Might Be Improved.

Fassett A. Cotton, late state superintendent of instruction, Indiana, says: "The mothers and daughters who have borne their share of the burden of toil on the farm have been the larger sufferers. Life for them is too hard, and the social advantages are too few and far between. Under such circumstances it is not strange that farmers' children are attracted to city life and that they leave the farm."

"Now, with the school as the center of township (or rural) life, economic, social and educational interests can work out the solution together. The school center is better than the village center. It is doubtful if the latter is possible. In the nature of the case most farmers must live on their farms. The township school, a school centralized, to be patronized by all the residents of a township should be conducted under the ideal conditions."

"Three things are fundamental in this problem of raising the social standard of rural life—first, the co-operation of economic, social and educational forces with the school as a center is absolutely essential; second, the community life with its dominant interest, agriculture, must determine the nature of the work of the school and the mode of procedure; third, the teachers must be capable of dealing with the problems of life, willing to make the community their permanent home and to take the solution of its economic, social and educational problems as their life work."

New Jersey Town's Waste Paper Plan.

Disposing of the city's waste paper at a profit is a plan adopted by the common council of Bayonne, N. J. Special carts are detailed by the street commissioner to collect the waste paper, which the city plans to sell by the hundred pounds and for which there is a steady market. For some time complaints have been made by residents that the garbage carts are overloaded, with the result that paper is blown from them about the streets. The matter was taken up by the Merchants' association, and the members have agreed to fit their waste paper neatly in bundles and place it on the curbs on certain days each week, when the city will send collectors to gather up the bundles.

What England Wants.

A recent number of an English publication contains a plaintive cry for much needed help. English wants are thus specified:

"What England wants just now is a man or several of infinite ability and amiable means who, purely for the sake of their art alone, will prepare imaginary schemes showing how and in what way our cities ought to grow if they are to be healthy dwelling places and beauty spots instead of blotches upon our land."

HIGH GRADE SHEEP.

Blue Blood of Thoroughbreds Necessary for Keeping Up Standard.

A writer in Farm and Progress says: A mistaken idea that is very misleading and practiced by a great many farmers is, in using a grade sire to grade up their herds or flock.

The use of a grade sire in breeding any class of live stock cannot be too strongly condemned, and I am sure if those who use grade sires would recognize the laws that govern breeding they would not use them.

The temptation to use grade sires, however, is invariably on account of the low price for which he can be secured and the resemblance he bears to the pure bred animal. In case he is one-half blood grade, mated with scrub breeding stock, there would be three parts of scrub blood to one part of improved blood, and in this event improvement would be impossible.

Take a grade sire, the product from a second cross, a three-fourths blood grade, mated with scrub breeding stock, there would be in this union



OXFORD DOWN RAM.

five parts of scrub blood to three parts of improved blood. The work of improvement has made no progress.

Even with a grade sire from the third cross, a seven-eighths blood grade, mated with the scrub breeding stock, there would be nine parts of scrub blood to seven of improved blood, scrub blood still in the majority and improvement held back, as this scrub blood is wonderfully persistent.

These facts should demonstrate the fallacy of using grade sires for improving or grading up our live stock, for in them breed, progeny and characteristics have not been fully established and fixed. Therefore they do not possess that power to transmit the desired or breed qualities and improvement of their offspring.

On the other hand, in this process of grading up or improving our live stock the pure bred sire has that power from a long line of pure bred ancestry of transmitting to his offspring his breed, characteristics, traits and individual excellence with a remarkable degree of certainty, as breed, characteristics, uniformity of type, quality and production in live stock are the triumph of persistent and long line of straight breeding.

The use of a grade sire will only lead to degeneracy or scrubs, disappointment and failure.

Results From Separator.

To get the best results from the separator the Kansas experiment station urges observance of the three rules which follow: First—The speed of the bowl has an influence on the cream. A change in speed from one separator to another changes the per cent of fat to the cream. Second—The temperature of the milk affects the cream. If the milk is warm the cream will be thicker than if it is cold. Third—The amount separated per hour is another factor. This is especially important, for if the milk is unevenly fed into the bowl the thickness of the cream is vastly influenced. The amount of water or skim milk used to flush out the bowl will affect the quality of the cream. All these things tend to show that the separator must be handled with care and good judgment.

Blending of Blood.

From blending together the blood of the Flemish Brabant and Ardennais horses a distinct breed of draft horse has been formed in Belgium. The typical Belgian horse is blocky, wide, heavy, on short clean legs. His neck often inclines to coarseness, and his croup is sloping, while his pasterns are apt to be upright. The old fashioned type was a soft, unattractive, fat horse of little value for mating with American makes. The newer pattern is a better one, its representatives being fast, free movers and greatly improved in the points just criticized.

Nobody Knows.

Professor Dietrich of the Illinois experiment station says that "nobody knows yet how to feed a hog." And he might have said the same thing about all other live stock. Nobody knows yet just how to make the most of the feed and the best of the animal, because this problem has been studied in a scientific way for a comparatively short time. It is a great problem.

The Cow's Yell.

It is not unusual for yellow, matter-like fluid to appear in the udder of a cow that is to come in soon. Usually after parturition and four or five milkings the milk will be all right. It jumps appear in the udder bath every two or three hours with water as hot as the hand will bear, and between whiles rub it severely with camphorated oil.

Disposition of Breeders.

In breeding profitable horses care should be taken to select animals known to possess desirable qualities. Vicious natures should not be bred. Every year bad dispositioned horses send quite a number of persons to premature graves and cripple others, with the material damage they do in quite considerable.

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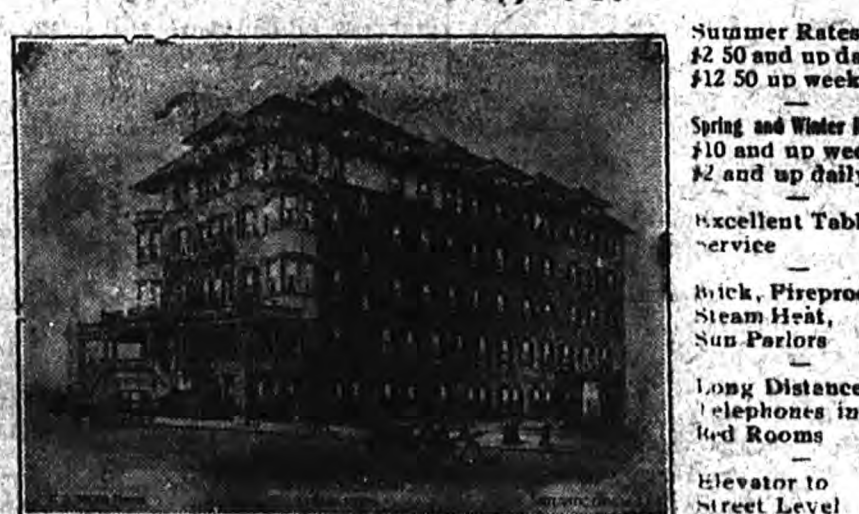
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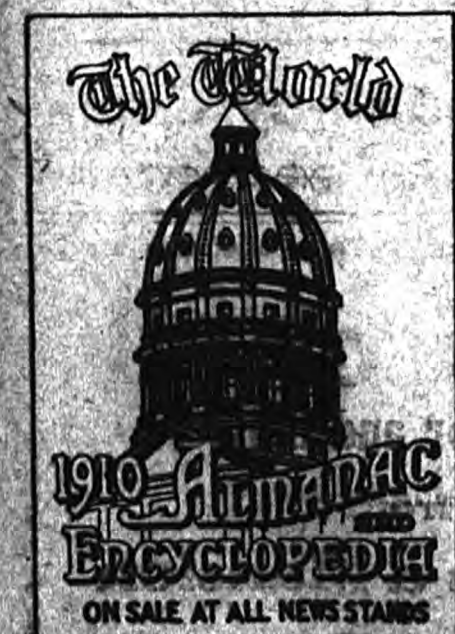
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The Homer leads for squabs because it's the most prolific breeder at lowest cost of the quality of squab the market demands. Without it, squab business, nil.

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Those who crossed Homers and Runts saw no silver lining to their dark cloud when they found undesirable black and blue peepers in the nest.

Those who bit at Dragoons soon learned they were using five weeks' feed to mature a Dragoon squab, while the straight Homer breeder had already accrued a week's interest on the sale of his cheaper fed squab.

Those who got stuck on the feather legged Duchesses soon found little



STRAIGHT HOMER—FLYING RECORD, 500 MILES IN TEN HOURS.

Dukes and Duchesses with fuzzy stockings weren't in style and dealers didn't want half Homers with paint brush trills.

The greatest joke was the Mondaine gold brick worked on a multitude of erudite Yankees by Johnny Bull breeders at \$20 per pair. When those calico colored culls reached this side the wrath of the buyer almost equaled the amount of express.

What of the Carneaux and Kings? These, with others, are very good, but as a prolific breeder and fine feeder of what's the go the straight Homer is the whole show.

HOW TO PREPARE SQUABS FOR MARKET.

Fat, plump squabs picked dry while warm seldom tear if handled with care.

Have water handy to moisten fingers. Hang large ring from ceiling; have three nooses hanging from it; slip these over legs, wings and tail of bird so it can't move. Take its head in left hand, insert knife and cut through back of head into brain.

Hang weight by hooked wire to beak and when bird grasps loosened wings in left hand and with moistened thumb and forefinger of right hand pluck



SQUABS FOUR WEEKS OLD—MARKET SIZE.

Now draw wings front and pick back, stiff and tall.

Put wings together and pull large quills of both wings at once, slash each wing separately and then complete the job by drawing all pinfeathers with the edge of a knife.

Wash mouth and feet, drop bird into cold water for a few minutes to plump up and lose animal heat, then drain perfectly and pack in alternate layers of ice if market is distant and weather is warm. Twelve squabs an hour is expert time.

DO NOTS.

Don't let the ducks stir up mud in the run. On your neighbors' wash day there will be tin. Don't let the ducks pose in the limelight if your crows have gotten. Don't give sage advice if your turkeys have lice.

Don't change breeds till you have mastered the old or it has mastered you. The latter doesn't matter.

THE PREACHERS' TRUST.

Oh, say, have you heard of the preachers' trust? That the big stick man never tried to bust? Well, tell you, sub rosa, if you know your most, Teddy R. himself belongs to this trust.

The oil, the beet and the sugar trust certainly merit distrust and disgust. And with coal, paper and rotten egg trust.

But the preachers' trust is a different thing. Oh, no, it's not a lawbreaking ring. Oppressing the weak, grabbing everything and making men feel keen poverty's sting.

