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## COUNCIL REFUSES TO ADVERTISE FOR GAS BIDS

Incomprehensible Action Taken On Lighting Question—Gas Company Given no Opportunity Whatever To Compete.

The City Council on Wednesday evening last by a vote of three to two voted to refuse to advertise for bids for lighting the town by gas and confined the proposals to lighting by electricity. This is the most flagrant and bold instance of wilful disregard of the people's rights ever witnessed in Salisbury. The present contract expires on the thirty-first of December, and Mayor William F. L. Bounds strongly advocated and recommended that the city advertise for bids for lighting by gas and by electricity, so that the city authorities would be in a position to illuminate the place by the most economical method. This is the usual and regular course and an ordinance was prepared by City Solicitor Bennett along the line of the Mayor's recommendation, and presented to the council was action. After a perfunctory discussion, the council by a divided vote deliberately struck the provision relating to the gas proposals from the ordinance and the advertisement will therefore only call for bids by electricity. As there is but one company in town, it necessarily follows that this concern will get the contract at its figures. Competition is stifled and the rights of the citizens ignored. For some time the Mayor has anticipated the expiration of the contract and arrangements were made with the Home Gas Company to light several streets of the town by gas that all might have ample opportunity to judge of the results which would be secured in case that Company should be awarded the contract. The lights have been more than a success and the illumination much greater per light than those furnished by Electric Light Company. In view of this fact the action of the Council on Wednesday evening is utterly incomprehensible. The Councilmen who voted for to strike out the gas provision and disregard the people's rights were: Councilmen Harry Dennis, Wm. A. Sheppard, and Chas. E. Bennett. Those who stood firmly by the rights of the town as against the control of the city by a corporation were: Councilmen Fred A. Smith and Herbert H. Hitch.

## Congressional Candidates.

Candidates for Congress from the six districts of Maryland are as follows:

First District—J. Harry Convington, Democrat; A. Lincoln Dryden, Republican; Charles M. Elderdice, Prohibitionist.

Second District—J. F. C. Talbott, Democrat; William B. Baker, Republican; Harry E. Gilbert, Prohibitionist; Charles W. Smiley, Socialist.

Third District—George Konig, Democrat; Charles W. Main, Republican; Conrad Mauler, Prohibitionist; Robert J. Fields, Socialist.

Fourth District—J. Charles Linthicum, Democrat; Addison E. Mullikin, Republican; Stephen L. LeCompte, Prohibitionist; Charles F. Klein, Socialist.

Fifth District—J. Knos Ray, Democrat; Thomas Parran, Republican; Samuel R. Nease, Prohibitionist; August Hartig, Socialist.

Sixth District—David J. Lewis, Democrat; B. H. Warner, Jr., Republican; Ninley C. Hendrickson, Prohibitionist; Paul O. Weber, Socialist.

The Magazine Agency established by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian church last year proved to give such satisfaction to its patrons that the Society has decided to continue the Agency for another year. Renewals are just as profitable in most cases to the Agency as new subscriptions so that it will solicit the continued patronage of those who purchased their magazines through it last year as well as new subscribers. This Agency claims that no one can underbid it. All orders should be sent to Miss Alice Hill, Camden Avenue.

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Three women, One for nurse and two for housework. To go to Baltimore in winter. Good wages to reliable industrious women. Answer X. the Courier office.

## The Clans of Scotland.

The clans of Scotland are generally understood to have arisen about the year 1008, during the reign of King Malcolm II. The legal power of the chiefs and the other remains of heritable jurisdiction were abolished in Scotland about 1740.

## FARMERS DISGUSTED WITH DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN

Letter of Hon. W. H. Jackson has Brought Home to Wicomico Farmers the Danger of Voting for Mr. Covington.

The letter of former William H. Jackson to the farmers of Wicomico County printed in last week's issue of the Courier created consternation in the ranks of the Democratic party, and their press and campaign orators have been busy attempting to refute the statements contained therein. The Democratic managers however, made an utter failure of the attempt. Mr. Jackson's statements cannot be controverted. The Democratic papers have been printing for some time a tabulated statement copied from a Chicago paper comparing the prices at which a number of articles were selling in 1896, at the close of the disastrous Administration of President Cleveland and the prices now obtained for them. But while they were talking of high prices and demanding a return to the conditions which prevailed they entirely overlooked the interesting fact that fourteen of the sixteen articles mentioned were the direct products of the farm and the other two indirect. No wonder farmers are demanding a body all over the country the defeat of a great party which deliberately and brazenly advocates the reduction of their incomes by more than one-half and cutting off what little profit they have been able to secure after years of hard work and toil. No wonder they are disgusted with the campaign which is being waged by the Democrats in the First Congressional District. The farmers constitute the backbone and sinew of American life, and they know it. It is impossible to financially cripple them without a correspondingly depressing effect upon every line of business in the country. There is not a farmer in this County or in the District who wants to return to the prices of 1896. If they do they should vote for Mr. Covington. But if they do not they dare not cast their ballots for him. The campaign of the Democrats must be taken at its face value. They have made their plea for success upon the avowed determination to reduce the prices if they are entrusted with power and the farmers must vote with a thorough knowledge and understanding of the issue involved. A vote for J. Harry Convington is a vote to reduce the revenues of the farm and by at least one-half. A vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden is a vote to maintain present conditions and give the farmers the benefit of a reasonable compensation for their labor. Farmers you have your choice and must abide by your decision. If you care anything for your own interest and above all, for your wives and children you will cast your ballots next Tuesday for Abraham Lincoln Dryden and for a vindication of your right to secure a fair return for time and money expended in developing your property.

## City Council Proceedings.

At a meeting of the City Council on Monday a number of permits for buildings were issued as follows:

To Oscar L. Martin, dwelling on Isabella st., to W. B. Tighman & Co. warehouse on river front; to John H. Tomlinson, warehouse near Elizabeth st., to E. Virgil Hearn, barn and stables on Elizabeth street; to John W. Windsor, dwelling on Fitz street; to Mary Robinson, a dwelling on Washington street; to J. W. Wingate, dwelling on Cedar street; to L. A. Parsons, dwelling on Union street; to A. J. Pusey, dwelling on Smith street; to C. B. Digharoon, dwelling on Annet st.; to Ella C. Williams, dwelling on Oak Hill Ave.; to F. M. Mitchell, dwelling on Lake street and dwelling on Fitzwater street.

## Celebrated Ninety-Second Birthday

Mrs. Mary A. Trader, of Salisbury, celebrated her ninety-second birthday Tuesday and quite a number of her children were present for the occasion. Mrs. Trader is probably the oldest inhabitant of Salisbury. She can well remember when the city was a struggling village built along one street with one general store and one typical blacksmith shop. Mrs. Trader has six sons living, Messrs. Thomas A. S. L. J. A., William A. and R. A. Trader, of Salisbury, and Mr. A. P. Trader, of Warren, Ill. She has 10 grand children and three great grand children living. Mrs. Trader is in remarkably good health for a woman of her age. All her faculties except her eyesight are unimpaired.

## MRS. CARRY A. NATION LECTURES IN SALISBURY

Famous Saloon Smasher of the West At Parsons Opera House. Scores The Old Parties and Denounces Secret Societies.

Mrs. Carrie A. Nation the famous saloon smasher blew into Salisbury on Tuesday last and out again on Thursday, leaving a trail of hatchets in her wake.

Carrie evidently does not place a very high valuation on her services as an American platform speaker for she delivered two fifteen cent lectures or rather tirades in Parson's Little Opera House on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. She is a religious crank of the genus lunatics and has divided her activities between the smashing of saloons and the coining of money upon her widehead notoriety. She had with her a quantity of souvenir hatchets which she sold for ten cents or three for a quarter and a \$1.00 book of her life, entitled "How I Smashed the Saloons."

Mrs. Nation has recently branched out and is smashing everything in general and such small organizations in particular as the Republican and Democratic parties and the Masonic fraternity. She declared that God had shown her a vision while in a revolving cage of a Kansas' jail of two terrible serpents with bodies as large around as a barrel and the horrible reptile with the head was the Republican party and the one without a head the Democratic party, and that was the only difference between them one had a head and the other didn't.

Mrs. Nation paid her respects to all Masons in sulphuric language and denounced secret orders in general. She declared that both her former husbands were Masons and while they paraded pompously around the corpse the widow paid the bills. This seemed to be the casus belli of her furious attack on the fraternity.

She is not a brilliant speaker nor even a fluent talker, but she gets off a number of trite sayings and characteristic utterances. She quotes largely from the bible by which she attempts to bolster up her wholesale attacks and peculiar philosophy.

## A Brutal Assault

Mr. Charles Bolz, a prominent farmer of the vicinity of Cavalry, is in a serious condition at his home, as the result of having been beaten by two negroes on Sunday of last week. The two negroes appeared at Mr. Bolz's home at about noon on Sunday and asked for cider. They were refused and went away. They returned, however, about five o'clock in the afternoon, while the rest of the family was at church, and again demanded cider. On being again refused they fell upon the old man and beat him until his face and hands were almost unrecognizable. He was found unconscious at the wood pile by the members of the family on returning from church, but medical assistance was not summoned until Monday. Warrants are out for the arrest of the negroes.

After purchasing a new pistol and stating that he was going out in the fields to try it, John T. Bartlett, of Port Deposit, was lost sight of till about 6 o'clock next morning, when hunters discovered his dead body.

Whether it is a case of suicide or accident will probably never be known. His statement that he was "going to try the pistol" might have had a double meaning, or the young man might have accidentally shot himself while testing the gun.

So far as is known there was no cause for suicide. Mr. Bartlett, who was 21 years old, was stopping with his brother-in-law, L. W. Abrahams. He seemed in a contented frame of mind at supper time. Shortly thereafter he started out to test the pistol.

## Church Notices.

### GRACE CHAPEL

Services for Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School 11 a. m. Preaching by Pastor S. P. m. Children's Services, 7 p. m. R. E. Sims of Siloam will speak Subject: Methodism.

### RIVERSIDE CHAPEL

Sunday School 2 p. m. 3 p. m. class Service 7:30 Song Praise Services.

### SILLOAM CHURCH

9:30 a. m. Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. Wilson the blind evangelist; also preaching at 7 p. m.

Rev. Wilson the blind evangelist and Rev. Sanders of the Baptist Church have been assisting in the services at Grace M. E. Chapel during the week.

Riviera services at Grace M. E. Chapel have been in progress all the week. Large crowds have been in attendance and considerable interest has been manifested. Ten have already confessed faith and a number more are at the altar.

## HON. A. L. DRYDEN REFUTES NEWS' ARTICLE

Strongly Replies To The Misrepresentation in Wednesday's Issue Of The Wicomico News And States His Position.

Mr. Editor.

Dear Sir:—I have read the Wicomico News published on the 3rd instant, and am frank to express my great surprise at the unwarranted and malicious attack made upon me by the editor of that paper, who evidently is endeavoring to "cement" his party. He goes back to 1903 and digs up a mistake which was made in the recommendation of an appointment of Postmaster in a colored community which was corrected in 24 hours after discovery. The files of the Baltimore News have evidently been examined and the parts which suit his purpose have been republished so as to appear as a basis for the charge that I, if elected to Congress, will favor the appointment of colored postmasters in rural districts to handle the mails of white people. In this connection I desire to say that the clumsy attempt of the distinguished editor to stir the passions and influence the minds of his readers must certainly fail when it is remembered that the community where this accusation was made for a colored postoffice and a colored postmaster was composed entirely of colored people, a few hundred who owned their own homes and cultivated their own lands successfully. At the colored store in the midst of this colored community no white person came to deal and further more, the establishment of the said colored post office in said colored community would have provided a separate mail service for the few hundred colored truck farmers residing near Tighman's store and would have relieved the often mixed and congested situation at Tullis Corner postoffice some 8 miles away where men, women and children, white and colored congregated daily upon the arrival of the evening mail. Never was the public press more prostituted than in the unblushing endeavor of the News Editor to substitute fancy for fact, and by deliberate and wilful, untruth seek to mislead the voter. It is very evident that the News has given up the fight for the candidate of his party as far as intelligent discussion and convincing argument are concerned and now at the end of a hopeless struggle seeks to bolster up his waning support by an appeal to race prejudice.

There has been a clear cut endeavor to impress the voters of the First Congressional district by the use of unquestionable facts and figures, and involving no personalities or muckraking of any kind or description and I had hoped that my distinguished opponent and his friends would pursue the same honorable course.

A. LINCOLN DRYDEN

## School Board in Session.

At a meeting of the School Board last Friday morning it was decided to sell at public auction on Saturday, Nov. 12th, at 4 p. m., the old school building at Mardela Springs. On Saturday, November 19th, the old school building at Mt. Herman will be sold.

The contractor who built the new Gordy School, in Delmar District, notified the board that the building is about completed.

Superintendent Holloway reported that he had been requested to prepare and reach before the Southern Educational Association which meets in Chattanooga, Tenn., on December 26, 28, 29, a paper on "Rural Supervision of Public Schools." The Board requested Mr. Holloway to attend this important meeting.

Paul English, of Mardela, was appointed to fill the vacant scholarship in Charlotte Hall caused by the resignation of Creighton Conner. He was the only applicant.

## Telephone Extension.

The Diamond State Telephone has just made a number of telephone extensions and have organized two rural companies connecting with the Salisbury exchange as follows:

Parker's Chapel Road Telephone Company, A. C. Parker, agent; Morlon S. Pryor, J. W. Keene, George W. Laysfield, George J. Adkins, G. H. Parsons, A. M. Smith, Fred Collins, W. H. Pryor, George B. Parker, C. M. Dykes, A. W. Dryden, E. S. Lowe, C. G. Smith.

Snow Hill Road Telephone Company, Alonzo Dykes, agent; A. G. Malone, W. J. Toadyne, Ross D. Henry, W. B. Trader, L. W. Fooks, D. J. Pryor, N. T. Hammond.

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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE 62ND.  
CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.  
ABRAHAM LINCOLN DRYDEN  
of Somerset County.

### Mr. Dryden Still Misrepresented in Quindocqua Matter— Mr. Miles' Appointee.

Nothing shows more clearly the hopelessness of the Democratic cause than the baseless and shameless appeals to prejudice and passion which have been made recently by the Democratic managers. In the face of absolute and incontrovertible proof in regard to the Post Office recommendation at Quindocqua, the Democratic papers continue to misrepresent Mr. Dryden and belog the issue. The proposition squarely laid down is that a man is to be judged by his record on public questions and he will be assumed to follow the same course in the future. Good! The proposition is a reasonable one. And now as to facts!

A vacancy occurred in the post office at Quindocqua. The department notified Congressman Jackson to file a recommendation and he in turn requested the State Central Committee of Somerset county, of which Mr. Dryden was chairman, to name a suitable party. Mr. Dryden responded promptly suggesting Andrew Day, a colored man, and the Congressman recommended him and the Department appointed him. Hardly had the designation been made and before Day had acted, Mr. Jackson was communicated with by Mr. Dryden who stated that he had ascertained that the party was a colored man and not suitable for appointment and that he was under the impression that he was a member of a prominent white family when he originally recommended him. He then strongly urged the immediate withdrawal of Day's name. Acting upon this urgent request, Congressman Jackson notified the Department of his desires and the appointment was promptly annulled. No other other single instance has been found—so that his record is that no colored man has ever held appointment by his recommendation. According to the Democratic proposition the future is to be judged by the past, therefore none ever will should be elected.

How totally different all this is from the appointment of Wesley Hall, a colored Democratic worker of Somerset county, who was recommended by a Democratic Congressman, the Honorable Joshua W. Miles, and appointed by a Democratic Secretary of the Treasury, Hon. John G. Carlisle under the Administration of a Democratic President, Hon. Grover Cleveland. Has anybody denied it? NO, it cannot be, as the records of

the Treasury Department speak for themselves and Mr. Hall went with Mr. Miles to Washington where Mr. Hall and Mr. Miles resided during Mr. Hall's and Mr. Miles' incumbency in office.

But all this is apart from the issues of this campaign and the Democratic managers should never have interjected it. Higher and more important issues are involved and the people will resent a campaign of misrepresentation and prejudice.

### The Councils Intolerable Action In The Gas Proposition

It is utterly impossible to understand the action of the City Council on Wednesday evening last in refusing to advertise for bids for lighting the city by gas and confining the proposals to bids for electricity. The people of Salisbury have a perfect right to demand of their representatives that the city be governed upon the most economical and business-like basis. With assessments going higher every year and constant increases in the expenditures of the city it is absolutely incumbent upon the officials that they should give the people the benefit of every possible reduction.

When the expenditures are of a public nature and bring about splendid results, as was the case in relation to the paving contracts, the officials will find that the progressive citizens are willing to stand by them and co-operate with them in every possible way. But they will not tolerate a deal which stifles competition and turns the city over to the hands of a corporation at their own figures—a proposition utterly at variance with free government and enlightened administration. The people of Salisbury in general do not care whether the city is lighted with electricity or gas and if the Electric Company can furnish as good lights at a more reasonable figure than the other concern practically everybody would be only too glad to see that corporation secure the contract. But if on the other hand, the Gas Company is willing to light the town at a less figure and give as good service, the people are right in demanding that the contracts be awarded to that company. It is a matter in which every citizen is vitally interested and the people should let the three councilmen who have bowed the knee to the Electric Baa know how they feel on the subject. Mayor Bounds and Councilmen Smith and Hitch who are attempting to secure for the city a square deal and proper treatment will undoubtedly have the sympathy and co-operation of every person in the city who believes in justice and decency in city government.

It is extremely unfortunate for the town that certain political interests which are holding the town in an iron grasp are vitally interested in the Electric concern. There is a widespread demand that the two companies be placed upon the same basis and then will the people be entirely satisfied no matter who secures the contract. But this is absolutely the only thing which will satisfy the requirements of the occasion and remove the stigma of corruption and political control from those who have placed themselves in this unenviable position.

### REPUBLICANS ATTENTION!

Every Republican in Wicomico must do his duty next Tuesday. It is an important National contest and every man who is identified with the Republican party must do everything possible to bring about success. It is utterly impossible to win the election without personal and individual effort. Do not imagine that your vote may not be needed. Hundreds of elections have been won by a single ballot. Do not permit anything to interfere with your paramount duty of citizenship. Scores of contests have been lost by apathy and this one may be.

Go to the polls early and cast a ballot for protection and prosperity.

The control of the next House may hinge upon a single Representative and the election in this District be changed by a single vote so that your ballot may control the complexion of the Sixty-Second Congress of the United States. Do not fail to do your full duty. Personal considerations should not be allowed to influence your action. Both candidates are personally clean, honest and fearless, but principles are above men and vital issues superior to individuals. Republicans cannot afford to fall into the trap of casting the deadly complimentary vote for Mr. Covington. Many a man has been elected by complimentary votes. Mr. Covington stands for low wages, closed factories and all the evils which flow from Democratic policies when put into operation by the National Government. Vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden and a continuation of National prosperity. From every part of the Shore comes the most gratifying reports as to political conditions, and some of the keenest political observers are predicting the success of the Republican candidate. If the Republicans will do their full duty next Tuesday it can and will be accomplished and Wicomico must do its full share in accomplishing that magnificent result.

### Editorial Jottings

Vote the Republican ticket.

Turn on the light on the gas matter.

Next Tuesday is the all important election day.

Salisbury cannot afford to be a boss-ridden municipality. Let the larger cities have a monopoly along that line.

It is the duty of every farmer who has an interest in maintaining present conditions to vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden.

Any farmer who votes for Mr. Covington and then has to sell his wheat for 50 cents a bushel and his corn for 25 cents as he did in 1896 should make no complaints.

The city officials owe it themselves, to the citizens and to the honor of the community in general to reverse themselves on the gas proposition. The Gas Company should be given the opportunity to compete for the lighting for 1911.

Mr. Dryden's letter is a clear and convincing answer to the absurdly baseless attack made upon him with reference to the Quindocqua matter. It is sincerely regretted that the Democrats should have resorted to such methods and it will be found to have injured their cause. The Republicans have the satisfaction of knowing that the campaign has been fought by them on principle and not a single personal attack made.

Why is it that United States Senator Isador Rayner has not been heard in the campaign in Baltimore? Something must be radically wrong in the Democratic party when its greatest orator remains absolutely silent in a National election. And the strangest and most humiliating part of it from the Senator's viewpoint is that he has not been asked by the Democratic managers. He has publicly stated his willingness to enter the campaign and it is evident that the seas of Democracy in the Monumental City are decidedly stormy. It can be clearly seen that the city leaders have practically abandoned the Congressional candidates to their fate and the Republicans will make a clean sweep of the city.

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# THE COURIER.

## Town Topics.

The public schools will close for the Christmas holidays Thursday afternoon December 22 and reopen January 2nd.

Services, Sunday Nov. 6th. Spring Hill Holy Communion 10.30 a. m. Quantic Evening Prayer 7.30 p. m. Best ever are the stylish up-to-date Tailor-Made suits at \$14.90 and \$20.50 at Kennerly, Shockley Co.'s.

The next session of the Wilmington Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in Wilmington.

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Newton street which has been torn up for sometime on account of the work of curbing and guttering has been thrown open to the public.

Mrs. Carrie A. Nation will give a free lecture at Green & Brewington's Auditorium. Sunday afternoon 3-30 o'clock. Subject, War versus Anarchy.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Lady managers of the Home for the Aged on Tuesday afternoon, November 8th, at 3 o'clock, at the City Hall.

The Maryland State Horticultural Society will hold its annual exhibition in the Fifth Regiment Armory, Baltimore, from November 28th to December 2nd inclusive.

"The Disheartened—Their Danger and Their Duty", will be the theme of Rev. Mr. Beale's sermon tomorrow morning at the Wicomico Presbyterian church. Tomorrow evening Mr. Beale speaks upon "Profanity."

At a meeting of the directors of the Commercial National Bank of Snow Hill, held Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Eben Hearne was elected acting cashier. Mr. Hearne has been teller of this bank for the past thirteen years.

The Young ladies of St. Peter's Church will hold a bazaar and supper on November 30th and December 1st. Candy, dolls, aprons and fancy work of all kinds will be on sale. Special opportunity for purchasing Xmas presents.

A huge double Baldwin locomotive designed for mountain climbing in Virginia passed through Salisbury a few days ago. It is one of the new articulated, compound engines with 12 massive driving wheels and weighing nearly 30,000 pounds.

Capt. W. H. Hopkins, of the gasoline steamer "James Denson," has resigned to give his entire attention to his oyster packing business at White Haven. Capt. J. G. North, former master of the "Denson" will take charge of the boat on Monday morning.

Rev. John D. Kinzer, ex-president of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, was stricken with paralysis at his home in Sparrow's Point recently. Rev. Mr. Kinzer was a former pastor of the M. P. Church, of Salisbury.

Capt. R. B. White, managing owner of the Battie Giles has decided to float her and Wrecker Broom has been dispatched with his wrecking machine to float the vessel and take her to Baltimore. The schooner R. B. Powell has left Salisbury to get the sails and other effects belonging to the vessel.

Rev. Mr. Beale and Mr. B. N. Brittingham will jointly lead the meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society at the Wicomico Presbyterian church tomorrow evening and will give reports of the State C. E. Convention which was held at Cumberland last week. Meeting will open promptly at 6.45.

A entertainment consisting of a "Drill" by the Juveniles and Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party by "Ye older folks," will be given in the Grange Hall Friday and Saturday evenings Nov. 11th and 12th, Mardela Springs. Doors open at 7 p. m. Admission adults 25 cents, children 15 cents. Benefits for M. P. Church.

A new sewer is to be laid on Newton Street. The Camden Sewer Company has contracted with Mr. Lewis Morgan to do the work. It will run from Smith Street to Camden Avenue and will be ten inches in diameter and have connections for houses every fifty feet. It is expected that it will later be extended out to the end of Newton Street.

A Parlor Bazaar will be held at the home of R. D. Griet on November 17th under the auspices of the C. E. Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church. Fancy articles suitable for Xmas presents will be sold and ice cream, cake and candies will be served. The proceeds to go to the Enlargement Fund of the Society.

From a reliable source it has been definitely learned that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has finally decided to build a modern station at Salisbury. The money has been actually set aside for the purpose and it is now simply a question of location. Several sites are being considered, though it is believed that the junction will be finally selected and a handsome union structure erected.

The Thoroughgood Company for sweaters. Special line of neckwear. The Thoroughgood Company.

Ulmans Sons will hold a special glass lamp sale at 17c this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The usual Services will be held tomorrow at the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church.

Woodburn Martin, Esq., an attorney of Georgetown was here on business this week.

Mr. M. S. Plummer, a well known rural route Government Inspector was in town on Tuesday.

Go to Mrs. G. W. Taylor's for your Millinery. Special sale of felt hats and fancy feathers. See ad.

Mr. Leroy Brittingham left Saturday for Philadelphia where he has secured employment in the plumbing business.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor is showing a complete line of baby caps, ruching fancy neck wear, veillings, fancy combs, pins and barrettes.

A nice glass lamp completed with chimney, wick and burner for 17c at Ulman Sons this evening at 7.30 o'clock. See them in their window.

Mr. Arthur Trader and family who have been living in Baltimore for some time, have removed to Annapolis and have taken up their residence in that city.

The work of demolishing the trees on William Street has been completed from Division to Poplar Hill Avenue. This will be followed by cement gutters and curbing.

Congressman Covington and Governor Crothers were in town last Saturday and addressed the Democratic meetings held in the Opera House in the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor can have your hair matched to any length braids, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$5.00 hair rolls from 25c to 49c turban crowns, hair nets with rubber 10 cents.

Mrs. L. D. Collier has been elected a delegate from Salisbury to the International Conference of the Kings Daughters and Sons which convenes in Baltimore November 11 to 15.

The pastor of the Division Street Baptist church will preach at both services Sunday, 11 a. m. "Life's Music" 7.30 p. m. "The Deathless Voices." Special music at both services.

The yearly meeting of the O. S. Baptist, was held at the meeting house in Delmar this week. Elder Francis had charge of the meeting and was assisted by a number of visiting Elders. There was a large attendance as usual.

Trinity M. E. Church South—Rev. J. Franklin Carey pastor. Sunday school 9.30 A. M. Epworth League 6.45 p. m. Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor. at 7.30 p. m. Missionary anniversary. Sermon by Dr. W. H. Edwards.

The gasoline steamer Wicomico will not make its usual runs to White Haven next Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday, but will make the regular trip on Friday. She will be on the railway during those days undergoing some minor repairs.

All young people not attending another Sunday School are cordially invited to join the Alert class of the Division Street Baptist Sunday School. Fifteen minutes given to the practical talk on "Life's Problem", 9.45 is the time.

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. on next Wednesday afternoon at the lecture room of Asbury M. E. Church at 3.30. All ladies interested in temperance work are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Dennis Fulton Tilghman and Miss Lola May Wimbrow were married Wednesday evening last at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wimbrow, at Wango. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The groom is a son of the late Jason P. Tilghman, and is a well-known young farmer of Parsons District.

Marion Barkley, colored, aged 29 years, a life term prisoner at the New Castle County work house, died at that institution Wednesday morning. Death was due to tuberculosis. Barkley was committed to the work-house on October 7th, 1908 for murdering a colored man at a circus in Milford in July, 1907. His home was in Salisbury, where his mother lives. His remains were brought here for burial.

Dr. and Mrs. John S. Aydelotte have issued cards of invitation to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mildred Townsend Aydelotte to Mr. George Walter Mapp. The marriage will be solemnized at half after eleven o'clock Wednesday morning, November ninth, in Whitcomb Methodist Episcopal Church Snow Hill. Miss Aydelotte is the only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Aydelotte, and is one of Snow Hill's most attractive and popular young ladies. Mr. Mapp is a prominent attorney of Accomac County, Virginia.

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Mr. Edward Nock is in Baltimore for a few days.

Mrs. Ida Williams is in Philadelphia for a few days.

Mrs. L. W. Gunby was in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. Stephen Treadwell was in Norfolk several days this week.

Misses Lulu and Mamie Smith were in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. John S. Fulton visited relatives in town during the week.

Mrs. R. D. Ellegood is spending a few days in Baltimore.

Miss Laura Elliott entertained the "500" Club Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Stanley Treadwell gave a Halloween party Monday evening.

Misses Louise and Nanahel Fine were in Baltimore this week.

The younger set gave a progressive Halloween party Monday night.

Mrs. Margaret A. Cooper spent several days in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. A. C. Smith was in Philadelphia several days this week.

Mr. Grant Sexton was in Norfolk this week.

Mrs. A. W. Woodcock is visiting in Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Taylor are spending the week in Baltimore.

Mr. S. P. Woodcock was in New York City on a business trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grier are in Baltimore this week.

Miss Louise Perry was in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Louise Vessey spent the week in Princess Anne.

The Tuesday afternoon Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. S. A. Graham.

Miss Ora Dishaaron entertained the Tuesday evening "500" club this week.

Miss Nellie B. Majors, of Maryland Springs, is spending some time with relatives in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Holland and Miss Willie Stidger, of Ohio, are visiting Hon. Charles F. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Adkins and Miss Bertha Sheppard are visiting in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Leonard who has been visiting in Baltimore has returned to Salisbury.

Mrs. S. P. Woodcock is visiting her sister Mrs. Elwood P. Pyle in Wilmington.

Misses Ruth and Louise Gunby who have been visiting in Dover, returned home Saturday.

The Mites Society of Asbury M. E. Church met at the Parsonage Tuesday evening.

Little Miss Madeline Tull gave a Halloween party Monday night to a number of her young friends.

Mrs. Joseph Graham who has been visiting relatives in Plainfield, N. J., has returned home.

Mrs. Robt Adams of Princess Anne was the guest of Mrs. William Vessey this week.

Mrs. Paul Brown and Mr. Edward Nock have returned from a visit at Princess Anne.

Miss Minnie Nelson who has been visiting in Boston for the past month has returned home.

Miss Mary Edwards who has been spending several weeks in Reedville Virginia has returned home.

Miss Clara Douglass and her niece, Miss Belle Douglass, of Philadelphia, visited friends and relatives in town this week.

Mrs. Mary Walton Nock and Miss Clara C. Walton, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting at the home of their brother Mr. Elmer H. Walton on E. William Street.

Mrs. Caroline Ulman, Miss Sara Ulman and Mrs. Isaac Ulman who attended last week the Ulman-Hawkins wedding have returned to Salisbury.

Mrs. Morris A. Walton who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. John Nichols, Mt. Royal Avenue, Baltimore, returned home last evening.

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Subject for Tomorrow, "The Lord's Supper" Ably Discussed By A Local Writer.

GORDON TAYLOR—This do, in remembrance of us.

Jesus returned to Bethany after the day of great teaching, Tuesday of Passion Week, and had doubtless remained quiet with His friends over Wednesday and upon Thursday. As the time for the feast of the Passover drew near, His disciples, following His direction, went into Jerusalem to that upper chamber and prepared the feast. Jesus and John seem to have been the ones to prepare it, and Jesus no doubt moved later with the other ten disciples.

The paschal lamb provided for the feast must be slain in the temple court during the afternoon, and unleavened bread and bitter herbs prepared. This was a Jewish rite, and our minds need to run back in the history of the world a long way to get the correct idea.

Israel had been called forth out of Egypt, and had become a powerful people, and, on account of sin, had been permitted to suffer bondage in Egypt, and that great deliverer Moses had been raised up to lead them out of bondage. Pharaoh had refused his importunity for the release of Israel even under great plagues, and at last the awful extremity of death to the youngest born of Egypt was visited upon his nation, and the covenant of blood was instituted to preserve Israel, and the Passover was instituted to commemorate that covenant.

Israel was bringing out through all her hardships, the ground-work of a great plan of salvation for mankind. There was the burden of carrying on acceptable religion through ages of preparation, and to preserve it to the world.

This feast was a monument to this great deliverance, and it recalled to their minds, when they commemorated it, their forefathers in a strange land, hard labor and oppression with out the enjoyment of the fruits of it, a despotic Pharaoh, a repentance of sin, the promise of deliverance, the eating of a feast, girded and armed for an expectant journey under a divinely appointed leader Moses, and the great deliverer from Egypt. And Jesus rejoiced in this feast now held in remembrance of that deliverance.

It was a great ideal toward which Israel was progressing. The monument or feast did not commemorate Egypt, Pharaoh, or Moses, but it did call to mind God's mercy, love, and compassion, just God, toward whom all this was to draw them.

We are so constituted that we are not governed by men, or orders of men, but by ideas. Men and their organizations appeal to us only as they represent an ideal, and men come and go, but the idea stays and develops, and our monuments are to the ideas and ideals expressed and represented.

So it is now with Christ. The idea set forth is dear to His heart, and the plan develops in His life, and in the commemoration of this old feast of deliverance He instituted a new feast of deliverance.

Another stage in the great plan of salvation has been reached. The sacrificial offering is complete and a new body and blood are the elements in this feast of deliverance.

To show our faith in the act of redemption we are to accept it as a commemoration of its completeness. The Lord's Supper is the Christian monument of Christ. It is erected by the doing of the things set forth in the laws of His kingdom, taught in our lessons for the year.

Some things were taught in that chamber. A lesson of service was taught in the washing of the disciples' feet by Jesus. The lesson of ordinary service is plain and easy to learn, but did not Jesus wash the feet of Judas?

And so, if we have ever suffered wrong, or trampled rights, of caste, it matters not whether the soul has felt or suffered long, O heart, this one thing must not be forgot.

Christ washed the feet of Judas. What a lesson in forgiveness? The ideal was not accepted by one of the twelve. It did not appeal to Judas, who had been progressing in another direction. He recognized no ideal and monument and withdrew from the presence of love and forgiveness into the fellowship of sin. The body and blood of a testament of this nature did not appeal to him.

This feast is sometimes hard to understand. Christ is not hard to understand when we come in touch with him, but as men preach Him we fail to grasp the truth. We look too often at the men representing the idea, and fail to hit ourselves above the acts of men, and observe the acts of one truer, higher, holier than man.

This evening of the Passover Feast and the institution of the Lord's Supper was the most wonderful in the intercourse of the Master and disciples. It was like entering into a Holy of Holies. And yet there was a dark shadow. Judas must needs take his course. Love extended to the uttermost was not strong enough to constrain a heart set determinedly to evil. Was it necessary that Judas betray Christ? No; Judas chose his way. If there had been no fault in Judas, if he could not have helped doing as he did there would have been no woe pronounced. The act was sin, the responsible act of a willing man.

Is there a shadow over against the monument to Christ's suffering? Yes; man's refusal of the love that prompted the great act of redemption.

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## COUNCIL REFUSES TO ADVERTISE FOR GAS BIDS

Incomprehensible Action Taken On Lighting Question—Gas Company Given no Apportunity Whatever To Compete.

The City Council on Wednesday evening last by a vote of three to two refused to advertise for bids for lighting the town by gas and confined the proposals to lighting by electricity. This is the most flagrant and bold instance of wilful disregard of the people's rights ever witnessed in Salisbury. The present contract expires on the thirty-first of December, and Mayor William F. L. Bounds strongly advocated and recommended that the city advertise for bids for lighting by gas and by electricity, so that the city authorities would be in a position to illuminate the place by the most economical method. This is the usual and regular course, and an ordinance was prepared by City Solicitor Bennett along the line of the Mayor's recommendation, and presented to the council was action. After a perfunctory discussion, the council by a divided vote deliberately struck the provision relating to the gas proposals from the ordinance and the advertisement will therefore only call for bids by electricity. As there is but one Company in town, it necessarily follows that this concern will get the contract at its figures. Competition is stifled and the rights of the citizens ignored. For some time the Mayor has anticipated the expiration of the contract and arrangements were made with the Home Gas Company to light several streets of the town by gas that all might have ample opportunity to judge of the results which would be secured in case that Company should be awarded the contract. The lights have been more than a success and the illumination much greater per light than those furnished by Electric Light Company. In view of this fact the action of the Council on Wednesday evening is utterly incomprehensible. The Councilman who voted for this action was Harry Dennis, Wm. A. Sheppard, and Chas. E. Bennett. Those who stood firmly by the rights of the town as against the control of the city by a corporation were: Councilmen Fred A. Smith and Herbert H. Hittch.

## Congressional Candidates.

Candidates for Congress from the six districts of Maryland are as follows:

First District—J. Harry Covington, Democrat; A. Lincoln Dryden, Republican; Charles M. Elderslice, Prohibitionist.

Second District—J. F. C. Talbot, Democrat; William B. Baker, Republican; Harry E. Gilbert, Prohibitionist; Charles W. Smiley, Socialist.

Third District—George König, Democrat; Charles W. Main, Republican; Conrad Menier, Prohibitionist; Robert J. Fields, Socialist.

Fourth District—J. Charles Linthicum, Democrat; Addison R. Mullikin, Republican; Stephen L. LeCompte, Prohibitionist; Charles F. Klein, Socialist.

Fifth District—J. Enos Ray, Democrat; Thomas Parran, Republican; Samuel R. Nease, Prohibitionist; August Hartig, Socialist.

Sixth District—David J. Lewis, Democrat; B. H. Warner, Jr., Republican; Ninley C. Hendrickson, Prohibitionist; Paul O. Weber, Socialist.

The Magazine Agency established by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian church last year proved to give such satisfaction to its patrons that the Society has decided to continue the Agency for another year. Renewals are just as profitable in most cases to the Agency as new subscriptions so that it will solicit the continued patronage of those who purchased their magazines through it last year as well as new subscribers. This Agency claims that no one can underbid it. All orders should be sent to Miss Alice Hill, Camden Avenue.

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## The Clans of Scotland.

The clans of Scotland are generally understood to have arisen about the year 1008, during the reign of King Malcolm II. The legal power of the chiefs and the other remains of heritable jurisdiction were abolished in Scotland about 1740.

## FARMERS DISGUSTED WITH DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN

Letter of Hon. W. H. Jackson has Brought Home to Wicomico Farmers the Danger of Voting for Mr. Covington.

The letter of former William H. Jackson to the farmers of Wicomico County printed in last week's issue of the Courier created consternation in the ranks of the Democratic party, and their press and campaign orators have been busy attempting to refute the statements contained therein. The Democratic managers however, made an utter failure of the attempt. Mr. Jackson's statements cannot be controverted. The Democratic papers have been printing for some time a tabulated statement copied from a Chicago paper comparing the prices at which a number of articles were selling in 1890, at the close of the Disastrous Administration of President Cleveland and the prices now obtained for them. But while they were talking of high prices and demanding a return to the conditions which prevailed they entirely overlooked the interesting fact that fourteen of the sixteen articles mentioned were the direct products of the farm and the other two indirect. No wonder farmers are demanding a body all over the country the defeat of a great party which deliberately and brazenly advocates the reduction of their incomes by more than one-half and cutting off what little profit they have been able to secure after years of hard work and toll. No wonder they are disgusted with the campaign which is being waged by the Democrats in the First Congressional District. The farmers constitute the backbone and sinew of American life, and they know it. It is impossible to financially cripple them without a correspondingly depressing effect upon every line of business in the country. There is not a farmer in this County or in the District who wants to return to the prices of 1890. If they do they should vote for Mr. Covington. But if they do not they are not cast their ballots for him. The campaign of the Democrats must be taken at its face value. They have made their plea for success upon the avowed determination to reduce the prices if they are entrusted with power and the farmers must vote with a thorough knowledge and understanding of the issue involved. A vote for J. Harry Covington is a vote to reduce the revenues of the farm and by at least one-half. A vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden is a vote to maintain present conditions and give the farmers the benefit of a reasonable compensation for their labor. Farmers you have your choice and must abide by your decision. If you care anything for your own interest and above all, for your wives and children you will cast your ballots next Tuesday for Abraham Lincoln Dryden and for a vindication of your right to secure a fair return for time and money expended in developing your property.