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Build your lot on level, drained, porous ground, facing south, avoiding windy site or hollow where fog lingers. A fine house, not to exceed 250 pairs, partitioned off, is cheaper and handier than many small ones.

Nine feet high in front, seven in back and twelve feet wide are proper dimensions; room 10 by 12 fits fifty pairs.

Build on two foot concrete piers to avoid rats; shingle roof. Plan for matting, pickling and hospital rooms. Car-



A GOOD DOUBLE LOT.

It's a pine for tight floor and sides, the latter set vertical and thick according to climate.

Long house must have three foot entry on north, with screen and solid door at entrance and all doors with springs and locks to prevent birds' escape. Have room and fly space clear to prevent birds injuring themselves. No perches nor running boards inside, as they cause fighting, and birds roost in nests, but have step boards at 6 by 6 inches around top exits.

Put a four light sash in gable, two six-light in north side, one six-light on south side for every fifty pairs, and have a sash in partitions and a ventilator in roof.

Screen all windows and manipulate according to wind to avoid drafts.

Place nests along sides, two nests to the pair, and have slide bottoms for cleaning.

A fly eight feet high and 10 by 32 feet for fifty birds, with running boards up along sides.

Keep clean sand on house floor and renew the four inches of sand in fly every three months.

FEATHERS AND EGGSHELLS.

Shooting chicken lice with a powder gun is like shooting sparrows in a dense jungle with a popgun. Dusting by hand or machine kills the lice, but that powder gun is most too nice.

Canadians declare that chickenpox is spread by the mosquito. We have never seen a "skeeter" bite a chicken, but have seen a chicken chase a "skeeter" across a lot. If these pests spread the disease among fowls they would bear it from fowl to man. But the disease generally arrives after "skeeters" have disappeared.

How many cows do you keep that give no milk? None. Not such a colossal fool. How many hens in your flock don't lay? You don't know? Well, then, the fools aren't all dead yet, after all.

The establishment of egg stores in the cities by the proprietors of poultry plants simply shows that poultry men are tired of the trickery of middlemen. The success of these stores simply shows that the public is tired of being cheated with rots and spots sold them by city merchants at enormous prices.

The idea that a male bird is past usefulness at three years of age in the offspring of an infertile brain. We saw a cock twelve years old and a hen sixteen that begot the finest of show birds.

Among cruel fool fanciers are those that burn spots from a cock's ear lobes with acid and drive feathers into a fowl's flesh to supply missing ones. May their tribe quickly decrease.

A farmer called a poultryman a "hog" for charging \$1 for a setting of eggs and told him he would never get to paradise. The same man compelled his boy to pick bugs off a ten acre potato patch in the sweltering heat because Paris green costs too much. Such a man (misnomer) is a razorback gette hog.

A young woman near Philadelphia buys up all the farm eggs in her vicinity, washes and candies and sells them to a bon ton family trade. She first bought a crate of eggs, washed them and after their sale found she had a profit of \$2.25. She now clears \$2,000 a year on eggs shipped to her from crossroads country stores.

6. M. Barnitz.

THE GRANGE

Conducted by J. W. DARROW, Chairman, N. Y. Press Correspondent New York State Grange

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Co-operation of the Grange with the Department of Agriculture.

The Grange in New York state is co-operating with the work of the farmers' institutes in all ways that it can, and we presume this is true in other states. The commissioner of agriculture recently held a conference of farmers' institute conductors, every one being members of the Grange. It was decided to hold county conferences during the summer and fall with representatives of the different agricultural organizations in each county, particularly the Grange. At these conferences it is to be determined where in each county the farmers' institutes shall be held and what matters of general interest will be discussed. It is not proposed to decide upon locations of institutes in advance of or independently of the conferences which will be held in the different counties. Persons who wish to make such requests should take the matter up with the chief officer of some Grange or other agricultural organization within the county and request that he have the claims presented at the conference.

Appreciating the importance of a proper co-operation between the Grange and the institute, we asked Commissioner R. A. Pearson of the department of agriculture of New York state to outline his views on the subject. In reply he said: "The Grange can and does do a great deal in the interest of our institute work. They can do still more. In the first place, the masters will be invited to attend the county conferences, and I wish that they would consider this an important engagement and not let it be broken unless absolutely necessary. At the county conferences the locations of institutes will be decided upon and to a large extent the character of the program will be determined. Then, too, I wish more of the Granges would get in touch with the institute speakers and assist in developing the subjects by having good illustrative specimens at hand when the speakers arrive. Many such specimens can be used to advantage in lectures in the halls. And why should not any Grange follow up the institute program at their meetings, succeeding the institute, going into the subjects perhaps still further and reviewing the new points and points of most importance which were brought out at the institute?"

The institutes doubtless do best work when many people feel a personal interest in and responsibility for them. In other words, in the institute work we believe in co-operation, which is a watchword of the Grange.

DAIRMEN'S LEAGUE.

An Organization of Grangers and Other Farmers in New York.

Orange county has for many years been noted the country over for its extensive dairy interests. When New York city authorities placed certain restrictions on the dairymen of the nearby dairy counties, restrictions they believed to be unnecessary even to attain the ends desired, these dairy farmers rebelled, not with a view to thwart the ends desired by the city authorities, but rather to attain them by a different course of procedure. So the Dairymen's league was organized. It stands for living prices, sanitary conditions, pure milk and healthy cows fed on wholesome food. Such conditions can only be brought about by organization of the farmers, that they may put their business on a paying basis so they may derive the means to employ sufficient help to bring about the sanitary stables and keep the cows in a proper state of cleanliness. They can then produce a clean and sanitary pure milk, which must be started right or it never will be right.

In the league dairies there are now 300,000 cows at least worth \$12,000,000. It requires about four acres of land to support each cow, which represents an outlay of \$50,000,000, and we have invested about \$30,000,000 in equipment. We think this vast outlay and industry worth protecting by organization. The object of the Dairymen's league is to put the milk business on a paying basis to the producer. Until we create a financial incentive for the farmer, says the league's president, we cannot look for results satisfactory to the trade.

The West Virginia Patrons' Insurance Company.

The Grange Mutual Fire Insurance company of West Virginia was organized in 1904, beginning to do business with \$100,000 worth of insurance. It now covers eight counties and is doing a \$600,000 business. During the last five years there has been but one assessment, and that but \$2 on the thousand. The secretary is the only officer in the company that receives compensation, and he is paid only for actual services.

Fifty Thousand Bushels of Peaches.

Jay Allen, an extensive grower of peaches near Medina, N. Y., has eighty acres of peaches and over thirty-one acres in actual bearing. His crop this year promises 50,000 bushels, and the price averaging near a dollar, he can buy a new automobile next fall if everything turns out well.

Now they find that the havers used in "soft drinks" are adulterated and often harmful. The safest "soft" drink is pure water.



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COUNTY.

Nanticoke.

Mrs. Clarence Willing and daughter, Louise, visited in Mt. Vernon this week.

Mrs. Grace Parsons, of Salisbury, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Evans.

Mrs. D. W. Messick and Mrs. Wilbur F. Turner and daughter, Amy, spent Saturday in Salisbury.

Miss Ethel Colley entertained the "Saturday Night Club" Saturday evening. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Emma Price.

Mr. Robert F. Walter spent a few days this week at Annapolis.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Mamie Elliott, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Elliott, and Mr. Clarence Rossow. The ceremony will take place Feb. 16, at the M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harrington, of Fort Norris, N. J., who have been spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harrington, returned home this week.

Mrs. George Webster spent several days this week in Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. James Shockley and children, Edwin and Ada, spent last week in Salisbury.

Messrs. Thos. J. Walter, Thos. Messick and J. W. Parks were in Salisbury Tuesday.

Riverton.

Messies being prevalent in the school here, examinations had to be postponed and were only finished last Friday. The highest average was made by the 9th grade, the 6th ranking second. The 9th grade was led by Virgie Bailey, while Nellie Bennett and Blanche English tied for honors in the 8th. Gilbert Bennett was in the lead in the 6th grade and Lillian English in the 5th.

Applicants for census enumerators in this vicinity went to Salisbury Saturday to take the examination required of them.

Miss Nannie Wright visited Miss Bertha Cooper this week.

Mr. Richard Darby, of Baltimore, spent last Saturday and Sunday with his mother and sister here.

Mrs. Annie Kennerly, Miss Ada, and Master Herman, left last Wednesday to join Mrs. Kennerly's husband at Cambridge, where he arrived with the Richmond. Capt. Kennerly expects to take his family with him for about two months, on his various trips.

One of the traveling libraries sent out by the State Library Commission has been received here. This is the Teacher's and Student's Library and contains mostly historical and biographical works which are quite a valuable aid to the school and appreciated by the history lovers throughout the community.

Parsonsbury.

The Parsonsbury Camp-meeting will begin on Aug. 6th, 1910, and continue for ten days.

This is the right time and here is the right place for a crate and basket factory. Thousands of dollars are sent from this place every year in purchasing barrels and crates at other places while it could be made here. Who, and how many will take stock at \$25 per share, last encourage someone to roll the wheel.

Parsonsbury Council No. 134, Jr. O. U. A. M. requests the members to be present Monday night.

Mrs. Edwin Baker is the guest of his relatives and friends here.

Mr. J. W. Wimbrow returned home this week from North Carolina.

Mrs. E. T. Jackson and daughter, Miss Margie, of Salisbury, spent part of the week with relatives and friends here.

The many friends who attended the party Saturday night given by the Misses Fooks report having spent a pleasant evening.

Bivalve.

Miss Blanche Willing who has been visiting friends in Cambridge has returned home.

Miss Ruth Messick, of Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Messick.

Mr. Willie Willing was in Salisbury several days last week.

Miss Ruth Layfield who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George F. Insley, has returned home.

Miss Grace Harrington who was sick a few days last week is again able to resume her school duties.

Miss George Bouda, of Secretary, is visiting Mrs. Wm. R. Dunn.

Mr. George W. Lilly, of Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife here.

Mr. Wm. Dunn spent Tuesday in Salisbury.

Pittsville.

Rev. Mr. Jones, the district superintendent, will preach at the M. E. Church Sunday evening, February 13.

Mr. Roscoe Farlow, of Salisbury, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bailey, of Salisbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker.

Miss Annie Dennis was the guest of Miss Bettie Hearn Sunday.

Misses Rosa and Bertha Trull and Annie Riggin spent Sunday with Misses Mayme and Nellie Farlow.

Misses Frances Carey, Elsie White and Annie Calloway were the guests of Misses Bettie and Mattie Parsons Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collins spent several days last week with Mrs. S. A. Wimbrow, at St. Martins.

Willards.

Our little town is very busy, both factories are running daily.

Misses Esther Davis and Edna Dennis are attending the Business College at Salisbury.

Mrs. Francis Mammond is visiting at the home of her father, Mr. E. G. Davis, while her husband is away on a business trip.

Mr. Harry Richardson who has been visiting in Philadelphia has returned home.

Miss Elizabeth Rayne is spending the week with her cousin, Mrs. Frank Richardson.

Kelly.

Mr. Marion D. Collins and family spent Sunday with Mr. Geo. W. Fooks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hales, of Piney Grove, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Powell.

The thermometer registered 8 degrees above zero here Tuesday morning.

He Was the Same Man.

A prominent merchant of Sheffield recently accused a gentleman on the street with:

"Good morning, Mr. Johnson. How is coal today?"

"Well," responded the other, "I am not much acquainted with the coal market, but I can ascertain the price if it will accommodate you."

"I beg pardon," laughed the merchant. "I really thought you were Mr. Johnson, the coal dealer. You certainly resemble him."

A few days later the merchant entered a team car and, seating himself beside a gentleman, exclaimed heartily:

"Well, Mr. Johnson, I'm glad to recognize you today. I made a laughable mistake one day last week. I mistook another man for you and, addressing him very familiarly, asked how coal was. He looked amused and replied that he did not know much about coal, but would inquire if it would accommodate me. Then I looked at him and saw that he was a perfect stranger. It really was laughable, Mr. Johnson, but he looked so much like you."

"Yes," responded the gentleman, looking more amused, "and I am that same party again."

The merchant recognizes no more coal dealers.—London Tit-Bits.

A Rare Autograph.

"What is the most expensive autograph you ever sold?" inquired the reporter.

"That of Thomas Lynch, Jr.," answered the dealer. The reporter looked perfectly blank. "Never heard of him," he confessed.

"Well, he was a signer of the Declaration of Independence. He signed it as proxy for his father, who was ill at the time. Soon after he went to sea and was never heard of again. Now, autographs of Declaration signers are much sought by collectors. None approach in rarity those of Thomas Lynch, Jr. In fact, so far as I know, there is only one in existence."

"This is affixed to an autograph letter addressed by Lynch to George Washington, which lends it additional value. It was owned at one time by Jared Sparks, president of Harvard college. Subsequently it passed to Thomas Ad. dis Emmet, from whom I bought it for the sum of \$4,000. I sold it to Augustin Daly, who was a keen autograph collector, for \$4,500. Later Emmet repented of letting the autograph go from his possession and secured it from Daly for \$5,250, presenting it afterward to the Lenox library, New York, where it is now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Origin of "Boz."

The origin of "Boz" is known to most readers interested in Dickens. A younger brother of the novelist was known in the family circle as Moses, in facetious allusion to one of the characters in the "Vicar of Wakefield," and this being pronounced in fun through the nose became "Bossey" and so "Boz," which Dickens adopted as his early pen name. "Boz," he once wrote, "was a very familiar household word to me long before I was an author, and so I came to adopt it."

Before the real name of "Boz" became well known somebody invented and circulated the following smart epigram:

Who the Dickens "Boz" could be
Puzzled many a curious elf
Till time unveiled the mystery
And "Boz" appeared as Dickens' self.
Hood wrote punningly, but ungrammatically:
Aren't that "ere "Boz" a tiptop feller?
Lots write well, but he writes Weller.
—London Globe.

Thanked His Stars.

When the French revolution broke out a number of scientists lost their lives, but Lalande, the astronomer, only paid the more attention to the skies and its constellations. When he found, after the reign of terror, that he had escaped the fury of the mob he exclaimed gratefully, "I may thank my stars for it." Would any appropriate jest possess more genuine truth?

Allison tells how during Napoleon's Egyptian campaign no sooner were the mamelukes observed at a distance than the word was given, "Form square, artillery to the angles; asses and mules to the center." The command afforded no little merriment to the soldiers even at such an exciting moment and made them call the asses demisarsans.

Recent inspection of a great many fields of filled crops—corn, potatoes, etc.—seems to indicate without exception that the poorest crops are to be found on the fields which have been given least cultivation and bear the largest and roughest crop of weeds. There's a vital connection here that a good many tillers of the soil ought to be waking up to.

New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk R. R. Co.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company in Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, on the 15th DAY OF MARCH, 1910, at 9:30 o'clock, a. m.

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In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, in Equity No. 1829.
January Term, 1910.

Ordered, by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, this 10th day of February, 1910, that the Sale of the Property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Elmer H. Walton, attorney of Morris A. Walton, for the purpose of foreclosure under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage to said Morris A. Walton from Walter B. Nicholson and Lillie E. Nicholson, his wife, dated June 7, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico Co., in Liber E. A. T. No. 63, folio 128, and the distribution in said report of sale be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of March next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico Co. once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of March next.

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CRISFIELD SUSPECTS HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

Three Men Now in Jail Charged With Firing Wharf Property—Will Also Answer the Charge of Collins' Murder.

George Smith, Louis Boznango and Miley Elliott, the three men under arrest on the charge of being implicated in the murder of Watchman J. Dallas Collins and the burning of the docks and warehouses of the Baltimore, Chesapeake & Atlantic Railway Company at Crisfield Wednesday night of last week, were held for court at a hearing Thursday at Princess Anne.

Fearing mob violence because of the intense feeling exhibited by the people of Crisfield Fire Marshal Ewell and the county officials decided to take the men to the county seat. They were lodged in the county jail.

Represented by Col. Thomas S. Hudson, of Crisfield, as counsel, the three men faced Justice of the Peace Emanuel Lyons in Princess Anne.

The authorities accepted the advice of Marshal Ewell and charged the men with arson only, producing just enough evidence to cause the men to be held for the action of the grand jury of Somerset county, which meets in April. Only four witnesses were sworn, and their testimony tended to show that the men under suspicion were seen leaving the neighborhood of the crime a few minutes after the fire alarm was given and before and spectators of firemen had arrived upon the ground, and that they had a grievance against the aged watchman.

Colonel Hudson advised his clients to save their testimony for the court and they refused to testify.

The State was represented by State's Attorney Gordon Tull, who was assisted in the prosecution by Miles & Stanford, who are counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad system on the Peninsula. Justice Lyons held all three prisoners under bail of \$5,000 each. Being unable to obtain the bond the men were placed in jail.

When the case is presented to the county grand jury the charge of murder and robbery will also be brought against Smith, Boznango and Elliott.

It developed at the hearing that Sheriff Phillips had received a letter Tuesday morning, postmarked Crisfield, in which the three prisoners are accused of the crime. The writer said he had evidence that would convict all three, but that he was afraid to give it to authorities, because he feared the vengeance of the men now under arrest and their friends. Sheriff Phillips is positive he knows the identity of the writer.

While the three prisoners did not testify in their defense, they proclaimed their innocence to visitors and said they would be able to prove an alibi.

Evidence has come to light since which may connect Smith, Boznango and Elliott with the murder of John W. Hart, of Poulson, Va. It is said the authorities of Accomac county have worked out clues which would have led to the arrest of the three Crisfield men on this charge had they not been arrested by the Somerset authorities.

The murder of Hart was one of the most brutal the Eastern Shore of Virginia has ever known and was committed for robbery. Hart's body, like that of watchman Collins, was dissected, the head being nearly chopped off and other portions of the body mutilated.

—Kennery & Mitchell placed on sale today 25 dozen men's black 25c Hose to be sold 2 pair for 25c, in box lots, 50c a box, 4 pairs in box. See window.

CONGRESS APPROPRIATES MONEY FOR WICOMICO.

\$24,000 for the Dredging of River Harbor North of Plover Bridge And A Smaller Amount for Other Needed Improvements.

The dredging of the North fork of the Wicomico river from the draw bridge at Main street to the plant of the Salisbury, Light, Heat & Power Company, is now an assured fact, the appropriation for the work having been successfully inserted in the Rivers and Harbors Appropriation Bill which was acted upon by the present session of Congress the first of this week. The full amount asked for has been secured and provides for a total of \$29,000.00 for the Wicomico river. \$5,000.00 of this amount is for the dredging of the river below the bridge and the balance of \$24,000.00 is for the work of dredging the North fork. This will provide for Salisbury a harbor sufficiently large to accommodate all vessels coming to this point and will greatly enhance the value of real estate on both sides of the river from the bridge to the mill dam. Major Craigbill, Chief Engineer, who is largely responsible for the success of the appropriation, has shown a great enthusiasm in the project and has been untiring in his efforts in behalf of the interests of Salisbury. In his many reports on the situation he has spoken in the most flattering yet truthful terms of the needs of a harbor here and his interest in the matter is most gratifying to the people local ly.

Congressman Covington has also manifested a special interest, and has left nothing undone to consummate the project which was started several years ago by ex-Congressman William H. Jackson.

Married At Nanticoke.

Nanticoke M. E. Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday evening when Miss Mamie Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Elliott, was united in marriage to Mr. Clarence Renshaw. Rev. G. W. Hastings performed the ceremony, and the wedding march was played by Mrs. Wilbur F. Turner. The bride, attired in a beautiful gown of white net, and carrying a white satin prayer book, entered the church with her cousin, Mrs. Thos. W. Young, Jr., as matron of honor and was met at the altar by the groom, and his best man, Mr. Raleigh Douglas.

Misses Louise Denton, of Missouri, and Myrtle White, cousins of the bride, were bridesmaids, and Messrs. Loren White and Pope Roberts were the ushers. The matron of honor and the bridesmaids were all becomingly attired in white. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride and a large number of guests were entertained. Many pretty and useful gifts were received. Mr. and Mrs. Renshaw will reside in Nanticoke.

Secured Mitchell Agency.

Mr. J. H. Tomlinson, of this city, has secured the agency for the Mitchell automobile. The Mitchell is said to be one of the best cars on the market today for the money, and with the 1910 improvements it ranks among the best cars that are built. The car has the full floating rear axle, which is only found on high priced cars. The roadster has 4 cylinders 42x5 inches and sells for \$1,100, developing 35 horse power. The 5 passenger touring car has 4 cylinders, 42x5 inches, developing 35 horse power and sells for \$1,350. The 7 passenger car has 6 cylinders 42x5 developing 50 horse power, price \$2,000.00. Either touring car can be supplied with the close coupled body if desired. Every car is guaranteed for 6 months by the manufacturers and the purchaser has the option of either a 35 or 60 inch wheel tread. The Mitchell Company has a capital of \$10,000,000 being one of the largest in the country.