## City Council Proceedings.

At a meeting of the City Council on Monday a number of permits for buildings were issued as follows: To Oscar L. Martin, dwelling on Isabella St., to W. B. Tilghman & Co. warehouse on river front; to John H. Tomlinson, warehouse near Elizabeth St.; to E. Virgil Hearn, barn and stables on Elizabeth street; to John W. Windsor, dwelling on Fitch street; to Mary Robinson, a dwelling on Washington street; to A. W. Wingate, dwelling on Cedar street; to L. A. Parsons, dwelling on Union street; to A. J. Pusey, dwelling on Smith street; to C. R. Disharoon, dwelling on Ann St.; to Ella C. Williams, dwelling on Oak Hill Ave.; to F. M. Mitchell, dwelling on Lake street and dwelling on Fitzwater street.

## Celebrated Ninety-Second Birthday

Mrs. Mary A. Trader, of Salisbury, celebrated her ninety-second birthday Tuesday and quite a number of her children were present for the occasion. Mrs. Trader is probably the oldest inhabitant of Salisbury. She can well remember when the city was a struggling village built along one street with one general store and one typical blacksmith shop. Mrs. Trader has six sons living, Messrs. Thomas A. S. L. J. A., William A. and R. A. Trader, of Salisbury, and Mr. A. P. Trader, of Warren, Ill. She has 10 grand children and three great grand children living. Mrs. Trader is in remarkably good health for a woman of her age. All her faculties except her eyesight are unimpaired.

## MRS. CARRY A. NATION LECTURES IN SALISBURY

Famous Saloon Smasher of the West At Parsons Opera House. Scores The Old Parties and Denounces Secret Societies.

Mrs. Carrie A. Nation the famous saloon smasher blew into Salisbury on Tuesday last and out again on Thursday, leaving a trail of hate in her wake. Carrie evidently does not place a very high valuation on her services as an American platform speaker for she delivered two fifteen cent lectures or rather tirades in Parson's Little Opera House on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. She is a religious crank of the genus lunaticus and has divided her activities between the smashing of saloons and the coining of money upon her widehead notoriety. She had with her a quantity of souvenir hatchets which she sold for ten cents or three for a quarter and a \$1.00 book of her life, entitled "How I Smashed the Saloons." Mrs. Nation has recently branched out and is smashing everything in general and such small organizations in particular as the Republican and Democratic parties and the Masonic fraternity. She declared that God had shown her a vision while in a revolving cage of a Kansas' jail of two terrible serpents with bodies as large around as a barrel and the horrible reptile with the head was the Republican party and the one without a head the Democratic party, and that was the only difference between them one had a head and the other didn't. Mrs. Nation paid her respects to all Masons in sulphuric language and denounced secret orders in general. She declared that both her former husbands were Masons and while they paraded pompously around the corpse the widow paid the bills. This seemed to be the cause bell of her furious attack on the fraternity. She is not a brilliant speaker nor even a fluent talker, but she gets off a number of trite sayings and characteristic utterances. She quotes largely from the bible by which she attempts to bolster up her wholesale attacks and peculiar philosophy.

## A Brutal Assault

Mr. Charles Boiz, a prominent farmer of the vicinity of Cavalry, is in a serious condition at his home, as the result of having been beaten by two negroes on Sunday of last week. The two negroes appeared at Mr. Boiz's home at about noon on Sunday and asked for cider. They were refused and went away. They returned, however, about five o'clock in the afternoon, while the rest of the family was at church, and again demanded cider. On being again refused they fell upon the old man and beat him until his face and hands were an almost unrecognizable mass. He was found unconscious at the wood pile by the members of the family on returning from church, but medical assistance was not summoned until Monday. Warrants are out for the arrest of the negroes.

After purchasing a new pistol and stating that he was going out in the fields to try it, John T. Bartlett, of Port Deposit, was lost sight of till about 6 o'clock next morning, when hunters discovered his dead body. Whether it is a case of suicide or accident will probably never be known. His statement that he was "going to try the pistol" might have had a double meaning, or the young man might have accidentally shot himself while testing the gun.

So far as is known here there was no cause for suicide. Mr. Bartlett, who was 21 years old, was stopping with his brother-in-law, L. W. Abrahams. He seemed in a contented frame of mind at supper time. Shortly thereafter he started out to test the pistol.

## Church Notices.

**GRACE CHAPEL.**  
Services for Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School 11 a. m. Preaching by Pastor B. p. m. Children's Services; 7 p. m. R. E. Sims of Siloam will speak Subject: Methodism.

**RIVERSIDE CHAPEL.**  
Sunday School 2 p. m. 3 p. m. class Service 7:30 Song Praise Services.

**SILAM CHURCH.**  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. Wilson the blind evangelist; also one ching at 7 p. m.

Rev. Wilson the blind evangelist and Rev. Sanders of the Baptist Church have been assisting in the services at Grace M. E. Chapel during the week.

Rivalry has been in progress all the week. Large crowds have been in attendance and considerable interest has been manifested. Ten have already confessed faith and a number more are at the altar.

## HON. A. L. DRYDEN REFUTES NEWS' ARTICLE

Strongly Replies To The Misrepresentation in Wednesday's Issue Of The Wicomico News And States His Position.

Mr. Editor:—I have read the Wicomico News published on the 3rd instant, and am frank to express my great surprise at the unwarranted and malicious attack made upon me by the editor of that paper, who evidently is endeavoring to "cement" his party. He goes back to 1908 and digs up a mistake which was made in the recommendation of an appointment of Postmaster in a colored community which was corrected in 24 hours after discovery. The files of the Baltimore News have evidently been examined and the parts which suit his purpose have been republished so as to appear as a basis for the charge that I, if elected to Congress, will favor the appointment of colored postmasters in rural districts to handle the mails of white people. In this connection I desire to say that the clumsy attempt of the distinguished editor to stir the passions and influence the minds of his readers must certainly fall when it is remembered that the community where this accusation was made for a colored postoffice and a colored postmaster was composed entirely of colored people, a few hundred who owned their own homes and cultivated their own lands successfully. At the colored store in the midst of this colored community no white person came to deal and further more, the establishing of the said colored post office in said colored community would have provided a separate mail service for the few hundred colored truck farmers residing near Tilghman's store and would have relieved the often mixed and congested situation at Talis Corner postoffice some 8 miles away where men, women and children, white and colored, congregated daily upon the arrival of the evening mail. Never was the public press more prostituted than in the unflinching endeavor of the News Editor to substitute fancy for fact, and by deliberate and willful untruth seek to mislead the voter. It is very evident that the News has given up the fight for the candidate of his party as far as intelligent discussion and convincing argument are concerned and now at the end of a hopeless struggle seeks to bolster up his waning support by an appeal to race prejudice. Mine has been a clear cut endeavor to impress the voters of the First Congressional district by the use of unquestionable facts and figures, and involving no personalities or much-raking of any kind or description and I had hoped that my distinguished opponent and his friends would pursue the same honorable course.

A. LINCOLN DRYDEN.

## School Board in Session.

At a meeting of the School Board last Friday morning it was decided to sell at public auction on Saturday, Nov. 12th, at 4 p. m., the old school building at Margate Springs. On Saturday, November 19th, the old school building at Mt. Herman will be sold.

The contractor who built the new Gordy School, in Delmar District, notified the board that the building is about completed.

Superintendent Holloway reported that he had been requested to prepare and reach before the Southern Educational Association which meet in Chattanooga, Tenn., on December 26, 28, 29, a paper on "Rural Supervision of Public Schools." The Board requested Mr. Holloway to attend this important meeting.

Paul English, of Marde's, was appointed to fill the vacant scholarship in Charlotte Hall caused by the resignation of Creighton Conner. He was the only applicant.

## Telephone Extension.

The Diamond State Telephone has just made a number of telephone extensions and have organized two rural companies connecting with the Salisbury exchange as follows:

Parker's Chapel Road Telephone Company, A. C. Parker, agent; Morlon S. Pryor, J. W. Keene, George W. Layfield, George I. Adkins, G. B. Parsons, A. M. Smith, Fred Collins, W. H. Pryor, George B. Parker, C. M. Dykes, A. W. Dryden, E. S. Lowe, C. G. Smith.

Snow Hill Road Telephone Company, Alonzo Dykes, agent; A. G. Malone, W. J. Treadwell, Ross D. Henry, W. B. Trader, L. W. Fooks, D. T. Pryor, N. T. Hammond.

## Drugs and Diseases.

It is not too much to say that the medical profession today no longer believes that any drug (with a few exceptions, like quinine in malaria, mercury and the antitoxins) will cure a disease as such. All that it will do is so to modify conditions as to help the body in its fight against disease.

We are no longer content, in the biting phrase of Voltaire, to "pour drugs of which we know little into bodies of which we know less." What will help one patient will harm another, and what may be beneficial in the early stage of a disease will be useless or even injurious in a later stage.

In the language of Captain Cuttle, the effect of a drug, like "the bearing of an observation," "depends on the application on it." It is neither rational nor safe blindly to swallow down a drug which is highly recommended in a certain disease and expect it to "do the rest." There is no such thing as a universal cure for a disease nor even a remedy which can be relied upon as "a good thing to take" at any and all stages of it.—Dr. Woods Hutchinson in *Delinquent*.

## Gagadig Gigadab.

There was a quaint old man in Manchester, England, who for many years went by the unique name of Gagadig Gigadab. His original name was John Smith, and for many years he brooded over the possibilities of mistaken identity involved in it. The name figured frequently in criminal records, and he became abnormally apprehensive lest he might be confused with some of the bad John Smiths. At last what he feared so much actually happened. One morning the papers reported the arrest of an accountant in a bank for embezzlement, and through some blunder of the reporter the identity of the embezzler was confused with the subject of this article, who was also a bank accountant. Then and there he determined to assume a name like unto no other ever borne by mortal man. And in Gagadig Gigadab most people will agree that he succeeded in so doing.—New York Tribune.

## Legally Better Off.

The creditors of the ancient king had become so unpleasantly insistent that he resolved to put them where they could trouble him no more. So he invited them to a great banquet, and when they had feasted and drunk of his prepared wine he instructed his servants to convey them to his deepest dungeons. And the next morning when he went down to learn whether his servants had done his bidding his creditors raised their voices and entreated to be set free. But he remonstrated with them, saying:

"My friends, you have no just cause for complaint. Are you not better off in the eye of the law than ever before? Any lawyer will tell you that a secured creditor has an exceptional claim." Then he left them and went on his glad way, happy in the knowledge that he could at last go through his dominions without being dunned.—Chicago News.

## Masculine Music.

The musical doctor stepped into the shop.

His hair stuck out like stiff straws, and his joy of life was under his arm; also two buttons on his waistcoat were undone. So there was no doubt about his being a genius.

"Aha, ahem, ahum!" purred the musical doctor, "E string for a violin, please."

The man behind the counter looked flustered. He went to the shelf, took off a small packet, examined it carefully, examined it again and then hesitatingly returned to the customer.

"I beg your pardon, sir," he began diffidently, "but this 'appears to be my first day in the shop, and yet might give me a little 'elp. The fact is these 'ere strings look all alike to me, 'an' I can't tell the 'es from the shes!"—London Globe.

## Firearms in Russia.

As an illustration of how closely everything is watched in Russia, take its system of registering firearms. When a weapon of any kind is purchased a permit must be secured from the local authorities. The name of the man who makes the purchase, with the number of the weapon, is recorded. If the purchaser ever wants to dispose of the weapon he must notify the authorities and cause the transfer to be recorded on the books of the firm which sold it.

## An Anachronism.

When some celebrated pictures of Adam and Eve were seen on exhibition Mr. McNab was taken to see them. "I think no great things of the painter," said the gardener. "Why man, tempting Adam with a pippin of a variety that was known until about twenty years ago!"

## Hindering the Process.

Doctor—Well, John, how are you to day?

John—Verry bad; verry bad. I wish Providence 'ud 'ave mussy on me at take me.

Wife—Ow can you expect it to if you won't take the doctor's physic?—London Mail.

## Her Answer.

In inculcating the idea of truthfulness a teacher asked the question "What is the best thing in the world to do and sometimes the hardest?" A little girl raised her hand timidly "Well, my child?" "To get married!"

## Too Fond of Them.

"Is he fond of outdoor sports?" "Yes. His wife complains that he even invites them home to dinner."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## The Symbolism Didn't Appeal.

"Charlie," sorrowfully sighed the young lady in the parlor of the concrete house on Washington avenue, "it is nearly 12 o'clock."

"Yes, Belinda," was the breathing response of her poetical companion, who was sitting on the sofa beside her. "the minute hand is drawing closer to the hour hand, and when the time of midnight is chimed the two hands will be even as one. Oh, darling Belinda," he continued as he literally simulated the action of the minute hand, "may not the coming together of those two hands be symbolical of us?"

She broke away and stood firmly on her feet. "No, Charles Henry Smith," she retorted angrily, "those two hands will remain as one but a single second, and then the minute hand will divorce itself and go on its way alone. No, Mr. Smith, a minute hand that doesn't stick isn't the kind of symbolism I want!"—Chicago News.

## Dividing a Long Sermon.

Dr. Samuel Ruell of the last half of the eighteenth century, who used to preach two or three hours, like Isaac Barrows, was ingenious in detaining his congregation. On one occasion, after preaching nearly two hours—as long as he could feel secure in the presence of all his hearers—he remarked that he was done preaching to sinners and that they were at liberty to go; the rest of his discourse would be addressed to good people.

A gentleman who once went to hear him stated that when the hourglass was nearly ready to be turned a second time from the commencement of his sermon he said, much to the relief of the person who related it, "Once more." After going on some eight or ten minutes longer he said, "To conclude," and after another about equal interval he said, "Lastly."

The gentleman added that he expected every moment to hear him say "Everlastingly."

## He Came Down Light.

A Chicago board of trade man who was not in the habit of attending church was taking a walk one Sunday morning, and on coming to a church at the regular hour of service he decided to go in. As he entered the auditorium in which the pews were adjusted upon a sloping floor an usher stepped forward and, wishing to consult him as to location before conducting him to a sitting, politely inquired:

"Would you like to come down pretty well?"

Mistaking the inquiry to be an appeal for money, the board of trade man began to fumble through his pockets as he drawled:

"I'd like to, but I'm not prepared to come down very heavy, as 15 cents is all I have with me."—Harper's Magazine.

## A Varnishing Tip.

When varnishing wood the work must be done in a warm room at a temperature of at least 75 degrees F. At a lower temperature the moisture in the air will give a milky and cloudy appearance to the varnish. On the other hand, at the higher temperature the moisture is not precipitated until the alcohol of the varnish has suitably evaporated to leave a thin smooth film of shellac. The durability and gloss are dependent on this.

## The Blind Man's Lantern.

A blind man in Khoota (a Caucasian village) came back from the river one night bringing a pitcher of water and carrying in his hand a lighted lantern. Some one meeting him said: "You're blind. It's all the same to you whether it's day or night. Of what use to you is a lantern?" "I don't carry the lantern in order to see the road," replied the blind man, "but to keep some one like you from running against me and breaking my pitcher."

## His Peers.

"Pa, what does it mean to be tried by a jury of one's peers?"

"It means, my son, that a man is to be tried by a jury composed of men who are his equals or on an equality with him, so that they will have no prejudice against him."

"Then, pa, I s'pose you'd have to be tried by a jury of baldheaded men."

## The Widow.

"In a town," said a life insurance official, "where life insurance was a rare thing a schoolteacher said to a little boy pupil:

"Tommy, define the word widow." "A widow," Tommy answered, "is a poor woman with a large family of children who takes boarders."

## Painfully Frank.

Wedderly—They say that a man and his wife grow to look alike after they have been married a few years. Now my wife and I have been married ten years. Do you think we look alike?

Singleton—Yes, indeed. You both seem to have the same sad expression.

## Might Have Been Worse.

Rheumatic Patient—Oh, doctor, I can suffer so with my hands and feet! Cheery Doctor—My dear woman, only think what inconvenience you would have to suffer without them.

## The Earth.

Tommy—Pop, does the earth go round? Tommy's Pop—Yes, my son. But it wouldn't if it was divided among all the people who want it.—Philadelphia Record.

No man has yet discovered the means of giving successfully friendly advice to women—not even to his own.—Baltimore.

## MOTOR ENGINES TO ALTER OCEAN STEAMER TRAFFIC.

America, Britain and Germany Experiment With Petrol.

A ship of transatlantic dimensions is being equipped for regular service with motor engines. The familiar steam engines, with their boilers, funnels and coal bunkers, have been replaced by a compact internal combustion engine.

In the marvelous progress in steamship building improvements have consisted for the most part in enlarging the ships and adding new luxuries to ocean travel. Increased speed has been obtained by merely enlarging the engines. Even the adoption of the turbine engines was less important than the present installation of the oil motor on large ships. The turbines saved valuable space by reducing the size of the engine, but the oil driven engines carry this economy of space much further.

A number of tests and much discussion have led up to the present experiment. The British navy has been carrying on similar experiments, but on a much smaller scale. The American navy has been carrying on similar experiments. Several naval authorities both in England and America have stated recently that oil was undoubtedly the fuel of the future. The motor liner has been equipped by a German line, and it will be tested both in European and American waters. The friends of the new fuel believe that within a few years the great liners will be driven by oil and that a new era in navigation will date from its adoption.

The motor liner will have 9,000 tons burden. The largest ship to be driven in this way hitherto has been less than half this size. The new liner will measure 400 feet in length and have a beam of 62 feet and a draft of 23 feet. A ship of this size will obviously give the new engines a complete test.

The petrol motors will be capable of developing 24,000 horsepower. The motor liner will have twin propellers. It is only a few years since the idea of driving a large boat with petrol motors was ridiculed by marine engineers, but now that a 400 foot boat is about to be put in commission with this system the day of the steam engine would seem to be menaced.

The coal bunkers, which take up so much space in the great ships today, will be replaced by tanks for holding the petroleum.

## PANAMA HAS FINE THEATER.

With Official Palace It Occupies Entire Square.

The public theater is a conspicuous factor in the life of every Latin American city. Every important town owns its splendid municipal theater, of which it is justly proud. In many cases these theaters are buildings beautiful in design, having cost large sums of money to erect. One of the recent contributors in this respect is the city of Panama.

The new government palace and the national theater constitute one of the finest buildings in Panama, occupying an entire block between them. The theater is at one side, and the palace in which are the different departments of the governing force of the republic is at the other. The two make a fine edifice covering an area of nearly 11,000 square feet, having cost \$800,000.

The auditorium of the theater will accommodate 1,300 persons and has splendid acoustic properties. The interior walls are formed of iron and cement blocks, the roof is of corrugated iron, and the stage is fitted with a drop-proof metallic curtain. Light and ventilation are obtained from eight large windows, situated on each of the four sides.

It was erected during the administration of the late Dr. Amador Guerrero, having been commenced in November, 1905, and completed two and a half years later. It was inaugurated by an Italian opera company which had been expressly contracted for. Since that time it has given an uninterrupted series of performances of every kind.

## RUSSIA IMPROVES WATERWAY.

Plans Connection Between Baltic, Caspian and Black Seas.

The Russian government is considering a thorough improvement of the inland waterway system in its European provinces. This is to include direct communication between the Baltic sea and the Caspian and Black seas, which will revolutionize economic conditions and greatly benefit the Moscow district. Russia's most important commercial center.

The total estimated cost is \$79,823,000, to be raised abroad. Annual maintenance and interest will call for \$5,000,000. At an extra cost of \$50,000,000 the Dnieper rapids can be made to develop 100,000 horsepower and those of the Dnieper 150,000 horsepower. Revenue, including tolls, will be \$10,000,000 a year.

Japan Dissolve Trade Treaties. Notices for the termination of Japan's commercial treaties a year hence have been dispatched to all the European countries with which Japan has such agreements. Great Britain included.

## Chile Likes Condensed Milk.

Chile imports condensed milk quite largely, about 250,000 kilos yearly, but only about 500 kilos from the United States.

## UNCLE SAM PAYS DEBT OF \$12 AFTER 43 YEARS.

Ex-Postmaster's Lawyer Gets One-third as Fee.

J. W. Range, an Alaska miner, recently received a check for \$12 due him when he resigned a postmaster at Mill Village, Pa., in the fall of 1867. Although the government has had the use of this \$12 for forty-two years, Range is allowed no interest.

At 6 per cent, an average legal rate of interest in the United States, the principal and compound interest would amount to \$138.98. In other words, Uncle Sam made \$126.68 on the \$12 that belonged to Range.

Range was compelled to pay an attorney in Washington one-third of the amount he received after waiting more than forty-two years for collecting it. When the check was received Range sent \$4 to the astute attorney in the national capital for his services.

"I served three years in the war," said Range, "and when I returned home my friends at Mill Village wanted to do something for me, so they had me appointed postmaster. I resigned in less than a year and went west."

"About five years ago I received a letter from an attorney in Washington, advising me that I had a good and just claim against the government for \$12 and that he would collect it for one-third of the amount as his commission. I did not know the government owed me anything, but I told him if I had anything coming to me he might go after it. I think the claim was for overpayment of postage stamps. I got the check, signed by Secretary MacVeagh, and had to send the attorney \$4 for collecting the claim."

## CHASE'S DESK STILL IN USE.

Treasury Clerks Eager to Own Historic Furniture.

In the office of the auditor for the postoffice department bureau of the treasury department at Washington there is a mahogany desk of historical interest. It is flat topped, plain and not a little marked and worn from constant use for over fifty years. It was at this desk that Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury worked out his contribution to the financial system of the United States.

This desk was taken from the treasury building just after the civil war to the building at the corner of Eighth and E streets, where the sixth auditor's office (called in those days the colony) was housed for some years previous to its removal to the Bush building. It has taken the round with that branch of the treasury and is now in the custody of that bureau in the postoffice building.

Tradition has it that many clerks from time to time have asked the honor of sitting at the desk. In a recent purchase of more modern desks for the auditor's office, which made necessary the removal of all the old high desks, the Chase desk, which conforms in shape to the modern office desks, was just moved in line with others, thus escaping the ordinary fate of the annual junk sale of the treasury department.

The fine material of which the Chase desk is made and the hand finish mark it as a conspicuous piece of furniture even if it is not modern in its construction.

## AIR WILL RING UP FARES.

Hudson River Tunnel Has New Tunnel Keeping Scheme.

Aviators are not the only persons who can take a fall out of the air. W. G. McAdoe of Hudson tunnel fame is going them one better. He is making the air work for him. A young inventor gave him the idea, and he is following it up by having a compressed air device which registers the number of passengers using the "tubes" in stalled in the Hoboken terminal.

In the contrivance which Mr. McAdoe is using a constant flow of compressed air is directed toward a disk equipped with an electric registering apparatus. A person passing through the current of air interrupts the pressure against the disk, and this "rings up" the fare.

The device promises to prove practical.

## STANFORD GETS COLLECTION.

Jarboe Library on French Revolution Goes to University.

The famous Jarboe collection of rare volumes of the French revolution has been acquired by Stanford university. This extremely valuable addition to the library takes its name from the man who originally brought the books together, John R. Jarboe, a prominent lawyer of San Francisco, many years ago.

The value of the library does not lie in its size, but in the character of its contents. The collection contains approximately 2,500 pieces. These are from almost entirely original sources and materials, most of them being extremely rare. The collection of contemporary pamphlets alone comprises 1,500 titles, and memoirs are present in surprising numbers.

## Many Villages in Japan.

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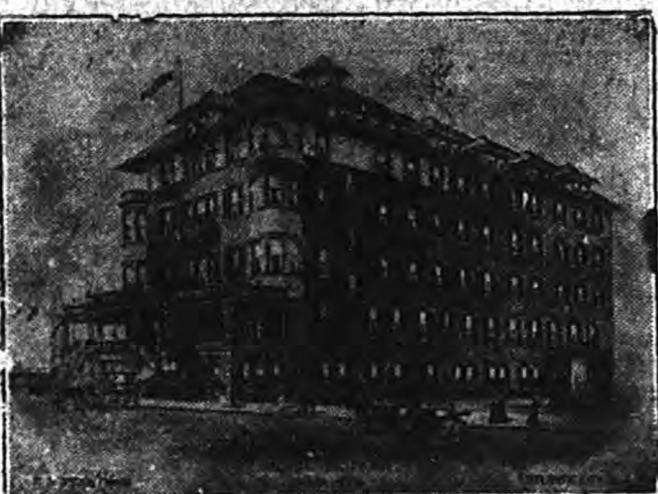
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Philadelphia	11:22	5:50	3:00	Salisbury	3:10	11:04	7:4
Wilmington	12:05	6:35	3:44	Cape Charles	6:15	4:50	11:25
Baltimore	9:55	1:45	4:55	Old Point Comfort	6:00	6:20	6:20
				Norfolk (arrive)	6:05	7:25	7:25

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Old Point Comfort	3:45	7:15	8:45	
Cape Charles	11:05	9:30	6:00	11:25
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A Superstitious Musician. Schumann was always inclined to superstition. When he visited Beethoven's grave at Vienna he found a rusty steel pen lying on it. This he carefully and reverently preserved and afterward used in writing his B flat symphony, believing that it would bring him inspiration. But this superstition, harmless enough in his early years, became accentuated later in an alarming manner. He began to take an unhealthy interest in table turning and spirit rapping. He was, moreover, intensely influenced by dreams and omens. One night he dreamed that the spirits of Mendelssohn and Schubert appeared to him and gave him a theme which he afterward wrote down and developed.

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Dead as a Doornail. The phrase "dead as a doornail" originated in this way. In early days, when door knockers were common, the plate upon which the knocker struck was sometimes called a nail. In the course of years it was struck so often that all life was supposed to be knocked out of it; therefore when it became necessary to refer to anything hopelessly lifeless it was merely an emphatic expression to say that it was "dead as a doornail."—Home Notes.

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A Bald Fact. It is common to deplore the lack of humor in a person. Yet the very want of wit may save a certain amount of embarrassment, as was the case on a certain occasion with President Johnson. "He was one day," says a writer in Harper's Magazine, "visiting my mother, and a friend, Mrs. Knox, a widow, came in. She had known Mr. Johnson some years before, when he was a member of the legislature, but they had not met since then. "After mutual recognition Mr. Johnson said: 'How is Mr. Knox? I have not seen him lately.' "He has been dead six years," said Mrs. Knox. "I thought I hadn't seen him on the street," said Mr. Johnson. "When Mrs. Knox left my mother said, laughing: 'That was a funny mistake of yours about Mr. Knox.' "What mistake did I make?" said Johnson. "I said I hadn't seen him on the street, and I hadn't."

Owning Your Home. "I have always felt that upon properly appointed and becoming dwellings depends more than anything else the improvement of mankind," said Benjamin Disraeli (Earl of Beaconsfield). To sit in the evening in your comfortable armchair; to look around you and know that everything you see there is your very own and that you have obtained it all so that you practically do not feel the cost; to know also that if you, the breadwinner, were suddenly called away your home would still be your wife's or your family's—that is one of the pleasures of life, indeed. It is a pleasure which gives you new heart in your work in the world. It sends you out every morning determined to get on and to earn more money, and because of that very determination you do become worth more money.—New York Press.

A Handy Snuffbox. A curious story is told as to how the Rothschilds supported Carafa, the composer. The latter was far from rich. His principal income was derived from a snuffbox. And this was the way of it: The snuffbox was given to the author of "La Prison d'Edimbourg" by Baron James de Rothschild as a token of esteem. Carafa sold it twenty-four hours later for 75 napoleons to the same jeweler from whom it had been bought. This became known to Rothschild, who gave it again to the musician on the following year. The next day it returned to the jeweler. The traffic continued till the death of the banker and longer still, for his sons kept up the tradition, to the great satisfaction of Carafa.

Napoleon and Woman. Napoleon I., who was a great admirer of female talent when it owned did not, like Mme. de Staël, direct it against himself, used to say, "There are women who have only one fault—viz, that they are not men."

Man and Woman. When a man gets into trouble the first thing he thinks of is, "How shall I get out of this fix?" When a woman gets into trouble her first thought is, "How shall I best bear this misery?"—Winifred Black.

Cheeky. "Do you think I am a magazine?" "All he can get. I don't dare have one lying around."—Birmingham Age Herald.

Remarkable Instinct. "Every time I go shopping in heaven," said the woman who had that her quick wit always saved her from financial loss. "A saleswoman came very near getting into a tangle today over a belt I bought. The thing that saved her was my instinct. First I bought a belt for \$1.25 and paid with a two dollar bill. In handling my change the saleswoman put a quarter into the paper and that I stretched the door back of the counter and could not find it. Of course I could have held her accountable, but she looked so tired and so how do you think we settled it? Her husband gave it up. "Why," said the triumphant saleswoman, "just exchanged my \$1.25 belt for a dollar one, and neither of us lost anything." "Remarkable instinct, my dear," the husband, and she smiled at her approval.—New York Sun.

Bernard Shaw's Excuse. Bernard Shaw was invited to a banquet in honor of the sculptor Rodin. He sent the following letter as excuse for not attending: "For me a banquet to Rodin is quite superfluous. I have already taken measures to assume 'immortality' by myself by attaching my name to that of Rodin. Henceforth in every encyclopedia you will read, 'Bernard Shaw, subject of a bust by Rodin; otherwise unknown.' "If the bust is lost, broken or spoiled so much the better for me," he continues. "They will speak of the 'lost Bernard Shaw of Rodin,' as today they speak of the lost Athens of Phidias. Nothing can be more beautiful than the statues, which no one ever saw. Therefore I have done all that is necessary. I can get along without banquets. You will only be Rodin's house. I have the honor to be his model."—Dramatic Mirror.

The Unreality of Opera. There are people who still complain of the unreality of opera, who cannot subject themselves to its illusion. And indeed the illusion of opera breaks down if everything in it is not kept at the same distance from reality. In that world of musical expression we must never be suddenly lowered by any incongruous detail into the ordinary world of prose. Realism, the attempt to work upon the emotions by complete illusion of reality, is disastrous in opera. If the scene is a railway station we remember at once that people do not sing when they are catching trains.—London Times.

The Music Was Fatal. A New York politician once found it necessary to attend an entertainment at an orphan's home, and he was having a bad time of it. The selection by the boys' band was particularly distressing. Turning to a friend, the politician said with a shudder, "No wonder they are orphans."—Success Magazine.

A Money Saver. "But you are taking considerable risk in letting your young men owe two or three weeks' board." "Yes, there is some risk," answered the boarding house keeper. "But then, you see, they worry over it so that they lose their appetites, so I save money in the long run."

Diplomatic. "I believe our boy is a born diplomat." "Has he shown extraordinary ability as a prevaricator?" "Well, no, not that exactly, but he can cheat other boys in trades and make them think they are getting all the best of it."

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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN DRYDEN  
of Somerset County.

### Mr. Dryden Still Misrepresented in Quindocqua Matter— Mr. Miles' Appointee.

Nothing shows more clearly the hopelessness of the Democratic cause than the baseless and shameless appeals to prejudice and passion which have been made recently by the Democratic managers. In the face of absolute and incontrovertible proof in regard to the Post Office recommendation at Quindocqua, the Democratic papers continue to misrepresent Mr. Dryden and beg the issue. The proposition squarely laid down is that a man is to be judged by his record on public questions and he will be assumed to follow the same course in the future. Good! The proposition is a reasonable one. And now as to facts!

A vacancy occurred in the post office at Quindocqua. The department notified Congressman Jackson to file a recommendation and he in turn requested the State Central Committee of Somerset county, of which Mr. Dryden was chairman, to name a suitable party. Mr. Dryden responded promptly suggesting Andrew Day, a colored man, and the Congressman recommended him and the Department appointed him. Hardly had the designation been made and before Day had acted, Mr. Jackson was communicated with by Mr. Dryden who stated that he had ascertained that the party was a colored man and not suitable for appointment and that he was under the impression that he was a member of a prominent white family when he originally recommended him. He then strongly urged the immediate withdrawal of Day's name. Acting upon this urgent request, Congressman Jackson notified the Department of his desires and the appointment was promptly annulled. No other other single instance has been found—so that his record is that no colored man has ever held appointment by his recommendation. According to the Democratic proposition the future is to be judged by the past, therefore none ever will should be elected.

How totally different all this is from the appointment of Wesley Hall, a colored Democratic worker of Somerset county, who was recommended by a Democratic Congressman, the Honorable Joshua W. Miles, and appointed by a Democratic Secretary of the Treasury, Hon. John G. Carlisle under the Administration of a Democratic President, Hon. Grover Cleveland. Has anybody denied it? NO, it cannot be, as the records of

the Treasury Department speak for themselves and Mr. Hall went with Mr. Miles to Washington where Mr. Hall and Mr. Miles resided during Mr. Hall's and Mr. Miles' incumbency in office. But all this is apart from the issues of this campaign and the Democratic managers should never have interjected it. Higher and more important issues are involved and the people will resent a campaign of misrepresentation and prejudice.

### The Councils Intolerable Action In The Gas Proposition

It is utterly impossible to understand the action of the City Council on Wednesday evening last in refusing to advertise for bids for lighting the city by gas and confining the proposals to demand of their representatives that the city be governed upon the most economical and business-like basis. With assessments going higher every year and constant increases in the expenditures of the city it is absolutely incumbent upon the officials that they should give the people the benefit of every possible reduction.

When the expenditures are of a public nature and bring about splendid results, as was the case in relation to the paving contracts, the officials will find that the progressive citizens are willing to stand by them and co-operate with them in every possible way. But they will not tolerate a deal which stifles competition and turns the city over to the hands of a corporation at their own figures—a proposition utterly at variance with free government and enlightened administration. The people of Salisbury in general do not care whether the city is lighted with electricity or gas, and if the Electric Company can furnish as good lights at a more reasonable figure than the other concern practically everybody would be only too glad to see that corporation secure the contract. But if on the other hand, the Gas Company is willing to light the town at a less figure and give as good service, the people are right in demanding that the contracts be awarded to that company. It is a matter in which every citizen is vitally interested and the people should let the three councilmen who have bowed the knee to the Electric Baal know how they feel on the subject. Mayor Bounds and Councilmen Smith and Hitch who are attempting to secure for the city a square deal and proper treatment will undoubtedly have the sympathy and co-operation of every person in the city who believes in justice and decency in city government.

It is extremely unfortunate for the town that certain political interests which are holding the town in an iron grasp are vitally interested in the Electric concern. There is a widespread demand that the two companies be placed upon the same basis and then will the people be entirely satisfied no matter who secures the contract. But this is absolutely the only thing which will satisfy the requirements of the occasion and remove the stigma of corporation and political control from those who have placed themselves in this unenviable position.

### REPUBLICANS ATTENTION!

Every Republican in Wicomico must do his duty next Tuesday. It is an important National contest and every man who is identified with the Republican party must do everything possible to bring about success. It is utterly impossible to win the election without personal and individual effort. Do not imagine that your vote may not be needed. Hundreds of elections have been won by a single ballot. Do not permit anything to interfere with your paramount duty of citizenship. Scores of contests have been lost by apathy and this one may be.

Go to the polls early and cast a ballot for protection and prosperity.

The control of the next House may hinge upon a single Representative and the election in this District be changed by a single vote so that your ballot may control the complexion of the Sixty-Second Congress of the United States. Do not fail to do your full duty. Personal considerations should not be allowed to influence your action. Both candidates are personally clean, honest and fearless, but principles are above men and vital issues superior to individuals. Republicans cannot afford to fall into the trap of casting the deadly complimentary vote for Mr. Covington. Many a man has been elected by complimentary votes. Mr. Covington stands for low wages, closed factories and all the evils which flow from Democratic policies when put into operation by the National Government. Vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden and a continuation of National prosperity. From every part of the Shore comes the most gratifying reports as to political conditions, and some of the keenest political observers are predicting the success of the Republican candidate. If the Republicans will do their full duty next Tuesday it can and will be accomplished and Wicomico must do its full share in accomplishing that magnificent result.

### Editorial Jottings

Vote the Republican ticket.

Turn on the light on the gas matter.

Next Tuesday is the all important election day.

Salisbury cannot afford to be a boss-ridden municipality. Let the larger cities have a monopoly along that line.

It is the duty of every farmer who has an interest in maintaining present conditions to vote for Abraham Lincoln Dryden.

Any farmer who votes for Mr. Covington and then has to sell his wheat for 50 cents a bushel and his corn for 25 cents as he did in 1896 should make no complaints.

The city officials owe it themselves, to the citizens and to the honor of the community in general to reverse themselves on the gas proposition. The Gas Company should be given the opportunity to compete for the lighting for 1911.

Mr. Dryden's letter is a clear and convincing answer to the absurdly baseless attack made upon him with reference to the Quindocqua matter. It is sincerely regretted that the Democrats should have resorted to such methods and it will be found to have injured their cause. The Republicans have the satisfaction of knowing that the campaign has been fought by them on principle and not a single personal attack made.

Why is it that United States Senator Isador Rayner has not been heard in the campaign in Baltimore. Something must be radically wrong in the Democratic party when its greatest orator remains absolutely silent in a National election. And the strangest and most humiliating part of it from the Senator's viewpoint is that he has not been asked by the Democratic managers. He has publicly stated his willingness to enter the campaign and it is evident that the seas of Democracy in the Monumental City are decidedly stormy. It can be clearly seen that the city leaders have practically abandoned the Congressional candidates to their fate and the Republicans will make a clean sweep of the city.

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## Town Topics.

The public schools will close for the Christmas holidays Thursday afternoon December 22 and reopen January 2nd.

Services, Sunday, Nov. 6th, Spring Hill Holy Communion 10:30 a. m. Quainto Evening Prayer 7:30 p. m.

Best ever are the stylish up-to-date Tailor-Made suits at \$14.90 and \$20.50 at Kennerly, Shockey Co.'s.

The next session of the Wilmington Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in Wilmington.

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Newton street which has been torn up for sometime on account of the work of curbing and guttering has been thrown open to the public.

Mrs. Carrie A. Nation will give a free lecture at Green & Brawington's Auditorium. Sunday afternoon 3:30 o'clock. Subject, War versus Anarchy.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Lady managers of the Home for the Aged on Tuesday afternoon, November 10th, at 3 o'clock, at the City Hall.

The Maryland State Horticultural Society will hold its annual exhibition in the Fifth Regiment Armory, Baltimore, from November 28th to December 2nd inclusive.

"The Disheartened—Their Danger and Their Duty" will be the theme of Rev. Mr. Beale's sermon tomorrow morning at the Wicomico Presbyterian church. Tomorrow evening Mr. Beale speaks upon "Profanity."

At a meeting of the directors of the Commercial National Bank of Snow Hill, held Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Eben Hearne was elected acting cashier. Mr. Hearne has been teller of this bank for the past thirteen years.

The Young ladies of St. Peter's Church will hold a bazaar and supper on November 30th and December 1st. Candy, dolls, aprons and fancy work of all kinds will be on sale. Splendid opportunity for purchasing Xmas presents.

A huge double Baldwin locomotive designed for mountain climbing in Virginia passed through Salisbury a few days ago. It is one of the new articulated, compound engines with 12 massive driving wheels and weighing nearly 30,000 pounds.