Special Sermon And Music.

Rev. Ghas. T. Hewitt, pastor of Division St. Baptist Church, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on the topic, "What The Bible Says About Holiness." This is the second sermon of a series on "Back to The Bible."

Mr. Woolston will sing again at the evening service. The pastor will speak on "Unpunished Criminals." All are invited and welcomed to this church.

Civil Service Examinations.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that the following examinations will be held at the post office in this city on the day named: March 7, 1910.—Constructing Engineer. March 10, 1910.—Pat. Pathologist. March 16-17, 1910.—Printer.

WELL KNOWN HUMORIST IS TO LECTURE HERE.

John Kendrick Bangs Will Gladden The Hearts Of Salisburyans For The Benefit Of The Peninsula General Hospital.

Mr. John Kendrick Bangs will deliver his celebrated lecture, "Salubrities I Have Met," at Ulman's Opera House Monday evening, February 21, under the auspices of the Board of Lady Managers of the Peninsula General Hospital.

Each lecture season Mr. Bangs addresses hundreds of audiences under all conditions and circumstances but an instance has never been known where an assemblage dispersed without first plainly demonstrating that it had been benefited by his little gems of kindly humor. He is not continuously funny. He recognizes that there is too little stress laid on the necessity of humor as a factor of every day life, and he is trying to get others to recognize it; he has a message to deliver.

Mr. Bang's most notable platform effort, "Salubrities I Have Met," is a lively running talk about the more or less famous men and women he has known in the course of his career. It includes gossip anecdotes of statesmen, poets, novelists, philanthropists, and others, and closes with an exquisite presentation of the character of one of the greatest of Salubrities in a story entitled "A Strenuous Day at Oyster Bay."

The price of general admission for the lecture is 75 cents, reserved seats \$1.00. Tickets are on sale at the box office.

Texas Groom—Arkansas Bride.

The marriage of Miss Bettie Austin, of Pine Bluff, Ark., and Mr. Fred F. McNeny, of Dallas, Texas, was solemnized at noon Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dennis, on High St., this city, Rev. David officiating.

The ceremony was performed in the parlor, which was prettily decorated with palms, ferns and lilies, and lighted by candles. The wedding march was rendered by Miss Lillie Toadvine. The bride was given away by Mr. Harry Dennis, and the only attendant was Miss Mary Dennis as maid of honor. The bride was attired in a blue traveling suit with hat and gloves to match and carried bride's roses. The maid of honor was attired in white and carried pink roses. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. The happy couple left on the New York Express for a tour of several weeks before going to Dallas, Texas, their future home.

The bride received many handsome wedding presents from friends in Salisbury and elsewhere. Among these was a deed for a block of buildings in Pine Bluff, Ark., valued at \$20,000. This handsome present was from the bride's father, who is one of the leading lawyers of that city.

A Splendid Play.

"Esmeralda" the attraction to be given at Ulman's Opera House next Friday night by the Maryland & Delaware Stock Company, is one that ran for two years, uninterrupted, in New York City. It is a clean wholesome story of simple life and teaches the lesson that righteousness will ever be triumphant. The loving Esmeralda is a part admirably adopted to the talents of Miss Edna Marshall and the patrons of the theatre are promised a rare treat in this performance.

Best Telephoned County.

The recent special effort of the Diamond State Telephone Company to secure new telephone subscribers in this county has been the means of making Wicomico county one of the best telephoned territories in the State. The company closed contracts with the Quantico and Rockwalkin Road Telephone Company, Tuesday evening of this week, with the following: J. Raymond Parker, Agent, Stanford Culver, William H. Parker, E. W. Williams, Eltha J. Pusay, L. M. Melson and Orlando Bounds.

Big Corporation Dissolved.

The Wm. B. Tighman Company, incorporated under the laws of Maryland, with a capital stock of \$150,000 has been dissolved and the property of the company has been taken over by the individual stockholders. The business will be conducted in the future under a copartnership. The members of the firm include all of the former shareholders and the business will be in the hands of the same management.

AN IMPORTANT MOVE FOR BETTER SANITATION.

Bill Providing for A Permanent Board of Health in This City Will Be Passed At The Present Session Of Legislature.

A bill has been prepared and will shortly be introduced into the Legislature providing for a Board of Health for Salisbury. The measure provides that the County Commissioners and City Council shall on the first Tuesday in April, 1910 and on each second year thereafter, appoint three persons, two for the County Commissioners and one for the City Council, who with the President of the Board of Commissioners and Mayor of Salisbury, shall constitute a Board of Health for Wicomico County. The persons so appointed shall hold office for two years and serve without pay. They shall have full powers as a Board of Health.

After organizing it is provided that the Board shall appoint a secretary, who shall be an educated physician and experienced in sanitary science. He shall devote his entire time to the work and shall receive a salary of \$1200.00 per year. His appointment shall be for two years. He shall keep the accounts of the Board, visit the villages, districts and schools of the county, investigate all the causes of existing diseases and the sanitary conditions of the towns and villages of the county. He shall make inspection of hospitals, jails and almshouses in the county and suggest as to their proper sanitary condition.

The bill also provides that vaccination, where it is to be paid for by the County Commissioners, shall be done only by regularly appointed physicians and that with his bill the physician must present an affidavit showing that he was appointed to do the work and that the parents or guardians were unable to pay for the vaccination. He shall not receive more than fifty cents for each case.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Clerk of the Court Toadvine this week:

Murrell-Tyler.—Albert Murrell, 21, and Julia Tyler, 22, Dorchester county. Albert Murrell, applicant.

Hastings-Gillis.—Elmer D. Hastings, 23, Sussex County, and Bertha E. Gillis, 20, Wicomico County. Elmer D. Hastings, applicant.

Beach-Phillips.—Victor W. Beach, 22, and Ada C. Phillips, 20, Sussex county, Delaware. Victor W. Beach, applicant.

Washburn-Hitch.—Eddie F. Washburn, 23, Worcester county, and Mabel Hitch, 17, Wicomico county. Alfred Johnson, applicant.

Renshaw-Elliott.—Clarence S. Renshaw, 21, and Mamie Blanch Elliott, 19, Wicomico county. C. S. Renshaw, applicant.

Farlow-Dukes.—Ralph W. Farlow, 21, and Annie Rachel Dukes, Wicomico county. D. W. Farlow, applicant.

McNeny-Austin.—Fred Fletcher McNeny, 26, Dallas, Texas, and Bettie Austin, 24, Arkansas. F. F. McNeny, applicant.

Mumford-Kelly.—John T. Mumford, 24, and Levis J. Kelly, 22, Wicomico county. G. P. Workman, applicant.

Rayne-Smith.—Calvin T. Rayne, 23, and Lillie Smith, 18, Wicomico county. George R. Parker, applicant.

Death Of Mrs. B. W. B. Adkins.

Mrs. Georgia A. Adkins, wife of Mr. B. W. B. Adkins, died Wednesday of Bright's disease after an illness of about two months, at her home in this city. The funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at the St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church, Rev. David Howard officiating. Besides her husband, Mrs. Adkins is survived by ten children, as follows: Mrs. Edna Ellinghaus, of Baltimore; Mrs. Charles B. Reed, of Salisbury; Mrs. E. B. Walker, of Dunn, N. C.; Charles, of Norfolk, and Fred, James, Stephen, Alexine, Marie and Sarah, of this city.

Advertised Letters.

Letters addressed to the following parties remain uncalled for at the Salisbury Post Office and will be sent to the Dead Letter Office two weeks from today. When inquiring please state that these letters have been advertised:

Mr. Hugh L. Gill, Mrs. Elsie Jones, Mrs. Elenora Johnson, Col. Miss Salla Leatherbury, Mrs. Vianis Lane, Mrs. J. Mathews, Mr. Wm. Mumford, Mr. Jesse Oswig, Mr. Eds. Redden, Mrs. Janney Ruark, Mrs. Kattie Thomas.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

Study For Tomorrow, "The Golden Rule." Ably Discussed By A Local Writer.

Golden Text:—"Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them; for this is the law and the prophets."

What makes the christian religion so universally acceptable as the ultimate religion of the world? Because it is an ideal uniting God and man together, with an inspiration enabling man to attain to that ideal.

Our last lesson presented the necessity of a choice of God and His kingdom, and Jesus to-day still teaches us, and the Holy Spirit, the great power of inspiration, helps us to understand and accept for practical spiritual living the Golden Rule, the text of our lesson.

It is necessary that man in accepting God and the ideal which shall bring him back to God must, at the same time, accept his fellow-man as a possible party to the ideal. There is a universality in the unity of this ideal between God and man that does not admit of man's judgment in the selection of the recipients of God's love. That love is to all mankind; hence, in the upward trend in this ideal life, it is necessary to fully acknowledge the relation to our fellowman. Christ did not express this as a new rule, but affirmed it. It was the essence of the law and the prophets, by it the law and prophets expressed the condition of heart desirable, in bringing forth the life it was their purpose to produce.

The rule implies, all that you would have others do for you, do even so to them. It is not hard to read our own hearts, and know how we would be treated. We would be treated fairly, just a little more than fairly. We do not desire too much emphasis upon justice toward us, allowance for mistakes, misunderstanding and misjudgments; due allowance for misfortune and credit for good intentions never utilized. The human heart is deceitful, and this rule is hard of application, but when we read that with that judgment we judge, so shall we be judged, it is necessary to apply it, "Do unto others as we would that they should do unto us."

Judge others righteously in love; appearances may be misleading, all lives do not show the same results under the same condition, and we do not know the conditions. Yet if we read our own hearts, our own desires, note our own shortcomings, and realize how we would have others treat us, we will be better able to bear with them.

The Golden Rule is a great pearl. It adorns a life that is able to live it, as no other pearl can adorn it. It is beautiful above rubies and diamonds. It adorns with a lustre not attained by any other ideal of living, and we are cautioned to guard this pearl well. There are those who cannot appreciate this great pearl, who will not appreciate a life actuated by this rule, whose ideal of life is opposite to it, and who would destroy the force of this rule, and trample it underfoot. We are to use care in displaying our pearls, yet give what is for their best in hope of a change in their nature leading to an appreciation of goodness and truth. We have but little time for revellings and persecutions on account of Christianity; we must not cease in the spreading of truth, we are to continue in the way. He that seeketh, findeth, and in our giving we are to give judiciously and give good gifts, and, if we of evil nature know how to give good gifts, how much more will our Father give good things to those who ask Him. Then, as we apply the rule, and seek the way to do the will of God, the way will open before us and the ideal life of Christianity will grow strong within us.

Dr. Davis says that "the gravest defect in child life is the absence of a cultivated ethical sense." The world praises knowledge, strength and wealth, with little consideration for Christian goodness. The church is endeavoring to teach Christian goodness, and the ideal life, the life preparing for God's kingdom. We teach it to the young. The world does not object to moral teaching whose code of ethics may, for them vary, but they do object to the teaching of Christianity, the code of ethics of which is never changing, and in direct opposition to the worldly ideal.

Christianity is demanding instruction of the young along this line to-day, and just as it has thus far influenced the world so will it be heard in this matter, and the result will be manifest in the next few succeeding generations in that the essence of Christianity will be acceptable in a proportion unknown heretofore among us. The Golden Rule will become a universally accepted rule of practice.

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MARYLAND HAPPENINGS.

Deaths In The Counties—News Items Of Interest To The People All Over The State.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

The Delmar (Del.) Grangers met and elected officers for a year.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

Hezekiah Harrington, ex-speaker of the Delaware Senate, died at Delmar, Del.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

It is probable that Port Deposit will receive no State aid on account of the flood.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

The Knights of Pythias of Laurel attended divine service at Centenary Methodist Church.

LaGrippe pains that pervade the entire system, LaGrippe coughs that rack and strain, are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Is mildly laxative, safe and certain in results. Sold by John M. Toulson.

The funeral mass for Brother Edmund late head of La Salle Institute, Cumberland, was held at Ammendale.

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The LeCompte property at Cambridge belonging to the Home for Incurables, of Baltimore, has been sold.

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Postmaster S. S. Lewis, of York, will be tendered a banquet by the postoffice employees on Washington's Birthday.

The annoyance caused poultry by Lice reduces vitality to such an extent that egg production is hindered, and the way opened to disease. The regular use of Fairfield's Lice Killer exterminates lice and makes the fowl comfortable. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Henry Logue, 50 years old, was killed by a falling limb on the farm of William Soper, near Woodfield, Montgomery county.

Your horses will be in a better condition for Spring work if you feed them Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It cleans the digestive tract, purifies the blood, expels worms and increases vitality. Results are guaranteed when directions are carefully followed. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Collins, widow of William A. Collins, newspaper man and novelist, was found dead in bed in her home, in Hagerstown.

The Cow's Winter food is not so rich in milk-making elements as the summer diet, consequently winter milk is not so rich in butter-fats. Fairfield's Milk Producer supplies the needed elements and increases the quantity as well as the quality of the milk. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

The farmers of Montgomery county held their thirty-seventh annual convention at Sandy Springs. There was a large attendance of agriculturists from other counties.

Fairfield's Egg Producer contains the elements of which eggs are formed. These are so combined with elements that tone up the digestion that they are immediately assimilated and carried to the Egg Sac of the hen, where they develop the embryonic eggs. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

All Saints' Protestant Episcopal Church, at Frederick, has ordered a handsome window from Manich, Bavaria, as a memorial to Rev. Dr. Osborne Ingie.

Alexander F. Schaffner, general agent at Hagerstown for the Cumberland Valley and Norfolk and Western Railways, killed himself by firing a bullet through his head.

Poultry diseases are caused by lack of proper care or wrong combinations of food. Fairfield's Egg Producer makes the regular ration a properly balanced one, increases egg production and fortifies the system against all forms of disease. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

Governor Crothers sent to the Senate his appointments of justices of the peace and notaries for Queen Anne's county and school commissioner for Montgomery.

A Safeguard To Children.

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York county churches will hold a convention to discuss the laymen's missionary movement at Christ Lutheran Church, York, today and tomorrow.

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Most people know the feeling, and the miserable state of ill health it indicates. All people should know that Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, will quickly cure the soreness and cough and restore a normal condition. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by John M. Toulson.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Co-operation of the Grange With the Department of Agriculture.

The grange in New York state is co-operating with the work of the farmers' institutes in all ways that it can, and we presume this is true in other states. The commissioner of agriculture recently held a conference of farmers' institute conductors, every one being members of the grange. It was decided to hold county conferences during the summer and fall with representatives of the different agricultural organizations in each county, particularly the grange. At these conferences it is to be determined where in each county the farmers' institutes shall be held and what matters of general interest will be discussed. It is not proposed to decide upon locations of institutes in advance of or independently of the conferences which will be held in the different counties. Persons who wish to make such requests should take the matter up with the chief officer of some grange or other agricultural organization within the county and request that he have the claims presented at the conference.

Appreciating the importance of a proper co-operation between the grange and the institute, we asked Commissioner R. A. Pearson of the department of agriculture of New York state to outline his views on the subjects. In reply he said: "The grange can and does do a great deal in the interest of our institute work. They can do still more. In the first place, the masters will be invited to attend the county conferences, and I wish that they would consider this an important engagement and not let it be broken unless absolutely necessary. At the county conferences the locations of institutes will be decided upon and to a large extent the character of the program will be determined. Then, too, I wish more of the granges would get in touch with the institute speakers and assist in developing the subjects by having good illustrative specimens at hand when the speakers arrive. Many such specimens can be used to advantage in lectures in the halls. And why should not any grange follow up the institute program at their meetings succeeding the institute, going into the subjects perhaps still further and reviewing the new points and points of most importance which were brought out at the institute? The institutes doubtless do best work when many people feel a personal interest in and responsibility for them. In other words, in the institute work we believe in co-operation, which is a watchword of the grange."

DAIRYMEN'S LEAGUE.

An Organization of Grangers and Other Farmers in New York.

Orange county has for many years been noted the country over for its extensive dairy interests. When New York city authorities placed certain restrictions on the dairymen of the nearby dairy counties, restrictions they believed to be unnecessary even to attain the ends desired, these dairy farmers rebelled, not with a view to thwart the ends desired by the city authorities, but rather to attain them by a different course of procedure. So the Dairymen's league was organized. It stands for living prices, sanitary conditions, pure milk and healthy cows fed on wholesome food. Such conditions can only be brought about by organization of the farmers, that they may put their business on a paying basis so they may derive the means to employ sufficient help to bring about the sanitary stables and keep the cows in a proper state of cleanliness. They can then produce a clean and sanitary pure milk, which must be started right or it never will be right.

In the league dairies there are now 300,000 cows at least worth \$12,000,000. It requires about four acres of land to support each cow, which represents an outlay of \$50,000,000, and we have invested about \$30,000,000 in equipment. We think this vast outlay and industry worth protecting by organization. The object of the Dairymen's league is to put the milk business on a paying basis to the producer. Until we create a financial incentive for the farmer, says the league's president, we cannot look for results satisfactory to the trade.

The West Virginia Patrons' Insurance Company.

The Grange Mutual Fire Insurance company of West Virginia was organized in 1904, beginning to do business with \$100,000 worth of insurance. It now covers eight counties and is doing a \$600,000 business. During the last five years there has been but one assessment, and that but \$2 on the thousand. The secretary is the only officer in the company that receives compensation, and he is paid only for actual services.

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Given under my hand and seal this Ninth day of February, 1910.
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Augustus A. Czapek, a fruit inspector for the Atlantic Fruit Dispatch Company, died in Cumberland, after an operation performed on his head, which was crushed in an accident.

The investigation of the murder of Watchman Collins and the burning of the piers at Crisfield still continues, with no solution of the mystery in sight.

SELECTING STOCK FOR RESULTS

A writer of much experience says: In choosing steers for fattening one of the most important things is to select those that give indications of making good gains. The steers must have a good, large frame, with capacity for consuming a good quantity of feed. This capacity must not be such as to tend too much toward paunchiness. The large framework gives a foundation on which to build. While the compact pony built animals are ready for market earlier and look better with a small amount of flesh on them, yet the gains made by steers of this form are usually much less than those made by more rangy animals. It is necessary, however, to strike a mean between the two—that is, avoid the extreme rangy type and also the more compact pony type—if the greatest gains are to be made and the steers fitted for market within a reasonable time.

While the brisket is one of the least valuable parts of the animal, so far as the carcass is concerned, yet a wide breast and a low, rather prominent brisket are indications of strength and



FINE SPECIMEN OF HEREFORD.

vigor of constitution. These, together with a large heart girth, indicate good lung capacity and ability to assimilate food to advantage. Steers which are narrow just back of the shoulders should be avoided as lacking in lung capacity and constitution. In fattening for the larger markets, particularly, the proportion of higher priced meats should be taken into consideration—that is, select steers which will turn out the largest percentage of high priced cuts.

When fattening for local markets, especially for many in the east with a foreign trade, this is not so important, as the discrimination between the high and low priced cuts is less sharp.

In large markets with discriminating trade the hind quarters and back are decidedly the more valuable parts of the animal.

The kind of market, then, to which the steers are to be sold should be considered in selecting them. Beef from the show animals at the international would find slow sale in most of our local eastern markets. This shows that the eastern feeder has this advantage over the western feeder—that his markets are not so discriminating and a poorer class of animals may be sold and even sold to better advantage than would be possible in the large packing centers.

While the type of steer, so far as carcass is concerned, is less important in the east than in the west, it does not follow that the dairy bred steer is as satisfactory as the beef animal. It is true, however, that steers from good, large cows of the dairy type which are inclined to be fleshy and bulls of a blocky beef type can be used to advantage.

Dairies of Holland.

The dairies of Holland support on an average one cow to the acre, which makes such a piece of land worth from \$600 to \$2,000. Here in the alfalfa country many thousands of acres can support two cows to the acre, and in numbers of instances cattle are kept in this way without the fertilizing, cultivating, sowing and other means the plodding Holland farmer must adopt to obtain the results he does. Instead just straight alfalfa growing does the work here. All a man need do is see that he has a good stand, that it is not abused, give it water, and it goes on producing for years.

Milk Cement Paint.

Skim milk paint has recently been going the rounds of the agricultural press, says the American Cultivator. Skim milk will make a fairly good paint or wash, but whole milk paint is much better, since the grease in the milk is what sets the paint. Mix a couple of pounds of standard portland cement in a gallon of milk—sweet or sour—and add colored paint powder to suit. The cement is heavy and will constantly sink, so keep stirring with every brushful, since it is the cement which makes the paint a preservative.

Sudden Change in Diet.