Capt. W. H. Hopkins, of the gasoline steamer "James Denison," has resigned to give his entire attention to his oyster packing business at White Haven. Capt. J. G. North, former master of the "Denison" will take charge of the boat on Monday morning.

Rev. John D. Kinzer, ex-president of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, was stricken with paralysis at his home in Sparrow's Point recently. Rev. Mr. Kinzer was a former pastor of the M. P. Church, of Salisbury.

Capt. R. B. White, managing owner of the Hattie Giles has decided to float her and Wrecker Broom has been dispatched with his wrecking machine to float the vessel and take her to Baltimore. The schooner R. R. Powell has left Salisbury to get the sails and other effects belonging to the vessel.

Rev. Mr. Beale and Mr. B. N. Brittingham will jointly lead the meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society at the Wicomico Presbyterian church tomorrow evening and will give reports of the State C. E. Convention which was held at Cumberland last week. Meeting will open promptly at 6.45.

An entertainment consisting of a "Drill" by the Juveniles and Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party by the older folks, will be given in the Grange Hall Friday and Saturday evenings Nov. 11th and 12th, Madeira Springs. Doors open at 7 p. m. Admission adults 25 cents, children 15 cents. Benefit for M. P. Church.

A new sewer is to be laid on Newton Street. The Camden Sewer Company has contracted with Mr. Lewis Morgan to do the work. It will run from Smith Street to Camden Avenue and will be ten inches in diameter and have connections for houses every fifty feet. It is expected that it will later be extended out to the end of Newton Street.

A Parlor Bazaar will be held at the home of R. D. Grier on November 17th under the auspices of the C. E. Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian Church. Fancy articles suitable for Xmas presents will be sold and ice cream, cake and candies will be served. The proceeds to go to the Enlargement Fund of the Society.

From a reliable source it has been definitely learned that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has finally decided to build a modern station at Salisbury. The money has been actually set aside for the purpose and it is now simply a question of location. Several sites are being considered, though it is believed that the junction will be finally selected and a handsome union structure erected.

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The usual Services will be held tomorrow at the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church.

Woodburn Martin, Esq., an attorney of Georgetown was here on business this week.

Mr. W. S. Plummer, a well known rural route Government Inspector was in town on Tuesday.

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Mr. Leroy Brittingham left Saturday for Philadelphia where he has secured employment in the plumbing business.

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Mr. Arthur Trader and family who have been living in Baltimore for some time, have removed to Annapolis and have taken up their residence in that city.

The work of demolishing the trees on William Street has been completed from Division to Popular Hill Avenue. This will be followed by cement gutters and curbing.

Congressman Covington and Governor Crothers were in town last Saturday and addressed the Democratic meetings held in the Opera House in the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. G. W. Taylor can have your hair matched to any length braids, ranging in price from \$1.98 to \$5.00 hair rolls from 25c to 49c turban crowns, hair nets with rubber 10 cents.

Mrs. L. D. Collier has been elected a delegate from Salisbury to the International Conference of the Kings Daughters and Sons which convenes in Baltimore November 11 to 15.

The pastor of the Division Street Baptist church will preach at both services Sunday, 11 a. m. "Life's Music" 7:30 p. m. "The Deathless Voices." Special music at both services.

The yearly meeting of the O. S. Baptist, was held at the meeting house in Delmar this week. Elder Francis had charge of the meeting and was assisted by a number of visiting Elders. There was a large attendance as usual.

Trinity M. E. Church South—Rev. J. Franklin Carey pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor. at 7:30 p. m. Missionary anniversary. Sermon by Dr. W. H. Edwards.

The gasoline steamer Wicomico will not make its usual runs to White Haven next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, but will make the regular trip on Friday. She will be on the railway during those days undergoing some minor repairs.

All young people not attending another Sunday School are cordially invited to join the Alert class of the Division Street Baptist Sunday School. Fifteen minutes given to the practical talk on "Life's Problem", 9.45 is the time.

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U. on next Wednesday afternoon at the lecture room of Asbury M. E. Church at 3:30. All ladies interested in temperance work are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Dennis Fulton Tilghman and Miss Lola May Wimbrow were married Wednesday evening last at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wimbrow, at Wango. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The groom is a son of the late Jason P. Tilghman, and is a well-known young farmer of Parsons District.

Marion Barkley, colored, aged 29 years, a life term prisoner at the New Castle county work house, died at that institution Wednesday morning. Death was due to tuberculosis. Barkley was committed to the work-house on October 7th, 1908 for murdering a colored man at a circus in Milford in July, 1907. His home was in Salisbury, where his mother lives. His remains were brought here for burial.

—Dr. and Mrs. John S. Aydelotte have issued cards of invitation to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mildred Townsend Aydelotte to Mr. George Walter Mapp. The marriage will be solemnized at half after eleven o'clock Wednesday morning, November ninth, in Whatcoat Methodist Episcopal Church Snow Hill. Miss Aydelotte is the only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Aydelotte, and is one of Snow Hill's most attractive and popular young ladies. Mr. Mapp is a prominent attorney of Accomac County, Virginia.

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...Meant for me evident ...  
...d to himself and picked it ...  
...is what he read: "I know ...  
...coming tonight—never mind ...  
...you will take away this par ...  
...lose it effectually you are wel ...  
...what else you can find in this ...  
...Wonderfully he opened the ...  
...at once his face cleared and ...  
...her head. "Pore chap, pore ...  
...he murmured feelingly. "I'll ...  
...for 'im right enough and let ...  
...easy too. I'm a father myself!" ...  
...contents of the parcel were as ...  
...One toy trumpet, one drum ...  
...one toy concertina, one tam ...  
...one musical box, one mouth ...  
...three tin whistles, one air gun.

First Jewelry Store.  
...interest women to know that ...  
...jewelry store was started in ...  
...of Chang On about 3,000 years ...  
...the Celestial millionaires of that ...  
...knew nothing of the fascination ...  
...because diamonds were ...  
...vogue at that B. C. period ...  
...and jade and coral and other ...  
...valuable substances had to ...  
...them, and, as if to make good ...  
...use of reverence and terrors, the ...  
...of Chang On employed arti ...  
...fashion them the most wonder ...  
...and silver ornaments, which ...  
...themselves were far more costly ...  
...diamonds.

Well Answered.  
...you see much difference between ...  
...and Englishmen?" a hand ...  
...spotted English guardman is ...  
...to have asked a sparkling Amer ...  
...newly arrived in London so ...  
...yes," was her quick reply. ...  
...where the men admire us; here ...  
...expected to admire you."

The Utilitarian.  
...Johnny," said the village ...  
...smith. "I hear your paw has gone ...  
...politics."

The Remains.  
...many unsuccessful attempts a ...  
...girl managed to spell "that" cor ...  
...ry. "Now," said her mother, "what ...  
...after 't' is taken away?" ...  
...The dirty cups and saucers" was ...  
...reply.

Another Shock.  
...I've had an awful shock. I ...  
...for a long walk on Sunday morn ...  
...with another man, and he commi ...  
...sults on Sunday evening. Bored ...  
...Not until evening!

She Had Reason.  
...Johnny, what is the meaning sought ...  
...conveyed in the assertion, "Free ...  
...shrieked when Kocisko fell?" ...  
...Freedom was probably what he fel ...  
...ama."—Houston Post.

A Comforting Map.  
...There is always the right kind of ...  
...weather in some parts of the United ...  
...states, according to the weather map ...  
...Boston News.

...the man who writes little poems ...  
...for the paper and getting himself ...  
...with a pair of shoes the other day he ...  
...saw this happen. A woman was get ...  
...ting waited on by a clerk who wore ...  
...on the third finger of his right hand a ...  
...diamond twinkler, weighing at least a ...  
...carat and a quarter. He hadn't al ...  
...ways worn a ring of that sort. It was ...  
...new to him. He took a great deal of ...  
...pride in his new ring. Oh, how it ...  
...sparkled when the light was just right! ...  
...Once or twice he got so interested in ...  
...twisting it around on his finger with ...  
...his thumb to a position where it would ...  
...be most easily noticed by the woman ...  
...customer that he forgot to finish lac ...  
...ing up the shoe she was trying on.

But he had succeeded in bringing ...  
...the jewel to her attention. She had a ...  
...sharp, leathery, suffragette face and ...  
...a disposition to speak right out on ...  
...things.  
..."I see it," she remarked in a refrig ...  
...erated tone. "It's very pretty and at ...  
...tractive. You wear it with a good air ...  
...of abandon too. I admire it exceed ...  
...ingly. After you've dished toying ...  
...with it I wish you would go ahead ...  
...and show me something else—some ...  
...thing with not quite such a narrow ...  
...toe."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Weighing Machines.  
...Weighing machines and scales of ...  
...some kind were in use 1800 B. C., for ...  
...it is said that Abraham at that time ...  
..."weighed out" 400 shekels of silver, ...  
...current money, with the merchant to ...  
...Ephron, the Hittite, as payment for a ...  
...piece of land, including the cave and ...  
...all the standing timber "in the field ...  
...and in the fence." This is said to be ...  
...the earliest transfer of land of which ...  
...any record survives and that the pay ...  
...ment was made in the presence of ...  
...witnesses. The original form of the ...  
...weighing scale was probably a bar ...  
...suspended from the middle, with a ...  
...board or shell suspended from each ...  
...end, one to contain the weight, the ...  
...other to contain the matter to be ...  
...weighed. The steelyard was probably ...  
...so called from the material of which it ...  
...was made and from its former length. ...  
...It is also known as the Roman bal ...  
...ance and is of great antiquity.

The Spinning Mule.  
...Samuel Crompton, a boy of sixteen, ...  
...copied the best features of the spin ...  
...ning machine invented by Hargreaves ...  
...and Arkwright, added to them some of ...  
...his own and, after three months of ...  
...anxious and secret experimenting, pro ...  
...duced the first spinning mule, so called ...  
...because it was a kind of hybrid bet ...  
...ween Hargreaves' Jenny and Ark ...  
...wright's water frame. The raw ap ...  
...prentice lad was, however, no match ...  
...in cunning for the cotton lords, who ...  
...soon found out the secret of his new ...  
...machine and shamelessly robbed him ...  
...of the fruits of his ingenuity. Many ...  
...years afterward, it is true, they used ...  
...their influence to secure for him a pa ...  
...rliament grant of £5,000, but he was ...  
...then a broken hearted and disappoint ...  
...ed man, to whom the money came too ...  
...late to be of any real service.

The Human Riddle.  
..."One of the strangest problems of our ...  
...inexplicable nature is the choice of ...  
...evil and the rejection of good, even ...  
...after long experience has proved that ...  
...misery and evil are synonymous. Vir ...  
...tue, it is true, does not always exempt ...  
...from sorrow, but crime must ever be ...  
...wretchedness. Hope loses its balm, ...  
...and fear acquires a keener sting. The ...  
...present is anxiety, the past remorse, ...  
...the future is despair, and yet the way ...  
...ward man drinks the bitter cup when ...  
...the sweet is offered to him and launch ...  
...es his boat upon an angry sea, where ...  
...storms attend his course and ship ...  
...wreck terminates his voyage, rather ...  
...than glide down the smooth current of ...  
...a tranquil stream where peace pilots ...  
...him on the way and happiness waits ...  
...him on the shore.—Exchange.

The Term "Bully."  
...The term bully in the days of Shake ...  
...speare had quite a different meaning ...  
...from that which it has at present, be ...  
...ing an expression of endearment and ...  
...good fellowship. Some suppose that ...  
...the word, when it is used to approval, ...  
...is derived from the Dutch boel or Ger ...  
...man bulle, which stands for the Eng ...  
...lish lover. The harsher use of the ...  
...word is, however, to be traced to be ...  
...low, the root of bull, with a signifi ...  
...cance of noisy blustering.

A Frank Reply.  
...A kind local lady went to Columbus ...  
...to distribute helpful literature to ...  
...the convicts in the penitentiary.  
..."What are you in for, my poor fel ...  
...low?" she inquired of the first prisoner ...  
...she saw.  
..."Because I can't get out," he an ...  
...swered. Then she moved on to the ...  
...next cell.—Toledo Blade.

Chilly!  
..."My dining room is the hottest place ...  
...on earth. I wish I knew what to do to ...  
...cool it."  
..."Did you ever take a friend home to ...  
...dinner when your wife didn't expect ...  
...it?"—Buffalo Express.

If He Has Sense.  
...Singleton—is a man safe in getting ...  
...married on fifteen a week? Wedmore ...  
..."No, but he's comparatively safe from ...  
...getting married."—Boston Transcript.

A Matter of Vision.  
..."Marie, didn't I see the baker kiss ...  
...ing you this morning?"  
..."Madam herself is the best judge of ...  
...her eyesight."—Pete Mele.

The true aim of art is to embody ...  
...man's thought concerning nature.—W ...  
...M. Rossetti.

Curious Way of Cooling Water.  
...The average native woman in the in ...  
...terior of Nicaragua may appear en ...  
...erated and listless, but her method of ...  
...cooling water is strenuous indeed. ...  
...She fills a half gallon earthenware jar ...  
...about two-thirds full. The jar is made ...  
...of baked clay and, not being glazed, is ...  
...partially porous, so that it soon be ...  
...comes moist on the outside. By mean ...  
...of two leather straps firmly attached ...  
...to the neck of the jar the woman ...  
...causes the same to rotate swiftly in ...  
...the air. The mouth is wide open, but ...  
...the centrifugal motion keeps the water ...  
...from flying out. The endurance shown ...  
...by the Nicaraguan women of the poor ...  
...er class in this form of calisthenics is ...  
...said to be marvelous. When, in the ...  
...opinion of the operator, the water is ...  
...sufficiently cooled she stops the move ...  
...ment by a dexterous twist of her wrist ...  
...and hands the jar to the person that ...  
...has been waiting to quench his thirst. ...  
...By this process tepid water can be re ...  
...duced to the temperature of a very ...  
...cool mountain spring.—New York ...  
...Press.

An Unmanned Lightship.  
...There is stationed off the island of ...  
...Islay, on the west coast of Scotland, ...  
...at the Outer rock an interesting light ...  
...ship. It is unmanned, yet it can be ...  
...relied on to display the warning light ...  
...to guide the mariner on this dangerous ...  
...coast. It is a very ingeniously con ...  
...structed vessel and the only one of its ...  
...kind. In its two steel tanks sufficient ...  
...gas can be stored to supply the ves ...  
...sel for several months. Experiments have ...  
...shown that the light may be depended ...  
...upon to burn continuously for months ...  
...at a time. The approximate duration ...  
...of the light can always be predeter ...  
...mined, and there is no danger what ...  
...ever of the light being extinguished by ...  
...wind or spray. The light is visible at ...  
...a distance of from eight to twelve ...  
...miles. The lightship also has a bell, ...  
...which is made to ring automatically ...  
...by means of an ingenious device that ...  
...utilizes the gas as it passes from the ...  
...tanks to the lantern to work the bell ...  
...clapper.—Harper's Weekly.

Always a Harvest Somewhere.  
...There is a harvest every month dur ...  
...ing the year, as follows: January— ...  
...Australia, New Zealand, Argentine, ...  
...Chile; February—India; March—India, ...  
...upper Egypt; April—Mexico, Cuba, ...  
...lower Egypt, Syria, Persia, Asia Minor; ...  
...May—North Africa, China, Japan and ...  
...the southern United States of Ameri ...  
...ca; June—Mediterranean and southern ...  
...France, central and east United States ...  
...of America south of 40 degrees; July ...  
"—France, Austria, Hungary, southern ...  
...Russia, northern United States of ...  
...America, Ontario and Quebec; August ...  
"—England, Belgium, Netherlands, Ger ...  
...many, east Canada; September—Scot ...  
...land, Sweden, Norway, Russia; Octo ...  
...ber—Finland and northern Russia; No ...  
...vember—Peru, South Africa; Decem ...  
...ber—Burma, South Australia. It is ...  
...a complete table and shows how the ...  
...wheat supply pours into England dur ...  
...ing every month of the year.—Engl ...  
...Agricultural Journal.

A Brazilian Household Pet.  
...Brazilians train a snake called the ...  
...giboi as a rat catcher. It is fifteen ...  
...feet long, is harmless to the human ...  
...being, becomes quite a household pet, ...  
...is lazy in the daytime, but at night ...  
...pours about the house in quest of its ...  
...prey—rats. These animals it promptly ...  
...kills by twisting their necks. When ...  
...Brazilians have to pass from room to ...  
...room in the dark they first put on their ...  
...slippers. It would not be pleasant to ...  
...plant one's bare feet on a cold, slimy ...  
...snake of that size.

Made the Most of It.  
...A well known French actor became ...  
...involved in a discussion with an Amer ...  
...ican, grew heated, drew his card from ...  
...his pocket, threw it on the table with ...  
...a tragic air and stalked out. The ...  
...American regarded the card for some ...  
...moments, then took out his fountain ...  
...pen and wrote "Admit bearer" above ...  
...the engraved line and went off to the ...  
...theater.—Argosy.

A Reproof.  
..."Oh, children, you are so noisy to ...  
...day. Can't you be a little quieter?"  
..."Now, grandma, you must be more ...  
...considerate and not scold us. You see, ...  
...if it wasn't for us you wouldn't be a ...  
...grandma at all."

Inconsistent.  
...Quest—So your daughter belongs to ...  
...the Universal Peace and Amiability ...  
...society? Host—Yes, and she's rapidly ...  
...fighting her way to the front of that ...  
...society.

A trick is at the best but a mean ...  
...thing.—Le Nar.

Learn to Laugh.  
...Laughter is the best of all tonics. ...  
...Bacilli are humorless folk and hate ...  
...the physical constitution that is al ...  
...ways vibrating with the shocks of ...  
...fun. This is a truism, but serviceable ...  
...and likewise worth repeating are the ...  
...platitudes on laughter as the great ...  
...aesthetic of the soul. It is true there ...  
...are different kinds of laughter, and ...  
...some of them need formaldehyde. ...  
...There is a kind, too, that needs blon ...  
...donate of soda as an antidote—ano ...  
...other that calls for lithia tablets. I ...  
...the right sort of laughter was stolen ...  
...from the gods by some wiser Prom ...  
...etheus, and nothing can prevail against ...  
...it. In America there is plenty of ...  
...laughter, good, bad and indifferent, ...  
...but mostly good, and much that is very ...  
...good. It is one of our greatest nat ...  
...ional resources. May we conserve it ...  
...always. A people that laugh kindly ...  
...and often have not much to fear; a ...  
...people that laugh wisely, nothing.— ...  
...Chicago Tribune.

Fanny Dickens.  
...Fanny, the sister of Charles Dickens ...  
...was one of the first students entered ...  
...at the old Royal Academy of Music ...  
...when it opened its doors at Tenterden ...  
...street in 1823, and at that time the ...  
...students lived at the academy, on ...  
...going home for the week end. "Every ...  
...Sunday," Dickens told Forster, "I was ...  
...at the academy at 9 o'clock in the ...  
...morning to fetch her (Fanny), and w ...  
...walked back there together at night ...  
...and the Sunday itself the two spent ...  
...in the Marshalsea prison, where twi ...  
...father and mother then resided, owing ...  
...to Mr. Dickens having "failed to pro ...  
...pitate his creditors." While her fa ...  
...ther was still in prison Fanny won a ...  
...prize at the academy, and the future ...  
...novelist, then engaged in pasting li ...  
...bels on blacking pots at 7 shillings ...  
...a week, was present to see her receiv ...  
...it.—Westminster Gazette.

Twain and the Rivermen.  
...Mark Twain once told to a party of ...  
...friends the following story on himself.  
..."On one occasion when he started on ...  
...a trip down the Mississippi river on a ...  
...flatboat he was advised never to an ...  
...swer the questions asked by rivermen ...  
...on other boats and never to bandy ...  
...words with them, as he would be sure ...  
...always to come out second best. He ...  
...followed the advice religiously for a ...  
...time, but one day he thought he saw ...  
...a chance to get the better of a river ...  
...man who called out:  
..."Hey, thar, what yer loaded with?"  
..."Jackasses. Don't you want to come ...  
...aboard?" yelled back Twain.  
..."That's what I reckoned seem' as ...  
...how they let their biggest donkey he ...  
...ther run of the deck!" came back ...  
...Twain made a dive below as all the ...  
...rivermen in the neighborhood set up a ...  
...derisive laugh at his expense.

"Niggering" Logs.  
...The question was asked me as a na ...  
...tive of Maine if I could find out what ...  
..."niggering" logs meant in the state ...  
...ment "We niggered the logs." I found ...  
...that to "nigger" logs was to save the ...  
...labor of chopping them into lengths ...  
...by piling them up crossed at points ...  
...where it was desired to separate them. ...  
...By building fires under these crossings ...  
...several logs could be burned into ...  
...sections at once. Because "a nigger" ...  
...was supposed to be lazy this lazy ...  
...man's way of cutting logs into lengths ...  
...was, naturally enough, called "nig ...  
...gering."—Appleton Morgan in New ...  
...Shakespeareana.

The Inexpensive Policeman.  
...Mr. Walter Seymour, who writes ...  
..."Ups and Downs of a Wandering ...  
...Life," had Thomas Rogers for a tutor ...  
...while at Oxford. Rogers was a ...  
...amusing as he was heterodox. "I re ...  
...member asking him one day, 'Mr. Rog ...  
...ers, what do you consider the origin ...  
...of the idea of the devil?' 'Cheapest ...  
...policeman they could find.'"

A Mistake.  
...Applicant For Situation—I've come ...  
...about that job you advertised.  
...Employer—Well, can you do the work?  
...Applicant (in great alarm)—Work? I ...  
...thought it was a foreman you wanted.  
—Punch.

His Penalty.  
...Geraldine—What did pa say when ...  
...you asked him for my hand? Gerald—  
...He said that he wouldn't stand in the ...  
...way of my unhappiness if I needed the ...  
...money badly.—New York Press.

No Escape.  
...Bella—I understand your sister mar ...  
...ried a struggling young man? Gus—  
...Yes; he struggled hard, but he couldn't ...  
...get away from her.

There are many religions, but there ...  
...is only one morality.—Ruskin.

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Unanswered.  
To "Anxious Inquirer" who asks us  
if there are rats on a boat and  
whether cowcatchers were first put on  
milk trains, we reply that the editor  
who knows all about such things is  
busy looking up whether or not Rich-  
ard III. when he stepped King  
Henry's blot, thus became the first  
temperance crusader, and will not be  
able to answer Anxious Inquirer until  
he rests up a little. Browning's Mag-  
azine.

Enlightened.  
"Before I married," said Mr. Hen-  
peck, "I didn't know what it meant  
to support a wife."  
"I presume you know now."  
"Yes, indeed. I looked up the word  
'support' in the dictionary and discov-  
ered that one of its meanings is 'en-  
dure.'"

Knows What's Coming.  
Hewitt-Gruet is discharged about  
every Saturday night. Hewitt-Yea,  
during the week he feels as if he were  
between two fires.—New York Press.

Why He Giggled.  
Jimnie giggled when the teacher  
read the story of the Roman who  
swam across the Tiber three times be-  
fore breakfast.  
"You do not doubt a trained swim-  
mer could do that, do you, James?"  
"No, sir," answered Jimmie. "But I  
wondered why he didn't make it four  
and get back to the side his clothes  
were on."—Farm life.

Just in Keeping.  
"It is not often that a man's name is  
in congruity with his disposition or  
his occupation."  
"Sometimes the latter. The police ar-  
rested a man named Vine the other  
day, and he turned out to be a porch  
climber."—Baltimore American.

Doing His Best.  
Joiner (to his apprentice—Well, W?  
He, have you sharpened all the tool?  
Willie—Yes; all but the saw, and I  
haven't quite got all the gap  
out of it.—Sketch.

Nothing is Law that is not reason.—  
Sir John Fowell.

## Notice of Nominations

In Compliance with Sections 44 and 47 of Article 33 Code of  
Public General Laws of Maryland the Board of Supervisors  
of Elections of Wicomico county have cause to be published  
below a list of the nominations for office filed with and certi-  
fied to them under the provisions of said Article.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SIXTY-SECOND CONGRESS OF THE  
UNITED STATES FROM THE FIRST CONGRESSIONAL  
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

(VOTE FOR ONE)

JAMES HARRY COVINGTON, OF TALBOT COUNTY, Democratic

ABRAHAM LINCOLN DRYDEN, OF SOMERSET COUNTY, Republican

CHARLES M. ELDERDICE, OF CAROLINE COUNTY, Prohibition

By Order Board of Supervisors:

SAMUEL S. SMITH,

GEO. A. BOUNDS,

WILLIAM T. PHOEBUS.

C. E. GILLIS, Clerk.

#### A Daring Horseman.

The famous John Mytton once gal-  
loped full speed over a rabbit warren  
to try whether or not his horse would  
fall. The horse did fall and rolled  
over Mytton, who, with good luck, got  
up unhurt. Shortly after he attained  
his majority Mytton gave a dealer an  
order for some carriage horses and  
went to see what the man had got for  
him. He put one of the lot in as tan-  
dem leader to "try" it and with the  
dealer at his side drove out on the  
highroad. As they drove Mytton in-  
quired if the horse were a good timber  
jumper, and the dealer giving a doubt-  
ful answer to a query he did not ex-  
pect in respect of a harness horse.  
Mytton instantly said he must "try"  
him. Forthwith he drove at the turn-  
pike gate which barred the way before  
him. The horse cleverly cleared it,  
leaving the wheeler, the gig and its  
occupants on the take-off side. Won-  
derful to relate, neither the horse nor  
the man was hurt. The gig, however,  
stood in urgent need of repairs.—Lon-  
don Stock Journal.

#### Too Rich For His Pocket.

After the war with Spain a party of  
Americans, including Colonel Hecker  
of Detroit, went to Cuba on a tour of  
inspection. They had with them a  
Negro messenger named Frank. One  
day Frank got into a place where they  
sell ices and cakes on the Prado, in  
Havana, and bought a plate of ice  
cream. That was 20 cents. The waiter  
handed around some cakes. Frank  
took a few. The cakes were passed  
for a second and a third time. On  
each occasion Frank helped himself  
liberally. Then he called for his check.  
It was \$1.80. American. Colonel Hecker  
and some friends, who were at an  
adjoining table, heard Frank yell.  
"What is the matter, Frank?" asked  
the colonel.  
"Why didn't you stop me?" sobbed  
Frank. "Why didn't you stop me?  
Doesn't you know this yer nigger could  
eat enough of dis yer stuff to bank-  
rupt the hull gov'ment?"—Philladel-  
phia Saturday Evening Post.

#### A Curious Remedy.

Perhaps the most curious remedy for  
sea-sickness ever prescribed was that  
arranged by Sir Theodore Meyers for  
the English princess royal when she  
crossed to Belgium in 1642. Cinnamon,  
coriander, anise, ambergris, musk and  
sugar were to be made up into long  
tubes for her to munch on the voyage;  
a plaster of balsam of Peru, gum mas-  
tich and laudanum was to be applied  
to the pit of the stomach, and in addi-  
tion she was to inhale the comforting  
vapors arising from a bush of toast,  
orange and citron peel, roses, lavender  
and cloves mingled with wine, cinna-  
mon water and elder flower vinegar.

#### The Reproof.

It was in the midst of the football  
season, and the students of Professor  
Blank's class, well aware that their  
lesson had been neglected, were pre-  
pared for reproof, but not for just the  
way in which it came.  
At the end of the hour he slammed  
down his book on the desk and ex-  
claimed:  
"Well, that's the worst reproof I  
ever listened to! 'Why, I've actually  
done nine-tenths of it myself!'—Youth's  
Companion.

#### A Slight Mistake.

"It's curious to observe," says a  
Maryland man, "the manner in which  
many illiterate persons prosper. I  
once had business that led to take  
me at intervals to a certain place on  
the Eastern Shore. On one occasion I  
went into a store there the proprietor  
of which could neither read nor write.  
While I was there a man came in, evi-  
dently a regular customer."  
"I owe you some money, don't I?"  
he inquired.  
"The storekeeper went to the door  
and turned it around so that the back  
was visible."  
"Yes," said he; "you owe me for a  
cheese."  
"Cheese!" exclaimed the customer.  
"I don't owe you for any cheese."  
"The storekeeper gave another look  
at the door.  
"You're right," said he. "It's a grind-  
stone. I didn't see the dot over the 'i'  
in the middle."—Lippincott's.

#### Lesson From the Past.

Aladdin rubbed his lamp.  
Instantly the genie appeared.  
"Well, what do you want this time?"  
"I want," said Aladdin, "a sixty  
horsepower automobile latest 1910 pat-  
tern with."  
The genie uttered a frightful roar.  
"Don't you know, master, that the  
factories are months behind with their  
orders, that the prices for rubber tires  
are prohibitive and that you never  
could pay the repair bills even with  
my help? Ask me for an ocean yacht,  
a suburban villa or an aeroplane and  
I'll bring you one, but if you think  
you're going to acquire an up to date  
buzz wagon by the great caliph of  
Bagdad, young man, you've got an-  
other guess coming."

Sadly the presumptuous Aladdin ac-  
knowledgeed to himself that he wasn't  
in it with the plutocrats of the twen-  
tieth century.—Chicago Tribune.

#### Ten and Costa.



First Prisoner—What kind of a time  
did you have in the police court this  
morning?  
Second Prisoner—Fine.

#### The Luck of the Draw.

The mistress was giving Harriet the  
benefit of her advice and counsel  
touching a momentous step the latter  
contemplated.  
"Of course, Harriet," said the lady  
of the house, "if you intend to get mar-  
ried that's your own business, but you  
mustn't forget that marriage is a very  
serious matter."  
"Yes, mum," said Harriet; "yes, mum.  
I know 'tis sometimes, mum. But,  
mum, maybe I'll have better luck than  
you did, mum."—Brooklyn Life.

#### The Prayer That Hurt.

A member of a certain Massachu-  
setts parish prominent for his thrift  
and personal consequence was also  
notorious for his overbearing assump-  
tions and pompous airs. Under the  
distress and fright of a dangerous ill-  
ness he "put up notes" on several suc-  
cessive Sundays, and after his recovery,  
according to usage, he offered a note  
to be read by the minister expressive  
of his thanks. The minister was some-  
what "large" in this part of his pray-  
er, recalling the danger and the pre-  
vious petitions of the "squire" and re-  
turning his grateful acknowledgments  
with the prayer that the spiritual wel-  
fare of the restored man. He closed  
with these words:  
"And we pray, O Lord, that thy  
servant may be cured of that ungolly  
strut, so offensive in the sanctuary."

#### Law and Geography.

From the half timers' papers written  
at a recent term examination: "Some  
of the chief inventions of the last 150  
years are having an act so that no per-  
son under fourteen years must go into  
the public house. Another act was so  
that no person under the age of six-  
teen years must smoke cigars, pipes  
and cigarettes, and no person under  
that age can be served with any. My  
brother Bill is now all right for this  
invention. He was sixteen last week."  
Here is a geography answer: "The riv-  
er system of Canada is what you  
might call very good, but sometimes  
they shoot the rapids, and unless you  
are a red Indian this is very trouble-  
some at times, especially when you get  
sucked under like Captain Webb."—  
Manchester Guardian.

#### The Earliest Cigars.

The earliest mention of cigars in  
English occurs in a book dated 1735.  
A traveler in Spanish America named  
Cockburn, whose narrative was pub-  
lished in that year, describes how he  
met three friars at Nicaragua, who, he  
says, "gave us some segars to smoke;  
these are Leaves of Tobacco rolled up  
in such manner that they serve both  
for a Pipe and Tobacco itself; they  
know no other way here, for there is  
no such thing as a Tobacco Pipe  
throughout New Spain."

#### Sure Sign.

"What is the sign when a man parts  
his hair in the middle?" said the old  
fellow in the front row of the orches-  
tra to a friend loud enough to be  
heard by the young man behind them.  
"It's a sign that he's not baldhead-  
ed," replied the young man, leaning  
forward.—Yonkers Statesman.

#### Hard Luck.

"Poor man, your life must be full of  
hardships!"  
"Ow true yer words are, lidy. Only  
't'other day I picked up a ticket for a  
ball an' couldn't use it cos I hadn't  
got a geyn't suit."—London Icon.

#### A Tragic Crisis.

Cholly had put on his necktie and  
was looking over his supply of hosiery.  
"I wonder, now," he said, turning pale,  
"whether the socks have to match the  
tie or whether the tie has to match the  
socks."—Chicago Tribune.

## Personal

Mr. Edward Nock is in Baltimore for a few days.

Mrs. Ida Williams is in Philadelphia for a few days.

Mrs. L. W. Gandy was in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. Stephen Towdine was in Norfolk several days this week.

Misses Lavin and Maudie Smith were in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. John S. Fulton visited relatives in town during the week.

Mrs. E. D. Hilegood is spending a few days in Baltimore.

Miss Laura Elliott entertained the "500" Club Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Stanley Towdine gave a Halloween party Monday night.

Misses Louise and Nansel Freeman were in Baltimore this week.

The younger set gave a progressive Halloween party Monday night.

Mrs. Margaret A. Cooper spent several days in Philadelphia this week.

Mr. A. C. Smith was in Philadelphia several days this week.

Mr. Grant Sexton was in Norfolk this week.

Mrs. A. W. Woodcock is visiting in Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Taylor are spending the week in Baltimore.

Mr. S. P. Woodcock was in New York City on a business trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grier are in Baltimore this week.

Miss Louise Perry was in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Louise Veasey spent the week end in Princess Anne.

The Tuesday afternoon Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. S. A. Graham.

Miss Ora Disharoon entertained the Tuesday evening "500" club this week.

Miss Nellie B. Majors, of Mardela Springs, is spending some time with relatives in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Holland and Miss Willie Stidger, of Ohio, are visiting Hon. Charles F. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Adkins and Miss Bertha Sheppard are visiting in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Leonard who has been visiting in Baltimore has returned to Salisbury.

Mrs. S. P. Woodcock is visiting her sister Mrs. Elwood P. Pyle in Wilmington.

Misses Ruth and Louise Gandy who have been visiting in Dover, returned home Saturday.

The Mites Society of Asbury M. E. Church met at the "Parsonage Tuesday evening.

Little Miss Madeline Tull gave a Halloween party Monday night to a number of her young friends.

Mrs. Joseph Graham who has been visiting relatives in Plainfield, N. J. has returned home.

Mrs. Robt Adams of Princess Anne was the guest of Mrs. William Veasey this week.

Mrs. Paul Brown and Mr. Edward Nock have returned from a visit at Princess Anne.

Miss Minnie Nelson who has been visiting in Boston for the past month has returned home.

Miss Mary Edwards who has been spending several weeks in Reedville Virginia has returned home.

Miss Clara Douglass and her niece, Miss Belle Douglass, of Philadelphia, visited friends and relatives in town this week.

Mrs. Mary Walton Nock and Miss Clara C. Walton, of Wilmington, Del., are visiting at the home of their brother Mr. Elmer H. Walton on E. William Street.

Mrs. Caroline Uiman, Miss Sara Uiman and Mrs. Isaac Uiman who attended last week the Uiman-Hawkins wedding have returned to Salisbury.

Mrs. Morris A. Walton who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. John Nichols, Mt. Royal Avenue, Baltimore, returned home last evening.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Subject for Tomorrow, "The Lord's Supper" Ably Discussed By A Local Writer.

**GOLDEN TEXT:** This do in remembrance of me.

Jesus had returned to Bethany after nearly a year of teaching. Tuesday of Passion Week, and had doubtless remained quiet with His friends over Wednesday and upon Thursday. As the time for the feast of the Passover drew near, His disciples, following His direction, went into Jerusalem to that upper chamber and prepared the feast. Jesus and John seem to have been the first to prepare it, and Jesus no doubt joined later with the other ten disciples.

The paschal lamb provided for the feast and slain in the temple court during the afternoon, and unleavened bread and bitter herbs prepared. This was a Jewish rite, and our minds need to run back in the history of the world a long way to get the correct idea.

Israel had been called forth out of Chanaan, and had become a powerful people, and, on account of sin, had been permitted to suffer bondage in Egypt, and that great deliverer Moses had been raised up to lead them out of bondage. Pharaoh had refused his importunity for the release of Israel even under great plague, and at last the awful extremity of death to the youngest born of Egypt was visited upon his nation, and the covenant of blood was instituted to preserve Israel, and the Passover was instituted to commemorate that covenant.

Israel was bringing out, through all her hardships, the ground-work of a great plan of salvation for mankind. There was the burden of carrying on acceptable religion through ages of preparation, and to preserve it to the world.

This feast was a monument to this great deliverance, and it recalled to their minds when they commemorated it, their forefathers in a strange land, hard labor and oppression, with out the enjoyment of the fruits of it, a despotic Pharaoh, a repentance of sin, the promise of deliverance, the eating of a feast, guided and armed for an expectant journey under a divinely appointed leader, Moses, and the great deliverer from Egypt. And Jesus rejoiced in this feast now held in remembrance of that deliverance.

It was a great ideal toward which Israel was progressing. The monument or feast did not commemorate Egypt, Pharaoh, or Moses, but it did call to mind God's mercy, love, and compassion, just God, toward whom all this was to draw them.

We are so constituted that we are not governed by men, or orders of men, but by ideas. Men and their organizations appeal to us only as they represent an ideal, and men come and go, but the idea stays and develops, and our monuments are to the ideas and ideals expressed and represented.

So it is now with Christ. The idea set forth is dear to His heart, and the plan develops in His life, and in the commemoration of this old feast of deliverance He instituted a new feast of deliverance.

Another stage in the great plan of salvation has been reached. The sacrificial offering is complete and a new body and blood are the elements instituted in this feast of deliverance. To show our faith in the act of redemption we are to accept it as a commemoration of its completeness. The Lord's Supper is the Christian monument of Christ. It is erected by the doing of the things set forth in the laws of His kingdom, taught in our lessons for the year.

Some things were taught so that chamber. A lesson of service was taught in the washing of the disciples' feet by Jesus. The lesson of ordinary service is plain and easy to learn, but did not Jesus wash the feet of Judas?

And so, if we have ever suffered wrong or trampled rights, of caste, it matters not where or the soul has felt on suffering long, O heart, this one thing must not be forgot.

Christ washed the feet of Judas. What a lesson in forgiveness? The ideal was not accepted by one of the twelve. It did not appeal to Judas, who had been progressing in another direction. He recognized no ideal and monument and withdrew from the presence of love and forgiveness into the fellowship of sin. The body and blood of a testament of this nature did not appeal to him.

This feast is sometimes hard to understand. Christ is not hard to understand when we come in touch with him, but as men preach Him we fail to grasp the truth. We look too often at the man representing the ideal, and fail to lift ourselves above the acts of men, and observe the acts of our true higher, holier than man.

This evening of the Passover Feast and the institution of the Lord's Supper was the most wonderful in the intercourse of the Master and disciples. It was like entering into a Holy of Holies. And yet there was a dark shadow. Judas must needs take his course. Love extended to the uttermost was not strong enough to constrain a heart set determinedly to evil. Was it necessary that Judas betray Christ? No; Judas chose his way. If there had been no traitor in Judas, if he could not have helped doing as he did there would have been no cross pronounced. The act was sin, the responsible act of a willing man.

Is there a shadow over against the monument to Christ's suffering? Yes; man's refusal of the love that prompted the great act of redemption.



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Legal Income Small.

The average monthly earnings of these men over office expenses were \$310. The lawyers, however, are earning considerably less than those of the class who have gone into business. The eleven men who have done this are earning an average of \$334 a month above expenses.

Of those practicing law the men on the Pacific coast are doing the best financially, their average earnings being \$308. Those in New York city come next, with an average of \$267, while those in Massachusetts are lowest, with an average of only \$167.

Those in cities of 100,000 and more are earning \$223 as against \$180 for those in other places. Those west of the Mississippi were averaging \$277 a month and those east of it \$195.

Quicker Start in West.

One of the most interesting things about the relative advantages of location and vocation is found in the comparison of these figures with those made out two years after the graduation of these same men. In the intervening three years the earnings of those practicing law have increased 127 per cent, while those in business have increased only 104 per cent.

Likewise the earnings of the men on the Pacific coast have increased only 96 per cent as compared with 145 per cent for New York city and 493 per cent for Massachusetts.

This is taken as an indication that, although it is easier for young men to get started in the west, a more rapid progress in the east after they are started tends to equalize conditions.

## MAKE NINE WATCHES IN HOUR

American System of Manufacture Reaches Advanced Stage.

It is claimed that the methods of manufacture adopted by one American company, enable it to set up, ready for trial within an hour, no fewer than nine watches. This rapidity of manufacture has become possible by reason of the ingenious machinery invented for the making of all the parts of a watch.

The speed with which the various parts are turned out is remarkable. Great sheets of brass and steel are cut and rolled into ribbons and punched out into wheels at the rate of 10,000 a day from each punching machine. Workers drill the thirty-one holes in the roof of the watch as fast as they can count, other operatives countersinking the holes almost as quickly.

Brass wire glides into a machine that measures off the length of a part, turns it, puts a screw thread on each end and actually screws it in at the rate of 2,000 a day.

The screws are so small that it is said fifty gross of them can be put in a thimble, while of others there are 1,000 gross to a pound.

Balances are cut from the solid steel ground down, worked up and drilled with their twenty-five screw holes piece at the rate of 100 wheels a day from each machine.

Wheels have their teeth cut, a couple of dozen at a time, some with from sixty to eighty teeth, at the rate of 1,200 wheels a day from each machine.

## WARS ON SCANDALMONGERS.

German Burgomaster Blames Gossiping Wives For Trouble.

The burgomaster of the thriving town of Hattersheim, Germany, has declared war on scandalmongering women. He has issued a municipal proclamation calling attention to the frequency of prosecutions for libel and slander, resulting in bitter enemies and costly litigation. The cause, says the burgomaster, usually is the same. While the men are hard at work the women fritter away their time gossiping and quarreling. Children are neglected and households suffer.

When the breadwinner comes home at night he hears the day's events truthfully related. Then as the protector of an angry wife he must go to the police, a lawyer or the arbitration court.

The police have been instructed to compile a list of scandalmongers and warn landlords and tenants against them.

Apples Grow at Mile Height. Apples have been grown successfully at an altitude of 4,500 feet in the Sierras.

## A THEORY OF TAILS.

Monkeys at the Zoo and the Missing Watch.

The zoo was suffocating in the rays of the afternoon sun. I paused for a moment to watch a monkey with a pathetic face absentmindedly, almost sadly, clutch the tail of a sleeping relative above. The sleeping relative awoke on the floor very talkative and thrilled, but the originator of the plesantry was out of reach and with the face of one on the verge of tears.

"Wot a pity they 'ave tails," said a voice beside me. He was a little scrubby man, with a soiled collar, a straw hat and a faded frock coat.

"I paid no attention," I looked about him rapidly, then came closer and in a hoarse whisper said:

"I say, guv'nor, d'you know wot I calls it? Why, it's a tragedy."

"Ah," I returned vaguely.

"Yus, a tragedy, because why? We 'ave no tails nor our parents neither. Ain't that so?"

I endeavored to convey that I was prepared to swear that my father, once a K. C., had never within my knowledge mentioned the fact in my hearing.

He assumed the attitude of a modest man caught in the right. "There y' are," he said.

There was a pause. A series of shrill screams in a distant part of the room suggested another stroke of humor on even more ambitious lines.

The little scrubby man smiled knowingly.

"There y' are again—tryin' to sit on their tails and 'ide their feelin's."

I was a little perplexed.

"Talk of the fall," he snorted, with considerable scorn. "When we lost our tails we became deceitful. And why? Because we 'ad nothin' to give us away. They know it; look at 'em. They'd give anything to get rid of 'em. It's like carryin' a truth gauge on your waistkit."

He came closer and stared triumphantly up into my face. He was in a glow with eloquence. He tapped me playfully on the chest.

"Imagine it—your thoughts, 'opes, most sacred feelin's at the mercy of a cruel gloatin' world just because y' 'ave a tail. For instance, y' 're proposin' to the parents of your young lady. Why, your tail would be between your legs, trying to get out o' sight. An' what's the effect on their tails? Curlin' like 'oops. They'd know y' 'aven't a brass farthin' at once."

"You have no reason to suppose"—I began hotly.

"No 'arm meant, mister," he interposed soothingly. "Then think of 'avin' to attend funerals and sick-like. No matter 'ow gloomy your countenance, wot if your tail was waggin' like a rattle through pure light 'artedness?"

I admitted the prospect was worthy of thought.

"Or in business, 'ow could you name a price with any confidence if your tail was on the floor and 'ad all the air of a wrong up?"

The sun had sunk at last. Shadows crept over the room. In the corner opposite a silent baboon stood statue-like against the evening sky.

"Of course I'm not denyin' there would be advantages. I'm no dorg in the manger. I'm willin' to come out and share and share alike, be it argyment or anything. You'll be sayin' wot satisfaction to the orator to 'ear the thump of approv'g' tails or the actor in the scene where the 'orone carsts her 'elphess babe into the racin' mill stream. Why, it would be easy to jump in after a glance at the droopin' tails in the stalls."

I nodded thoughtfully.

"I must be goin' 'ome now," he remarked after a pause. "I knew by the looks of you I'd got to deal with a shrewd un, man of the world, clear 'eaded, farseein' gentleman."

For a moment I wished that he had worn a tail that might have betrayed something of his purpose, which seemed to me rather obscure. Then I dropped him out of my mind and began to wonder how late it was. But my watch had gone—Punch.

From Missouri.

An attorney was addressing a jury on behalf of a prisoner.

"Gentlemen," he said, "witnesses have sworn that they saw the accused fire his gun; they have sworn they saw the flash and heard the report; they fall flat; they have sworn that this bullet was extracted from Pete Jackson's body; but, gentlemen, in the name of justice, I ask you where is the evidence that the bullet hit Pete Jackson?"—Tilt Bits.

Sea Concordance.

Minnick—I don't find any passage in Scripture that forbids a man to have more than one wife.

Stanlek—Must have overlooked this one, then. "No man can serve two masters."—Browning's Magazine.

Parted.

"Then they are no longer engaged?"

"No. They had a violent quarrel over which had the more peacable disposition."—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Only Japanese.

Though to talk too much of heaven is not well.

Though agreeable people never mention hell.

Yet the woman who betrayed me, Whom I kissed,

In that bygone summer taught me Both exist.

I was ardent; she was always Wisely cool.

So my lady played the traitor—I the fool.

Oh, your pardon, but remember, If you please,

I'm translating. This is only Japanese.

—London Globe.

## UNCLE SAM PAYS DEBT OF \$12 AFTER 43 YEARS.

Ex-Postmaster's Lawyer Gets One-third as Fee.

J. W. Range, an Alaska miner, recently received a check for \$12 due him when he resigned a postmaster at Mill Village, Pa., in the fall of 1867. Although the government has had the use of this \$12 for forty-three years, Range is allowed no interest.

At 6 per cent, an average legal rate of interest in the United States, the principal and compound interest would amount to \$138.08. In other words, Uncle Sam made \$126.08 on the \$12 that belonged to Range.

Range was compelled to pay an attorney in Washington one-third of the amount he received after waiting more than forty-two years for collecting it. When the check was received Range sent \$4 to the attorney in the national capital for his services.

"I served three years in the war," said Range, "and when I returned home my friends at Mill Village wanted to do something for me, so they had me appointed postmaster. I resigned in less than a year and went west."

About five years ago I received a letter from an attorney in Washington, advising me that I had a good and just claim against the government for \$12, and that he would collect it for one-third of the amount as his commission. I did not know the government owed me anything, but I told him if I had anything coming to me he might go after it. I think the claim was for overpayment of postage stamps. I got the check, signed by Secretary MacVeagh, and had to send the attorney \$4 for collecting the claim."

CHASE'S DESK STILL IN USE.

Treasury Clerks Eager to Own Historic Furniture.

In the office of the auditor for the postoffice department bureau of the treasury department at Washington there is a mahogany desk of historical interest. It is flat topped, plain and not a little marked and worn from constant use for over fifty years. It was at this desk that Salmon P. Chase as secretary of the treasury worked out his contribution to the financial system of the United States.

This desk was taken from the treasury building just after the civil war to the building at the corner of Eighth and E streets, where the sixth auditor's office (called in those days the colony) was housed for some years previous to its removal to the Busch building. It has taken the round with that branch of the treasury and is now in the custody of that bureau in the postoffice building.

Tradition has it that many clerks from time to time have asked the honor of sitting at the desk. In a recent purchase of more modern desks for the auditor's office, which made necessary the removal of all the old desks, the Chase desk, which conforms in shape to the modern office desks, was just moved in line with others, thus escaping the ordinary fate of the annual junk sale of the treasury department.

The fine material of which the Chase desk is made and the hand finish mark it as a conspicuous piece of furniture even if it is not modern in its construction.

AIR WILL RING UP FARES.

Hudson River Tunnel Has New Tarp Keeping Scheme.

Aviators are not the only persons who can take a fall out of the air. W. G. McAdoo of Hudson tunnel fame is going them one better. He is making the air work for him. A young inventor gave him the idea, and he is following it up by having a compressed air device which registers the number of passengers using the "tubes" in stalled in the Hoboken terminal.

In the contrivance which Mr. McAdoo is using a constant flow of compressed air is directed toward a disk equipped with an electric registering apparatus. A person passing through the current of air interrupts the pressure against the disk, and this "rings up" the fare.

The device promises to prove practical.

STANFORD GETS COLLECTION

Jarboe Library on French Revolution Goes to University.

The famous Jarboe collection of rare volumes of the French revolution has been acquired by Stanford university. This extremely valuable addition to the library takes its name from the man who originally brought the books together, John R. Jarboe, a prominent lawyer of San Francisco, many years ago.

The value of the library does not lie in its size, but in the character of its contents. The collection contains approximately 2,500 pieces. These are from almost entirely original sources and materials, most of them being extremely rare. The collection of contemporary pamphlets alone comprises 1,500 titles, and memoirs are present in surprising numbers.

Many Villages in Japan.

Japan has sixty-six cities, 1,237 towns and 13,937 villages. The rice production exceeds in quantity 200,000,000 bushels a year, tea nearly 90,000,000 pounds a year and silk more than 25,000,000 pounds a year.

## GERMANS' POWER RULES PALESTINE

Teuton Consul Biggest Man in Holy Land.

HAVE COMMERCIAL CONTROL.

Invasion of Turkish Domain Dates Back to Early Fifties, and Spread Became Possible Through Friendship of Kaiser Wilhelm and Deposed Sultan, Abdul Hamid.

The Germanization of Palestine is proceeding rapidly. In the early fifties of the nineteenth century a body of Germans calling themselves Templars left their native land for Palestine. These early pilgrims were well supplied with money. Each of them bought land and built a house for himself.

In less than three years a colony of 200 well built houses of European style stood on the slopes of Mount Carmel. Little by little from this center the German colonists branched out to Jaffa, Jerusalem and other places. Recruits came freely from the fatherland.

In thirty years the German proprietors could be counted by thousands. With Teutonic tenacity of purpose they worked to open up a market for manufactures and find an outlet for all kinds of articles of German production. Every inducement possible, cheap prices and long credit, courted the patronage of merchants.

Merchants' Influence Powerful. Commercial travelers followed closely after one another. Some of them remained at Haifa, Jaffa and Jerusalem as commission agents. They offered their wares at very low prices and were willing to wait long for payment. Thus they became powerful and popular.

When the ground had been thus prepared the Emperor Frederick visited the country, an event which greatly heightened German prestige in Turkey. When the present kaiser ascended the throne he prosecuted his father's policy with far greater vigor.

The friendship between Wilhelm II. and his "cher et tres grand ami," Abdul Hamid, made the position of the Germans in Palestine stronger than ever. After the visit of the kaiser and kaiserin to Jerusalem in 1898 there was another increase of German influence. Germans acquired immense tracts of land in all parts of the country. The recent visit of the Prince and Princess Eitel Friedrich has kept the German influence strong.

German Consul Rules Country.

The German consul today is the great man in Palestine. Germans are still flocking into the country on every side. Most of them remain. If they have the money they buy property at once, cultivate it and build houses. If they are poor they are financed by the Templar bank, which is subsidized by powerful political syndicates.

This German immigration is carefully planned and cleverly organized by influential syndicates composed of great financiers, princes, manufacturers and military officers. The kaiser himself is said to preside over the meetings of the principal of these syndicates. The conquest of Palestine seems to have begun.

DESERTED VILLAGES REVIVING

Maine's Abandoned Communities Get New Lease of Life.

Maine has had her deserted farms and now then one can find her deserted villages. Such a one is Welchville, in the town and county of Oxford, where once the pulse and machinery kept life beating fast in a thriving little community.

Today the population is scattering on the farms thereabouts chiefly, while the change in the value of the property is indicated by the story recently related of the sale of a two and a half story house for \$175 which was worth \$1,500 seventy-five years ago.

But the number of such towns is small. Maine is building up fast. Her deserted farms are being taken up, sometimes by progressive young farmers and again by summer people, and the deserted Maine villages promised a new lease of life.

SOCIALISTS PRESENT TOTALS

Claim 6,250,000 Members in Germany, 600,000 in America.

The international bureau of Socialists, which long has been regarded as the headquarters of European socialism, publishes statistics showing the present number of Socialists throughout the world.

These figures are given: Germany, 3,250,000; France, 1,000,000; United States, 600,000; Great Britain, 500,000; Belgium, 500,000; Italy, 390,000; Finland, 337,000 (out of population of 2,750,000); Switzerland, 100,000; Denmark, 90,000; Norway, 90,000; Holland, 82,000; Sweden, 75,000. The bureau is unable to obtain statistics of Russia, Spain and Australia.

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## THE CITY COUNCIL AND THE GAS PROPOSITION.

The action of the City Council in refusing to advertise for gas bids for the town lighting for 1911 has created a furore in town, and the question is generally asked "Why did they do it, and what were the motives which actuated them?" That the citizens have a perfect right to have the town governed in the most economical way is freely conceded on all sides, and in view of this fact it is more than ever difficult to understand why the Gas Company should not have been permitted to compete for the lighting. Just why a municipality should make no effort to reduce expenses and allow a corporation to make its own charges and dictate its own terms is beyond comprehension. Before there was a competing company in town the situation was one over which the city officials had no control, and when the Electric Light Company submitted its bids there was nothing else to do but accept them, and the people were entirely satisfied when it was awarded the contract. But now that the Gas Company has entered the field and expended thousands of dollars in piping the town and erecting a plant there is no reason why it should not be allowed to do the city lighting provided it can do it as reasonably and as satisfactorily as the other company can do it. We are not advocating the lighting of Salisbury by gas. We have no interest in the latter concern and this is the position in which the majority of the citizens of Salisbury find themselves. It is merely a matter of principle which concerns the awarding of the contract, but every citizen has a right to demand fair play and just treatment and economical administration of city affairs. It is one of the first essentials of sound government that the tax rate should be kept just as low as possible commensurate with good administration and it is impossible to do this if money is squandered in the awarding of contracts. The principles of business judgment and economy are not to be sacrificed to a concern for securing a contract involving a large expenditure of the public revenues at the expense of the town. It is wrong in theory and unjust in practice. The only thing which will meet the demands of the occasion is for the Council to reverse its position and permit both companies to stand on an equality. There is a great deal of money to be said in the contest in favor of each company, but it is a self-evident proposition that the city should award the contract to that company which can furnish the best light at the most economical figure, and that is unquestionably what should be done.

There is also in this connection another question which has been raised, and which is worthy of thought by those in control, and that is that the Council has no authority to advertise for bids un-

less the ordinance authorizing the advertisement is signed by the Mayor. The charter contemplates that all ordinances should be passed by the Council and approved by the city's executive. As it is understood the ordinance relative to the insertion of bids was not approved by Mayor Bounds, the question naturally arises whether the action is legal. The charter however, does permit an ordinance to become a law over the Mayor's veto; but it must be passed by at least four-fifths of the council. In this case Councilmen Smith and Hitch voted against the present ordinance and it is presumed they will stand by their action, so that the necessary four-fifths vote cannot be secured. It is an interesting and vital question and should be thoroughly considered before final action is taken. Should the contract be awarded in an illegal manner the entire transaction could be set aside in Court and it is to be hoped that if the Electric Company does secure the award it will be in such a manner that no question can later arise in regard to it.

## Editorial Jottings

And election day was chilly!

The people of the town are still in the dark as to the lighting proposition. Turn on the light!

The trolley line now begins to look like an assured fact. Salisbury has long needed the "clang" of the electric cars on its streets to give it the proper touch of Twentieth Century progress.

We extend to Congressman J. Harry Covington our congratulations upon his victory in this District and trust that his service in the sixty-second Congress may redound to his honor and the good of his constituents.

When is that union station to be erected? A party close to the railroad officials definitely stated recently that the money had been actually set aside for that purpose, and Salisbury is fearfully anxious to see active operations.

If there is any question as to the ability of the Gas Company to light the town, the doubters should take a walk along East William street between Division street and the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. station any night and the doubts will be speedily removed.

If the Electric Company is willing to light the town just as cheaply as the gas concern, the citizens would be perfectly willing to see their contract renewed. But both companies should have a right to compete and bid for the contract. The stifling of competition is foreign to a Democracy and a blow at popular government.

If Hon. Champ Clark should be elected Speaker of the Sixty-second Congress it would not be surprising if the aforesaid Hon. Champ Clark should be tempted to give to the Hon. Joseph Guernsey Cannon a few of those decidedly bitter concoctions of parliamentary law which the Hon. Joseph Guernsey Cannon has so frequently rammed with such relish down the throat of the aforesaid Hon. Champ Clark.

The Republicans in the First District and Mr. A. Lincoln Dryden can look back upon the recent campaign with the assurance that they waged a clean and honorable battle for supremacy. Not a single personal attack was made by them and the contest was fought upon the high plane of principle. No statement derogatory to the character or qualification of Mr. Covington was issued during the entire campaign, and it is unfortunate that certain of his followers and intense partisans failed to adhere to the same standard and interjected matters of a personal character and foreign to the issue.

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### Town Topics.

Mr. George W. Clark, of Taylorville entered the Peninsula General Hospital Monday for treatment.

Mr. W. S. Sheppard has returned from a trip to New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

The Misses Ratcliff, of Milford, Del., are guests at the home of their uncle, Mr. R. D. Grier.

Mrs. Franklin Bowen, of Berlin, who came to the Peninsula General Hospital last week for treatment, is reported as improving.

Mrs. Riall White and Miss Annie Danahel, attended the Woman's Auxiliary Convention at Cambridge several days ago.

Come out to the "Contest Social" East Salisbury School, Friday evening, Nov. 18th. Bring your friends. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. J. I. Taylor who recently erected a handsome home on the Pine Road expects to move in with his family within a week or ten days.

Prizes for all. It costs nothing to compete for them at the "Contest Social" East Salisbury School, Friday night. Come out.

Miss Rebecca Smith was one of the guests at a fancy dress Halloween party given by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dick at their home near Cambridge.

The Mites Society and Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church South were entertained at the home of Mrs. George Phillips Monday evening.

Mr. James Lowe, Jr., entertained on Thursday evening at the home of his parents near town in honor of Miss Whittlesey, of Connecticut.

Miss Nellie Darby, Mattie Windsor & Grace Darby spent Saturday and Sunday as the guests of Mrs. S. E. Downing Hebron, Md.

Good things to eat and funny things to see at the "Contest Social" East Salisbury School, Nov. 18th. Come and enjoy them. Admission 10 cents.

It is understood that a new schedule will go into effect on the N. Y. P. & N. R. on Nov. 27. It is stated that train No. 41, now running to Pocomoke, will be withdrawn.

Don't miss the social at Dorman's school, between Salisbury and Hebron, Friday night Nov. 18th. Ice cream cake and candy for sale. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Williams, Mrs. George Sharpley, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Leatherbury of Salisbury, took a trip to Seaford several days ago in Mr. Williams' car.

Principal J. W. Hiron, of the Salisbury Business College is attending a meeting of the faculty of the Wilmington Business College, with which the local institution is connected.

The Red Men, of Fruitland, will hold an oyster supper at their hall in that town of Thanksgiving evening. Good music is to be furnished and a great time is expected. Everybody is invited.

The Young Ladies of St. Peter's Church will hold a bazaar and supper on November 30, and December 1st. Candy, aprons, dolls, and fancy work of all kinds will be on sale. Splendid opportunity for purchasing Xmas Presents.

The new company which is expecting to build the trolley line to Nantuxcoke Port from Salisbury has decided to pass through the town of Hebron and has obtained the right to build its line on the streets of that town.

At Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church Rev. Dr. Graham, the pastor, will preach on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School 9:30 A. M. Christian Endeavor service in the lecture room at 6:45 P. M. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. Benjamin B. Stevenson, of Pocomoke City, who for some time has held a position as bookkeeper at the ship yard of Mr. E. James Tull, has accepted a position in the office of Supervisor White, of the N. Y. & N. R. R., at Salisbury, and has entered upon his duties.

Messrs Thomas H. Tilghman, of Salisbury, and Francis Henry Funnell, of Snow Hill, partners trading as Tilghman and Funnell have purchased from Calista E. Taylor and John W. Staton, Trustees, a tract of land containing 141 acres on both sides of the Ash Swamp road from Libertytown to Berlin. The consideration was \$1,435.00.

The scenes of "The New County Sheriff," by Lem B. Parker are laid in the far west where, according to early history, strange people coming from everywhere joined forces, and soon lost their very names. There they struggled, cursed, killed and loved. Of one thing only are we certain, they lived. A powerful play with a strong cast at the Uman's Grand Opera-house on Wednesday, Nov. 16. A number of clever specialties will be introduced. Prices 25, 35 and 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Lowe were among the Salisbury visitors during the week at the Aviation Meet in Baltimore.

Dr. S. A. Graham on Thursday addressed the students of the Salisbury Business College on banking.

Miss Blanche Taylor, of Quantico, has been appointed an assistant teacher in the Delmar High School.

The usual services will be held at Ashbury M. E. Church to-morrow, preaching both morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Martindale.

Miss Dora Morris, of Pittsville, Bay and Morris, of Delmar, Harvey Howard, of Silver, Va., and Reine Glida, of Quantico have this week enrolled as students at the Business College.

A disastrous fire occurred at Powellville on Wednesday last when the crate and basket factory of White & Wilkens Co. was totally destroyed. The entire plant was a total loss with no insurance.

Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D. will preach at the New Castle, Delaware, M. E. Church, next Tuesday evening upon the occasion of the celebration of the 90th Anniversary of the organization of the church.

County Superintendent Holloway has been making an official visit to the schools of the County during the week. He has so far visited quite a number and expects to complete this line of work by the first of December.

Mrs. L. D. Collier, who is visiting in Baltimore, heard Ex-President Roosevelt on Wednesday both at Goucher Hall in the afternoon and at the Lyric at night at which time he delivered a missionary address. She also heard Bishop Cranston and Bashford, the latter delivering his great lecture on Missions in China.

A Parlor Bazaar will be held at the home of Mr. E. D. Grier on Thursday of next week, November 17th under the auspices of the C. E. Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian church. A Salad supper will be served as ice cream, cake and candies and fancy articles will be sold. The proceeds for the Enlargement Fund of the C. E. Society.

The Magazine Agency established by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Wicomico Presbyterian church is offering great inducements to those who will renew their subscriptions or order for the first time through them. Miss Alice Hill, phone 105, has been appointed Secretary and stands ready to solicit your order.

Fred Elliott and Samuel Smith, who live near Walnut Trees, in Trappe District, were arrested on Thursday upon charge of malicious destruction of property and fined by Justice of the Peace J. F. Messick, of Fruitland, \$5.00 and costs. The arrests were made by Constable J. Frank Waller. The offenders were guilty of breaking out window lights and doing other damage to the Brick Yard School House near Allen.

The lease of A. S. Johnson & Co. on the Uman Opera House terminated Saturday night and Mr. Isaac Uman has again assumed control of the opera house. Under the former management good attractions have been presented and the moving pictures and vaudeville acts have attracted large and appreciative audiences. Mr. Uman proposes to adhere to the same standard and will continue the nightly attractions.

It is stated that the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. Company has placed an order for two additional passenger engines. The night trains have become so heavy that the present equipment is not capable of making the schedule at all times. For this reason it has been necessary to run two sections of the southbound night train on several occasions recently. The steel cars now in the service make an unusually heavy train, and the engineers are compelled to use every effort in order to make the time.

### Officers to Inspect Nursery Stock.

The officers of the State Horticultural Department desire to inspect all nursery stock shipped into the State this fall and next spring. All persons receiving nursery stock from out-state nurseries are requested to notify the State Entomologist, College Park, Maryland.

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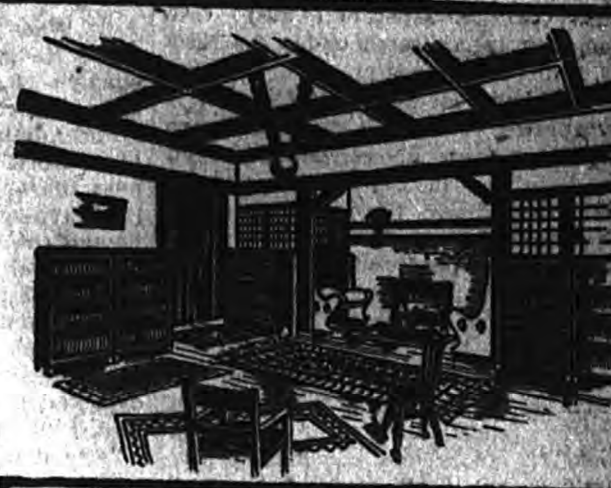
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Unanswered.  
To "Anxious Inquirer" who asks us if there are any on without and whether cowcatchers were first put on milk trains, we reply that the editor who knows all about such things is busy looking up whether or not Richard III., when he stepped King Henry's blot, thus became the first temperance crusader, and will not be able to answer Anxious Inquirer until he rests up a little. Browning's Magazine.

Enlightened.  
"Before I married," said Mr. Henpeck, "I didn't know what it meant to support a wife."  
"I presume you know now."  
"Yes, indeed. I looked up the word 'support' in the dictionary and discovered that one of its meanings is 'endure.'"

Knows What's Coming.  
Hewitt—Grunt is discharged about every Saturday night. Jewett—Yes, during the week he feels as if he were between two fires.—New York Press.

Why He Giggled.  
Jimmie giggled when the teacher read the story of the Roman who swam across the Tiber three times before breakfast.  
"You do not doubt a trained swimmer could do that, do you, James?"  
"No, sir," answered Jimmie. "But I wondered why he didn't make it four and get back to the side his clothes were on."—Farm Life.

Just in Keeping.  
"It is not often that a man's name is in connection with his disposition or his occupation."  
"Sometimes the latter. The police arrested a man named Vine the other day, and he turned out to be a porch climber."—Baltimore American.

Doing His Best.  
Joiner (to his apprentice)—Well, Willie, have you sharpened all the tools?  
Willie—Yes; all but the saw, and I haven't quite got all the gaps out of it.—Sketch.

Nothing is law that is not reasonable.  
Sir John Powell.

Elizabethan slang.  
According to the latest edition of Webster's Dictionary, one meaning of "lobster" is "a gullible, awkward, bungling or undependable fellow." This meaning is supposed by most persons to be a modern development of slang. However, "lobster" was a favorite term of abuse among Englishmen of Queen Elizabeth's day, and Shakespeare may have denounced his calboy as a "lobster" when the boy failed to attend to his duties. Some students of the word think it probably was applied first to men with red faces. As signifying a soldier the term "lobster" is as old as Cromwell's day. Lord Clarendon, historian of the civil war in England, explains that it was applied to the Roundhead cuirassiers "because of the bright iron shells with which they were covered. Afterward British soldiers in their red uniforms were called 'lobsters.' Then came another development. The soldier in the red coat became a "lobbed lobster," while the policeman in blue was, of course, an "unlobbed" or "raw lobster." Again, "to boll a lobster" was for a man to enlist in the army and put on a red coat.—Chicago News.

An Eye on the Future.  
A man with a swollen finger that had a deep abrasion under the ring called at a jewelry store to get the ring cut off. Before the operation was begun he said:  
"Can this ring be mended so a pawnbroker will give me the usual amount on it?"  
"It can be mended," said the jeweler, "but I doubt if you can ever persuade a pawnbroker to accept it afterward."  
"Then I guess I'll take chances on my finger getting well with the ring on," said the young man and left the store.

"Incidents like that," said the jeweler, "show what a surprisingly large number of Philadelphians live with the pawnshop looming up just ahead of them as an unavoidable evil. Of all the people who need their rings cut off two-thirds of them ask that very question, and a large percentage of them take chances on blood poisoning rather than destroy the ring's value as a pawnable asset."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Little Word "Yes."  
"Yes" is a simple word spelled with three letters.  
It has caused more happiness and more unhappiness than any other word in the language.  
It has lost more money for easy lenders than all the holes in all the pockets in the world.  
It has started more dipsoniacs on the loose than all the strong liquor in the world.  
It has made more fights than all the "you're lars" that ever were spoken.  
It has procured kisses and provoked blows.  
It has defeated candidates and elected scoundrels.  
It has been used in more lies than any other expression.  
It is not meant half the time it is said.  
Will it continue to make such a record?  
Yes.—Life.

Wouldn't Deliver.  
He was born in Dublin and lived in Ireland until about two months ago, when he came to Cleveland. Then he began to look around for a job. The manager of a furniture house promised to give him a trial.  
"Come around in the morning and go to work," he said, "and if you can deliver the goods we'll probably keep you permanently."  
The Dublin native went over to tell his cousin about it. He confided to him that he didn't believe he'd go back to take the job, after all.  
"They want me to deliver the goods," he said. "Think of going around delivering big, heavy furniture. That's what horses and wagons are for in my country."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Harvard University.  
Harvard university derives its name from Rev. John Harvard, its earliest benefactor, who in 1638 bequeathed one-half of his estate, amounting to £800, for the endowment of the college. Harvard hall was built in 1705, Holworthy hall of brick in 1812 and Hollis hall, also of brick, in 1764. Stoughton hall, being of the same dimensions and material as Hollis, was built in 1844 and a writer of 1817 states that "its appearance is somewhat in the modern style."

What He Admired.  
"What did father say when you asked him for my hand?"  
"Oh," replied Augustus, "he—he did his best to be pleasant. He said there was something about me that he really admired!"  
"Did he say what?"  
"Yes; my impudence."—

A Pointer to Others.  
He—Going to marry the rich Jack Hammond?  
Ho—Going? Why, I thought he had thrown all his money to the dogs. She—So he did, but they turned out to be retrievers.—London M. A. P.

His Sun.  
Mrs. Buggins—Before we were married you used to say I was the sunshine of your life. Mr. Buggins—Well, I admit that you still do your best to make things hot for me.

The Convenient Excuse.  
Hard luck is generally the name people give to the thing that happens when they have been acting foolishly.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Laughing cheerfulness throws sunlight on all the paths of life.—Richter.

### A VERY MOURNFUL BALLAD.

**B**EWARE! said the bird with a "fearful" roar.  
As he went by the willow tree  
That, quaking and near, by the  
singing shore  
Looks sadly out to sea.  
For false is his heart as the supple tree  
That glides o'er the raging main  
And nips at the tails of the slimy snake  
That neither and shrill is pain.  
For nervy again, though ruthless rocks  
Leap high in the sounding surge,  
Shall you twist the neck of the tree that  
looks  
They love in the sheathed turf.  
Far better to trust to the ample dust  
That swirls o'er the murky marsh  
Than to seek at noon by the low red  
moon  
For a love so grim and harsh.  
So the lady heard the dolorous bird  
That sobbed by the saline sea,  
And she leaped the rocks with her long  
black locks  
Till the billows foamed like tea.  
While the golden brain of the tortured  
maid  
Stood up in its wild despair  
As she tried in vain to assuage her pain  
By eating her own back hair.  
At the pale, cold dawn of the summer  
morn  
The fishermen came and found  
Both sea and shore where they were be-  
fore  
And her tresses strewn around.  
—D. V. B. Van Buren in New York Sun.

Rather Disconcerting.  
"Mamma," said little Ethel, with a discouraged look on her face, "I ain't going to school any more."  
"Why, my dearie, what's the matter?" the mother gently inquired.  
"Cause it ain't no use at all. I can never learn to spell. The teacher keeps changing the words on me all the time."—Success Magazine.

That Chinese Trait.  
Patrice—I understand that even among the poorest classes a considerable portion of each day is devoted by the Chinese child to the study of etiquette.

Patrice—At just what age does the child become imbued with the idea that he or she must spit on the clothes?—Yonkers Statesman.

To Go With Water.  
"I guess we are discovered, pa."  
"What do you mean?"  
"The teacher said today that some more chalk was missing from the blackboard and then asked if any little boy's father was a milkman."—New York Press.

And No Wonder.  
"Why are you and your wife quarreling?"  
"Oh, I acknowledge that I'd made a fool of myself in my school days, and she's mad because she has no chance to argue with me about it."—Cleveland Leader.

### The Crusher.

The Elder—Miss Rambo, will you please to remove that hencoop what you done got on yo' head so dat I can observe de preacher?  
Miss Rambo—Coop, Mistab Spooner! If dat strikes you as being a hencoop, den I sartainly will remove it, for wid you in de vicinity dey isn't a bird safe what's on it.

His Opinion.  
Miss Frivolous—I have a riddle for you. If ten men proposed to me, what would that be?  
Mr. Knocks—Well, if one proposed to you it would be a wonder.—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

None.  
Professor—If a man has an income of \$2,000,000 a year, what is his principal?  
Student—A man with such an income usually has no principle.—Yale Record.

She Read Him.  
"I know that man was going to ask me to fill out some sort of document."  
"How could you tell?"  
"He had a blank expression on his face when he came in."—St. Louis Star.

Not Forgetting the Commissariat.  
Tom the Terror—Say, Wild Bill, if we're goin' west to fight Indians don't you think we'd better take along a few cookies and things?—Woman's Home Companion.

To Be Sure.  
Mrs. Nagz—Who was it that said, "I thank God I am not as other men?"  
Mr. Nagz—Some bachelor.—Lippincott's.

Chaffing Cholly.  
"What's the matter with Cholly?"  
"Oh, some rude girl asked him if he was a suffragette."—Pittsburgh Post.

An Easter Idyl.  
It's just a simple bonnet.  
With a single rose upon it.  
And the little face beneath it is quite serene and still.  
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Given His Choice.  
A man who had been pressed into carrying golf clubs and knew absolutely nothing about the game was asked by his employer:  
"What should I take for this shot—an iron, masher or cleek?"  
"Any you like, sir," was the reply.  
"any you like. They all belong to you."—Tit-Bits.

The Fate of Genius.  
"Sir," began the poet impressively, "I am seeking an outlet for my pen."  
"Have you ever tried the kitchen sink?" asked the busy editor as he blue pencilled all but one paragraph of a column story turned in by a cub reporter.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Socially Inclined.



"Your number," said the warden to the prisoner, "is 390."  
"I sol, gov'nor, can't you put me in de 400?"

Working the Boys.  
"I can't get my boy to do anything around the house."  
"We have settled that problem. My son runs errands for my neighbor, and her boy runs errands for me."—Kansas City Journal.

A Conscientious Declaration.  
Drummer—Will you be mine? All my life I will worship you from February until April and from August until December. The rest of the time I am on the road.—Elizabethton Blatter.

The Fashionable Camp.  
"And how did you like rough life in the Adirondacks, Cholly?"  
"It wasn't bad fun. We drank the champagne out of tin cups."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Before and After.  
"They had a runaway marriage didn't they?"  
"Yes, and walkhome home."

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Subject for Teachers, "The World's Temperance Lesson" By A Local Writer.

GOLDEN TEXT: Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation.

Our lesson is a part of the record of the Master's teaching to the disciples, after leaving Jerusalem, on the Tuesday of Passion Week. That day's record of His teaching had been accepted as final, and these remarks to the disciples concerning the destruction of Jerusalem were spoken at this time, and near the place on Mount Olivet, where, forty years later, the Roman soldiers camped as they accomplished the complete destruction of Jerusalem.

This prophecy concerning Jerusalem was evidently in the Master's mind when He spoke of the fig-tree, desiring thereby to remind them, just as He had warned the Pharisees, to be observing so as to discern the signs of the times. Just as the new leaves upon the fig-tree heralded summer, so would certain circumstances herald the destruction of Jerusalem and the coming of Christ.

The disciples in choosing to be the followers of the Messiah, had, with the glory, also many unpleasant things to face. Christ had warned them that between His going and second coming they must endure much temptation, famine, pestilence, hatred, prisons, death, wars, earthquakes, false prophets with easy, pleasing doctrine. When they observed all these things happening the time of the coming was nigh.

Two incidents are involved in this text, the destruction of Jerusalem, and the second coming of Christ. Verse 34, declaring that the generation then living should not pass away until certain things were accomplished, applies to the destruction of the city forty years later.

Our text contains the answer to the oft asked question concerning the condition of the world at the time of Christ's second coming. As in Noah's time, there will be "eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage," or a general disregard for religion, or purity and holiness. As there was a clearly defined time in the preaching of Noah, when the door was closed that no other might enter the ark, so is it here stated that in like manner the time, although to any except the Father unknown, shall be suddenly declared and closed. Of two companions, one may be taken, the other left, denotes that no sudden shall the call to judgment be that no time for change of belief will be granted. The only way of readiness suggested as possible is in constant watchfulness. May we understand that as the inhabitants of the world, once rejecting the preaching of the righteous God pronounced judgment upon them and separated them in destruction, so again refusing the message of God's righteousness, and, as in Noah's time, living in a way wholly disregarding God, that He will send the Son. His righteous judge, suddenly and in the splendor suggested by Christ to judge, reward, and destroy?

Christ's words concerning eating and drinking lead us to believe that temperance, high living, and high life are the great dangers to a people. This manner of living has become so great and so powerful that it requires a man of power and influence to cause the people to pause for a moment and think, when he declares it. Is it not the fact that it is at present sweeping so much below it in its wild stride as to measure to a great extent up to the standard of the time preceding Noah?

When judgment is called upon an act it is too late to amend the act, so the proper time to divert the wrath of judgment is before the act or at the beginning. The preacher is warning the world against intemperance to-day; does the world listen? Intemperance in some form is the cause of sin. The preacher's advice is to stop at the beginning, the first step.

False doctrine or reasoning is often responsible for the first step in the way of the unrighteous. The general impression among the worldly is that all sin must be overcome in some way, that all men living must be reclaimed to Christ before the second coming. Not so, by the scriptures; Christ, at His second coming, will overcome all, but sin will be overcome by judgment, and will be, by this text, abounding at the time of His coming.