Sudden change in the diet of any animal is bad, especially the horse. The soft bran mash, by many advocated as a good Saturday night offering, is apt to cause colic unless the horse has been accustomed to bran during the week. Similar sudden use of green grass, roots, boiled grain or grain other than those mentioned is apt to cause indigestion of a serious nature, and, taking all things into consideration, the horse will do better on a steady ration at fixed intervals and in such a way as to allow sufficient time for proper mastication.

EYELET BORDERS.

Reason Why This Work is Seldom Well Done.

Few women can work smoothly the open eyelet borders so much seen in Madeira embroidery. There are sure to be roughness and unevenness where one eyelet joins another, and the general effect is spoiled.

The reason of this is that the work is not properly done. An instructor who had a number of natives from the island of Madeira exhibiting their work in this country disclosed the secret of the smooth openings.

Each eyelet is outlined with cotton in the usual way, is then slit if the shape be oval and pierced if round and the edges turned back with a needle. This is as any one would do, but in the working of the over and over stitch lies the difference.

Instead of finishing each eyelet at a time, as most of us would do, it is worked half way around on each side to where one opening joins the next one. Then that eyelet is done in the same way, and so on around the entire outer line of the border. The work is then reversed and the upper half of the eyelets embroidered in the same way.

With this treatment there is no unevenness, pulling or ugly ridges where the stitches meet, so hard to avoid by the ordinary method of working.

Grape Juice Cocktails.

Put into each glass three large sliced strawberries when in season or preserved when ripe fruit is not obtainable, a tablespoonful of orange pulp with a little of the orange juice, a



GRAPE JUICE COCKTAILS.

teaspoonful of small pieces of bananas, peaches, cherries, white grapes and any other fruit that is at hand; sprinkle in a tablespoonful of sugar and fill the glass with grape juice.

The Inventive Jap.

"We Americans are inclined to pat ourselves on the back for our ingenuity, particularly in the way of labor saving devices, but sometimes the effete Jap outstrips us in our own field," says a woman who employs Japanese servants.

"My Japanese cook, for instance, gave me ever so many little pointers in ways of saving work that have been of great help to me. Some of them are so simple that the wonder is I did not think of them myself."

"Take the tedious process of cleaning a greasy broiler as an example. Every one knows what a task that is, especially after broiling fish. It always requires a lavish use of hot water, a stiff brush and unlimited soap to get rid of the grease and the smell. But what does my Saino do when faced with the same problem? He just thrusts the broiler into the fire for a moment and burns it clean. The grease is taken off, the smell removed and the broiler dried without scouring or scrubbing."

Light clothing and cool drafts of water are just as refreshing for little babies in hot weather as for grown folks, and a lot of their fretfulness and crying during the heated season are very likely due to the fact that their needs in these two particulars are not given the attention they deserve. Babies have feelings the same as old folks, but aren't endowed with capacity to kick up as much disturbance if their wants are disregarded.

A lot has been written and considerably done of late along the line of eradicating tuberculosis from dairy herds for the sake of these animals and the hogs that may follow them. It is about time the babies in town and country homes who are compelled to subsist largely on milk from tubercular cows had a word said in their behalf. It may be that dollars don't talk so loud for them as for the animals in pen or feed lot, but common decency and humanity should.

According to a bulletin recently issued by the department of agriculture, milk and the products derived therefrom constitute one-sixth of the total food of the average family. In North America this milk is produced almost exclusively by cows, in the hilly districts of Europe by the goat, by the buffalo in India, the llama in South America, the camel in desert countries and the mare in Russia and central Asia. Sheep's milk is used in some countries for making cheese and other purposes, while in arctic regions the milk of reindeers is commonly used for food.

A north Iowa farmer claims to be the only man in the west who is raising thoroughbred Arabian horses. Twenty years ago he brought three colts with him from his native land. Today his herd numbers fifty-two, and ten of them have been selected for ring purposes and will be exhibited at neighboring state fairs. These Arabians are very attractive in appearance, having silver manes and tails and glossy coats of a beautiful buff color. The owner has on his farm, besides stables and quarters for his men, a complete circus equipment for the training of his horses.

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At a hearing before the city delegation a decided opposition to the proposed \$50,000,000 dock and harbor loan bill was displayed.

Mr. E. A. Kelley, Belviders, Ill., writes us: "I am an ex-engineer with 22 years active service to my credit. About three years ago my kidneys were affected so that I had to give up my engine. First I was troubled with severe aching pain over the hips. Then followed inflammation of the bladder, and specks appeared before my eyes. A sample of Foley's Kidney Pills that I tried, so benefited me that I bought more. I continued to take them until now I can safely testify they have made me a sound and well man." Sold by John M. Toulson.

Delegate Duckett, of Anne Arundel county, introduced a joint resolution in the House to investigate the work of the Shellfish Commission.

Horse Coughs, Stuffy Colds,

pain in chest and sore lungs, are symptoms that quickly develop into a dangerous illness if the cold is not cured. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough, heals and eases the congested parts, and brings quick relief. Sold by John M. Toulson.

Speaker Peeples urged the committees to get busy at once and report back to the House the several hundred bills referred to them.

Science has made it possible to increase egg production in winter by adding to the hen's ration the materials contained in her summer diet. Farfield's Egg Producer contains these elements, combined with elements that perfect digestion and purify the blood. Sold by Farmers & Planters Co., Salisbury; W. S. Disharoon, Quantico; E. R. Ennis & Co., Parsonsburg; R. H. Lowe & Co., Delmar.

What Next?

A sporty barber in St. Louis has offered a free shave to every man who steals a second base on the home ground. Wonder what they have to do to get a hair cut.

Owners of telephone, telegraph and power transmission companies in some sections of the country are reporting considerable damage to poles from the attacks of the common red headed woodpecker, which, with the gradual decrease in number of trees, has come to look upon the poles as a legitimate place for the building of a nest. The excavation for the nest, which is usually three inches in diameter and five or six inches deep, not only weakens the pole by so much, but the nest becomes a point where the rotting process sets in. Attempts which have been made to stop the work of the birds by filling the nest with stones has made a bad matter worse, as they usually proceed to excavate another nest adjacent to the old one and thus enlarge the cavity. A soaking of the poles in creosote has proved quite effective, but this involves a larger expense than most companies are at present willing to stand.

Town health officers should inquire more carefully than is customary into the practice followed by many slaughter house proprietors of hauling the carcasses of animals which have died of one disease or another to the bonapens and allowing the porkers who are to furnish the people of the community with toothsome pork chops and sausages to devour the diseased and often germ laden flesh from the dead animals' bones. This might be all right for Fiji Islanders or Patagonians, but it is too much for the stomachs of supposedly civilized Americans, at least when they know of it. Federal authorities have cleaned up the big packing houses. It is about time the same thing were done with the small town slaughter houses by state and local authorities. It doesn't make matters better if this practice is followed only with hogs that are shipped to the big packing centers, as this is merely a transference of the proposition from pork chops and sausage to ham and bacon, which the customer in the local shop eats a few months later.

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Salisbury Needs A Library.

Salisbury has made many improvements in the past few years and its progress and advancement are so plainly apparent that it would be useless to dwell upon them at this time. There is one thing, however, in which an amazingly little interest is manifested by the people locally, and that is the question of a public library. In fact there seems to be a decided lack of interest on this subject all over the State. The report of the Maryland State Library Commission, recently issued, and which is for the year 1909, shows an exceedingly small number of libraries, and Wicomico county makes the poorest showing of any in the list. According to the report there are in this county school libraries averaging 100 volumes in 80 per cent. of the schools; one teachers' library of 453 volumes and one very small institution at Mardela, established in 1906 through the efforts of Rev. E. P. Perry. In addition to this there are small libraries in the Sunday Schools of two or three of the Churches in this city. This is indeed a surprisingly small number of books for a city as prosperous as Salisbury has shown itself to be.

Yet Salisbury is not what might be termed an illiterate municipality. On the other hand there are evidences everywhere that the people of this city constitute a reading public. In a large number of private homes may be found most excellent selections of bound volumes, but who else besides the owners can derive any benefit from books, however good they might be, which are stored upon the shelves in the libraries of individuals?

The need of a public library in this city is two-fold. With the exception of the local theatres Salisbury affords no place of amusement or for diversion from daily labors, either for the young or old. The result is that crowds congregate on the streets or wander aimlessly about, and it is from this cause that many persons, not innately bad, seek diversion in resorts that lead only to evil doing.

A public library would, in a great measure, remove this danger—a danger which parents seldom realize until it is too late—and would also provide a place where young minds could be improved both intellectually and morally. An institution of this kind would tend to materially reduce the number of young people who, with nothing to do, now parade the public thoroughfares.

A bill will be introduced into the Legislature at its present sitting providing for the establishment of free public libraries by the Boards of County Commissioners, giving them the right to levy an annual tax not exceeding five cents of each one hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of taxable property for their maintenance. The bill also provides that the State Library Commission shall expend one hundred dollars for books for the purpose of establishing a free public library. By this measure the au-

thorities of any incorporated municipality shall have the same power to establish and maintain free public libraries and reading rooms as is placed in the hands of the County Commissioners.

It would seem, though, that while a measure of this kind is certainly a step in the right direction, an enactment of this character should not be necessary as far as Salisbury is concerned. Surely there are enough men of affluence here to establish at least a reading room, and who are sufficiently interested in the city's welfare to take the necessary steps with the view of the establishment of a free public library.

Promises And Performances.

Unless the Maryland Legislature is soon up and doing, the two hundred bills, good, bad and indifferent, which are now in the hands of committees, besides those which are yet to be introduced, will not become laws during the present session. The meeting of the General Assembly is now more than half over and yet there has been absolutely nothing accomplished in the way of important legislation at Annapolis. And the prospects are that unless material and radical changes for the better are made, and made soon, the result will be the same at the close of the session as it is at this time. Under the prevailing schedule of working hours, it is the custom of both branches to assemble at noon, on days when there is to be a session, and adjourn not later than three o'clock. Such methods cannot, even if the Legislators were so disposed, produce the enactments that are needed to effect better and more far-reaching statutes for the safeguarding of the people of the State.

It may be that there is some reasonable excuse for the unusual delay at the State Capitol, but up to this time no satisfactory answer has been given to those who have had the courage to make direct inquiry in the matter. First, the members of the Legislature claimed that they could not get down to business because the gubernatorial appointments were still hanging in the balance. This was but a flimsy excuse and was intended to fix the blame on the head of the chief executive. Whether this was true or not the fact remains that the greater part of the time taken up by the remarkably short sessions in both branches was used for the sole purpose of placing on the State's pay roll the names of the large number of faithful ones whose only reward for special activity during the recent campaign was the promise of a job at Annapolis.