Again, in a finite mind, a judgment long delayed loses color, and the certainty of it grows gradually obsolete. History does not give the slightest encouragement to this tendency. One of the very basic facts of religion is the certainty of judgment, demanded according to a standard of purity and righteousness. Either there is a judgment or no religion.

The fulfillment of the judgment pronounced upon Jerusalem was a distinct epoch in the history of religion, just as it is in the deluge in Noah's time. It marked the ending of the Jewish dispensation, as the representatives of the kingdom of Heaven on earth, and the Messiah brought forth the organization of Christianity to assume the great work of evangelization. Just as the former judgments were rendered to win another and final one comes. There is but one state of readiness: "Watch therefore, ye also ready." Learn now the parable of the fig tree, the parable of the olive tree, the parable of the vine, in its teaching.

The greatest study for man is man, and that only by history. A great light floods history to-day. God's sun and moon in his labor of love in making the history of the greatest act of creation, man, an open page. We cannot avoid it, and with the Gospel and history the day will come when no man may say to his neighbor, "Know thou the Lord?" But will the world hear? C. B.

## Personal

Mrs. W. B. Highman is in Richmond Va.

Mrs. George S. Venables is visiting in Maryland.

Mrs. L. Atwood Bennett is in Baltimore this week.

Mrs. W. S. Gandy has returned from Baltimore.

Mrs. Harry Todd entertained at cards Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Lewis B. Hayes was in Salisbury this week.

Mr. Richard Jackson was in Salisbury this week for several days.

Mrs. W. P. Jackson was in Philadelphia several days this week.

Mr. William T. Smith spent the week end in Philadelphia.

Mrs. A. W. Woodcock after spending some time in Annapolis has returned home.

Miss Mary Collier, who has been visiting in Baltimore for several weeks, has returned home.

Miss Alice Wallen left Thursday for Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Miss Mary Lee White entertained the Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

Miss White Adkins and Mr. Harry Adkins have returned from Baltimore.

Miss Annie Dashiell entertained the "500" Club Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Rebecca Smyth, who has been visiting in Cambridge, has returned home.

Mr. H. C. Tull, of Fairmount, spent Saturday with his son, Dr. Harry C. Tull.

Mrs. Sara Crockett, of Norfolk, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Jackson this week.

Mrs. M. A. Cooper, who has been in Philadelphia for several days, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gunby and family have returned to their winter home on Camden Ave. after spending the summer at Cherry Hill.

Miss Minnie Nelson has returned home after spending five weeks with her sister Miss Fred Imhoff in Boston.

Miss Willie Adkins, who has been visiting in Baltimore and Western Maryland, has returned home.

Rev. and Mrs. Franklin Cary are in Richmond this week attending the Annual Conference of the M. E. Church South.

Mrs. William Leatherbury and little Willie Hopkins spent several days in White Haven this week.

Mrs. E. E. Jackson entertained a few young folks at dinner Wednesday evening at the Oaks. Bridge was played after dinner.

Mr. Clarence Wheaton, who has been spending some time in Baltimore and Western Maryland, returned home this week.

Mrs. T. E. Williams entertained the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church Wednesday evening at her home on Main Street.

The Mothers' Jewels of Asbury M. E. Church will be entertained today at three o'clock by Mrs. William E. Howard, Camden.

Mrs. William Edwards entertained The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Trinity M. E. Church, South, Tuesday evening at her home on Camden Ave.

Miss Maria Ellegood entertained the Young Ladies Missionary Circle of Asbury M. E. Church Tuesday evening. The mite boxes were opened, a delightful program was rendered and refreshments served.

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## A NUMBER OF WICOMICO PRISONERS RELEASED.

Violators of the Local Option Laws Released from House of Correction by Baltimore Courts—Comments Defective.

A number of prisoners sent to the House of Correction for whiskey selling by the Wicomico County authorities have recently been released from that institution and the question is being asked whether or not there is any defect in the present local option law. It is decidedly discouraging to the local officers to attempt to enforce the law only to have the criminals released within a few weeks of the time they were sent away.

The last offender to obtain his liberty is Harry Powell, who was convicted a short time ago and committed by Magistrate William A. Trader for one year. He had only served a few weeks when he secured an attorney of Baltimore who took him before Judge Elliott, of that city upon a writ of habeas corpus and he has just been released upon the ground that the commitment was defective. It is claimed by this attorney that he could secure the release of any of these committed upon payment of \$50.00. Under the same circumstances and within a short time, in addition to Harry Powell, Charles Fowler, Thomas Rock, Fred Hudson and Sidney Wright have all been released upon similar writs by different judges in Baltimore City. Some little time ago, Neal Fryer and Emma Messick obtained their liberty in the same manner.

At the time of these hearings in Baltimore, neither the State's Attorney nor any of the other local officers were notified, so that they could not attend, and defend the commitments and the proceedings taken in this County.

The people of Wicomico county are interested in seeing the local law strictly enforced and those who are guilty of violating the provisions should suffer the full penalty provided in the act.

## Library At Hospital.

A movement is underway to provide a library for use of the patients at the Peninsula General Hospital, the Board of Lady Managers and the Superintendent, Miss Shiel, being at work upon the project.

For the purpose of getting the matter started Miss Shiel will give a "Book Tea" at the Nurses' Home, Friday afternoon, November 18th, at 4 o'clock. Each guest is requested to bring a book of fiction to start the library. Persons who cannot attend the tea on Friday and who have books which they wish to give to the Hospital, can send them to Miss Shiel at any time.

## Elected Sheriff Of Hand County.

Mr. J. J. Morris, former resident of Wicomico county was elected sheriff of Hand County S. D. last week on the Republican ticket. Mr. Morris was the nominee on the regular Republican ticket and was elected after one of the hottest battles ever known in the county. The newly elected sheriff is a son of the late John L. Morris, one of the best known residents of this county for years. He is an uncle of Mr. Oscar Morris of the W. B. Tilghman Co., of this city.

## Commissioner Named.

Emerson C. Harrington was named Tuesday by the Board of Public Works as State Insurance Commissioner to succeed the late Benjamin F. Crouse. He will qualify at once. It was announced by Governor Crothers that the selection of Mr. Harrington was unanimous, all the members of the Board, which includes Governor Crothers, State Comptroller Ulagett and State Treasurer Vandiver voting for him.

## Long Automobile Trip.

Mr. F. W. Baysinger, who resides within a short distance of Salisbury has just returned to his home with his family after an absence of two months. Mr. Baysinger, with his wife and four children visited their relatives and friends at their former home in Medina, Ohio, making the trip exclusively in his Auburn touring car. In going they passed through Baltimore and over the Alleghenies and toured the Northern part of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. In returning they passed through Cleveland, Buffalo and Syracuse, taking in the Delaware water Gap and other points of interest. Notwithstanding the long trip which was made, not a serious mishap of any kind was encountered.

## INTERESTING SUIT RECENTLY DOCKETED

Chancery Case in Regard to Malone Property on Newlin Street in Camden, Purchased a Year Ago.

An interesting case has recently been docketed on the Chancery side of the Circuit Court of Wicomico County, in which Mr. Affra Fooks is complainant and Mr. Elmer C. Williams is respondent. In the bill which has been filed through Attorneys George W.D. Waller Mr. Fooks asks for a Receivership to take charge of the property in Camden belonging to the two parties to the suit and prays for a decree for the sale of the entire joint holdings of the two partners.

It will be remembered that about a year ago Mr. Fooks and Mr. Williams purchased the Malone Property on Newlin Street consisting of about twenty acres, and later made additional purchases from Mr. George R. Hitch and others. At that time it was the intention of the purchasers to speedily place the property upon the market, plat it, and sell it in off in building lots. During the year, however, according to the bill which has been filed "irreconcilable differences of a serious nature" have arisen between the partners, so that Mr. Fooks has been compelled to resort to the Court and ask its intervention.

Upon the filing of the bill a temporary injunction was issued restraining Mr. Williams from selling or in any manner interfering with the property until permitted to do so by further order of the Court. In the answer just filed, Mr. Williams has denied the allegations of the bill and asked for a dissolution of the injunction. Testimony will now be taken after which the Court will be called upon to make a final decision in the premises.

## Noted Evangelist Coming.

Rev. O. B. Falls, of Baltimore, a pastor evangelist of wide reputation will begin a series of meetings in the Division Street Baptist Church on Monday night Dec. 5. Rev. Falls is an exceptionally powerful preacher and attracts large congregations wherever he goes.



REV. O. B. FALLS

Special meetings will commence in this Church Sunday night Nov. 27. Anthony W. Bennett the Gospel Singer will be present. Rev. H. Parlett East, the popular pastor of the East Newmarket Baptist Church will preach each night during the week.

## Nurses Graduate.

The graduating exercises of the nurses graduating from the Training School of the Peninsula General Hospital were held at the Hospital on Tuesday evening. The Superintendent, Miss Shiel, was assisted by the Board of Lady Managers in making the arrangements. More than a hundred guests were present to witness the ceremonies.

The graduates were Miss Ruth Jester Truitt, Miss Eunice Esther Moore and Miss Alice Anne Truitt.

The exercises opened with a prayer by Dr. Graham, Miss Elliott, Mrs. F. P. Adkins, Mr. Edgar Laws and Mr. F. P. Adkins rendered quartette selections. Rev. Dr. Reigart delivered the address to graduates and Hon. William P. Jackson delivered the diplomas to the graduates. Mr. Claude Dorman rendered a solo and Miss Nellie Lankford gave a beautiful instrumental selection.

After the exercises refreshments were served and a pleasant social evening was enjoyed by the guests.

Trinity M. E. Church South, Rev. J. Franklin Cary, pastor, Sunday-school 9:30 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. by Dr. W. H. Edwards and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor: Epworth League, 6:45 P. M.

## MR. WILLIAM P. JACKSON SECURES FULL CONTROL

Entire Holdings of Mr. George H. Weisbach in the Jackson-Weisbach Shirt Factory Passes To Mr. Jackson.

A deal of importance has just been consummated, whereby Mr. William P. Jackson has purchased the entire holdings of Mr. George H. Weisbach in the Jackson-Weisbach Shirt Factory, and is now practically the sole owner of the immense plant. Mr. Weisbach will continue, it is understood, to actively manage the business up to the first of the year when he will sever entirely his connection with the company.

The plant which now comes into Mr. Jackson's entire control is the largest on the Peninsula, and employs hundreds of persons. The business was founded by Mr. Weisbach about fifteen years ago, and it has grown to its present proportions largely through his personal and close attention to the general management of the concern.

The company is incorporated under the laws of Delaware, and has been operating under this charter for a number of years. With the sale of Mr. Weisbach's stock, however, it is stated that the entire capital stock is now owned by Mr. Jackson, with the exception of a few nominal shares. It is understood that the present force will be retained and that the business will be managed by Mr. Jackson along the same lines which have been pursued during the time and that he and Mr. Weisbach have been jointly interested in it.

## Frederick The Great on Thanksgiving Day at the Opera House.

Frederick The Great and his company of magical workers and musical stars had hardly landed in New York before Manager Ullman had booked them as a special attraction for Nov. 24, Thanksgiving Day, matinee and evening.

The matinee is special and will begin at 2 o'clock, in order to give everybody an opportunity for a big dinner without hurrying. That school pupils and everyone else may have an equal chance. Manager Ullman secured a single popular price of 15 cents for matinee, you go as you please and get your own seat. In the evening prices will be 25c, 35c, and 50c.

Frederick The Great is reputed to be the most like the King of Magic, Herrmann, of any magician since Herrmann died. Frederick The Great in his work follows much the same lines, and really uses two of Herrmann's greatest acts, "The Flight of the Favorite," and "The Cremation," which were purchased at great cost. Mme. Adela de Herrmann recently disposed of these acts to Frederick The Great as the most worthy magician to possess them.

However, Frederick The Great has a wonderful array of acts of his own. Some forty in all, large and small. Most of these will be presented on Thursday at both performances, which promises to be the most thrilling ever given in this city.

A special feature is forty minutes with the spirits, during which almost every idea in spirit manifestation is demonstrated. The concluding part of this work will be the famous cabinet manifestations, spirits are said to be actually descending into the cabinet and later leaving it.

The most amazing act of the performance, however, is "The Cremation" scene, in which a condemned princess, who is to be burned at the stake is apparently consumed by flames and nothing is left to tell her fate but the skull and bones that remain after all is over. This scene takes place in a prison cell.

Music is also a feature of the performance, at the head of which is the world renowned Paris Chambers, greatest living cornet virtuoso.

## Thanksgiving Program.

Union Thanksgiving Services will be held at the Division Street Baptist Church at 11 o'clock on the morning of Thanksgiving Day. The public is cordially invited. The program is as follows:

Organ Prelude, Chorus by Special Choir, Doxology, Invocation by Rev. Mr. Carey, Hymn, Scripture reading by Rev. Mr. Beale, Prayer by Rev. Dr. Martindale, Hymn, Reading of the President's Proclamation and Announcements by Rev. Mr. Hewitt. Offering for the Poor of the several churches. Quartette. Sermon by Rev. Dr. Graham. Prayer, Hymn, Benediction, Organ Postlude.

## DISASTROUS FIRE EARLY FRIDAY MORNING

Stable on East Chestnut St. Destroyed By W. E. Sheppard & Co., Destroyed—With Valuable Contents Origin Unknown.

A disastrous fire occurred about four o'clock yesterday morning when the stable on East Chestnut street belonging to former Mayor and Mrs. Charles E. Harper was totally destroyed, together with nearly all the contents which were of a valuable nature. The property was rented by Messrs. W. E. Sheppard & Co. and used by them in connection with their large wholesale business on Main street. At the time of the fire they had in the building two large wagons, which had recently been purchased at a cost of more than one hundred dollars each, two double sets of harness costing about \$125 and their magnificent pair of iron gray dray horses worth about \$300 together with a large quantity of provender. One of the horses made his escape, but with this exception the entire property was destroyed entailing a loss of over \$700 without any insurance. Their general stock and fixtures are of course insured, but this separate property was not included in the policies held by the company.

The barn was worth about \$800 and Mr. Harper stated yesterday morning that he was not certain whether it was included in the policies in connection with their dwelling or not.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery and was not discovered until the entire building was in flames. Mr. Harper was at home to account for it and stated that he came from Harlock on the evening train and retired at about eleven o'clock, at which time there was nothing to indicate a smoldering fire. The teams were put in the stable at five o'clock and no one connected with the company visited the barn after that time.

## Commissioners Busy.

The County Commissioners transacted considerable business on Tuesday last, as follows:

Mr. G. W. Walston and others asked the Commissioners to assist them in fixing the road from Mt. Herman Church to Parker's Chapel. The Board agreed to relocate the road and furnish man and grader to do the necessary work if the residents along the road would furnish teams and do the balance of the work. This was agreed to by those interested.

Commissioner Taylor reported that he had contracted with Lafayette Bounds to work the road from Allen to Collins Wharf, in Trappe District.

A request was made by G. W. Mitchell to have a piece of Snow Hill road worked near the six-mile house. Referred to Commissioner Ward with power to have the work done.

The Board took up the matter of final ratification of report made by S. A. Graham, J. W. Freeny and W. C. Mitchell, L. E. Williams and Fred. Twilley having filed objections, the report was laid over indefinitely.

Mr. John E. Johnson was directed to have Jones' Branch, on the new Snow Hill road, filled and the proper drain pipe put in.

Commissioner Messick reported that he had contracted with Roberts, Conway & Co. to deliver 100,000 bushels of shells at Salisbury.

Engineer Clark reported that the examiners were ready to report on the Hebron-Quantico road.

Report of G. E. Jackson, H. W. Jones and M. K. Morris on widening and straightening of road from Wango to Powellville was filed.

Mrs. R. Benj. Ward, Frank Parker and others asked the Board to shell a piece of road lying about one-half mile north of where the line road leaves the J. H. West road, recently shelled and extending to the new road built to connect with Melson road. Referred to Commissioner Truitt and Engineer Clark.

## Judge Todvin Sitting Alone.

Judge E. Stanley Todvin left for Cambridge Monday to open court at that place. Chief Judge John R. Patton left Cambridge Monday for Annapolis to sit in the Court of Appeals. Judge Jones will be detained in Snow Hill for at least a week more hearing the fifty odd cases of persons indicted for selling whisky at Ocean City.

## Services November 20th.

St. Philip's Quantico—Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m. Spring Hill, Evening Prayer, 8 p. m. Mardela, 7:30 p. m. Thanksgiving Day, November 24th. St. Philip's Quantico, Morning Prayer, 10:30 a. m.

## HAVEN'T YOU BEEN EXPECTING?

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# IT IS A GOOD THING TO GIVE THANKS



## THE CASHIER'S THANKSGIVING.

"I'm going to have a regular old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner," said the cashier, who was looking some, never before having been away from the farm on this festive day.



"Devilish turkey and canned pumpkin," laughed the stenographer. "She was a seasoned bachelor girl and thought it her duty to squelch all sickly sentiment exhibited by the cashier."

She knew that Bess was pining in her secret heart for the lover with whom she had quarreled and on whose account the pretty cashier now was an exile.

"Real turkey and real home-made pumpkin pie and all the trimmings," said the cashier triumphantly. "I couldn't bear to eat at a restaurant tomorrow. I've made all the arrangements with Mrs. Brown. She's going to let me cook on her stove, and I've borrowed enough dishes to put with ours to set the table right here in our room."

The stenographer looked incredulous. "It's a fact. I've bought all the provisions and am expecting the boy with them now. We neither one of us work tomorrow, and we'll have such a dinner as never was. We are going to have company, you know."

"Company!" The stenographer gave an amazed little scream. "Who?"

"Arthur," said the cashier, trying to look innocent.

"Oh, you dear, you dear!" exclaimed the stenographer, smothering the cashier with kisses. "You dear, I'll never tease you about Sam again as long as you live. I've a notion to telegraph him to come too."

"I'll never speak to you again as long as I live if you do such a thing," said Bess, turning pale. "And I wouldn't speak to him either."

Then the boy came with a basket, and the cashier made him pour the provisions out in the middle of the floor.

Such an assortment as was there. Turkey, pumpkin, apples, sweet potatoes, cranberries, oysters, a square of fruit cake, a loaf of bread, a bunch of celery, sugar, flour—everything that could be needed, and all in the small quantities. Even the turkey was a little thing and the pumpkin not much bigger than a football.

"You've bankrupted us," cried the stenographer in despair.

"Only \$2.50, my dear," said the cashier calmly. "You see, I've saved us money. We expected to have a good dinner tomorrow anyway. Now we will have enough left over to last us till Sunday."

"And Arthur is coming, bless his heart," cooed the stenographer. "What a day we will have. If only—She paused and looked at Bess."

"There are no 'ifs' only's in the case. Let's get busy," said the cashier bravely, but there was a tear in her eye. "I will put the turkey and oysters in Mrs. Brown's icebox, and you may cut up the pumpkin. We will stew it tonight and be ready for the pies in the morning."

"Look here, Bess. There's a name on this pumpkin. I am hot on the trail of a romance," said the stenographer.

Bess came and looked over the stenographer's shoulder.

There in rude letters on the pumpkin's yellow skin was carved the name of all names and this unique message: "Sam Beaneffeld, Clydenore, Ind., would like to correspond with the handsome young girl who gets this pumpkin."

The cashier burst into tears.

"It is your Sam, isn't it?" asked the stenographer.

"Yes," sobbed the cashier. "And the wretch is trying to get up a flirtation with some city girl. He thinks somebody will see the name and write to him. Oh, how I hate him!"

To prove that she hated him she threw herself on the bed and wept for half an hour.

In the mean time the stenographer was busy with the pumpkin. But, when she cut it up she



THE NAME OF ALL NAMES.

keep in one place the section on which Bess's name was carved.



When morning came Bess was too busy to be lonesome. The landlady gave the two girls the run of her kitchen and furnished them with all the spices they needed for their cooking. She was almost as much interested in the great dinner as the girls were.

Before noon the doctor's boy came with flowers from Arthur, and when the table was set and decorated it was a triumph of cozy beauty.

When Arthur entered the hallway at 2 o'clock he found a tall young stranger carefully studying the names beneath the speaking tubes.

"For whom are you looking?" asked Arthur.

"For Miss Elizabeth Grant," said the stranger.

"Oh," said Arthur, eying the stranger critically. He felt that for the stenographer's sake he was the natural protector of the little cashier. His inspection, however, convinced him that the tall stranger was all right, though it was clear that he came from the country.

"You know her?" asked Arthur at last.

"We are old friends," said the tall stranger, blushing.

"Then come with me," said Arthur cordially. "I am going up there now."

When Arthur knocked at the door the stenographer went to open it. Her eyes were shining. Bess turned her back and pretended to be busy at the window.

The stenographer's words of welcome died on her tongue when she saw that Arthur was not alone.

"This gentleman wants to see Miss Grant," said Arthur.

The little cashier turned slowly toward the door.

"Sam!" she cried.

"Bess!" He came rapidly toward her and took her hands. "Bess, it was a foolish quarrel. I could not bear to think of your being alone here on Thanksgiving day."

The stenographer hurried around to lay a fourth plate at the Thanksgiving dinner table—George Weymouth in Chicago Tribune.

A glorious day. 'Twas a glorious Thanksgiving. For we thanked the Lord for living In a world that's full of sunshine soft and bright.

For the sweet birds that are singing. For the joy bells that are ringing. An' the rest that brings the gentle dreams at night.

A glorious Thanksgiving. An' a joy to just be living Under skies with not a cloud in all their blue.

When you see the bright lights shining Far—far from all repining. An' the angels kiss their finger tips to you, An' the angels kiss their finger tips to you.

Frank L. Stanton.

Billie's got the colic. Jane's an awful mess—she spilled the brimming gravy boat upon her Sunday dress. Jimmy came from football with plasters on his head. Bess gave our ice cream to the cat—of course, she went to bed. Father talked all through the meal of aphthous fever milk, while Olive pestered Uncle Jim for a raincoat made of silk. I tore my brand new trousers in a fight with Butch McGlynn, and Pete the cop just told my pop he'd like to run me in. When father said, "Well, Mary, what thanks will you give."

—Rude M. Best.

## "COME OUT, ALL."

When Mother Announces Thanksgiving Dinner Is Ready.

In the parlor all except mother, who is bustling at the fount of those Arab odors, are gathered in a studiously different circle. Of course to such the eating part is nothing. They can wait, enjoying conversation. The reminiscences of the evening before around the lamp and hearth are resumed, fascinating them, but now—huh!

"Do you remember, Lou?" asks father. Uncle Lou does. Ha, ha! Ho, ho! Nevertheless—

Will dinner never be ready? Aunt and uncle and grandparent draw you to them to fondle and 'unter and query. But how may you know how old one is, or where was Moses when the light went out, or why a hen crosses the road, when one has resolved into stomach and nose and all one's thoughts are in that adjoining room?

Will dinner never be ready? Grandmother is telling you in her gentle voice of when she was a little girl and not so old as you and they had Thanksgiving. Interesting should such a recital be. But—

Oh, dear! Won't dinner ever be ready?

"Where are you going, Johnny?" demands father sternly.

"You want a drink of water—just a drink of water—in the other room."

"No; you stay right in here, with us. You'll bother mother."

Well, But—

Won't dinner ever—Ah! Mother stands upon the threshold. Flushed, warm and triumphant, she bids, "Come out, all."

Since then you have heard by the Dutch ovens of the roundup fire the cook's long yelp of "Chuck!" or on shipboard you have sprung to the galley boy's beckoning wake. You have dropped most willingly into place at the logging camp long table or, tired and spent by a day of strenuous business, in the club's cafe you have sighed with relief as the silent waiter bore in the soup and bread sticks. But mother's smiling "Come out, all," can never be overshadowed—Edwin L. Sablin in Lippincott's.

Cause For Thanks.

Billy's got the colic. Jane's an awful mess—she spilled the brimming gravy boat upon her Sunday dress. Jimmy came from football with plasters on his head. Bess gave our ice cream to the cat—of course, she went to bed. Father talked all through the meal of aphthous fever milk, while Olive pestered Uncle Jim for a raincoat made of silk. I tore my brand new trousers in a fight with Butch McGlynn, and Pete the cop just told my pop he'd like to run me in. When father said, "Well, Mary, what thanks will you give."

—Rude M. Best.

dear?" Ma said, "Give thanks Thanksgiving comes only once a year."

Parson Writes Proclamation.

In days of old only New England governors issued Thanksgiving proclamations. Here is a little story as to how Missouri joined in. An old time Methodist parson writes it:

"In the summer of 1850 I was the guest of an old friend, a good Methodist down in Benton county, and during the afternoon he asked me how it happened that the governor of Missouri never issued a Thanksgiving proclamation."

"I told him that I had never considered the matter, but would suggest it to Governor Stewart as soon as I returned to Jefferson City."

"My friend said that if the proclamation was issued I must be his guest on Thanksgiving day and that a yellow gobbler should at once be put in fattening against the feast."

"In the course of time I got back to the capital and called upon the governor to suggest the advisability of issuing the proclamation."

"Well, parson," said the governor, "that's in the religious line. Suppose you write it."

"I at once proceeded to write it out."

A Collect For Thanksgiving Day. I thank thee, Father, for thy sky. Wherein thy little sparrows fly. For unseen hands that build and break The cloud pavilions for my sake. This feeling beauty, high and wild. Toward which I wonder as a child.

And thanks for morning's stir and light And for the folding hush of night; For those high deliriums that spread The star filled chasm overhead; For elfin chemistries that yield The green fires of the April field; For all the foam and surge of bloom, For leaves gone glorious to their doom— All the wild loveliness that can Touch the immortal in a man.

Father of life, I thank thee, too. For old acquaintance, near and true. For friends who came into my day And took the loneliness away; For faith that held on to the last. For all sweet memories of the past— Dear memories of my dear that send Long thoughts of life and of life's end. That make me know the light conceals A deeper world than it reveals.

—Edwin Markham in Success.

Thanksgiving. I offer thanks! No flaming sword my Eden's gate has barred. No blot of shame my escutcheon marred. The good stars of my horoscope have reigned. No hope deferred my heart's content has pained. My fireless ring remains a perfect round. Wherefore from my glad lips let this resound. "I offer thanks!"

I offer thanks! Twelvemonth of plenty and of peace I've known. No wind of fate contrariwise has blown. Through tranquil zones of calm my bark has steered. No sea-drowed wrecks have in my ports appeared. No false mirages have perplexed my ken. No vexing phantoms crying "Might have been!"

I offer thanks! —Rude M. Best.

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## TO ALING WOMEN.

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No woman can be healthy and well if the kidneys are sick. Poisons that pass off in the secretions when the kidneys are well, are retained in the body when the kidneys are sick. Kidneys and bladder become inflamed and swollen and worse troubles quickly follow. This is often the true cause of bearing down pains, lameness, backache, sideache, etc. Uric poisoning also causes headaches, dizzy spells, languor, nervousness and rheumatic pain.

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"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep." Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N.Y.

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"I never worry about my health any more."

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Can't look well, fat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Bat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

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## Injury to Injury.

"Poor Bickers has a very hard hearted wife," said Trivet.  
"What's the trouble now?" asked Dicer.  
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## Two of a Mind.

"Answer me, Clara," he said in a moment of passion. "I can bear this suspense no longer!"  
"Answer him, Clara," echoed the old man in the hall, thinking of the coal and gas bills. "I can't bear this expense much longer!"

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## A Fish Tale.

Fisherman—I bought a fly book for each of us. Notice—Think we'll have time to read them?—Brooklyn Life.

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Mother to her daughter—Will you play that new sonata for the doctor? Daughter—But, mamma, the doctor has had so much sorrow lately. Doctor—But, my dear young lady, to hear you play will not be pleasure.—Elegante Bletter.

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## HONEST WORK.

Work in every hour, paid or unpaid. See only that thou workest and thou canst not escape the reward. Whether thy work be fine or coarse, planting corn or writing epics, so only it be honest work done in thine own approbation, it shall earn a reward to thy senses as well as to the thought. The reward of a thing well done is to have done it.—Emerson.

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A house wandered into a downtown barber shop and after being shaved sat down in the bootblack's chair.  
"How do you get paid? Wages?" he asked.  
"No, sub," answered the bootblack.  
"I work on a percentage. Sixty per cent's mine."  
"Shikshty p'cent yours?" said the house deliberately.  
"Shikshty p'cent."  
"Yes, sub."  
"If you taken in hundred dollars you keep shikshty?"  
"Yes, sub."  
"If you take in thousand you keep shikshty hundred?"  
"Yes, sub."  
"An' hundred thousand you keep shikshty thousand?"  
"Yes, sub."  
"My, my," said the house in puzzled manner. "What're you goin' to do with so much money?"—New York Journal.

## Warning the Colonel.

A raw recruit from a remote corner of the Green Isle was engaged for the first time in a field maneuver in England on outpost duty. The sergeant instructed him to look out carefully for the colonel coming to inspect the post. After an hour he returned and asked the soldier, "Has the colonel been here?"  
Receiving an answer in the negative, he went away, returning later on with the same inquiry.  
A while later the colonel appeared. The recruit did not salute properly, which incensed the colonel, who as a hint, asked him:  
"Do you know who I am?"  
"Faith and I do not," answered the recruit.  
"I am the colonel."  
"Begorra, you will catch it then," said the soldier. "The sergeant has been asking twice for you already!"

## Far From Upright.

Reilly and Coran were "having it out." They had been deadly enemies for years, but neither had offered to lay hands on the other up to now, both of them being somewhat afraid of the issue.  
Before they commenced it was stipulated that it was to be a fair "stand up" fight, and with that they started. Coran had it all his own way from the beginning. He kept knocking Reilly down and down again until that worthy was about sick of it. He turned to the bystanders and said, "Sure, an' wasn't it to be a fair, stand up fight?"  
"It was," returned an onlooker.  
"An' ow, thin, can he be expectin' me ter fight 'im fairly if he do be knockin' me down all the time?"—London Ideal.

## Her Evidence.

"I had a colored woman named Jones as a complaining witness," said a criminal court judge. "She had a charge that he had attacked her with a pair of scissors. 'He maul' her gough mah eye out, judge,' she said to me. 'Jes' come at me lak a lion, he did, a-roarin' sub. He poke me in the face wit dem scissors, judge, not once, but for four or five times. He jes' cut up my face lak it was a yald of ribbon, judge. The magistrate what held him to dis heah court says he nevah did hear tell of no more dangerous man.'"

"Well, I looked her over. She had a wide, smooth, yellow face that didn't have a mark on it. I told her to repeat her story, and she went all over it again, telling how the man had slashed her face with that pair of scissors."

"But, madam," I said, "there isn't a mark on your face."

"Marks!" said she indignantly. "Marks! What I care for marks, lem me ask you dat? I got witnesses, I tell you."—New York Cor. Cincinnati Times-Star.

## She Had Courage.

A self possessed young woman who knew no French strolled into one of the larger downtown cafes. She spoke to the waiter in that decisive tone which distinguishes the initiated and glanced over the French bill of fare with the nonchalant air of a Parisienne.

"I'll have," she began firmly as she plunged into the sea of French dishes. "I'll have—let me see. Oh, yes, I'll have some bisque tortoni, a sultana roll, pommes de terre and a little of that fromage. And, garcon, you might as well bring me a cup of coffee."

The waiter gasped. He started to speak, but the young woman from him with one of those icy stares peculiar to the thoroughly sophisticated.

And the order arrived—two kinds of ices, boiled potatoes and a piece of cheese. But she ate it as if she had been used to that sort of diet all her life.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Stories on Doctors.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle told several good stories of old fashioned practitioners he knew. There was one man, he said, who never used to wash out the half emptied bottles returned to him, but emptied them into one twice far, from which he dispensed this mixture of medicines to his more obscure patients. "It is like grapes," he said; "one of them is sure to hit." There was another man who used to say, "When my patients are alive I don't know what is the matter with them and when they die I don't know whether they are dead." That was like the medical man who said to a lady whose husband he had been attending, "Madam, I have a very strong belief that your husband is dead, but if it is your wish I have no objection to a consultation."

## Cute Little Girl.

One day while Katherine's mother was ill a cup of beef tea was prepared for her, but Katherine fancied it and drank almost all of it. Her father was about to scold her when her mother said:  
"Never mind; it does me just as much good to see her drink it."  
Shortly after this a dose of castor oil was prepared for Katherine, and she poured it into her doll's mouth.  
"Why Katherine," said her astonished mother, "what did you do that for?"  
"That's all right," Katherine replied. "It will do me just as much good if she drinks it."—Boston Herald.

## The Danger of Criticism.

If you simply cannot help criticizing at least be careful in selecting your victim.  
A magazine editor to whom O. Henry had promised a story many times without delivering it sat down one day and wrote him thus:  
"My Dear O. Henry—If I do not receive that story from you by noon to-day I am going to put on my No. 11 shoes and come down and kick you down your own stairs. I never fail to keep my promises."

Whereupon O. Henry replied:  
"I, too, would keep my promises if I could do all my work with my feet."—Chicago Tribune.

## The Battle of a Week.

The battle of a week was the great conflict at Tours in which Charles Martel overthrew the Saracens, A. D. 732. The members of the Saracen army are variously estimated at from 400,000 to 700,000, and the historians say that 875,000 were killed on the field. It is suspected that these figures are a gross exaggeration, but it is certain that few battles of history have been either as bloody or as decisive.

## In the Mining Business.

"I think you said, Rustus, that you had a brother in the mining business in the west?"  
"Yeh, boss, that's right."  
"What kind of mining—gold mining, silver mining, copper mining?"  
"No, sah, none o' those, calcimining."—Everybody's.

## The Angel.

Wife—I am trimming up last year's hat to save the cost of a new one! Hubby—How good of you! You're a perfect little angel! Wife—Am I? Then give me \$10 to buy wings.

## His Impression.

Mrs. Kalkter—Now, will you remember everything, John? Kalkter—Yeh, I'm to turn the flowers out at night and sprinkle the cat.—Harper's.

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## THANKSGIVING.

Perhaps no country in the world has a prettier and more hallowed custom than that which prevails in the United States of setting aside one day in the year as a time of national thanksgiving to the Giver of all Good for the blessings which have been received during the year. The custom has been in vogue from time immemorial and with each swiftly revolving year becomes more fully a part and parcel of our life and civilization. It has wrought into the very fabric of our national structure a higher conception of life's obligation and possibilities and has a decided tendency to counteract the intensely commercial ideas which have unfortunately too strong a hold upon the people of the present century.

No matter in what condition of sphere in life we may find ourselves there are always a thousand things for which we can be thankful. As there is a silver lining to every cloud, so there is a ray of light which pierces every darker scene. As a backward glance is taken over the days that are gone and the vicissitudes which have come in the ever changing panorama of human life, it is always true that the brighter lines of life far outnumber the somber, and humanity instinctively turns to Him who doeth all things well with a prayer of thanksgiving and psalm of praise on its lips.

The disasters of life which crowd upon us, the reverses which suddenly overtake us, the crushed hopes and changed plans which constantly bewilder and discourage us are but a part of the great swirling tide of life's ceaseless and endless struggle. He who does not struggle knows nothing of the vital elements by which sturdy character is formed and fashioned. Every blasted hope has its glorious compensation and every bitter struggle its adequate reward. Human life is a vast question mark. Its enigmas and mysteries are unrolled as a scroll day by day and the events of the morrow as are completely shrouded in absolute darkness as are the events of a century hence. The veil of the future cannot be pierced for a single second and well it is that such is the case. But we know that no matter where the lines of life may fall there is an Overruling Providence which guides and moulds the current of individual lives just as surely as it controls the destiny of nations.

It is well, then, that as a nation at least one day in each year is set apart as a period of thanksgiving and rejoicing. No life is so destitute but that it is crowded with innumerable blessings and it is eminently fitting and proper that we render unto the Great Giver of all Good due and proper recognition for the manifold bounties with which our lives have been endowed and crowded.

## When is That Station to be Built.

Why is it that the New York, Philadelphia & Norfolk Railroad officials guard so zealously their proposed plans as to the new station at Salisbury, if they really have determined to erect a new building in this city. It has repeatedly been given out that the Company had fully decided to expend a large sum of money here and that it was simply a question as to the location and the completion of the plans.

But it seems impossible to obtain any official verification of the rumors which have so frequently been floating around town that the Company has frequently had representatives here looking over the situation is certain, but when they left the people were as much in the dark as to their plans as before they came. There has been an air of mystery connected with the whole performance and any quantity of intangible and indefinite propositions have filtered to the public through various channels. But when anything certain is attempted to be ascertained no information can be secured and the wondering and patient and long suffering community finds itself just where it has been for the past decade.

If the Company really means business, why shouldn't the announcement be made openly and plainly. Salisbury wants the station and badly needs it and it has waited until patience has almost ceased to be a virtue.

## Editorial Jottings

Be thankful.

Another plum for the Eastern Shore! There are some advantages about having an Eastern Shore Executive.

As the street paving marked an epoch in Salisbury's history, so will the coming of the trolley system mark another distinct triumph and forward step.

Salisbury is still waiting for that official announcement from the Census Bureau. But as it expects to be placed at the head of the Eastern Shore towns, it is waiting in patience.

Christmas shoppers are now busy. Many realize it is much better to begin now, rather than wait until within a short time of the holidays. The selections are better and plenty of time can be given to it.

The Diamond State Telephone Company should pay more attention to its night service. The calls are not frequent, but when they are made, they are usually of the most important and imperative character and should be answered promptly. An instance of the kind occurred on Friday morning when Mrs. Harper attempted to communicate with Mr. William E. Sheppard at the time of the burning of the stable on Chestnut Street. It was necessary that Mr. Sheppard be reached at once, but notwithstanding repeated efforts, "Central" never responded to her call.

One of the largest business concerns in Salisbury recently requested this office to bid on a printing job involving about \$25.00. The same request was made of the other publishing houses of Salisbury, and the contract was awarded the lowest bidder. No one objects to or criticises a plain business proposition of this kind. But when it is remembered that this is the method employed in the business world, what can be said of a municipality which refuses to obtain bids from competing concerns and awards a contract involving thousands of dollars of the public's money to a corporation at its own figures.

## Important Meeting in Salisbury Grange To-night.

An important meeting of the Salisbury Grange will be held this (Saturday) evening at the Lodge Room, to which everybody is invited. It will be addressed by Mr. Francis L. Mooney, who is a forceful and interesting talker. The following letter addressed to Mr. William P. Ward, of Salisbury Grange, explains itself.

Dear Sir:—As requested in yours of Nov. 11th, Mr. Francis L. Mooney, of the Speakers Committee, will arrive in Salisbury about 7 o'clock Saturday evening to address the Salisbury Grange on the subject of the Initiative and Referendum.

Trusting that you will have a large audience to listen to Mr. Mooney whom you will find to be an able and forceful speaker and thoroughly familiar with the subject.

I am very truly yours,  
JOHN L. V. MURPHY, Sec.

Mr. Murphy is Secretary of the Direct Legislative League of Maryland, which is now becoming quite a powerful organization. All the members of the Salisbury Grange are expected to be present at this meeting.

This will be an Open House and the Grange extends a cordial invitation to any one who may wish to hear this subject of the Initiative and Referendum discussed by this able speaker. Come and learn that "The Rights of the People are safe with the People."

## "Sis Perkins".

Did you ever sit on a mossy bank and look at the sun-kissed brook as it merrily dances in glee around the protruding pebbles and feel glad that you were alive? Well, that is the same sensation that you experience when you go to see "Sis Perkins", the clever show that is soon to be here. When the curtain drops on the last act you feel as though you had been refreshed by a drink of good cool spring water. One night only Opera House Nov. 21.

## Thanksgiving Entertainment.

The Primary Department of the Division Street Baptist Sunday School will give an interesting entertainment in the main auditorium of the Church on Thanksgiving night. A silver offering will be received. The proceeds of this entertainment will go towards the building fund of the Church. A splendid program has been prepared and an unusually good time is promised.

## A Pythian Rally.

A big Pythian Rally was held at the Castle Hall on Thursday evening, at which a large number of Pythians were present, the special feature of the occasion being the presence of Grand Keeper of Records and Seal James M. Hendrix of Baltimore and Grand Master at Arms John F. Thomas. Addresses were made by the Grand Officers and by Mayor William F. Bonds, Attorney L. Atwood Bennett, and Prof. William J. Hogaway, after which refreshments were served. Dr. H. C. Robertson, Chancellor Commander and Mr. S. J. R. Hogaway, Keeper of Records and Seal of the Lodge at this time.

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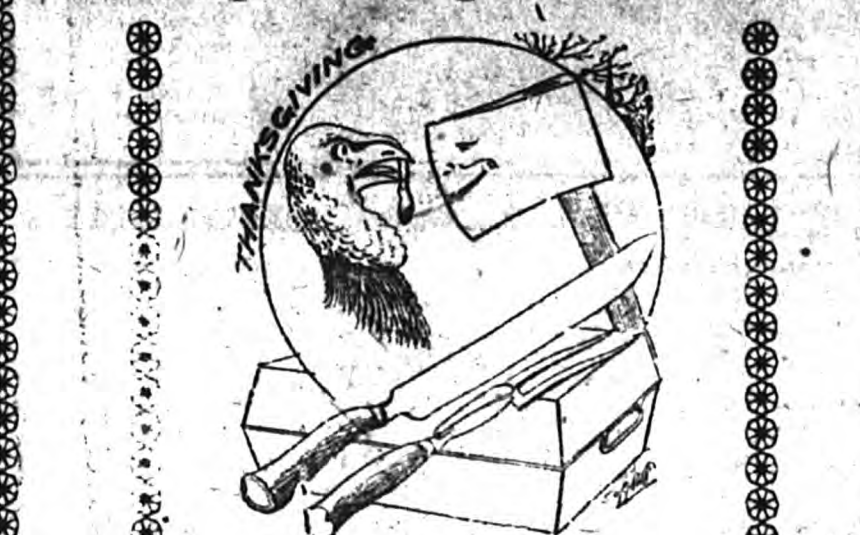
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## Town Topics.

Mr. H. L. Brewington was in New York several days this week on business.

Dr. J. Mc. P. Dick was called to Snow Hill last Monday on account of the illness of Mr. Thomas J. Henman.

The gasoline steamer "James Denson" which was on the railway for two days, has resumed her regular trips.

You are surely going to the oyster supper at Friendship Church near West, Thanksgiving afternoon and night.

Miss Catharine F. Sutherland of West Locust St. is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. Frank Holloway, of Wilmington, N. C., is spending a few days in Salisbury with his mother, Mrs. D. J. Holloway, Walnut Street.

Newtown and Camden teams will play a game of football by the new rules on Tuesday, November 22, at 3.30 p. m., on Disharoon's lot.

The County Sheriff was at the Opera House on Wednesday evening last and was well received. The Company had some fine scenery and at times was quite breezy.

Ocean City gunners are having very good success in bagging ducks, but as yet not many geese have been killed as it is rather early for them to come south in very large quantities.

Mr. Augustus Toadvin, of R. E. Powell & Co., has been in New York this week buying ladies' coats and suits. He has returned home with a large line which is now being displayed.

Mrs. F. M. Dick gave the first of a series of receptions at her delightful country home, "Hambrooks" Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Dick was assisted in receiving by Miss Rebecca Smith, of Salisbury.

The Southern Convocation of the Diocese of Eastern convened in St. Andrew's Church, Princess Anne, last Wednesday and Thursday. Rev. W. H. Darbie of Quantico was among those present.

Court is still in session in Snow Hill, and it is likely to run well over into next week. The 51 whiskey indictments will consume a great deal of the time to say nothing of other matters that must be attended to.

Mr. L. H. Harper, agent for the P. B. & W. and B. C. & A. R. R. Co., at Hurlock, met with quite a painful accident Thursday afternoon, when a large trunk fell from a baggage truck, striking him on the knee and ankle.

Cads are out announcing the approaching wedding of Miss Louise Waller Perry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perry, to Mr. Mark Cooper on Saturday afternoon November 26th, at one o'clock at St. Peter's E. Church.

Mr. William A. Blacksmith, of Harrisburg, and Miss Anna Grier Musser, of Marietta, Penn., were married by Rev. William T. M. Beale, pastor of the Wilcomico Presbyterian church at "Manac" on Friday November 11th.

The new company which is to construct the line to Nanticoke Point commenced active operations on Tuesday morning last, when engineers started the surveying. It is understood that as soon as this is completed the work of grading will be immediately taken up.

All special scenery and mechanical effects are carried by the "Sis Perkins" Company. The play is on the order of "Way Down East" and "The Old Home Stead." It's worth your while to take advantage of this opportunity and do not make a mistake, but see this great play. Ullman's Opera House Nov. 21st.

Mr. L. W. Gunby, of Salisbury, conducted the services here last Sunday in the absence of the minister, who is taking a month's vacation. Mr. Gunby is a very intelligent man, and his talk was enjoyed by the congregation very much. Ocean City Item.—Berlin Advance.

County Superintendent W. J. Holloway expects to attend the annual meeting of the School Commissioners and County Superintendents Association of Maryland which will be held at the State Normal School Building in Baltimore on Thursday and Friday, December 1st and 2nd.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces examinations to be held at Salisbury on December 7th for the position of linotype machinist in the Government Printing Office and the position of teacher in the Philippine Service. On the 10th of December an examination will be held to fill the position of pleaster.

J. G. Harrison & Sons consummated last week the largest land deal ever made in Berlin, involving large general business interests. They purchased the remainder of the Buckingham tract at Ironshore, also the Henry farm, the Evans farm and the Burbage farm. This gives them a tract of 1,472 acres around the station.

Dr. H. C. Robertson left yesterday for Baltimore on business and will be away for several days.

The regular Sunday services will be held at the Division Street Baptist Church. The pastor will preach at all the services.

The Brotherhood of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church had a delightful meeting at the home of Mr. Dyson Humphreys on Wednesday evening last.

An interesting match is to be held at the Fair Grounds on Thanksgiving at 9.30 a. m. by the Salisbury Gun Club, in which all the local gun celebrities will participate.

The choir of the Methodist Protestant Church will give a recitation Thanksgiving evening at 7.30. An interesting program has been arranged for the occasion. A silver offering will be received at the door.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hammond, of Hammond's, gave a masquerade party at their home Saturday evening last. There were sixty persons present and twenty-five of them were masked. They all had a delightful time.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Agnes, to Mr. Benjamin S. Woolston. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday evening, November 29th, in Trinity M. E. Church South.

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Misses Eliza Priscilla and Lottie Fish and Miss Carrie Fish left Tuesday morning for Shreveport, La., where they will spend the winter months with relatives. Mr. Whitefield B. Lowe and family will occupy the Fish residence while the family are away.

Miss Katharine Toadvin, daughter of Judge Toadvin, and her friend Miss Crumb, of Pittsburgh were the guests of Captain and Mrs. Robert R. Counts, at the Naval Academy, Annapolis for the week end. The young ladies witnessed the foot ball game between the Middles and the Indians and attended the Saturday night hop at the Academy.

Rev. C. A. Hill D. D., pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, Wilmington and a former pastor of Asbury Church, this city, will preach in the latter Church on Sunday morning and evening at the regular hours. Dr. Hill is here at this time especially in the interest of the Wilmington City Missionary Society, which is connected with the general missionary work of the church.

At the session of the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South which has just been held at Richmond, it was decided to hold next year's meeting in Salisbury. This is the first time the Conference will ever have been held in Maryland. The sessions of the Conference will of course be held in Trinity Church which is one of the largest and handsomest churches connected with the Conference.

At Bethesda Methodist Protestant Church Rev. Dr. Graham, the pastor, will preach Sunday at 11.00 A. M. on "Good and Perfect Gifts Thanksgiving Preparation". At 7.30 P. M. the subject will be "Some Mistakes and Some of God's Worthiest Servants". Sabbath School 9.30 A. M. Christian Endeavor Thanksgiving in the lecture room 6.45 P. M. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. G. M. Fisher, the jeweler, has recently made many improvements to his store on Main street. The partition has been moved back, giving 100 square feet more floor space; three eight-foot counter cases and an umbrella case have been added. Forty-four new jewelry trays have been added to the counter cases. These improvements give Mr. Fisher a very attractive store, besides enabling him to make a much better display of his stock.

John G. Taylor, Esq., former Police Captain in New York City, now on the retired list, was instrumental in the arrest of Col. Christopher W. Wilson, president of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, which is said to have been one of the biggest takes ever landed in this country. Captain Taylor was a former resident of this county, being the grandson of the late William Nutter of Nutter's District. For many years he was one of the most prominent police officers of N. Y. City.

The officers of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association are arranging for a conference of delegates from eight counties on the Eastern Shore and four counties of Southern Maryland with committees from the Baltimore trade organizations looking to a more intimate business relationship of the people of those counties with Baltimore. At the meeting, which will be held some time between November 20th and December 1st plans will be considered and the best of the suggestions offered will be adopted, prominent to effecting arrangements for closer transportation facilities and connection between the territory indicated and Baltimore city.

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"I think I'll send a ton of coal to  
every widow in the district. How is  
that for a scheme?"  
"Pretty fair. But what if the other  
candidate sends coal to them as well?"  
"Widows yet? They control the votes."  
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### There Was No Applause.

Just before the operation began the  
operating surgeon said to the students:  
"Now, gentlemen, no applause, if you  
please."

When he was convalescing the pa-  
tient declared that that warning re-  
mained his most vivid impression of  
the ordeal.

"I wondered then how any human  
being could have the heart to applaud  
an act that had brought another face  
to face with death, but later I under-  
stood. On account of heart trouble  
they did not dare administer an anes-  
thetic, so I was conscious of every-  
thing, and in spite of the pain I re-  
alized that the surgeon was doing a  
mighty skillful piece of work. No  
wonder the students wanted to ap-  
plaud. They were justified in it."

"Some years ago they would have  
clapped the house down after an ex-  
hibition of that kind, an old hospital  
attendant told me, but nowadays doc-  
tors discourage any such demonstra-  
tion."—New York Sun.

### Forgery in Excelsis.

The most remarkable literary for-  
gery on record was perpetrated in 1870  
on Michael Chasles, a French scien-  
tist of European reputation. Chasles,  
who was in his dotage, purchased  
within a few years from one Vrain-  
Lucas no fewer than 27,000 auto-  
graphs. A. M. Broadley tells the story  
in his "Criminals on Autographs." "Be-  
ginning with a supposed correspond-  
ence between the youthful Newton  
and Pascal, Vrain-Lucas proceeded to  
fabricate letters of Rabelais, Montes-  
quieu and La Bruyere. Before he had  
finished M. Chasles became the posses-  
sor of letters in French, and written on  
paper made in France, of Julius Cae-  
sar, Cleopatra, Mary Magdalene and  
even of Lazarus after his resurrec-  
tion." Vrain-Lucas was sentenced to  
two years' imprisonment, and among  
other forged manuscripts from his pen  
there were produced in court letters  
from Alexander the Great, Herod,  
Pompey, Judas Iscariot, Sappho, Pon-  
tius Pilate and Joan of Arc!

### The Llama With a Saddle.

In his native country the llama is  
trained as a beast of burden, and in  
this capacity is very useful for, hard  
and wiry by nature, he can carry as  
much as a 160 pounds. As a mount,  
too, he is quite easy to train. Indeed,  
both the llama and the onkelo take to  
the saddle as to the manner born  
when once they have assured them-  
selves that their teacher wishes them  
well. Their most striking peculiarity  
as saddle animals, however, is a strong  
objection to having their heads in any  
way pulled about by their riders. So  
long as their mouths are left alone  
they will amble along quite contented-  
ly at a fair rate of speed, but if they  
are ridden by some one with a heavy  
hand they show a tendency to stop at  
once, whipping round in a manner dis-  
tinctly disconcerting to those who do  
not quite realize what is going to hap-  
pen.—Wide World Magazine.

### Turn About.

In a certain southern city the col-  
ored servants, as a rule, go to their  
own homes at night. The cook in the  
family of a clergyman not only does  
this, but of late has arrived at the  
rectory too late to cook breakfast.  
Hence her mistress lately told her that  
for each breakfast missed there would  
be a reduction in her weekly wages.  
Dinah passively assented to this, but  
next day the mistress heard the maid  
next door say to her:

"Pears to me you got to work  
mighty late."

"I gets to work when I gets ready,"  
was the reply.

"How does you manage about de  
breakfast?"

"Oh, I pays de missus to cook de  
breakfast."—Housekeeper.

### A Schoolboy's Story of Jonah.

"A school board boy, competing for  
one of the Peck prizes, evolved this  
confusion of widely different events.  
He had to write a short biography of  
Jonah, and he produced the follow-  
ing: "He was the father of Lot and  
had two wives. One was called Ish-  
male and the other Hagher. He kept  
one at home and turned the other into  
the desert, when she became a pillow  
of salt in the daytime and a pillow of  
fire at night."—From Wheatley's "Lit-  
erary Blunders."

### Her Diplomacy.

"You could make my future bright-  
er," he said, looking at her longingly.  
"I could say the same," she replied,  
looking down.

"How?" he asked eagerly.  
"Well, an engagement ring with a  
diamond in it would help some," she  
admitted.—Boston Herald.

### What She Did Wish.

"Well, why don't you say you wish  
you were a man?" asked Mr. Potts  
during a little discussion he was hav-  
ing with his spouse about some mat-  
ters of domestic management.  
"Because I don't wish anything of  
the sort," she retorted; "I only wish  
you were one!"

### Quick Both Ways.

A Scotch-laird once said to his ser-  
vant, John, who had complained of his  
temper, "I am sure, John, it is no  
sinner on than it's off."  
"Aye," said John; "but, laird, it's  
nae sinner off than it's on."

### Not At All Necessary.

"What was the cause of the quarrel  
with your husband?"  
"I want you to understand, judge,  
that when we want to fight we don't  
have to have a cause."—New York  
Press.

A slip is the most that mortals are  
permitted from any goblet of delight.  
—Alcott.

### What They Ate.

Tobias Smollett wrote his "Humphrey  
Clinker" in 1771, the last year of his  
life, giving therein a spirited account  
of the society and customs then pre-  
vailing in London town. He exposed  
the iniquities practiced by the purvey-  
ors of provisions at that time. Oysters  
were "bleated" and "floated" then as  
now; veal was whitened by repeated  
bleedings of the live animal; greens  
were boiled with brass half pence to  
improve the color; the wine in com-  
mon use was a "pernicious sophistica-  
tion, balderdash with cider, corn  
spirit and the juice of sloes," and oth-  
er revelations not suited to repetition  
in this polite age indicated that al-  
most every article of diet was profit-  
ably "treated" before it reached the  
ultimate consumer. That "bleached"  
veal is no new commodity was also  
shown, while Smollett's added com-  
ment furnishes excellent food for re-  
flection:

"The bread I eat in London is a  
deleterious paste, mixed up with chalk,  
alum and bone ashes, insipid to the  
taste and destructive to the constitu-  
tion. The good people are not ig-  
norant of this adulteration, but they  
prefer it to wholesome bread because  
it is whiter than the meal of corn."—  
Washington Post.

### Fires and Insurance.

The agent of a well known insur-  
ance company stood on the fringe of  
the crowd watching the firemen retir-  
ing from the scene of a small blaze in  
an uptown flat-house.

"I'll do business tomorrow mor-  
ning," said he grimly, "and most of it  
will be with women who have 'forgot-  
ten' their insurance has run out.  
There's nothing like a blaze on the  
block to set thoughts in the direction  
of insurance. Last week a woman  
was waiting for me when I opened  
my office. Her husband had given her  
money to take out insurance weeks  
before, and she had spent it for a new  
hat. The night before a fire had  
broken out on the second flat above-  
theirs, and, believe me, that woman  
must have suffered tortures until the  
fate of the house was settled. She  
paid the premium in small change,  
which I believe she took from a child's  
bank, rather than confess her neglect  
to her husband."—New York World.

### The Poor.

We all love the poor. It would be  
entirely unnecessary, if not positively  
caddish, to say that we hate the poor.  
But there are two kinds of poor—the  
individual poor and the collective poor.  
It is not the individual poor that we  
love; it is the collective poor. It is not  
the poor that we know and see, but  
the poor that we do not know and  
have neither time nor inclination to  
look at. We are afraid if we see them  
we shall cease to love them. We never  
say, "God bless the iceman, or the  
coal heaver, or the motorman." For  
them we find our excretions for not  
contributing to our comfort just so and  
so and so.

It is with great fervor, however, that  
we can say, "God bless the poor," be-  
cause the poor do not interfere with  
our comfort to the slightest degree—  
Life.

### Fielding at Lisbon.

Lisbon contains the grave of Henry  
Fielding. It was on Oct. 4, 1754, that  
Fielding died in the Portuguese cap-  
ital, and it was in 1890 that his tomb  
was erected in the English cemetery.  
And Fielding didn't like Lisbon. "As  
the houses, convents, churches, etc.,  
are large," he wrote, "and all built  
with white stone, they look beautiful  
at a distance, but as you approach  
nearer and find them to want every  
kind of ornament all idea of beauty  
vanishes at once." At that time a  
voyage to Lisbon was an undertaking  
not lightly to be contemplated. It  
took Fielding exactly fifty days of  
foul weather.—St. James' Gazette.

### "Do as Rome Does."

The saying "Do as Rome does" is  
originated with St. Ambrose in the  
fourth century. It arose from a di-  
versity of the observance of Saturday.  
The Milanese made it a feast, the Ro-  
mans a fast. St. Ambrose, being asked  
what should be done in such a  
case, replied: "In matters of little con-  
sequence it is better to be guided by  
the general usage. When I am at  
Milan I do not fast on Saturday, but  
when I am at Rome I do as they do in  
Rome."

### Shet at Shakespeare.

"Shakespeare was a smart man,"  
said St. Simlin, "but there was times  
when he didn't hit it right."

### For Instance?

"That remark about 'rather bear the  
ills we have than fly to others that we  
know not of.' If that was the case  
there wouldn't be no hors trades."—  
Washington Star.

### Accomplished.

First Passenger—That is Conductor  
Punchum. He is one of the most ex-  
perienced men on the road. Second  
Passenger—I knew it before you told  
me. First Passenger—How so? Sec-  
ond Passenger—Because he slams the  
door at the precise instant that he  
calls the station's name.—Judge.

### One Better.

First Suburbanite—We've got a baby  
grand in our house. Second Ditto—  
We can go you one better. We've got a  
grand baby in ours.—Baltimore Amer-  
ican.

### Promoted.

"They're beginning to put on airs."  
"Is that so?"  
"Yes; their washwoman is now a  
laundress."—Detroit Free Press.

Patience is bitter, but its fruit is  
sweet.—Rousseau.

## ORIGINAL AMERICANS BUT ONE-TENTH OF POPULATION

Stock of Nation's Settlers Overwhelmed  
by Immigration.

The population of the United States  
may be classified thus: Natives of un-  
mixed descent, one-tenth; negroes, one-  
tenth; natives of foreign parentage,  
one-tenth; natives of naturalized pa-  
rentage, six-tenths; aliens, one-tenth.

The original American stock was  
English, with a smattering of Scotch  
and Irish, more of Dutch and a little  
French and Scandinavian. The pro-  
portion of any of these strains in the  
American of today in unbroken descent  
from before the war of the Revolution  
will determine his approximation to a  
purely blood standard of American na-  
tivity. The preponderance of popula-  
tion is of whites having one or more  
of these strains in their blood, the ma-  
jority of such being able, to trace  
descent by one and the other to origi-  
nal settlers.

Since 1820 over 28,000,000 aliens have  
immigrated to this country, the vast  
majority of whom never returned to  
their native land. But the intermixture  
of immigrants with natives and their  
descendants was negligible as a factor  
in census figures until after the war of  
the rebellion. Until that time the  
population was counted as natives, col-  
ored and foreign born. In the fifth  
census (1870) the classification of na-  
tive whites gave place to native whites  
of native parentage and included the  
descendants of all white persons born in  
the United States indiscriminately.

Of the 28,000,000 aliens who have  
migrated to this country one-fourth  
came prior to the war of 1861-5, and  
of the 21,000,000 who have landed since  
that period over one-half arrived dur-  
ing the last fifteen years. Up to 1890  
the major part of the immigration was  
from the British Isles (Ireland prin-  
cipally), Germany and Scandinavia,  
with a small but steady stream from  
France and Switzerland and scattering  
groups from most other European coun-  
tries.

Since that year the arrivals from  
those countries, excepting Scandinavia,  
have greatly decreased and the bulk  
of immigration has been from Italy,  
Austria-Hungary and Russia and chief-  
ly from the least advanced portions  
of those domains—the Russian Jew,  
the southern Italian, Lithuanian, Mag-  
yar, Pole and Slovak, with many  
Greeks and Japanese and even Mexi-  
cans.

### WOOD SHAVINGS FOR TOBACCO

Alaska Indians Employ Dangerous  
Substitute For Pipes.

"How would you enjoy a pipeful of  
wood shavings saturated with a strong  
solution of pepper as an after dinner  
smoke?" asked William P. Quinn of  
Portland, Ore. "Strange as it may  
seem as a substitute for tobacco, it is  
nevertheless used by such of the Indians  
along the Alaska coast. Their mouths  
are often made raw by the practice,  
and the eyesight of many is affected  
by the strong fumes."

"It is no uncommon practice among  
farmers to smoke the leaves of the  
tomato and potato plants. While both  
these plants contain a deadly poison,  
the smoking of leaves in moderation is  
harmless. Excessive use, though,  
produces a heavy stupor, from which  
the smoker awakes with a terrific  
headache and a feeling of utter ex-  
haustion. Insanity and suicide have  
often been caused by the toxicomane  
use of these two weeds. Rhubarb,  
beet and even garden sage leaves are  
all smoked by farmers, but are per-  
haps the least harmful of substitutes  
for tobacco."

### HOBBLE TURKEY FOR TAFT.

Truly Fashionable Heavyweight For  
White House Thanksgiving.

A hobble turkey is being fattened by  
Bentley Wickstrom of the Big Place,  
near West Caldwell, N. J., and, like  
every turkey that gets mentioned in  
the newspapers, he is being fattened  
for President Taft's Thanksgiving  
dinner. "But the mere fact of being  
No. 397 in the Taft table series is not  
this turkey's claim to distinction."

Her proud pre-eminence is due to her  
amazing resemblance just above the  
feet to a hobble skirted woman.

Her legs are fastened together with  
a shew about two inches above her  
toes and are covered with feathers  
clean down to those toes. The fowl,  
when traveling hops along much as a  
bird does, but gets over the ground  
very slowly.

This prevents her, says Wickstrom,  
from getting much exercise, and con-  
sequently she has taken on more flesh  
than her companions. She now weighs  
twenty-two pounds, and he predicts a  
thirty pound weight by the Monday  
before Thanksgiving.

### PROFIT IN SEA WORN PEBBLE

England Seeks to Rob France of Trade  
Monopoly.

A new industry is being started in  
Seaton, England, which will provide  
employment for people in the winter.  
At present a large business is trans-  
acted in sea worn pebbles which are  
imported from the French coast, and  
it is hoped to capture part of this  
trade.

Trial orders from several large users  
of the pebbles are on hand, and gangs  
of men are engaged in selecting the  
pebbles from the beach at Seaton and  
the neighboring villages.

Austrians Champion Horsehoes.  
Austrians assert that the art of horse  
shoeing has been brought to a higher  
degree of perfection in their country  
than anywhere else in the world.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Subject for Tomorrow: "Jesus in Gethsemane." Ably Discussed by Alocal Writer.

Golden Text: The Son of man is betrayed into the hands of men. The garden of Gethsemane is a well known spot to every believer in Christ. It was a garden, or possibly a small orchard, surrounding it, containing an olive tree. At present it is a garden well kept by monks. Its olive trees are very old, but may not be the ones of New Testament history, as the garden no doubt suffered to a great extent at the time of the destruction of Jerusalem A. D. 70, and has no doubt also taken in change with that of the valley of Kedron in general. It is located east of Jerusalem, and on the east side of the brook Kedron, at the lower part of the slope of Mt. Olivet.

It is the place of our lesson, and we can best understand the circumstances by thinking of Jesus and the eleven, after the Last Supper, having left the upper chamber, and leaving the city by the eastern gate, crossed the brook Kedron, and entered the garden. Leaving eight of the disciples to rest, Jesus took Peter, and requesting them to watch, withdrew a short distance to pray.

This makes the garden of Gethsemane seem like holy ground. Peter, James, and John had been taken apart by the Master upon another occasion that was of great importance, and the sacredness of that occasion called to mind Moses, who had seen God in the burning bush, so these times could be closely linked as times when God was especially manifest to man. Moses was told to take his shoes from off his feet, because of the holy ground. So might we on the mount and in the garden honor the places as holy.

This can be the case with Christians only; others may not see the beauties or hear the voice, there is no flood of light to illumine a soul and stir it to Gods love. When man in the bush with God may meet, is when man's heart is open to God.

Mrs. Browning expresses the idea in, "Earth's crammed with heaven, and every common bush afire with God; But only he who sees, takes off his shoes."

The rest sit round it and pluck blackberries. Take off our shoes as we enter Gethsemane with Christ, it is consecrated ground and great light is there.

There is light on prayer. Jesus has given us word and spirit of prayer, but there is more. His great work is near, its culmination, and the manner of His ending is designated with sorrow and suffering. It comes by divine appointment, and in the height of suffering. The prayer that He may be permitted to escape the agony is to the Father. This prayer is described as of great earnestness, causing, as it were, great drops of blood. Agony of heart all unknown to humanity, yet with this great desire was coupled "not mine, but Thy will be done."

We know how the answer came to this prayer of the Son of God, and so may we expect answer to prayer when we pray for things touching our welfare in spiritual things. The answer to this prayer is a rejoinder to the world's taunting boast, "He saved others, Himself He cannot save." I saving others Christ could not save Himself. The act of redemption to be complete would not permit of evasion.

This incident was between midnight and one o'clock of the morning of the day of crucifixion. The full force of this day came upon Christ, and Mark says that he was "sore amazed." Judas had left to betray Him, was now on the way with soldiers and priests to make known His whereabouts and betray Him, so now with no other way except "by the cross" before Him, He says, "Rise, let us be going."

This is prayer with its answer, and the acceptance of the answer under most trying circumstances. Wholly misunderstood, yet accepting His place even "numbered with the transgressor" that His labor might be complete, and the will of the Father complied with. "Thy will be done" expressed much here, it expressed complete faith in answer. There would be an answer, no failure in that direction, it would be done; it also expressed complete trust in God for the right answer and willingness to abide by it.

What did the answer mean to Christ's physical nature? Thirst, hunger, wounds, torment, pain all long continued in that degree just short of unconsciousness. Many of His early followers were called upon to suffer likewise. But His chosen of to day do not suffer so. Yet they are called upon to suffer from the world as they do in business and social life just what God requires of them. They may pray that such things may not be, yet God's answer will be according to His love will, and His child needs to say "Thy will be done."

Jesus met Judas upon the way. The answer to prayer has strengthened a life and prepared it for duty and not evasion. Lack of prayer, of constant refusal of a heart to obey the Master's command led to a business beyond measure, led to miserable failure, there was no light in the bush, no transfiguring light, only the fruit of failure. Where eleven saw God, Judas found Satan; where others found a Holy of Holies Judas found hell.

## Personal

Miss Laura Wallis is visiting in Baltimore.

Prof. J. W. Hiron was in Wilmington this week.

Mr. H. L. Brewington was in New York this week.

Mr. Franklin Woodcock is in Washington and Baltimore.

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

Mr. S. P. Woodcock was in Philadelphia on business this week.

Misses Mary and Alice Todd spent the week end in Philadelphia.

Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., entertained the bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mary Tilghman entertained the "500" Club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. L. Parker is visiting friends in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. W. Perdue, who was in Philadelphia last week, has returned home.

Miss Wilkie Lowe entertained the Evening "500" Club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Harry B. Freeny and children are spending several weeks in Delaware.

Mr. Frank Hollaway, of Wilmington, N. C., is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Ralph Jones and daughter, of Baltimore, are visiting friends in town.

Mrs. W. B. Tilghman was in Norfolk this week as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Gayle.

Mrs. Peter Bounds, who has been spending several weeks in Virginia, has returned home.

Misses Mary Adams and Amanda Lankford, of Princess Anne, are visiting Miss Louise Veasey.

The Misses Raxcliffe, of Milford, Del., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Grier several days this week.

Mr. Grant Sexton, who has been in North Carolina for the past two weeks, returns home tonight.

Mrs. Harry Wallis and daughter, who have been visiting in Cumberland and Richmond, have returned home.

Miss Frances Kendall, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Mrs. E. C. Fulton returned home Friday.

Mrs. E. W. Smith, who has been spending some time in Philadelphia and Wilmington, has returned home.

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Carey have returned from Richmond, Va., where they have been attending the Southern Methodist Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Jackson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Jackson and family and Mr. Richard N. Jackson will spend the Thanksgiving holidays at The Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perry have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Louise, to Mr. Mark Cooper, to take place at St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church on Saturday, November 26, at 1 o'clock.

The lady board of managers of the Peninsula General Hospital gave a very delightful tea Friday afternoon at the Nurses Home, the admittance being a book. This was done to start a convalescent library in the hospital.

ELLMER H. WALTON,  
Solicitor.

## Mortgagee's Sale, OF Valuable Real Estate.

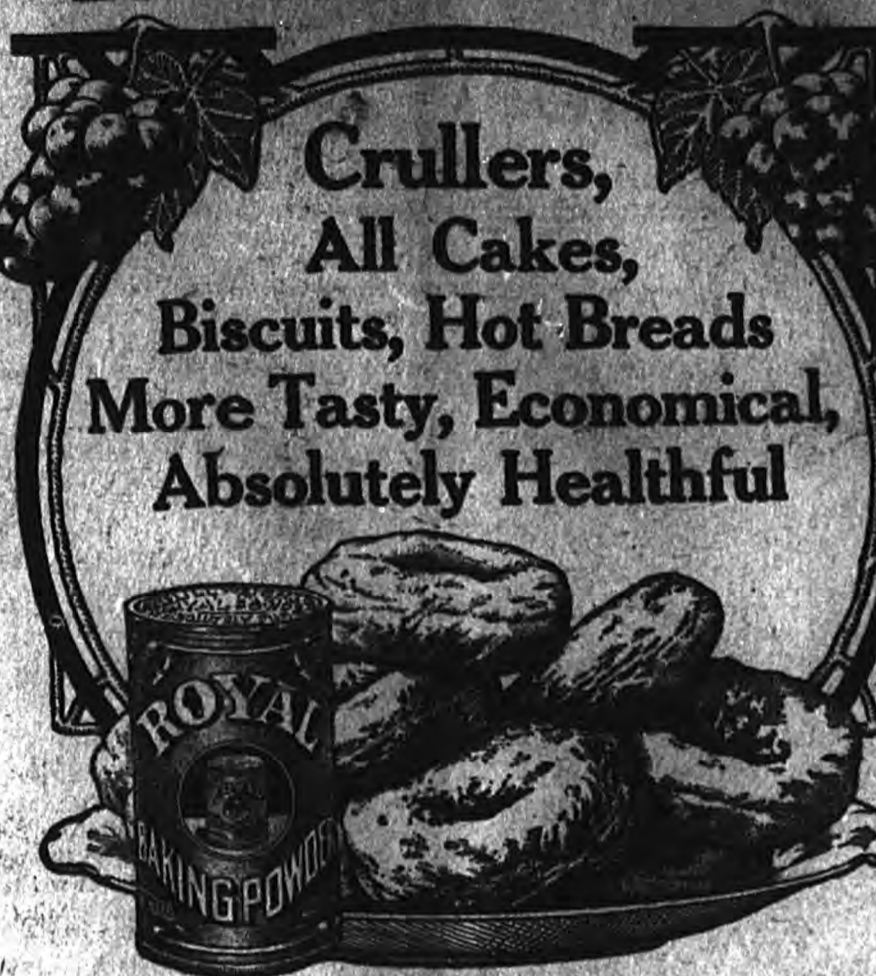
By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage from Ebenezer H. Hudson and Washington J. Hudson to the Vestry and Wardens of Salisbury Parish, Protestant Episcopal Church, dated the thirtieth day of July, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County, Maryland, in Liber E. A. T. No. 63, Folio 242, default having occurred in the premises, the undersigned as attorney named in said Mortgage, will offer at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, on

**Saturday, Dec. 10, '10**

at 2 o'clock p. m., all those two lots in that part of said City of Salisbury, in Wicomico County, Maryland, known as "California," situate as follows:—1st. All that lot at the corner of Hill and Second Streets, being on the South west side of and adjoining upon Hill Street, and upon the South east side of and adjoining upon Second Street, having a frontage of fifty feet and four inches on Hill Street, and a frontage of forty-eight feet and two inches on Second Street. 2nd. All that vacant lot on Hill Street adjoining the above described lot with a frontage on Hill Street of forty-eight feet and two inches, and a depth of fifty feet and four inches; and being the same property which was conveyed to the said Washington J. Hudson and Ebenezer H. Hudson by deed from Alice C. Catlin dated April fourteenth, nineteen hundred, and only recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County, in Liber J. T. T. Number twenty-four Folio five hundred and twenty-six; and also by deed from Alice C. Bennett and L. Atwood Bennett, her husband, dated the sixteenth day of September, in the year Nineteen Hundred and Three, and recorded among the said Land Records in Liber E. A. T. Number fifty-two, Folio fifteen; reference to which said deed is hereby made as a part hereof for a better description of the lands hereby advertised.

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## PERRY-COOPER WEDDINGS AT ONE O'CLOCK TO-DAY

Miss Louise Perry To Become Bride of Mr. Mark Cooper At The Protestant Episcopal Church In This City.

At one o'clock today, St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church will be the scene of perhaps the prettiest as well as one of the most elaborate weddings ever celebrated in this city. The contracting parties will be Mr. Mark Cooper, one of Salisbury's best known and most popular young business men, and Miss Louise Perry, daughter of Mr. Thomas Perry, the present Treasurer of Wicomico County. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. David Howard, rector of the parish.

The edifice has been tastefully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of evergreens and chrysanthemums. At the foot of the steps leading to the chancel, gates, made of cut flowers, have been arranged and promptly at one o'clock these beautiful gates will be swung open by the flower children, Miss Lucy Davenport White and William M. Cooper, Jr., and at the same moment the wedding procession will proceed through the open gates to the chancel, where the bride and groom will be met by the rector. Miss Perry will be led to the chancel by her father, who will give her away. She will wear an exquisite gown of white satin trimmed with pearls and hand embroidery, with a wedding veil caught with pearls. She will carry a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and roses. The bride will be attended by her maid of honor, Miss Ellen Wilson Waller, of Princess Anne, and six bridesmaids, Misses Mary Lee White, Lettie Leatherbury, Mary Tilghman, Jean Leonard and Wilma Lowe, all of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Dashiell, of Baltimore. Misses White and Leatherbury will be gowned in handsome costumes of yellow mousseline, draped with yellow chiffon with gold trimmings. Misses Tilghman and Leonard will wear green mousseline, draped with chiffon of the same color and silver trimmings. Misses Lowe and Dashiell will wear pink mousseline, trimmed in the same shade of chiffon with gold trimmings. All of the bridesmaids will wear black velvet hats with willow plumes and will carry chrysanthemums.

The maid of honor, Miss Waller, will wear a beautiful gown of blue mousseline, draped with white puffed chiffon and trimmed with Chantilly lace.

Mr. Cooper will be attended by Mr. William W. Perry, a brother of the bride, as best man.

The ushers will be Messrs. G. Vickers White, Howard Ruark, W. B. Tilghman, Thomas Perry, Jr., Charles S. Cooper and John Walter.

The bride and groom will leave on the South-bound afternoon express train and will spend their honeymoon in the South. After about two weeks they will be at home at the home of the bride's parents, East William Street.

While engaged in the act of robbing the store of Mr. Charles E. Bennett at the Pivotal Bridge early Tuesday morning last, Byrd Disharoon was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Roy Smith and Constable J. Frank Waller. For sometime Mr. Bennett has been missing various articles from his place of business, and he determined to catch the thief, if possible, so he remained on guard Monday night, as were also the officers. Between two and three o'clock the burglar appeared on the scene and Mr. Bennett gave the alarm. Hardly had he entered before he and Officer Smith started for the intruder. As Disharoon realized that he had been discovered he rushed at once for the door and as he sprang into the street ran directly into the arms of Constable Waller, who took him into custody. The officers at once placed him under arrest and lodged him in the county jail.

This is but one of numerous petty burglaries which have been committed in the city recently, and it is believed that in the arrest on Tuesday morning an important capture has been made by the officers.

**Foot Ball Accident.**

Sheldon Jones the 15 year old son of Mr. I. E. Jones on Bush Street while engaged in a game of foot ball had the misfortune to break his leg. Dr. Burris was summoned and reduced the fracture.

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## MR. J. ERNEST MOORE'S RESIDENCE DESTROYED

Handsome Home on Broad Street Burned on Monday Afternoon. Heavy Loss Caused By Delay Of Fire Department.

On Monday afternoon the handsome residence of Mr. J. Ernest Moore on Broad street was almost entirely destroyed by fire. The flames were discovered near the roof shortly after two o'clock and the alarm turned in at once. At the time the city horses were at work on Newton street in Camden, and by the time they were gotten to the City Hall and then finally to the fire with the engine and apparatus, more than a half an hour had elapsed, so it is claimed by many who were present at the conflagration. At that time the house was a roaring furnace and is a complete wreck. The adjoining properties were saved by hard work on the part of the department.

At the time of the fire Mr. Moore was in Fruitland, and notwithstanding a considerable delay in reaching him by phone, he got to the fire just as the engine started. Mr. Moore stated that after receiving word that his house was on fire he went to the stable where he kept his horse and as his own harness was in use was compelled to borrow another set, and this considerably delayed him. Notwithstanding this he reached his home just as the department turned on the water.

Mr. Moore's loss is only partially covered by insurance, there being \$2,000.00 upon the house. While a considerable portion of his furniture was saved, it was badly damaged and scattered.

**Recital at the Opera House.**

The recital by Mr. Walter G. Charmbury the talented pianist and Mr. William A. McLeran, the well known baritone which will be held at the Opera House on Wednesday evening, Nov. 30th is attracting widespread attention in local musical and social circles, and promises to be largely attended by the elite of Salisbury, who are awaiting the event with eager expectancy.

Mr. Charmbury is a graduate of Peabody Institute in Baltimore, and is said to be America's greatest concert pianist, while Mr. McLeran has done solo work at the Cathedral in Baltimore, and sung in that city and elsewhere in numerous entertainments and recitals.