Then again, it may be that a carefully planned scheme is on foot by which the political leaders are endeavoring to purposely delay important legislation so that in the usual chaos of the last ten days or two weeks of the session the desirable measures can be laid aside and result in the passing of the so-called "snake" bills that are now being carefully nourished by special interests.

During the campaign of 1909 the people of Maryland were promised many excellent laws by the Democrats, but the promises of 1909 bear a painful contrast to the performances (?) of 1910.

Abolish The Mortgage Tax!

In compliance with the increasing demands of the capitalists, all of the lawyers and the people of this county generally, Delegate E. E. Twilley has introduced a bill into the present Legislature to repeal the statute providing for a mortgage tax in Wicomico county. For a number of years the persons, locally, who have been in a position to loan large sums of money, have been compelled to refuse loans in this county and make them in other cities, because of the tax on the income from mortgage loans. The result has been that in many instances borrowers have been unable to secure funds that would have meant much to

the community in the way of enlarged plants and enhanced property. Delegate Twilley is to be complimented on his action and we firmly believe, that, as the bill pertains to Wicomico county only, it will become a law without delay.

Editorial Jottings.

Upon his arrival at Santiago, Chili, Dr. Frederick A. Cook refused to be interviewed by newspaper men. This seems strange when he could have proven his recent presence in Valdivia.

A tax assessor in Baltimore has resigned a lucrative position because his conscience would not allow him to levy taxes on the furniture of poor people. This shows that occasionally a good man gets a political appointment anyway.

The Justices of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, according to the statement of Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, have relieved him of a great responsibility in restoring to their mother the two grand-daughters of the distinguished statesman. Evidently it is not as easy to raise children as it is to raise a rumpus in the United States Senate.

When the bill providing for a Board of Health for the City of Salisbury, and the measure to repeal the present compulsory vaccination law pass the Legislature, this community will undoubtedly become one of the healthiest in the State of Maryland. Everything else depends upon the health of a city, and the passing of these two measures will be but the stepping stone to prosperity and wealth.

Future candidates for office in Baltimore City will have to do some polite campaigning. The bill providing for Women's Suffrage in municipal elections promises to become a law. Only one more vote is needed by the House Committee on Elections and the measure will receive a favorable report. The portentous feature of the situation is that the women know this, and who can withstand the entreaties of a sincere woman?

Personal.

—Mrs. John H. White is in Baltimore this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gullett are in Philadelphia.

—Miss Elizabeth Collier is spending some time in Baltimore.

—Miss Ella Moore, of Plainfield, is visiting relatives in town.

—Rev. T. E. Martindale was in Philadelphia several days this week.

—Mrs. E. E. Twilley is in Annapolis spending the month of February.

—Mr. Augustus Toadvine was in New York this week on a business trip.

—Miss Mary Belle Ruark is visiting Mrs. W. S. Phillips in Newark, N. J.

—Mr. Frank Ulman is spending this week in Bridgeton, N. J., and New York.

—Misses Mary Malone and Elizabeth Kelly visited friends in Fruitland Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Humphreys were in Atlantic City and New York this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Disharoon and little son, Frederick, spent Sunday at Fruitland.

—Miss Helen Chaffinch and Mr. E. D. Sturmer, of Hoston, Md., are guests of Miss Oia Day.

—Miss Alice Higgins gave a birthday party Friday evening to a number of her young friends.

—Mrs. Dean Perdue, who was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Wallop last week, has returned home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leviness are registered at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City.

—Mrs. Marion A. Humphreys is spending sometime with her friend, Miss Edna Moore, in New York City.

—Miss Belle Jackson, who has been visiting Miss Grace Battles, at Lakewood, N. J., returns home today.

—Miss Martha Toadvine, who has been visiting in Bala, Penna., for the past two weeks, has returned home.

—Miss Jennie Vincent has returned to Salisbury again, after spending five months in North Carolina and Virginia.

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THE COURIER.

Town Topics.

—Hens 15 cts, 1000 wanted at Dulany & Sons, Fruitland, Md.

—The Brotherhood of Ashbury M. E. Church met at the home of Mr. W. C. Phillips Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Oscar Morris recently built a large stable near the factory of the W. B. Tilghman Company on the river front.

—The Regular meeting of the Methodist Brotherhood was held at the home of Mr. U. C. Phillips, on Wednesday evening.

—LOST: A Diamond hoop ring between Lowenthal's and the Peninsula Hotel. Return to Lowenthal's and receive reward.

—Miss Mamie Phipps gave a Valentine Party Monday evening at her home on Lake Street, in honor of Miss Daisy Ellis of Snow Hill.

—Mr. W. T. Johnson left Monday for Ridgely, Md., where he will manage the Ridgely ice plant, recently purchased by his brother, Mr. R. M. Johnson.

—The Rev. Wm. H. Darbie, of Luray, Va., will officiate at Spring Hill Church Sunday, Feb. 20, at 3:30 p. m., and at Quantico, at 7:30 p. m.

—Mrs. Clarence A. White left Thursday for Washington, D. C., where she will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Malcolm Price.

—Mrs. Henry L. D. Stanford, of Princess Anne, who submitted to a delicate operation at the Peninsula General Hospital last Monday morning, is improving rapidly. The operation was entirely successful.

—Mr. Augustus Toadvine, of R. E. Powell & Co., left Monday for New York to purchase ladies' spring suits and coats. It is expected they will have a superb stock of ready-to-wear suits on exhibition on or before March 15.

—Mr. R. C. Drew has opened an office at 211 N. Division street and will conduct a general real estate brokerage business. Mr. Drew has had considerable experience in the business and his present venture will undoubtedly be successful.

—At Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church the pastor, Rev. Dr. Graham, will preach on Sunday morning at 11.00 o'clock, by special request, to the Order of Knights of Pythias. Subject: "The Structural Forces of Character." Subject at 7.30 P. M. "The Short Bed and its Narrow Covering".

—Hon. William H. Jackson left Salisbury last Friday afternoon for Atlantic City, where he will spend a month or more in order to regain his strength. He was accompanied by Mrs. Jackson and Miss Lilly Humphreys, who will remain with him. Postmaster M. A. Humphreys went with the party.

—Mr. Thomas J. Truitt has moved his entire marble works from Maryland to Salisbury, having purchased the property of E. M. Elliott on Railroad Ave., opposite the N. Y. & P. N. Station. He is busy erecting a large work shop and will have everything in running order by the latter part of this month.

—Prof. W. F. Massey and family have moved into the residence on the Boulevard which they recently purchased from Mr. James E. Ellegood. The property on Park Street, which they vacated, is owned by Mr. Charles J. Birchhead, who will make some improvements in the residence this Spring and occupy it.

—With the view of again improving the equipment, the directors of the Salisbury Light, Heat & Power Company are planning extensive changes in the plant in this city. The plans call for the installation of additional machinery so as to make it a complete duplicate plant, giving the plant double power. It is believed that when this is done a day current will be established.

—The failure of the schooner R. T. Rundlett to report is the cause of considerable uneasiness to its owners. The Rundlett sailed from Wilmington January 20 and was spoken the 26th of the same month 343 miles south of Sandy Hook, indicating that she had been blown off. The Rundlett is owned by Capt. W. K. Leatherbury, of Salisbury, and Capt. R. B. White, of Baltimore.

—Superintendent Elisha Lee, Chief Clerk J. D. King, and a number of other officials of the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad, went in Crisfield on a special train Thursday afternoon to prepare for the re-building of the Company's new pier, which was burned Wednesday night. A gang of workmen were immediately put to work, and the new dock is progressing rapidly.

—The Young Men's Club of Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church is completing their arrangements for the lecture to be given in Ullman's Opera House, Salisbury, March 1, when Governor R. B. Glen, of North Carolina, will deliver his great address, "Our Country, Its Dangers and Possibilities." Governor Glen is one of the foremost orators of the country and his address will be instructive and entertaining.

—Mr. Charles Livingston, of New York city, is visiting relatives here.

—Mr. Arthur Sullivan, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sullivan, South Salisbury.

—Misses Mattie Dixon and Dollie Morris, of this city, spent Monday and Tuesday as guests of Miss Minnie Clark in Delmar.

—Miss Alice White, of Hebron, a grand daughter of Mrs. B. White, has gone to Baltimore to attend Strayer's Business College.

—Mrs. William Johnson, of Baltimore, who has been visiting her sisters, Mesdames Reed and Wheeden, for several weeks, returned home Friday.

—Mrs. Harry Matthews and Miss Marie Sheldermine, who have been guests at the "Towers," returned to their home in Philadelphia Monday.

Goods at shockingly low prices; \$7.00 suits \$3.50; \$3.99 suits at \$1.99; Corduroy pants 69 cents, others higher; \$10.00 overcoat at \$6.50; \$5.00 overcoats at \$2.75; \$4.50 Ladies' suits \$2.99; \$3.00 Ladies' suits \$5.00; cream cheese 18cts; Arbuckles coffee 15cents. Cheapest store on the Peninsula. Come at once to Dulany & Sons, Fruitland, Md.

—"Emeralda" will be the attraction at Ullman's Opera House next Friday night. Notwithstanding the fact that this performance promises to be far in the lead of any that have appeared this season, no advance has been made in the prices. The Maryland & Delaware Stock Company is making a hit in this city as was evidenced yesterday when, shortly after noon, every seat in the house had been sold for last night's production of "St. Elmo".

—Mr. J. S. T. Wilcox, Assistant Superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, left Thursday morning as guest of the company to attend the Haley-Fiske Triennial Convention of Metropolitan Representatives from several states, which was held at Hotel Belvidere, in Baltimore. Since Mr. Wilcox leads the district in the amount of business for the year, he has the honor of making the report both for the Salisbury staff and for the Dover, Del., District.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Peters, of Salisbury, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Carrie Massey Peters, to Mr. Thomas Howard Moore, of New York. The ceremony will take place at the residence of Mr. Peters, "Fairfield," near Salisbury, on Wednesday morning, February 23rd. Miss Peters is a native of Worcester county, and Mr. Moore, who has been living in New York for a number of years, is a native of Snow Hill. He is the son of the late T. Howard Moore.

—A project is under way by the officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad to shorten the time of passenger service between Cape Charles and Norfolk by two hours, and shorten the distance for the transfer of freight trains by about 30 miles. It is also believed that the present ferry transfers are to be supplemented by train transfer system by which passengers may travel from Norfolk direct to New York without leaving the cars. The idea is to transfer by ferry from Cape Charles to Lynn Haven and run the trains into Norfolk by rail.