That these two artists have consented to give their time and talents to a recital here, is a compliment to Salisbury's reputation as a home of lovers of good music, and the theatre will no doubt be crowded to enjoy this unusual musical treat.

"Mr. Charmbury is considered one of the finest pianists of the city,"—*Baltimore Star*, May 3, 1910.

"Mr. Charmbury's program was exceedingly well rendered,"—*Musical America*, May 20, 1910.

"Mr. Charmbury presented an excellent program, his playing showing excellent technique and fine taste, both giving promise of a fine musical career,"—*Baltimore American*, May 4, 1910.

Mr. William A. McLeran, from Baltimore, who will be heard with Mr. Charmbury, has been highly complimented by press and public on the quality and sweetness of his magnificent baritone voice, and he has selected some very pleasing songs to use here.

The recital will undoubtedly be the big event of Salisbury's social season, and all society is trying to make it an unqualified success.

The patronesses will be: Miss Irma Graham, Mrs. E. Stanley Toadylin, Mrs. S. A. Graham, Mrs. Gardiner Spring, Mrs. L. W. Gunby.

**Mrs. Nelson Dead.**

Mrs. Ellen Nelson, widow of John W. Nelson and sister of W. L. Sirman, died at her home on Jewel street, Delmar, Friday afternoon, in the 60th year of her age. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Wm. J. Downing, of Salisbury; Mrs. S. T. Smith, of Laurel and Mrs. J. L. Ellis, of Delmar, and two sons, Messrs. William S. Nelson, of Delmar, and L. A. Nelson, of Wilmington. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and a well-known resident of Delmar. Funeral services were held from her late residence on Monday morning, and were largely attended. Interment was in the Methodist Episcopal Cemetery of that town.

## MR. E. JOHN NICHOLS DIES IN BALTIMORE.

Former Well Known Resident of Salisbury Passes Away at the University Hospital After a Short Illness.

Mr. E. John Nichols, a well known former resident of Salisbury, died at the University Hospital, in Baltimore yesterday morning at five o'clock. He had been ill but a short time, and was removed to the hospital on last Saturday after which an operation was performed. The operation was not successful and he gradually grew weaker until the end. Mrs. Morris A. Walton visited Mr. and Mrs. Nichols during the recent aviation meet in Baltimore at which time he was in his usual health and in splendid spirits, so that his demise comes as a distinct shock to this community where he was so well known.

Mr. Nichols was a son of the late Elijah A. Nichols, of this county, and was about 40 years of age. He lived in Salisbury until about 1896 when he moved to Baltimore, and was for years connected with the B. & O. Railway Company. Later he went with the T. H. Symington Company and remained with the corporation until his death, holding an exceptionally responsible position, and being financially interested in the business as well as one of the officers of the company.

In 1901 he married Miss Bessie Keifer a member of a prominent Baltimore family, who survives him, together with one daughter, Katherine, 3 years of age. Mr. I. Harvey Nichols a brother, also of Baltimore, with whom he was associated in the Baltimore Anticiple Laundry business, also survives him.

Mr. Nichols was a most excellent musician, and for years was the leader of one of the largest city choirs in Baltimore. He had a voice of unusual sweetness and power and until he left Salisbury was a member of the Asbury M. E. Choir. He was also for sometime leader of the Nichols Band, a large musical organization of Baltimore.

**Accident At Court House.**

What might have been a serious accident took place at the Court House between seven and eight o'clock, on Monday morning last, when the chains holding one of the weights attached to the town clock parted. The thousand pound weight crashed through the ceiling of the belfry and the floor of the room under it, through two flights of the main heavy stairways of the Court House finally landing on the top of the arch of the vault in the Register of Wills Office. In its descent, it swept every thing before it, inflicting serious damage to the building, which will amount to at least \$500.00. The weight struck just where a party would have been standing had he been in the act of ringing the fire bell. The bell was not disturbed, nor was the weight which runs the clock proper, the one which fell being the one attached to the striking device.

**Mr. Hubbard Here.**

Mr. M. M. Hubbard, traveling passenger agent of the Great Northern Railroad, was a visitor to Salisbury Saturday last, when he stopped over to take dinner with his cousin, former Mayor C. E. Harper. Mr. Hubbard is a native of Harlock, Dorchester county, and has been connected with the Great Northern for many years. He is at present stationed in Philadelphia where he has charge of the Eastern offices of the Company.

**A Gratifying Statement.**

The statement of the school expenses in Wicomico county for the school year ending July 31, 1910, and appearing in this issue, shows receipts of \$90,407.81, and expenditures of \$88,869.63. Teachers salaries totaled \$40,574.26; new buildings cost \$16,760.00; repairs, \$2,027.34, and furniture and apparatus \$3,210.36. The sum of \$4,135.71 was expended for books.

**Book Tea a Success.**

The "Book Tea" given at the Nurses' Home last Friday under the auspices of the superintendent, Miss Shiel, and the Board of Lady Managers was a great success. The tea was given for the purpose of gathering together a library for use in the convalescent room. The ladies of the town who visited the tea contributed 128 books to the library.

Seth Dashiell was arrested yesterday for being drunk and disorderly. A small "gun" was found upon him when searched by the officers.

## WICOMICO RIVER BOATS FORM COMBINATION

Owners Of The Gasoline Steamers "Wicomico" And "James Denson" In A Merger To Take Effect December 1st.

A deal of considerable importance was consummated at White Haven on Tuesday evening last when the owners of the gasoline steamers "Wicomico" and "James Denson" combined the two boats, and formed a new company under the name of the Wicomico Transportation Company. The officers of the new concern are Mr. Granville M. Catlin, president; Mr. Elmer H. Walton, Vice-President; Mr. Woodland A. Anderson, Secretary and Treasurer and Mr. George H. Larmore, Manager. The merger goes into effect on the first day of December, at which time the rate to White Haven and return will be advanced to fifty cents instead of twenty-five and the rates between the several wharves will be proportionally raised. With the first of the month the "James Denson" will be withdrawn and the "Wicomico" will continue the regular trips, using the Gillis Wharf in Salisbury, near the Camden bridge, as at present. It is the intention of the new company later to place the "Denson" again on the route and both boats will be used at the same time whenever the traffic warrants. Until further notice the boat will run upon the same schedule as at present, leaving White Haven at 7:30 each day, except Sundays and returning leaving Salisbury at 2:30. Captain Bloodworth of the Wicomico and Captain North of the Denson will both be retained by the new company.

Up to the merger the Wicomico was owned by the Wicomico Packet Company which is composed of leading citizens of White Haven and the surrounding country, while the Denson was owned by Mr. Elmer H. Walton, who has been operating the boat under the name of the Salisbury Transportation Company.

**Murderer Arrested.**

Joseph Holliday, colored, was arrested in a restaurant on Water St. yesterday morning by Officers Nelson and Murphy of the Baltimore force, Sheriff Kelly, Deputy Sheriff Roy Smith, Chief Woodland Disharoon and Constable J. Frank Waller. Holliday is wanted in Baltimore for the murder of John Brown also colored, which occurred on the streets of that city on the sixth of October last. Holliday has been here for the past six weeks, and the local officers had their net already when the Baltimore sleuths arrived. He started to resist arrest, but when he was suddenly confronted with about a half dozen revolvers he changed his mind.

**Card of Thanks.**

The undersigned desires to thank all who kindly assisted in the removal of furniture from his home on Broad Street at the time of the fire last Monday afternoon, especially the members of the fire department who worked heroically after their arrival on the scene.

Respectfully  
J. ERNEST MOORE.

**Bishop Warren Presides.**

Bishop Henry W. Warren has been assigned to preside over the next session of the Wilmington Conference, which will be held in Asbury Church, Wilmington, next March. Bishop Warren presided over Conference sessions held in Crisfield, in 1887 and in Dover in 1896.

**Church Notices.**

At Bethesda Protestant Church the regular services will be held on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor service in the lecture room at 6:45 p. m. Mid-week service Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock.

**SILKOM.**

6:30 A. M. Sunday School; 11 A. M. Preaching by pastor.

**GRACE CHAPEL.**

9:30 A. M. Sunday School; 11:30 P. M. Young Peoples Meeting; 7:30 P. M. Epworth League; 7:30 P. M. Preaching by pastor.

**RIVERSIDE.**

2:30 P. M. Sunday School; 7:30 P. M. Class Meeting; 8:30 P. M. Epworth League; 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. S. Sanders.

Revival Services closed at Grace Chapel Thursday evening with 40 conversions.

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# MANILA TO HOLD WORLD CARNIVAL

Philippine Capital Expects Thousands in February, 1911.

## PRESS AGENT PROMISES MUCH

Exposition of Insular Industries to Be Spiced by All Sorts of Amusements, From Confetti Battles to Field Sports, During Month in Which Many Americans Are Shoveling Snow.

After three years of experiment in carnival making the inhabitants of Manila, in the faraway Philippine Islands, are making preparations for a festival in February, 1911, which will surpass, they say, anything of the kind ever before attempted in any city of the world.

Although it is to be presumed that this oriental capital is far away from the influence of the Yankee circus proprietor and his press agent, the language used in the preliminary announcements of the carnival is not unlike that with which the American pleasure seeking public is familiar, for the world is assured that the week of festivities, Feb. 21 to 28, will "not only far outclass and eclipse anything of the sort ever given in the far east, but it is proposed to make it the largest, most gorgeous, most spectacular affair of the sort ever held anywhere."

Press Agent is Alert.

Something of the smallness of the world as it exists in these days of swift steamship and railroad travel is indicated in the statement that the 1910 carnival attracted "hundreds and hundreds of people from many foreign lands," while the transpacific steamship companies arranged their schedules so that their big passenger carriers could be in Manila bay during the carnival to accommodate excursionists.

Manila proposes to demonstrate that it is both oriental and occidental. It claims to be "one of the most up to date, bustling cities to be found anywhere on earth," in addition to being "full of the remains of a civilization centuries old."

To pleasure seeking people no claim could be more attractive, doubtless, than that in spite of the business and the bustle of Manila life out there is delightfully easy. "Everybody seems to be happy and prosperous," says the official announcement of the carnival, "and bent on securing the maximum of pleasure and satisfaction from life in the tropics, and this somewhat easy going and luxurious style of living has not produced in Manila the undesirable conditions which usually accompany it in other parts of the world."

In spite of Manila's being in the tropics all are assured that "the climate is ideal" and the month of February, when people dwelling in the northern part of the United States are shoveling snow or chopping ice from their sidewalks, "is the most delightful part of the year." Surely does the temperature go above 85 degrees during the morning hours. You will require blankets every night of your stay.

Real Carnival is Planned.

For the 1911 carnival the city will be given up to pleasure. There will be parades of gorgeous floats, accompanied by mounted heralds, with the king and queen of the carnival seated in their imperial cars, parades of gayly decorated automobiles, battles between confetti throwers and international sporting contests as the main features. Among the athletic sports will be international polo, cricket, football, trap shooting and tennis matches.

Music will be everywhere, for it is said that the Filipinos are the most musically inclined people on earth. The carnival costumes will be rich and varied, and many of them made to order in Europe will cost, it is said, each a small fortune.

The famous hippodrome, which seats 22,000 people, will be given over to special carnival features and military spectacles. The stage of the hippodrome holds more than 5,000 people and is for big balls. All the performances will be given in the open air.

On its industrial side the carnival will give visitors a chance to learn about the resources of the Philippines through extensive exhibits. But the keynote of carnival week will be pleasure, and Manila claims that by reason of its cosmopolitan character, its climate and its great development since "Dewey did it" in 1898 it can provide more pleasure than any other city in the world.

## RUSSIAN POPULATION GROWS

Five Millions Added to 150,000,000 in Two Years.

The recent census of the Russian empire adds another 5,000,000 to the population as enumerated in 1908. The czar's subjects now number 160,000,000, an increase every year of 2,500,000 despite wars, epidemics and internal disturbances.

As there is no lack of cultivated soil in Russia there seems no reason why this big annual increase should not continue.

Chileans Are Wine Growers. Chilean vineyards yielded 254,046,000 gallons of wine in 1909.

Phone Meter Invented. A new meter registers how long a telephone is used.

## DIARY OF SKIPPER NOAH.

From the Day It Looked Like Rain to the Clearing.

FRIDAY.—Looks like rain.

Saturday.—Met old man Hashedveel. We talked about the weather. He says there's nothing in it. But I told Mrs. Noah to grease my boots. Not being four footed, I believe in being forehanded. (Note: Work this up for Punch after the shower's over.) I don't like the looks of things. Read the probabilities, but can't believe in the "dry spell" they say is on the cards. Shem agrees with me, but Japheth thinks I'm getting nervous in my old age. Think I'll get out the old scow and fix her up. (Note: Remember to get some tar and oakum down at the grocery.)

Sunday.—Clouds in the southwest. Mended the roof. Had to stay home from church. Ma went and said she never saw such bats. Ham had a sore throat, and she did him up in a whole yard of red flannel.

Monday.—What did your Uncle Noah tell you? Right smart shower today. Got in the last load of hay just in time. Old Probs says, "Weather unsettled." Looks mighty well settled to me! Got the scow out on the barn floor. Looks rather small to me. Think I'll build another. It'll do the boys good to limber up their muscles.

Tuesday.—Started a bigger boat. Hashedveel came over and wanted to know if I thought of making a Hudson river excursion boat. None of his business, anyhow. Little showers this p. m., but held up awhile. Shem says while you're a-building why not make a boat. Think he's right. (Getting sloppy outside. Roof still leaks a little. Spoiled the calcimine in the garret.)

Wednesday.—Old Probs waked up at last. Says, "Some local showers like 'em." Put in all day on the boat. Ham's cold better, but he's still hoarse. Keel laid and it's a whacker. Japheth says the old swimming hole is overflowing on to the eight acre lot.

Thursday.—Got mighty interested in the boat, which is coming along fine. Making it on the plan of one Ham got some years ago for Christmas, full of wooden animals. Like it first rate. Old Hashedveel says, "It's a regular old ark," so I'm calling it that just to spite him.

Monday.—Too busy for diary. Things are awful moist. Old General Humdity is sure in town. Flashed the "ark" today, and she's a winner. Room for all outdoors. Gave three cheers, me and the boys, and said, "Let it rain all it wants to!"

Wednesday.—It's doing it. Umbrellas quoted at \$10.88 at the store and scarce at that. Overshoes sold out Monday night. Greased boots are good enough for me. It's forgotten how to stop raining. Three feet in the cellar and rising faster than the barometer goes down. Regular soaker.

Friday (I think).—We're afloat. So's everything else. Nothing like it seen by oldest inhabitant, even before he went under.

Three Weeks Later.—We're all there in, so far as appears. Busy writing obituaries and feeding stock.

Later.—Dropped obituaries and did chores.

Still Later.—Shem says he saw a bit of blue today. I do pity those meager folks. Got the pigeon back. Ma'll be land somewhere.

Ashore.—Ararat, I guess. Damp, but solid. Rain over. Well, I was right about the weather. You don't fool your Uncle N. much.

P. S.—I guess we're the first family now, all right. This diary business is too rough on a man when he's got a hard season ahead. So long!—Tudor Jenks in Woman's Home Companion.

That Neighborhood Feeling.



Bitem.—The fortune teller said your boy would never die in prison.

Backem.—No.

Bitem.—No. Said he had a line of longevity in his hand and would serve out his term.

Eyes, Male and Female.

Miss Noehick.—So you have been married a year? Has your husband found out about your dyed hair, false teeth or glass eye yet?

Mrs. Wediate.—No, indeed! He's been too busy concealing the same defects himself.—New York Weekly.

Texas Philosophy.

"Many a man," remarked the home grown philosopher, "spends his courtship days in telling a girl that he is unworthy of her and his married life in proving it."—Houston Chronicle.

His Best.

"Burnington boasts that he always endeavors to do his best."  
"He's right, only he should have added the word 'friends'."—Chicago Record-Herald.

The New Yorker.

I remember, I remember.  
The flat where I was born,  
The little window where the sun  
Did not peep in at morn.  
Today we live on floor eighteen,  
But now 'tis little joy  
To know I'm closer up to heaven  
Than when I was a boy.

## His Sarcastic Friend.

He was very proud of his new auto, mobile-talked automobile, dreamed automobile, read automobile. Finally to his friends he became a nuisance, and each to himself swore softly that he would hide his time and at the proper moment give him a little verbal thrust.

Finally one long suffering individual was asked to go for a ride. Excuses were of no avail. He was bundled into the machine and taken for a spin through the parks and over the boulevards. In due course of time, without any serious mishap, they pulled up at the Automobile Club. The auto crank and his guest were soon surrounded by several of their friends.

"How did you enjoy your ride?" was asked of the auto crank's friend.

"Until today I never thought an automobile could go so fast," was his reply. (Here the auto crank was all attention. That was some praise for his car. Right out in public too. That would silence some of the scoffers who said his machine should be called Snail.) "Why, do you know there was a car went by us at such a clip that I could hardly see it."

The auto crank glared, and under his gaze the group melted away. They had their revenge.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

## Juvenile Suicide.

"A generation ago the taking of their own lives by minors was almost an unheard of occurrence," said a physician. "Now it is becoming alarmingly frequent not only in this country, but in Europe. In most cases the phenomenon can be set down to the artificial conditions of modern existence. Very often parents are too ambitious for their children and by constant appeals to them to work on the nervous temperaments of their offspring as to bring on a derangement of the mental faculties. One of the most noted specialists of France, Dr. Berillon, who has made a study of the matter, asserts that children who have a suicidal tendency are for the most part wanting in the sense of smell. He makes recommendation that all who suffer from this defect should be taken to an expert for examination, as it might tend to forestall some future tragedy."—Baltimore American.

## The First Automobile.

Nicholas Joseph Cugnot was the first automobilist. Many years before Stephenson had introduced his railway locomotive Cugnot, who was a military engineer, had made a locomotive for roads. His locomotive has been preserved at the Conservatoire des Arts et Metiers. Cugnot died in 1804. His lot was not that of many geniuses. He did not die in want. Napoleon had secured him a pension of 1,000 francs—passing rich on \$200 a year. In this respect the premier consul showed more enlightenment than he did in regard to Fulton or steamboat fame, whom he considered it is distressing to write—an adventurer. Cugnot's carriage was built to transport arms and he had designed a service gun. These achievements alone would be a passport to Napoleon's favor.—London Globe.

## His Luxurious Pillow.

"When sleeping cars first came in," said a railroad man, "the bedclothes in the berths were very scanty. On one of these early cars one night after everybody had turned in and the lights were low a loud voice called from an upper berth:

"Porter, got a corkscrew?"

"The porter came hurrying down the aisle.

"Boss," he said in a scandalized tone, "we don't allow no drinkin' in the berths. It's against the rules."

"Oh, it ain't that, porter," the voice answered. "I just want to dig out a pillow that's sort of worked its way into my ear."

## The Persian Crow's Beak.

There is a weapon known as the crow's beak which was formerly much in use among men of rank in Persia and north India. It was a horseman's weapon and consisted of a broad curved dagger blade fixed at right angles to a shaft, pickax fashion. The shaft incloses a dagger, unscrewing at the butt end. This concealed dagger is a very common feature of Indian arms and especially of the battheaxes of Persia.

## Her Question Answered.

Yes, Geraldine, we quite agree with you that the crunching of celery is a noise abhorrent to the sensitive soul. A much better way is to cut the stalks into medium sized pieces and hold them in the mouth until they dissolve. Write again, Geraldine. We are always glad to dispense useful information.—Lippincott's.

## Maternal Pride.

Mr. Newlywed.—This paper says there are 50,000,000 babies born every year. Mrs. Newlywed.—Oh, darling, doesn't that make you proud? Mr. N.—Why should it? Mrs. N.—Why, just to think that our baby is the smartest and prettiest of 50,000,000.—Cleveland Leader.

## An Amendment.

A health hint says, "Do not bolt your food." And a comedian comes back with the observation, "It is much better to use a padlock."—Exchange.

## Pleasant.

The Friend.—Your wife doesn't appear to be in very good humor. Husband.—No. She thinks I've invited you to dinner.—Jean Qui Rit.

Bad laws are the worst of tyrannies.—Burke.

## Absentminded.

Modjeska used to tell a story about her honeymoon that is somewhat amusing. When the Countess and Count of Rosenta were on their wedding trip it happened one morning that she had just got up when the count, who had been out for an hour or two taking a morning walk, came back and called to her excitedly:

"Helen! Helen! Come here."

"What is it?"

"Come here quick. I've brought you some lovely fruit, the first of the market."

"All right, I'm dressing. I'll come as soon as I have finished getting ready."

She dressed leisurely and entered the sitting room. The count was sitting reading, deeply interested in his book. She looked round. No fruit was to be seen. She looked all over the place. The count looked up.

"What are you looking for?"

"Where's that fruit?"

The count looked on the table. It was not there.

"Good gracious!" he said. "I'll be hanged if I haven't eaten it!"

## The Wicked Multiplication Table.

A minister was hearing his Sunday school repeat the catechism one Sunday preceding confirmation when a boy from the class of small children ventured to ask a question of the minister.

Turning to the clerkman, the boy inquired in an anxious tone, "Why does the multiplication table make people wicked?"

The minister thought at first that the child had taken occasion to propound a conundrum at a most unseasonable time and was about to reprove him when the earnestness of the expression in the upturned face assured him that the question was asked in good faith and required a reply.

"Why do you ask such a question, John? I never knew it to do so," he said.

John turned to his catechism and read from it with a mystified air the question, "Did man grow worse as he began to multiply?" and the accompanying answer, "He did."

## Two Convincing Reasons.

Lord Peterborough, who lived in the reign of Queen Anne, was very frolicsome, and one day, seeing from his carriage a dancing master with pearl colored stockings lightly stepping over the broad stones and picking his way in extremely dirty weather, he alighted and ran after him with drawn sword in order to drive him into the mud, but into which he of course followed himself. This nobleman was once taken for the Duke of Marlborough and was mobbed in consequence. The duke was then in disgrace with the people, and Lord Peterborough was about to be roughly handled. Turning to them, he said:

"Gentlemen, I can convince you by two reasons that I am not the Duke of Marlborough. In the first place, I have only 6 guineas in my pocket, and, in the second, they are heartily at your service."

## Patroness of Music.

The origin of music is lost in antiquity. Among civilized people it is probably to be traced to the ancient Egyptian priests, who employed this art in their religious rites and ceremonies. From the Egyptians the Greeks and the Romans derived their knowledge of music. The ancient Hebrews probably took with them into Palestine some of the songs they had learned in Egypt. The hymns used in the temple formed the basis of the melodies of the early Christian church, and from these hymns was formulated the first authoritative musical system. St. Cecilia is termed the patroness of music.—Exchange.

## The Spit-Snake.

There is a snake belonging to the small family caudae, inhabiting Africa, that is said to have the power of ejecting its venom to a short distance. This snake is called by the Dutch Boers "spuw slang," or spit snake. When this snake erects his teeth the pressure of the maxillary bone on the gland causes the venom to flow in drops, and it may be quite possible that by discharging air from its mouth the poison may be blown some distance.

## The Gypsies.

The origin of the people known as gypsies remains largely a mystery. Egypt, India, Persia and Arabia have in turn been pointed out as their original country, but there is little definite knowledge on the subject. The weight of evidence is in favor of their having originated in India. They first appeared in Europe about 1400 and from the Danube region spread all over the continent, appearing in England about 1520.

## Effective.

"The climax to his wooing was very romantic. He proposed to her on the verge of a mountain gorge."

"What did she do?"

"She threw him over."—Baltimore American.

## Retort Photographic.

The photographer was drying his plates in the warm sunlight.

"What are you doing there?" asked a friend.

"Oh," was the reply, "just airing my views."

## Strict Obedience.

Salesman.—Shirt, sir? Will you have a negligee or a stiff bosom? Customer.—Negligee, I guess. The doctor said I must avoid starched things.—Exchange.

The measure of a man's sin is the difference between what he is and what he might be.—Jordan.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 26, 1910.

## INADEQUATE FIRE PROTECTION.

That the complete destruction of the residence of Mr. J. Ernest Moore on Monday afternoon last was due to the delay in the arrival of the Fire Department is generally admitted. Had the engine arrived in a reasonable length of time after the alarm was sounded it is not believed the damage would have exceeded \$100.00. Instead of that the building is now a complete wreck; in fact, Mr. Moore and others have stated that it would have been much better had the firemen when they finally did arrive turned their attention exclusively to other property and simply saved the surrounding buildings and permitted his residence to burn entirely down. The portion which remains is more of a liability than an asset.

This condition of affairs is a sad commentary upon the efficiency of the Fire Department under the present policy of the city officials. It is no reflection whatever upon the Chief and he is most fearfully handicapped in trying to protect property when the means with which he is supposed to do it is removed almost beyond his reach. Indeed better results were obtained before the city owned a single horse as the firemen themselves promptly rushed the engine to the scene of the conflagration. As it is now they stand around in a helpless way, waiting the arrival of the horses from a distant portion of the town while the fire is gaining a headway which dooms the building. This is just what they did on Monday afternoon. Whether the policy is right or wrong the town is face to face with the stubborn fact that it has no adequate fire protection. To such an extent is this true that the Fire Insurance Companies are threatening to raise the rates and unless some relief is afforded a new schedule will probably go into effect.

Even if those in charge of the horses could be kept in constant touch with the City Hall it would not be so bad, but this is obviously impossible. They are compelled to depend upon hearing the fire bell and the uncertainty of this arrangement was demonstrated Monday when they did not respond to the first alarm at all. After the bell had been ringing for sometime Mr. Crew, it is understood, sent one of his men to the party who had charge of the horses and informed him of the fact that there was a fire. It is difficult to imagine a more crude and primitive method of handling a fire department which is charged with the duty of protecting property. Even if two of the horses should be allowed to be away and the remaining two kept at the City Hall the situation would not be so unfortunate, but on Monday it is stated that not a single horse was at the engine house and when the firemen responded there was nothing to do but wait for their tardy appearance.

Of course there is a great deal

of work to be done on the streets and the city officials are anxious to avoid the expense of a set of horses for this purpose and a different lot for the use of the department. But it has now been clearly determined that it is impossible to satisfactorily continue the present arrangement. A much cheaper grade of horses would be sufficient for street work and it is possible that additional purchases may be made along this line and the present horses retained at the City Hall for the department's use. It is understood that the officials will shortly take the matter up and it is certain that some satisfactory solution can be found.

## Imaginative Reporting.

Imagination is a wonderful thing, and doubly so in newspaper reporting. The wild flights of fancy recently indulged in by the Baltimore Sun reporter in this city represents a high degree of aerial skill which in some measure may have been aroused by the recent aviation meet in the Monumental City. As is well-known due allowance must always be made for newspaper articles, and writers have a fairly wide latitude in dealing with the facts of any particular case. But a slightly rosy coloring can hardly be an excuse for a gross misstatement of fact, even though the reporter may be of an artistic temperament and in an unusually optimistic frame of mind. The people of Salisbury as they read these glowing accounts of things which transpire in their midst have frequent occasion to wonder what kind of hallucinations come over the dreams of the Sun's reporter and whether or not he was in New York or Chicago at the time of the happening of the event which he is supposed to be reporting.

One of his latest flights occurred on Monday last in reporting the accident in the Court House. "All the residents of the central portion of the city" said the account, "were awakened at 5 o'clock this morning," and so forth. Think of it, "All!" Not a few nor even a portion nor yet a great number, but actually "All," and then too, at 5 o'clock. As a matter of fact the accident occurred at 7.15 as the weights were being wound up. But it can be readily seen that seven or eight o'clock is a mighty prosy time for anything to happen. Everybody is supposed to be up and around at that time and the mills have actually been in operation for a quarter of an hour—so it was necessary to push it back to a time when he could get "all" these people awake and with a sudden crash and a fierce report. And then the "bell and weights" continued the despatch, came crashing etc. Simply to have told the unvarnished fact that one of the two weights had fallen, was not by any means sensational enough. There was the bell upon which the city depended for its fire alarm—why hadn't that fallen! It would make a splendid headline "Bell Crashed to the floor; City Loses Fire Alarm." The bell was still in place, the town clock still running but with wonderful inspiration and an equal disregard of the truth the reporter crashed the whole thing to the ground.

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## STATEMENT

## Receipts and Disbursements

FOR ALL

Schools in Wicomico County, Maryland.

FOR

Public School Purposes For The Year Ending July 31, 1910.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand July 31, 1909 \$ 1,184.49  
State School Tax 25,782.94  
State Free School Fund 1,570.39  
State Donations and Academic Fund 2,200.00  
County School Tax Cents on the \$100 24,854.00  
Amount of Levy \$25,000  
Licenses 903.46  
Manual Training Fund 1,500.00  
Commercial Training Fund 2,000.00  
Colored Industrial Fund 1,500.00  
Loans 27,881.25  
Sale of old Schools Lots 522.50  
Sale of Ashes 3.25  
Insurance on Charity School and Furniture 475.00  
Account of Furniture Delmar 30.00  
Refund from Gas Company 20  
\$90,407.81

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Rent 137.40  
Fuel 2,987.25  
Repairs 2,021.34  
Apparatus and Furniture 3,210.36  
Teachers' Salaries 40,574.25  
New Buildings 16,760.62  
Sanitary costs 900.54  
Incidentals 133.33  
Manual Training and Colored Industrial 3,150.20  
Office Expenses 231.20  
Salary of Secty., Treas. and County Superintendent 1,400.00  
Supervision Expenses 270.00  
Salary of School Commissioners 300.00  
Salary of Clerk 480.00  
Diplomas 23.25  
Commencement Exercises 129.51  
Discount and Interest 349.39  
Loans 12,561.39  
Commercial Course Expenses 2,055.96  
Printing 95.25  
Advertising 65.75  
Freight 52.53  
Hauling 40.49  
Insurance 256.24  
Expenses of Institute 271.66  
Expenses of State and County Associations 96.00  
Auditing accounts 15.00  
Transportation Fees 33.00  
Miscellaneous 149.67  
School Supplies 114.44  
Balance Cash on hand, July 31, 1910 1541.18  
\$90,407.81

## Free School Book Fund Statement.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand July 31, 1909 \$ .42  
Amount of Appropriation for Year 1909-1910 3,992.16  
Amount of Sales 283.28  
Part return of Loan to Gen. Fund 361.39  
\$4,337.27

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount Expended for Books \$ 4,135.71  
Cost of Distribution 201.55  
\$4,337.26

## Report of Auditors.

Salisbury, Md., Oct. 27, 1910

To the Honorable Board of School Commissioners of Wicomico County, Salisbury, Maryland.

Gentlemen: In compliance with the request of your Secretary, we beg to say that we have completed an audit of the accounts of your Secretary and Treasurer, from August 1st, 1909 to August 1st, 1910, and find the same to be correct, and the balance as shown on his books on deposit in bank.

We deem any comments upon the records of this office as unnecessary.

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## THE COURIER.

### Town Topics.

Xmas presents salore at Ullman sons. A large number of visitors were in town on Thursday for Thanksgiving. Have Ullman sons lay aside your Xmas presents now. Don't wait until the last minute.

Ullman Sons' Toy Store will be Santa Claus headquarters, select your Xmas gifts now and have them laid aside.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Sharpley, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Purnell, at Georgetown, Del.

Mrs. James E. Ball, Mrs. M. R. Cullison and daughter Elizabeth are spending some time with friends in Baltimore.

An apron and tie social will be held at Porter Mill School, Saturday evening Dec. 3rd. The public is cordially invited.

The barge "Mobjack" arrived here Monday with a cargo of 800 tons of potash consigned to W. B. Tilghman Company.

Monday, December 26th, will be observed as a holiday in Salisbury, all the stores and public places of business being closed on that day.

The young ladies of Salisbury gave a box in the Armory Thursday evening in honor of Miss Louise Perry, whose marriage takes place today.

The Ladies of Allen will hold a Bazaar in the store room of W. F. Mesick Thursday and Friday Dec. the 1st and 2nd. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Harry Malone and her mother, Mrs. Mary Johnson are visiting at the home of Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. Sidney Siemone, in Philadelphia.

Special meeting will begin tomorrow evening at the Baptist church, Rev. H. P. East of New Market Maryland will preach. The pastor will preach in the morning.

Rev. C. A. Hill, D. D., of Wilmington who preached at Ashbury M. E. Church last Sunday returned home on Wednesday. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Downing.

On Tuesday evening last Mr. Plummer E. Jones and Miss Bertie Edna Dryden were married at the Methodist Episcopal Parsonage, by Rev. T. E. Martindale, D. D.

The Norfolk express trains from Cape Charles to New York are now composed of solid trains of steel cars. The new coaches are 55 feet long, electrically lighted and seat 80 people.

The Diamond State Telephone Company has reduced the rate to Baltimore from 70 cents to 50 cents. The same ratio of reduction has been made to other points in Maryland.

In another column will be found an advertisement of sale of a large lot of valuable cattle which will take place at the stables of Mr. E. N. Todd on Camden Street next Wednesday afternoon, No. 50th, at one o'clock.

Mrs. Sallie G. Jones has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Etha Mae, to Grover Cleveland Layfield, in St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, Tyaskin, Saturday, the 26th of November, at eight o'clock p. m.

Charles Truitt, while cutting timber on the land of Oscar Collins, near Friendship, one day last week, was instantly killed by a falling tree, the tree splitting open and knocking him about ten feet. His neck was broken and skull badly crushed.

The Princess Anne Ideal Minstrel Company will give an entertainment Friday evening next for the benefit of the Public Library. This company is composed entirely of home talent, ladies and gentlemen, and will present a program that will be entertaining.

Messrs William S. Bell, John C. Parsons Dr. L. S. Bell, and a friend from Philadelphia enjoyed several days sport on a house boat at Ocean City. They succeeded in getting 135 ducks in the two days' shooting. Mr. Bell will take another party down the bay this week.

Rev. Dr. Welderman, Agent of the Maryland Bible Society, will be at Ashbury M. E. Church tomorrow (Sunday) morning, and preach at 11 o'clock. Sunday school session will be held at 2:30; Brotherhood meeting, at 6:45 P. M., in charge of Mr. Frank Hynson, and preaching at 7:30 by Dr. Martindale.

Next week a party from Salisbury will take several days gunning down the bay. In the party will be Capt. John Hagan, Mr. Graham Gushy, Mr. William S. Gordy, Jr., assistant cashier of the Salisbury National Bank and one or two more from Salisbury. They will take a houseboat and spend four days on the expedition.

At the meeting of the City Council on Monday evening last, Mayor Bonds submitted his appointment of Mr. John C. Brittingham as a member of the Police Force, which was at once confirmed. Officer Brittingham is originally from Nanticoke District, his parents now living at White Haven. He has just completed a four years service in the U. S. Navy.

## Personal

Miss Jean Leonard was in town this week.

Misses Nellie and Maude Bonds are in Baltimore.

Mr. Leonard Wallis was in Pocomoke City this week.

Mrs. Alan Benj. min entertained Friday afternoon.

Misses Grace and Kate Darby were in Baltimore this week.

Miss Annie Peters was in Baltimore this week for the holidays.

Miss Virginia Nelson of Onancock spent the week-end at Fairfield.

Miss Flo Grier entertained the "500" Club Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Edith Short was in Baltimore several days this week.

Miss Nina Venables was in Baltimore several days this week.

Miss Wells of Elkton is visiting Mrs. T. E. Martindale.

Mr. Everett Williams is home from St. Johns College for the holidays.

Mrs. Alice Durham is spending several days with her sister in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Sexton and daughter are in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Nancy Smith, who is teaching at Parsonsburg is home for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jackson and Miss Belle Jackson are in Philadelphia for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Levin Collier entertained a number of their friends Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Glen Perdue, who has been in Baltimore for several days has returned home.

Miss Alice Humphreys and little Miss Anne Humphreys are in Philadelphia.

The Misses Houston, who have been spending several months in Europe, arrived in Salisbury Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George S. Venables, who has been spending several weeks at Mardela Springs, has returned home.

Miss Julia Wright, who has been visiting in Philadelphia, has returned home.

Judge and Mrs. E. Stanley Treadwin are spending Thanksgiving in Philadelphia.

Miss Wilkie Woodcock was in Philadelphia this week for the Army-Navy Game.

Miss Ora Disharoon leaves today for Norfolk, Va. where she will visit Miss May Gayle.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Billegood spent the holidays in Dover Del., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mayer.

Mrs. May Wharton Turpin and children of Baltimore are guests of Mrs. Sallie Kittredge.

Miss Elizabeth Collier, who has been visiting in Baltimore and Ellicott City has returned home.

Miss Martha Treadwin entertained the "500" Club Tuesday evening. A handkerchief shower was given for Miss Louise Perry.

Miss Mary Brewington, who is attending the Washington College at Washington, D. C., is home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. S. P. Woodcock, who has been spending several weeks in Wilmington and Baltimore has returned home.

Mrs. James E. Ball and Mrs. W. R. Cullison and daughter Elizabeth are visiting friends in Baltimore.

The Right Reverend Wm. F. Adams, Bishop of Boston, will make his annual visitation to Spring Hill Church Sunday, Nov. 27th. Service at 3 p. m. He will be at St. Philip's, Quantico at 7:30 p. m.

The ladies of St. Philip's Church will hold a bazar and supper in Gillis and Dashiell's Hall, Quantico, Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 3, Supper 25 cents. The public are cordially invited.

A bill has been filed in the Circuit Court for Wicomico county by Claude H. Taylor praying for a divorce from his wife, Etha M. Taylor, on statutory grounds. The couple were married on the 26th day of December, 1909, and lived together until June 1, 1910, when the plaintiff refused to further live with defendant. This case will be heard on December 23rd.

The carpenters have about put the finishing touches on the mammoth warehouse for Turner Brothers Co., whole sale grocers, giving them probably the largest building under one roof in Salisbury. The present structure is 45 feet wide by 178 feet long, three stories high giving them 24,000 square feet of floor space. The building extends from Main Street through to the river, and is equipped with two elevators, two endless chain conveyors, and one steel slide thus making the handling of goods speedy and easy. The warehouse is also equipped with two large grain bins, with conveyors and other labor-saving devices.

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## NOVEL TEACHING IDEAS EXPLOITED

Varsity Head Condemns Women Seeking Careers.

### COLLEGE YELL SAFETY VALVE.

Buffalo Man Thinks It Is Providential Escape For "Cussedness"—Chicago Plans Penny Lunches to Feed Poor Pupils—Illinois Working on World's Largest School of Railroad.

This is the denunciatory and condemnatory season for the educators, and the opening of the schools and colleges and resumption of teachers' institutes were inaugurated by a veritable fusillade against conditions.

Perhaps the most important of the criticisms was that of President H. B. Hutchins of the University of Michigan, famous for his insistence upon the preservation of "deportment." Dr. Hutchins slammed a certain class of women students, and to their faces, too, in his annual address to the coeds at Ann Arbor.

"Deliver me from the woman who comes to the university to prepare for a career," said the president, and he urged students to select studies that would better fit them for being home-makers and mothers. "If you have particular ability the career will seek you out," he said in closing.

Another instructor spoke a good word for the much ridiculed college yell. Dr. Ina Bender, assistant superintendent of schools at Buffalo, N. Y., in addressing the Iowa teachers termed it a "safety valve for cussedness."

Highballs in Curriculum. Though not mentioning concerted cheering specifically, N. C. Schaeffer, superintendent of public institutions of Pennsylvania, took an indirect swing when he denounced the present American system of education as being a curriculum of "football, baseball, evening balls and highballs." He also told the Worcester county (Mass.) teachers that the children of immigrant parents were rapidly distancing American progeny in school.

Following this assault was an attack on a cherished American institution, "Home Sweet Home," by Will Barnhart, a musician of Richmond, Ind., before the Wisconsin teachers' convention. Barnhart declares the song that has been translated into every civilized tongue is "wooden."

"I don't mean the words," said Barnhart. "They bring associations that are fine, but musically it is awful. The composer had just one thought, and he tried to develop it with four notes—never a change, never a surprise to keep up the interest in the melody. Compare with this wooden composition Mendelssohn's 'Consolation.' What a difference! What a pleasure it brings to the mind with its pleasing changes!"

Strike Causes School Feud. The growth of factional feeling among school children has been exemplified at Lafayette, Colo., a coal camp, where a general strike was declared some time ago and strike breakers imported from West Virginia.

With the arrival of the strike breakers' families trouble began. At the schools the strikers' sons battled with those of the breakers, and finally more than 100 of the former decided to attend school with the "scabs." At a conference between the transient officers, the school authorities and mothers of both factions an agreement was reached that the strikers' children should sit on one side of the classrooms and those of the strike breakers on the other.

But criticism and strife are not the only features of the opening of the school year, for progressive ideas are also in evidence. For instance, Chicago has taken the first step toward the solution of the problem of feeding the thousands of school children from the poorer districts, the board of education deciding to establish lunch rooms in six of the largest schools, particularly in the foreign sections.

#### Meal For a Penny.

It is the plan to limit the lunch to soup and bread and butter. One penny will be charged for the lunch of breakfast. If a child is hungry, however, and is without a penny it will be fed. The children will receive all the soup and bread and butter they want. The girls pupils will be taught to set the tables and to serve the food. The board committee was told that the physical and mental progress of thousands of children was being retarded by lack of nourishing food.

The University of Illinois has started a campaign to develop the greatest school of railroad in the world and has enlisted the co-operation of sixty presidents of railroads doing business in Illinois in securing a large appropriation from the legislature so that every phase of the business could be taught.

A novel idea has been started by the school children of Lincoln and Minneapolis, whereby the wheat growing methods of Nebraska and Minnesota can be learned by the exchanging of essays and picture postal cards.

Bakshin to Wheat Center. Japanese investigators have proved that the southern half of the island of Hokkaido is a good winter wheat

## GIRLS TO LEARN PLUMBING

Aid to Housekeeping Planned For Chicago School Courses.

A course in plumbing is an innovation announced for the approaching new school term by Superintendent Ella Flagg Young.

"So many girls know no more about the water and gas used in kitchens than turn the faucet and the water flows or the gas is ready to light," said Mrs. Young in telling of the new course. "We want them to know more about this matter from a sanitary viewpoint."

The course is to be known as the sanitary science. Pupils will be required to master such details as how the water and gas are distributed through mains to houses, then to kitchens, how connections are made, and similar things.

With proper understanding of these matters, together with a knowledge of how the waste water is carried away, Mrs. Young says the students will be better equipped to keep kitchens over which they may rule in the future in a more sanitary condition. At the same time they will be armed with knowledge that may save them money by avoiding the necessity of calling in the plumber and by economy in the use of gas.

American Flour Meets Kongkong. In Hongkong American flour still retains the market—688,692 barrels for \$2,780,649 in 1910 fiscal year. Shipped direct to the Chinese empire were 21,248 barrels, worth \$83,164. Shanghai mills have captured a good deal of Hongkong's trade in flour.

#### The Dilettante Society.

An interesting old organization which formerly existed in London—the Dilettante society—originated with certain gentlemen who, having traveled in Italy, tried to encourage at home what they had enjoyed abroad. This society of lovers of the fine arts lasted 130 years. Waipole does not seem to have looked upon it with a very favorable eye, for he says: "The nominal qualification was to have been to Italy; the real one was being drunk."

#### Her Earache.

"What's the matter with you this morning, Della?" asked Mrs. Wise. "Oh, ma'am," replied the servant girl, "'tis the terrible earache I have this mornin'."

"Ah, you should be careful, Della. All the keyholes in this house are very drafty."—Exchange.

#### The Hat Straw Crop.

The greater part of the straw employed for making summer hats comes from Italy. To obtain a suitable straw for this purpose the wheat is sown as thickly as possible in order that the growth of the plant may be impoverished as well as to produce a thin stalk. The Italian wheat blooms at the beginning of June and is put up by hand by the roots when the grain is half developed. Should it be allowed to remain in the ground a longer time the straw would become too brittle for the purpose for which it is grown. Uprooted straw to the number of about five dozen, the size of the compass of the two hands, are firmly tied together in little sheaves and stowed away in barns. After that the straw is again spread out to catch the heavy summer dews and to bleach in the sun. When the product has been sufficiently bleached it is put into small bundles and classified. The last step is to cut it close above the first joint from the top, when it is again tied up in small bundles containing about sixty stalks each and is then ready for the market.—Harper's Weekly.

#### Laif and Columbus Ostronized.

The paths of great discoveries have always been thorny ones, as our aspirants for polar honors can testify, but it remains for an old farmer to put forth an as yet unheard of rival to the great Columbus. The farmer's wife was greatly stirred up by the agitation of the woman's rights question. One evening the old lady was condemning the men in very strong terms and expressing herself in favor of women's voting. The old man got tired of it. He dropped his paper and exclaimed: "Marenity, the men hev made out to govern this kentry ever since Robinson Crusoe discovered it, and I guess they will for a spell longer, so you keep still."—Youth's Companion.

#### Realistic.

Mamma—For goodness' sake, Elsie, why are you shouting in that disgraceful fashion? Why can't you be quiet like Willie?

Elsie—He has to be quiet the way we're playing. He's paps coming home late, and I'm you.

#### Right in Her Line.

"I see you advertise for a cook, ma'am."

"Yes, but we can't pay more than \$4 a week. We are doing light house-keeping, you see."

"That'll jist suit me, ma'am. Me an' me husband once kep' a lighthouse for four years."—Chicago Tribune.

#### The Last Word.

The Henpecked Rooster (sighing)—Perhaps some day I shall adorn a woman's hat and then I shall be pointed to with pride!

His Cackling Wife—You mean viewed with alarm, don't you?—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

#### Alternatives.

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#### English Favorite Letter Language.

Of 12,000,000,000 letters written in a year by the world at large 8,000,000,000 are in English, 1,200,000,000 in German and only 1,000,000,000 in French.

## NEW RAILWAY BUILT FOR MILES ON SALT AND GOLD

Prospectors Exalted by Wealth Found Along Western Pacific.

At many points on the line of the new Western Pacific railroad from Salt Lake City to San Francisco there was not room enough in the canyon for both river and railroad, and solid walls of masonry had to be built to carry the tracks above the stream.

At other points the sharp curves in the canyon have sent the tracks back and forth from one side to the other on steel bridges and high trestles. In building the line material and workmen frequently had to be let down the sides of the canyon by ropes hundreds of feet in length to start construction on new sections.

Wagon roads are everywhere impossible. At last after endless turnings and twists in fighting its way through 150 miles of the canyon the tracks come out into the broad valley at Oroville, over which for countless ages the Feather river has poured debris from its mountain fastnesses.

So much gold did the river bring down that the soil down to the solid bedrock is being dug up by dredges and washed for its gold. Large tracts of land given over to olives, oranges and other fruits are now being torn to pieces in the ceaseless hunt for gold, which is being found in such quantities that the miners are beginning to rival in their wealth the pioneers in the gold fields of the state.

In contrast to this long stretch of canyon scenery is the great salt desert through which the new road runs after leaving Salt Lake City. This desert is sixty miles long and fifteen miles wide, composed of rock salt 97 per cent pure. Right through the center of it the engineers of the road ran their lines, and for forty-six miles there is not a curve in the tracks. The ties are laid on a bed of solid salt two or three feet above the level of the plain. The salt looks like a field of ice and snow, and it is difficult for the traveler to realize that his train is not passing through a wintry scene of the far north.

## GOOD INDIANS STILL LIVING.

Carlisle's Records Prove Merit of New Red Man.

The head of the Indian school at Carlisle has been looking into the records made by the graduates since leaving the institution. He claims that of 514 living graduates only five have been "so called failures."

"The rest," he says in the Red Man, "have made a marked success in their various spheres of activity. Three hundred of them are successfully engaged in vocational activities away from the reservation and have been forever severed from federal supervision. No longer content to be wards, they have speedily become citizens. The 200 engaged at work on the reservation are leaders among their people and examples of probity and industry."

"Of the women graduates it will be noted that 142 are housekeepers. It will thus be seen that their education has not weaned them away from married life. They are the mistresses of modern homes, nicely furnished, and their children are being well cared for and carefully educated. These are not so-called squaws who live in tepees or hogans, amid the squalor of the reservation, but thrifty, industrious wives and mothers whose homes compare well with the homes of good white women in similar circumstances."

"Careful records are being gathered of the more than 4,000 students who have stayed at Carlisle only long enough to complete partial terms. It has been found from returns which have already been received that out of 2,189 approximately 94 per cent are successfully earning their living and evidence by the uprightness of their lives that even the short term spent at this school has been a vital influence for good."

## TURKEY SUED FOR APPENDIX.

Woman Who Satisfied Sultan's Curiosity Wants Reparation.

Miss Josefa Schneider, a Turkish subject, resident in Constantinople, has brought suit for damages against the state which throws a vivid light on conditions in Turkey under Abdul Hamid II. According to the Paris Ecclair, one of Abdul's daughters fell seriously ill in the days when he was still padishah, and the court physicians recommended an operation for appendicitis.

Abdul refused to give his consent until the operation had been performed on some one else to prove that it was not dangerous to life. Miss Schneider, who had recently spent some time in a Constantinople hospital, was handy, so she was forcibly taken from her home and deprived of her appendix.

Abdul Hamid was convinced, his daughter was cured, and now Miss Schneider's suit is part of his successor's troubles.

#### Russia Follows American Reports.

The Russian ministry of commerce and industry has decided to issue special bulletins concerning foreign commerce with a view to enlarging Russian trade throughout the world. They have been patterned to a large degree after the American consular and trade reports.

#### English Favorite Letter Language.

Of 12,000,000,000 letters written in a year by the world at large 8,000,000,000 are in English, 1,200,000,000 in German and only 1,000,000,000 in French.

## THE MARCH OF PROGRESS.

Some Topics in the Family Room of Highly Respectable People.

THE wind tore wildly at the casements and a wicked about the house, while the snow which had been falling for several days lay upon the ground in mountainous drifts. The mistresses of the home looked toward the window every few minutes, and it was with a sigh of relief that she saw finally her husband's aeroplane making its way slowly toward home.

The two daughters sat poring over fashion books, and the tables and chairs were covered with frill and filmy materials, delicate silks, lingers, chiffons and crapes.

"Let us get these things out of the way, my dears," said the mother, "or your father will think that we are arranging for a trip to the tropics."

"How absurd you are, mother," said the oldest girl. "Any one would know that we are merely deciding how to have our summer things made after the early fall fashions."

"I wish it would stop blowing," said the second girl. "I meant to go out to the hotbath and get something for dinner."

"Never mind, dear," the mother said, smiling at the thoughtful girl. "We will fall back on the peaches. What flowers have you for the table, my child?" speaking to the oldest girl.

"Chrysanthemums," she replied, a note of triumph in her voice. "They are so springlike. The gardener showed me, too, how nicely the holly and mistletoe are coming on. They will be in full berry for our Fourth of July decorations."

"How the time goes!" sighed the mother. "It will soon be midsummer, and then we will sit on hotel porches and sew on undesired and undesirable Christmas gifts and go to fairs and bazaars and buy more of them—quantities and quantities of the tedious things."

"Here is father!" cried the oldest girl, endeavoring to divert her parent from this melancholy vision. "I am glad we have such a good dinner—venison and green corn!"

"Very heavy sailing," said the father, appearing in the door. "But there are good reports. The weather bureau has put out bulletins promising the public that they will be able absolutely to regulate the weather conditions. Just as much rain as is needed will fall, no more. Nothing except a flurry now and then to make the June roses glow by contrast. It is the end, thank goodness, of those superannuated old seasons."

"Fancy," said the youngest daughter, "how slow and stupid it must have been—four seasons divided off like boxes and appropriate flowers, fruits, vegetables and clothes for each!"

"And yet they were pleasant," said the mother, a reminiscent tear in her eyes.

"Oh, mother, dear," cried the younger generation in chorus, "do be careful! If you remember too much people will know that you are older than your daughters, and that is the greatest tragedy that can befall a modern mother."—Life.

#### An Experienced Waiter.

At the first meal on board the ocean liner Smythe was beginning to feel like casting his bread upon the waters. His friends had told him that when he began to feel that way he should stuff himself. He tackled a cutlet first, but it didn't taste right. He observed to the waiter, "Waiter, this cutlet isn't very good."

The waiter looked at his whitening face, then replied, "Yes, sir; but for the length of time you'll 'ave 'it, sir, 'it won't matter, sir."—Lippincott's.

#### There's a Reason.

Physician I have told you to take long walks in the open air, and you are not doing it.

Confirmed Dyspeptic—I know it, doctor, but you told me I was to take them on an empty stomach, and I never have an empty stomach."—Chicago Tribune.

#### Hen Fruit Problem.

Woman Who Satisfied Sultan's Curiosity Wants Reparation.

Miss Josefa Schneider, a Turkish subject, resident in Constantinople, has brought suit for damages against the state which throws a vivid light on conditions in Turkey under Abdul Hamid II. According to the Paris Ecclair, one of Abdul's daughters fell seriously ill in the days when he was still padishah, and the court physicians recommended an operation for appendicitis.

Abdul refused to give his consent until the operation had been performed on some one else to prove that it was not dangerous to life. Miss Schneider, who had recently spent some time in a Constantinople hospital, was handy, so she was forcibly taken from her home and deprived of her appendix.

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### ACTORS TO GIVE TAFT MEDAL

Presentation to President on May 9  
First Event of Its Kind.

President Taft will receive the first  
medal ever presented to the chief mag-  
istrate by the theater on May 9, when  
he goes to New York from Washing-  
ton expressly to open the Actors' Fund  
fair. The presentation will be made  
by a committee of twelve of the lead-  
ing actresses on the dramatic stage.

The medal, which was designed by  
Chester Beach, one of the youngest of  
New York sculptors, was struck in  
gold. Mr. Beach was commissioned  
to make the design by Archer M. Hunt-  
ington, president of the American Nu-  
mismatic society. The selection of the  
design was made by John W. Alexan-  
der, president of the American Acad-  
emy of Design and chairman of the  
art committee of the Actors' Fund fair,  
from a great number of drawings and  
plates submitted for the competition.  
The face of the medal portrays "Char-  
ity" coming forward, with "Comedy"  
and "Tragedy" stretching forth her  
arms in an appeal for charity. On the  
reverse side, in low relief, are the com-  
edy and tragedy masks. The medal  
bears the words "Actors' Fund, New  
York, 1910." The dies for the medal  
were donated by Edward J. Delfsch.

### A PARTY FOR HUSBANDS.

Pittsburg Women's Club Will Give It  
In Place of a Rose Fete.

The Women's club of Pittsburg,  
which recently took umbrage at in-  
sultations of race suicide in Pittsburg  
and which in self defense gave a baby  
show for babies of members only,  
caused additional interest the other  
night by announcing that the usual  
June rose fete would not be given  
this year by the club, but instead there  
would be a garden party for husbands.  
The club promises to make some-  
what of a flutter by its display of  
husbands in the rose month. It is  
whispered that husbands of one half  
the members of the club do not know  
the husbands of the other half, and  
this is intended to make every one ac-  
quainted.

### Mushrooms in Old Mines.

Theodore Imback of the Maryland  
state experiment station has found a  
new use for abandoned mines. He has  
produced in them mushrooms of the  
best grade, his experiment showing  
the abandoned mine to be an ideal  
place for mushroom culture. He is  
producing mushrooms of the best qual-  
ity in an abandoned mine near the  
state farm at Morgantown, Md., hav-  
ing plants that yield from the one  
mine from \$5 to \$10 worth of mush-  
rooms a day.

### A Long Walk to Cure Tuberculosis.

Walking from Boston to Denver as  
a cure for tuberculosis, J. W. Lee, aged  
thirty, applied to the Allegheny Gen-  
eral hospital, at Pittsburgh, for medical  
treatment the other day and was in-  
vited to stay, but after a short rest  
continued on his trip. Lee said that  
he had no relatives or friends and was  
working his way across the country,  
riding when he could. He had walked  
most of the distance from Boston to  
Pittsburg.

### Took Him at His Word.

In the year of 1083 the forces of  
King Alfonso VI. attacked the Moors  
and drove them out of Madrid. In  
this connection there is a legend that  
the Segovians, who were allies of Al-  
fonso, had been checked by the snows  
in the mountain passes of Fuenfria  
and were therefore late in overtaking  
the main body of the army, which had  
sat down before Madrid. "Sire," they  
inquired of the king, "where shall we  
camp?" "Inside the city," returned Al-  
fonso with a sneer, being angry with  
them because of their tardiness. They  
took the king at his word, carried the  
walls, and the next morning the ban-  
ner of Segovia was floating from a  
turret of the gate of Guadalajara.

### Why Bixby Doesn't Go.

"Bixby sent the minister ten reasons  
for not going to church, but he left  
out the main one."  
"What is that?"  
"He stays away because his wife  
doesn't make him go."—Cleveland  
Plain Dealer.

### A Way Man Has.

A man who will sit up all night and  
display marvelous agility of the fin-  
gers in operating a pack of cards finds  
that he has hands like an elephant's  
feet when he is asked to hook up or  
button up his wife's gown. This fact  
is observed time and again and is one  
of the popular bits of philosophy to be  
served in connection with a dramati-  
cans' convention desiring public atten-  
tion. That it is a more difficult un-  
dertaking to shuffle the deck and deal a  
poker hand—merely as a test of digital  
dexterity without taking into consid-  
eration the more important item of  
dealing a satisfactory hand—than to  
hook up a gown even when the eyes  
are hidden in the lace must be admit-  
ted. That a map will undertake the  
one cheerfully and the other churlish-  
ly must be ascribed to the survival of  
the fittest in most male humans.—  
Chicago Tribune.

### A Nice Distinction.

He was hurrying for the train,  
somewhat impeded by a clumsy crate  
containing a large live turkey. As he  
approached the gate the guard stopped  
him with a gesture.  
"You can't take that through here,"  
he said. "That'll have to be checked  
or go by express."

"But I can't stop," declared the  
passenger. "I've got to get this train."  
And he tried to push through again.  
The guard held him back. "That is  
baggage," he said firmly, "and it must  
go in the baggage car."  
"Oh, no," replied the other, with a  
charming and confident smile; "it's  
luggage. Don't you see I'm lugging it?"  
And he had slipped by before the  
astonished guard had caught his  
breath.—Youth's Companion.

### Circumstantial Evidence.

Even the clearest and most perfect  
circumstantial evidence is likely to be  
at fault after all, and therefore ought  
to be received with great caution.  
Take the case of any pencil sharpened  
by any woman. If you have witnesses  
you will find she did it with a knife,  
but if you take simply the aspect of  
the pencil you will say she did it with  
her teeth.—Mark Twain.

### Ultra Practical.

"I notice," said a husband who was  
reading a lengthy letter which his  
wife had written and had handed to  
him for perusal, "that you have made  
a stupid mistake. You have written  
'mirage' instead of 'marriage.'"  
"Either will do," replied the lady.  
"They both signify an illusion."

### Sure Thing.

"So Jack and Tom proposed last  
night. Which did you accept?"  
"Why, my dear, I was so excited I  
can't remember. But whichever calls  
tomorrow must be the one."—Spokane  
Spokesman-Review.

### Painfully Frank.

Miss Oldgie—Here are some new  
pictures I had taken, but they are per-  
fectly frightful. The photographer I went  
to is no fatterer. Miss Pert—No, but  
he is conscientious.—Baltimore Amer-  
ican.

### Taking Her to Task.

Mrs. Plymouth Rock—Yes, we are  
very proud of the fact that our an-  
cestors came over in the Mayflower.  
Mrs. Many Rocks (severely)—In the  
first cabin?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Oh, life! An age to the miserable, a  
moment to the happy.—Bacon

### Dolls.

The ivory doll of the Roman child  
was too costly for the ages that fol-  
lowed the fall of the empire. For  
many centuries dolls must have been  
chiefly of home manufacture. The first  
shop made dolls after the middle ages  
were the jointed wooden dolls of the  
Netherlands. These were known in  
England and in this country, too, in  
colonial times as "Flanders babies."

### Quick Changes.

Daughter—There is only one thing  
more astonishing than the readiness  
with which Ned gave up tobacco when  
we became engaged. Mother—What is  
that astonishing thing? Daughter—  
The rapidity with which he took it up  
again as soon as we were married.

### Literary Firsts and Seconds.

The youthful newspaper reporter  
who has visions of being a famous au-  
thor is still wondering over the epi-  
gram made by a successful confrere  
when the latter noted his disappoint-  
ment over the return of a manuscript.  
"I thought sure," said the reporter,  
with a sigh, "that that confounded  
story would tell. It's good stuff, if I did  
write it, and I am certainly surprised  
that it came back."  
The successful writer grinned and  
then placed his hand on the other  
man's shoulder.  
"My dear boy," he said, somewhat  
grimly, "there are only two stages in  
the life of a writer. One is when he  
is surprised at getting his stories back  
and the second when he is surprised  
at not getting them back. You're in  
the first; I'm in the second. And there  
you are."

But the reporter is still wondering.—  
Philadelphia Times.

### Escorted Her Anyway.

While Robert Browning and his son  
Barrett were living alone in Florence,  
the son gave one afternoon an exhibi-  
tion of his new paintings in the family  
drawing room. To Mr. Browning was  
assigned the task of meeting the  
guests. Late in the afternoon, when  
the room was well filled, there appeared  
at the drawing room door a woman  
whose face was familiar. Yet Mr.  
Browning could not recall her name,  
and he judged from her appearance  
that she was not an invited guest.

There was embarrassment on both  
sides for a moment, and then the so-  
man said eagerly: "Oh, please, Mr.  
Browning, I'm the cook. Mr. Barrett  
said as I was to come and see his pre-  
tiny picture."

Whereupon Mr. Browning, offering  
his arm, showed her about the room  
with all the attention that he could  
have bestowed upon a reigning queen.

### The Rat and the Bulb.

According to the French naturalist  
De Parville, a gardener planted one  
afternoon 250 tulip bulbs on a terrace,  
and next morning he noticed that the  
ground had been disturbed and that  
the bulbs had all been taken away.  
He was confident that rats had done  
the work, and, taking a spade, he be-  
gan to dig in the hope of discovering  
their nest. Soon he unearthed a large  
female rat, which he killed, and after  
digging a few more minutes he dis-  
covered an underground chamber lined  
with hay and leaves and connected by  
a corridor with two holes, which were  
evidently used as storehouses, for in  
them he found the 250 tulip bulbs.  
This was remarkable, but more re-  
markable was the fact that they were  
neatly arranged in two rows and that  
not one of them had been gnawed or  
otherwise injured.

### The Rhodum Sidus.

An amusing story told by Hood de-  
scribes how a country nurseryman  
made a large sum out of sales of a  
simple little flower which he sold un-  
der the name of the Rhodum sidus.  
This charming name proved quite an  
attraction to the ladies, and the flower  
became the rage of the season. It was  
one of those freaks of fashion for  
which there is no accounting. At  
length a botanist who found that the  
plant was not an uncommon weed re-  
quested to know where the nursery-  
man got the name from. He elicited  
the following reply: "I found this flower  
in the road beside us, so christened  
it the Rhodum sidus."

### The Purist Lost a Sale.

"I've just happened to remember  
that my wife told me to get a tin pan  
that will go under the icebox. Have  
you any?"

"No, sir, but we have some that can  
be shoved under the icebox. Won't  
that do just as well?"

"I think not, young man. My wife  
is a bit particular about my getting  
the exact thing that she tells me to  
get. I presume I can find it at some  
other store. Good day, sir."—Chicago  
Tribune.

### Horse Sense.

During a heavy downpour of rain an  
Irish farmer sent his boy to a distant  
field to bring home a horse. Some time  
elapsed, and the messenger returned  
without the horse.

Father—Didn't I send ye for the  
horse, ye gammoth? Is your head in  
your brogues?

Little Boy (drenched to the skin)—  
Sure, he was standin' in shelter as dry  
as ye loike. Bedad, he knows more  
than the two of us.

### Too Empty.

Bonney (morning of the second day  
out)—Come, old boy, let's go out on  
deck. Breakfast won't be served for  
half an hour yet, and a brisk walk on  
an empty stomach will do you good.  
Klabber (feebly trying to smile)—  
Take a walk on yours, if you like,  
chappie. Mine is—Is entirely too  
empty.—Chicago Tribune.

### In Art Circles.

"That picture is by an old master,"  
the owner stated proudly.  
"Umph, umph," commented the crit-  
ical visitor. "What was he master  
of?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

### His Advice.

She (after the embrace)—Oh, how  
dare you! You have offended me. What  
shall I do?  
He—Er—why not "turn the other  
cheek?"—London Tatler.

### What Did It Mean?

A notice board in a Scottish kirk once  
bore, it is said, the following amazing  
sentence: "This church is licensed for  
the solemnization of marriages."

Listen to others, but do not blindly  
depend on them.

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Idaho Vineyard Owner.

That several districts in the Pacific  
northwest are much better adapted to  
the growing of grapes than the most  
famous vineyard localities of Europe  
is the declaration of Rudolph Schlei-  
sher of Lewiston, Ida. Mr. Schleisher  
recently returned from a year's visit  
in Great Britain and continental Eu-  
rope and while on his trip took occa-  
sion to visit the principal grape pro-  
ducing districts and some of the large  
wineries.

For the last twenty-five years Mr.  
Schleisher has been engaged in raising  
grapes in the Clearwater country above  
Lewiston and is one of the best in-  
formed men on the industry in the  
northwest. In discussing the opportu-  
nities for grape growing in Oregon,  
Washington and Idaho he said:

"My recent travels in Europe and in  
the United States convince me that  
we can and are raising the finest qual-  
ity of grapes that come on the markets  
of the world. By virtue of the soil,  
climate and altitude we produce a bet-  
ter flavored, higher colored and larger  
grape than is found either in Califor-  
nia or central Europe.

"In southeastern France I found that  
the quality of grapes was practically  
on a par with ours. They have been  
raising grapes in that section for so  
many years that they have reduced the  
work to a science. If the people of the  
northwest who are engaged in this  
industry would take as much care with  
their vineyards the quality of the prod-  
uct would be much better than any in  
France or Italy.

"The fancy grapes in Europe sell  
from \$1 to \$1.50 a pound. Of course it  
is only the wealthy class that can af-  
ford to buy them. If we could have a  
European market for our grapes  
there would be no limit to the demand  
for our product. In that event our  
vineyards would be easily worth from  
\$4,000 to \$5,000 an acre. With the  
prices that have obtained during the  
last few years our best vineyards have  
averaged a net income of from \$400 to  
\$600 an acre."

Fahrenheit of Long Standing.  
It was about 1720, at Amsterdam,  
that Fahrenheit made his first ther-  
mometer, which has served as a model  
ever since.

### Ready For the Next One.

A generous and brave but very ec-  
centric Virginia planter named Eli  
Carter, who had once been an officer  
in the United States navy, had a hand  
to hand battle at sea with one day  
with his plantation overseer and came  
off second best. He therefore chal-  
lenged the overseer to a formal duel,  
but the latter declined on the ground  
that, being a husband and father, he  
was under obligation not to risk leav-  
ing his family destitute. Carter at  
once removed that objection by set-  
tling upon the family a comfortable  
annuity. Then everything was got  
ready for the fight, but just as the  
two men faced each other the sheriff  
arrived on the scene, took them into  
custody and had them bound over to  
keep the peace. Mr. Carter did not,  
however, change the deed of gift with  
which he had provided for the over-  
seer's family, remarking that he might  
wish some time to resume the inter-  
rupted fight and hence would rather  
keep everything in readiness for  
prompt action.—New York Post.

### Consul King David.

This amusing anecdote of Lamartine  
is related by the Baroness de Bode in  
her volume of letters. Shortly after  
the revolution of February he wrote  
on the blank leaves of his pocketbook  
the names of his protectors and benefi-  
ciaries to be provided with places im-  
mediately. Previously, however, it seems,  
he had scribbled "David" on the page,  
and the head of the cabinet appointed  
the said David consul at Bremen.  
The postulant, however, never came for-  
ward, and, though the post did not like  
being disturbed, M. Hatzel was obli-  
ged to ask who was the David on his  
list.

"He who danced before the ark,"  
was the answer.

"Oh, dear! I have gazzetted him to  
Bremen!"

"How very singular! I meant him  
for a subject for meditation, not for  
nomination. But you can cancel it."  
The minister registered the change,  
but few knew that the last consul ap-  
pointed to Bremen was King David.

### Window Glass.

It is certain that there were glass  
windows in Pompeii, as the proof is  
found in its ruins. In more modern  
times it is known that windows of  
some kind were glazed so early as the  
third century, if not before, though  
the fashion was not fairly introduced  
until it was done by Benedict Biscop  
about 674. Windows of glass were  
used in private houses in Italy as  
early as 1177.—Exchange.

### Witty.

The following epigram was written  
on Dr. Isaac Letson, a once well  
known English physician:

When folks are sick and send for me  
I purge, bleed and sweat 'em.  
If after that they choose to die  
What's that to me? I Letson.

### A Come-back.

"Honestly, my son," said the million-  
aire, "is the best policy."  
"Well, perhaps it is, dad," rejoined  
the youthful philosopher, "but it  
strikes me you have done pretty well  
nevertheless."—London Tit-Bits.

### The Dinner Table of Old France.

Could we restore the last of the  
dinner table of old France we should  
obtain half a dozen instances of the  
table of a royal banquet of Francis  
and Louis XIV. such laughter would  
be heard as might disturb the seren-  
ity of Louis in paradise. The duc de  
her apkin died securely around his  
neck, would be seen nibbling 'tween  
the noble marquis, surreptitiously  
scratching himself, the belle marquise  
withdrawing her spoon from her lips  
to help a neighbor to sauce with it, and  
other fair creature scouring her plate  
with her bread; a gallant courtier  
using his doublet or the tablecloth as a  
towel for his fingers and two footmen  
holding a yard of damask under a  
lady's chin while she emptied her glass  
at a draft. All of these at one  
era or another were the wages of po-  
lite society. During a feast of inor-  
dinate length it was sometimes neces-  
sary to substitute a clean cloth for  
the one which the carelessness or bad  
manners of the guests had reduced to  
a deplorable condition.—New Orleans  
Times-Democrat.

### The Transformation.

They sat hand in hand on the yellow  
sands, in the shelter of a bowlder,  
watching the daisy wavelets creep  
timorously shoreward.

"Frankie," she sighed, "say I'm one  
little petrie once more."

"Oo's my little petrie, blossoming little  
heart," came from the youth in the  
puck socks.

Up to the blue heavens rose a fair  
guffaw from the other side of the  
bowlder.

"Little petrie! Little petrie!" chuc-  
ckled a corpulent gentleman with a four  
day stubble growth.

"Go it, Frankie. You ain't art done-  
yet. Eight years ago!"

"Eight years ago?" interrupted a shrill voice  
from the cliffs above. "You'll sleep  
wot little sense you've got away if  
you ain't careful. Thought you was  
goin' to get some winks for tea!"

"Eight years ago, Frankie," con-  
tinued the stout gentleman, mourn-  
fully, jerking his thumb cliffward, "he  
was my little petrie!"—London Tit-  
Bits.

### Florence Nightingale.

There is a story that after the return  
to England of the troops from the  
Crimea Lord Stratford, at a dinner  
suggested that those present should  
write on a piece of paper the name of  
the person whose Crimean reputation  
would endure longest. When the  
votes came to be examined it was  
found that not a single soldier had re-  
ceived a vote. Every paper bore the  
same two words—Florence Night-  
ingale.

The "Lady With the Lamp" used to  
relate the following story: "Callin'  
one day on one of her humble neigh-  
bors, she was surprised to see the  
usually tidy cottage in a state of great  
disorder. 'Why, Mrs. —,' said Miss  
Nightingale, 'what is wrong with you?'  
I never saw your home looking like  
this.' 'Beg your pardon, miss,' said  
the ashamed woman, 'but you see, I  
am expecting the visiting lady, and in  
the seed my place looking clean and  
tidy she'd think I didn't need no  
helpin'!"

### Chihuahua Dogs.

The true Chihuahua breed is the  
smallest race of dogs in the world.  
They are also the most highly sensi-  
tive and valiant of their kind.  
Their sense of sound, sight and smell  
is developed to a marvelous degree,  
and they have a bark which would rise  
supreme above the noise of a boiler  
shop. A strange set sets one of the  
little hair-trigger animals into a frenzy  
of ear splitting rage, and yet they are  
so keenly intelligent that they can dis-  
tinguish between friend and foe at  
most at first sight, sound or whiff.  
Long before the duller senses of man  
can detect a foreign presence these  
little marvels of nerve force will have  
"sized up" the intruder, and if not  
satisfied that all is well their steatotic  
warning will wake the echoes.—Los  
Angeles Examiner.

### The Ruling Passion.

Among the well known figures of  
the Paris salons mentioned in "An  
Eighteenth Century Marquis" was  
Bossut, mathematician and abbe, who  
had translated Maria Agnes's work on  
the infinitesimal calculus. "When he  
was dying Maupertius was by his bed-  
side. No one knew whether the agony  
was ended. Twelve times, twelve  
asked Maupertius in a distinct voice,  
"One hundred and forty-four," came the  
automatic answer as Bossut breathed  
his last."

### Appearances.

It is the appearances that fill the  
scene, and we pause not to ask of

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

## Subject for Tomorrow, "The Trial of Jesus." Also Discussed by Alford Wicker.

Golden Text: Who when he was reviled, reviled not again.

Our lesson, in time, follows Jesus' trial upon that of last Sabbath. Jesus, with the eleven disciples, met the priests, scribes, and elders assembled at the entrance of the garden. It was a great surprise to them to find Jesus there. One apostle says that they were over-whelmed and fell to the ground, and Jesus took the initiative and questioned them as to their desires, and thus presented himself to them for arrest. They bound Jesus, and led him away.

This was not without incident, however. Peter had made bold assertions that he would defend the Master, and as they went to the garden two swords had been displayed to the Master urging defense as he spoke of his trials, but the Master refused preparation and said: "It is enough." So now Peter draws his sword, and strikes one of the servants of the High Priest. But Jesus stayed Peter's hand, and bled the man. So far there was nothing that could be charged against Jesus as to honesty and purity of purpose and nothing against his citizenship Jesus had settled the matter of personal sacrifice in the garden, and would abide the Father's will.

It was no use for Peter to try to overthrow the Roman power, and he could not expect support in this matter. It was not judicious, with the work lying before them, that the disciples should engage in strife. Their ministry in the Master's name was to be one of peace. In healing, the servant Christ only impressed his natural goodness and love upon those about him again. In the direct extremity he still remained true to the principles he had taught, and was not opposed to the powers in control of state.

As the soldiers led Jesus away to the High Priest's palace two of the disciples followed afar off. They were Peter and John, the other nine had fled. Judas was no longer of them, being now in that state of remorse that ended in a second tragedy upon that fateful Friday.

Why did the disciples go away? Jesus had requested that they be permitted to go, practically assuming himself whatever wrong had been committed. Also, it was wisdom that they do not become entangled with these people, but that they depart and go into Galilee as Jesus had directed, where He would come to them. There was another who sought to defend Jesus, mentioned by Mark, a young man, possibly from the home in the garden, and a friend of Mark, but he, too, went away, and deep sorrow was the portion of these friends this day. Yet if they thought all was over in this matter it showed how little they realized the actual intent of the great work outlined by Christ and the Father.

We often hear it remarked that the conduct of the disciples is open to criticism, but what would we have done? It was the Master's request that they go away. He would tread the wine press alone. It was necessary to offer sacrifice and He could not have others except by yielding himself, as that sacrifice. The plan followed was efficient, so let him who is without fault throw stones.

Jesus was brought before Annas, former high priest, and father-in-law to the present high priest, Caiaphas. Annas was a man of about seventy years and skill by point of judgment, wisdom and power to direct by experience in Jewish law and privilege, practically high priest; not ex-officio, but advisory, at the forefront in ecclesiastical affairs, so he was called upon to examine into the case of Jesus.

Annas proceeded to question Jesus as to his teaching, and disciples, but Jesus did not make direct answer. The Jewish law permitted no "third degree" and the law did not permit trial at night, or a private trial with one judge. Jesus knew the law. There was none better to safeguard a fair trial to the accused. It was not the law that failed—it was disregarded, and desire, which knows no law unto itself, was made the base of action.

After this inquiry before Annas, Jesus was taken before Caiaphas, where the council was convened, even at night, as this occurred between two and five o'clock in the morning, which was contrary to law.

This council was composed of scribes, the literary and legal talent; priests, the religious sacerdotal element; elders, the chief laymen of power, aged and popular. There were to be twenty-three of each, and two presiding officers, seventy-one in all. The mosaic code was a good one. There must be a certainty as to the matter charged, a full publicity of trial, a full discussion, and a full freedom was accorded the accused. There was to be freedom of error in testimony and no legal trial could be held upon a feast day, or day preceding it. Verdict was illegal where rendered without presentation of defendants plea.

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David Blake, colored, who killed Jim Ed. Farnell, also colored, with a wagon standard, on the 24th of last July, was tried before the Worcester Court last Wednesday, and found guilty of manslaughter. Farnell, Blake and several other colored men were returned to their homes in Mt. Wesley neighborhood when they got in a quarrel. They were riding in a wagon and Blake in the rear. Blake claims that Farnell started for him with an open knife, and that he took out a wagon standard and struck Farnell over the head with it; the blow crushed Farnell's skull and caused his death.

## Railroad Inspection.

Officials of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company, including Mr. William A. Patton, president; Mr. Elsie Lee, superintendent; and official corps, visited Crisfield in a special train Thursday to inspect the work on the new dock and warehouses of those destroyed by fire last February when Watchman Collins was murdered and the pier burned to hide the crime. The officials found the work progressing rapidly and their contractors informed them that the work would be completed about Christmas.

Married at the Methodist Protestant Parsonage, by Rev. Dr. Graham, Thursday Nov. 24, 1910, next F. Toadvine and Miss Mary Coussey all of Wicomico County.

## Officers to Inspect Nursery Stock.

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## A Dilemma.

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## For the Serious Moment.

"I hear he refused to take chloroform when he was operated on."  
"Yes," he said he'd rather take it when he paid his bill."

## A Precaution.

He—They're weighing the anchor. She—I don't blame them. The trades people aren't to be trusted nowadays.—Century Magazine.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage from Ebenezer H. Hudson and Washington J. Hudson to the Vestry and Wardens of Salisbury Parish, Protestant Episcopal Church, dated the thirtieth day of July, 1909, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County, Maryland, in Liber E. A. T., No. 63, Folio 242, default having occurred in the premises, the undersigned, as attorney named in said Mortgage, will offer at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in Salisbury, Maryland, on

**Saturday, Dec. 10, '10**

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