—The Rev. Dr. S. P. Bowen, pastor of the Rehoboth Presbyterian church who is spending the Sabbath with Rev. and Mrs. Beale at "The Manse" will preach at the Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. The sermon on "Signs of Promise" Isaiah 21:11-12, which has been announced for Sabbath morning will be delivered on the first Sabbath morning of March. Mr. Beale will preach at the evening service tomorrow upon "The Return, value of Missions" Luke 6:38, in answer to the question "Have Foreign Missions paid us"? This subject is being considered by request.

—On or about March 1st, Miss Mary Kent and Miss Emma F. Smith, under the firm name of Kent & Smith will open a new millinery parlor in the Jackson Building on Main street, in the room formerly occupied by Mr. S. P. Woodcock. The room has been remodeled and a handsome window has been installed in front. The parlor will present a splendid appearance. All that is desired by the women in the way of the latest creations in hats, trimmings, ribbons, etc., will be shown by this firm. Both members of the concern have had long experience in the business and it is expected that they will receive a large patronage in the city and vicinity.

Items of Interest.

—For New Neck wear, Jaboe's Ties, go to Lowenthal's.

—For bargains in men's black Hose see Kennerly & Mitchell's 1/2 price sale; 25c hose reduced to 2 pair for 25c; strictly as advertised. Come!

Have you visited Kennerly & Mitchell's 1/2 price Hosiery Sale? 25c black hose, this sale 2 for 25c, if not you are invited.

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Parsonsburg.

Mr. G. E. Parsons is receiving orders daily for lime. The farmers are learning that lime is the old stand by.

Free—Farmers Almanac at my barber shop furnished by the People's National Bank, call and get one. Ernest C. Arvey.

Mr. Ralph W. Farlow and Miss Annie R. Dukes were married at the M. E. Church here Wednesday night by Rev. V. E. Hill.

Mr. B. F. Parsons is visiting his son, Mr. Cal. Parsons at Ocean City.

Mr. Thomas Shockley and wife, of Pittsville were the guests of Mr. Roland Shockley and wife here this week.

Mrs. Rebecca Hayman spent a part of this week with her son, Mr. J. K. Hayman and family in Salisbury.

Mrs. Isaac Parsons spent a part of this week with Mr. Al. Wooten and family, at Salisbury.

Messrs. J. W. Mimbrow and J. E. Jackson are reported on the sick list this week. We hope they will soon be out again.

Valentine Day was well remembered, early and late, as our young girls received same from every direction.

Miss Alice Shockley spent Sunday with the Misses Holloway.

Mr. Daniel Parker, of Salisbury, was the guest of his friends and relatives here this week.

Leave your order for berry checks with Ernest C. Arvey, and be in time: \$1.00 per thousand.

Green Hill.

A great many of our folks have been on the sick list; glad to say they are convalescing.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Ruth Layfield at her home in Green Hill by the young people of White Haven Tuesday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dashiell; Misses Etha Jones, Rebecca McLain, Florence Evans and Maggie Messick, also Miss Ree Dashiell, of Green Hill; Messrs. Fulton Waller, Levin Dashiell, Gorman Dashiell and Grover Layfield, of Green Hill; Messrs. Will Larmore, Paul Bloodworth, Harry Kenn, Umar Smith and Dr. Raynor, of White Haven. Many different games were played. Refreshments were served at 10:30. All reported a fine time.

Mr. Fulton Waller, the bustling representative for the Prudential Insurance Company, is doing a rushing business.

Mr. Grover Layfield spent Tuesday in Salisbury on business.

Mr. Fulton Waller spent Thursday of this week in Salisbury attending to business.

Riverton.

Capt. John Marshall is suffering from an attack of La Grippe.

Miss Nellie Darby left this week to spend several weeks in Baltimore, Washington and Westminister.

Some of our farmers were happy last week when they received returns from chickens shipped to the Baltimore markets and found they had sold for 13 and 20c per pound.

Mr. O. W. Bennett is running his shirt factory on full time now and has every machine filled.

Mrs. Carrie English, who has been quite ill of typhoid fever for several weeks, is slowly improving.

The school here has just made a valuable addition to the library in the shape of a new International Dictionary from the C. C. Merriman Co., of Springfield, Mass. This is something that the school has long needed and they feel justly proud of it.

—New Spring Suits and Capes are being shown at Lowenthal's.

Nanticoke.

Mrs. George H. Larmore and daughter, Mrs. Wood Anderson, of White Haven, spent a few days this week with Mrs. R. H. Young.

Miss Pearl Messick, of Tyackin, was the guest of Miss Leslie White this week.

Mr. David L. Turner spent Thursday in Salisbury.

Mrs. S. J. Conway and daughter, Esther, of Westinghouse, spent several days this week with her sister, Mrs. E. S. S. Turner.

Mrs. Julia Covington, of Princess Anne, spent the week with her cousin, Mrs. E. C. Elliott.

Miss Nellie Heath entertained a number of her friends at her home Saturday evening.

Mr. John W. Turner, of Salisbury, spent a few days here this week.

Athol.

Miss Hettie Twilley, assistant teacher at Athol School, who has been quite sick for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Callaway, is now much better. Miss Eva Davis, of Pittsville, substituted for Miss Twilley from Wednesday to Friday.

Mrs. Will Elliott, who was operated on at the Peninsula General Hospital, Salisbury, Monday, February 7, is improving fast. She is expected home Monday of next week.

Miss Harriet J. Fort spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Geo. Kennerly, Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bennett spent Sunday with Mrs. John Hutton.

Miss Etta Callaway and Miss Mattie Truitt visited friends in Salisbury from Friday until Monday.

Willards.

The ground-hog must have seen his shadow the way the weather looks.

Both the butter-tray and basket and crate factories are running full time.

Master Preston Ravee is improving from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Nancy White has been very sick and is slowly improving.

Mr. Ernest Mitchell's horse was taken from his stable last Friday night by unknown parties.

Misses Wilkie Truitt and Estelle Truitt, of Willards, visited their school mate, Miss Margie Mitchell, Saturday and Sunday last.

Miss Mabel Taylor, of Hebron, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Homer Rayne, for a short time.

The Entire Trouble.

"Don't take it so hard," said the sympathizing friend. "Remember, I'm though your daughter is married you have not lost her."
"I know," sobbed the bride's mother. "That's the trouble. Julia and her husband have already picked out the best room in the house for their"—
—Chicago Record-Herald.

Animals Are Poor Sailors.

The polar bear is the only wild animal that likes a trip on the water, according to a French scientist who has studied its behavior at sea. He is quite jolly when aboard ship, but all other animals violently resent such a voyage and vociferously give vent to their feelings until seasickness brings silence.

The tiger suffers most of all. He whines pitifully, his eyes water continually, and he rubs his stomach with his terrible paws. Horses are bad sailors and often die on a sea voyage.

Oxen are heroic in their attempts not to give way to seasickness. Elephants do not like the sea, but they are amenable to medical treatment. A good remedy is a bucketful of hot water containing three and a half pints of whiskey and seven ounces of quinine.—Fur News.

It is better for a fellow's satisfaction and peace of mind if he doesn't inquire too closely just how much his prairie chickens or partridges cost him in time and money the first day of the open season.

PLOT PUZZLE.

\$10.00 if You Solve It.

Here are shown nine vacant plots. The owner asks you to number them from 1 to 9, so that no matter which way you count them the total of the numbers will be 15. Do not use the same number twice. An excellent opportunity to win \$10.00, which will keep on increasing without any effort on your part. It costs nothing to try, and is well worth your effort to win. Conditions of the contest: First, state full name and address; Second, state correct age; Third, no answer will be accepted from any one under 21 years of age; Fourth, no more than one answer accepted from a family; Fifth, any one found violating above conditions will forfeit his or her rights to award. We reserve the right to reject the answers of undesirable people. The \$10.00 will be awarded in the shape of a credit certificate, same to be applied on the purchase of a building lot 30x120 feet, prices ranging from \$95.00 to \$485.00, located in a fast growing section and adjoining a high-class residential section. The highest and healthiest spot in Salisbury. Within ten minutes walk of the N. Y. P. & N. depot, and within 100 yards of the B. & O. R. R., thereby assuring a great increase in value in that vicinity. Certificate winners must accept or reject same on presentation. We are giving away these \$10.00 credit certificates to advertise and popularize our property, and through the fortunate winners of the \$10.00 credit certificates we will sell a great deal of property, and thereby save a great many dollars that we would have to pay to newspapers for advertising space. By this method we also secure a better class of people through recommendations of the winners.

Over 150 lots to select from, and you can take your pick. Ask for plot describing lots.

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Church Notices for Tomorrow.

The following order of services will be observed in the several churches in this city tomorrow:

Bethesda M. P. Church, Rev. W. R. Graham, D. D., pastor, Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor Temperance Service at 8 p. m.; Special Christian Endeavor Services at 6:45 p. m.; Mid week service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Asbury M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D., pastor, Class meeting at 9:30; preaching at 11, and preaching at 7:30 by the pastor; Sunday School at 9:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.; Mid-week Prayer Meeting Thursday night.

Trinity M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor, Sunday School at 9:30, W. A. Crew, Supt.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m.

Wicomco Presbyterian Church, Rev. Wilson T. M. Beale, pastor, Sabbath School at 9:30; morning sermon at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

St. Peter's P. E. Church, Rev. David Howard, rector, Celebration of the Holy Communion every Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 Services and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30.

Riverside Chapel, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor, Regular services tomorrow. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Division Street Baptist Church, Rev. Chas. T. Hewitt, pastor, Preaching at 11 a. m.; Bible School, 9:45; Young People's Meeting at 6:45; sermon at 7:30 o'clock, by the pastor.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Carey, pastor, Sunday School at 2:30, Geo. Kersey, Supt.; preaching at 3:30.

M. E. Chapel, near depot, Rev. J. W. Hardesty, pastor, Sunday School at 9:30; sermon at 11 a. m. and praise service at 7:30.

Careful.

Hotel Clerk—Just sign your name, please. The other guests would like to register.

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January Term, 1910.

Order-d, by the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, Maryland, this 10th day of February, 1910, that the Sale of the Property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Elmer H. Walton, attorney of Morris A. Walton, for the purpose of foreclosure under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage to said Morris A. Walton from Walter B. Nicholson and Little E. Nicholson, his wife, dated June 7, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of said Wicomico Co., in Liber E. A. T. No. 63, f. No. 128, and the distribution in said report of sale be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 25th day of March next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed in Wicomico Co. once in each of three successive weeks before the 10th day of March next.

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