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A BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

The Pupils of the Salisbury High School Give Their Principal a Surprise Party.

Wednesday evening, January 29th, being the occasion of Mr. W. J. Holloway's birthday anniversary, the Senior Class of the Salisbury High School gave him a very delightful surprise party at his home on Walnut Street.

Various entertainments were provided for the company during the evening by Miss Nettie Holloway. Miss Cora Mitchell rendered the instrumental music for the self-invited guests. At 10.30 refreshments consisting of fruits, ices and cakes were served. The affair was a most enjoyable one to all present and was thoroughly appreciated by Mr. Holloway, who very sincerely requested his pupils to invite themselves again to his home.

Those present were the Misses Bessie Traylor, Ora Disharoon, Louise Perry, Alice Carey, Cora Mitchell, Ada Ellingsworth, Leola Nelson, Mary McBrierty, Winifred Adkins, Nellie Graham, Lillian Coughlin, Nellie Humphreys, Grace Holloway and Alma Lankford and Messrs. Howard Ruark, Claude Dorman, Willis Taylor, Wm. Sheppard, Frank Adkins, Walter Huntington, Fitz Inslay, Randolph Brewington, Carl Schuler, Walter Williams, Joseph Carey and John Bacon.

Bishop Coleman on Intemperance.

"Intemperance" was the subject of discourse by Right Rev. Leighton Coleman, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Delaware, recently in New Brunswick, N. J.

The Bishop declared that while there is a grateful decline in intemperance among men, there is an alarming increase of intoxication among brilliant and cultured women, those belonging to the so called better classes.

"There are various sorts of intemperance," said Bishop Coleman. "There may be intemperance of speech, of work, and of so called recreation. But in intemperance in the use of liquor, intoxication is the most common and most painful."

"The character of the victims as a rule is not that of the fool or idiot; the devil has no use for such, to serve his purpose. It is the clever man and woman—alas, that I have to include in this category, women—but it is true that of late there has been an improvement as far as men are concerned, but I believe that there is today a growing amount of intoxication among women in our land."

"A short time ago," he continued, "I addressed a meeting of leading society women in New York City, when I made that statement. A leading newspaper made a careful investigation and sent me a copy of their publication which contained the result. It proved that my statement was literally correct as far as New York City is concerned."

"I am sorry to say that it appertains to women and to mothers, particularly those who have the care and instruction of our future men and women. It is a sad outlook when mothers are not living in sobriety and chastity."

"Drink finds shining marks among brilliant men and women, who, except for this fault, are at once recognized among the leading people of this land—kind, obliging and competent. It seems like a mockery to think or speak of them as inebriates. Drink has robbed both the State and the church of men and women."

Dr. Coleman advocated temperance teaching in the home and church as a cure for the evil.

Parkley Conclave Organized.

Past Supreme Archon Thomas F. J. Rider organized a Heptasoph Conclave at Parkley, Va., last Thursday night, with a charter list of 80 applicants. The following officers were elected and installed: Past Archon, Wm. McKendry Taylor, Sr. Archon, John R. Rue; Provost, L. W. Collins, Prelate, Roger B. Mears; Secretary, Wm. Lilliston; Financier, T. Irving Kent; Treasurer, Alpheus Eaton; Inspector, Geo. S. Crasnow; Warden, Thomas F. Russell; Sentinel, David F. Mason; Trustees, Geo. W. Gillespie, John H. Scott. The officers and members of this Conclave are among the best citizens and business men of Parkley and vicinity.

Mr. Rider on Monday commenced his tour of inspection and installation of the fourteen Conclaves in his jurisdiction. Since the slight increase in its rates last June the Heptasoph has placed itself in the front rank of the assessment orders as a sound and safe insurance institution. On the 1st of January, 1902, there was a surplus in the Treasury of \$102,000, with all liabilities paid to Nov. 30th, 1901. This surplus is a guaranty fund against any more than 12 assessments a month.

ORGANIZATION OF HOME FOR AGED.

Meeting Held Last Friday Evening to Discuss the Matter; was Largely Attended.

The ladies interested in the charitable movement to establish in Salisbury a Home for the Aged, feel very much encouraged from the public meeting held last Friday evening in the parlor of the City Hall, as there was quite a large attendance.

The matter was thoroughly discussed and it was decided to apply to the Legislature for an act incorporating The Eastern Shore Home for the Aged, and to ask for an appropriation from the State for the maintenance of such a Home. Mr. Robert P. Graham was requested to draft a bill and forward to Senator Brewington at once, which was done the early part of this week.

If the appropriation is secured, as is hoped, it is proposed to rent a house at once and open the Home temporarily until permanent and suitable quarters can be secured.

The following ladies and gentlemen are named as the incorporators:

Mrs. L. D. Collier, Miss Laura Brenner, Mrs. W. B. Miller, Mrs. Fred Grier, Mrs. Thos. Seabrook, Mrs. I. H. White, Mrs. Belle H. Jones, Mrs. E. E. Twilley, Miss Alice Humphreys, Mrs. W. P. Jackson, Mrs. Wm. M. Cooper, Mrs. B. Manko, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Mrs. Simon Ulman, Miss Jennie Taylor, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., Mrs. W. J. Downing, Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvin and Mrs. Irving S. Powell. Messrs. Walter B. Miller, W. H. Jackson, Marion V. Brewington, A. A. Gillis, George Weisbach, Samuel H. Carey, W. B. Tilghman, W. J. Holloway, L. P. Coulbourn, E. S. Adkins, S. A. Graham, Charles R. Disharoon, R. D. Grier, L. W. Gunby, F. M. Stenona, A. J. Benjamin, James E. Ellegood, J. W. Holder and Jay Williams.

TEA AND CARD PARTY.

Mrs. H. L. Brewington Entertains a Large Number of Guests Thursday Afternoon and Evening.

One of the most delightful and largely attended social events of the season took place Thursday of this week when Mrs. H. L. Brewington entertained about a hundred guests both in the afternoon and evening, at her home on Walnut street.

In the afternoon a tea was given from four to six o'clock. The house was darkened and lighted with candles with red shades, the color scheme in decorations being red. In the dining room the mantel was banked with potted plants, palms and ferns, and the table was decorated with red carnations, smilax and asparagus. In the other room were palms and ferns.

Mrs. M. V. Brewington, Mrs. M. A. Humphreys and Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., assisted Mrs. Brewington in receiving the guests. The refreshments consisted of ices, fancy cakes, tea and coffee.

The ladies who assisted in the dining room and the receiving committee were entertained at supper at six o'clock at which chicken salad, biscuit, pickles, and coffee were served.

The evening's entertainment was a card party from 8.30 to 11.30. The gentlemen's prize was won by Mr. E. A. Toadvine while Miss Irma Graham was the winner of the ladies' prize.

Chicken salad, biscuit, pickles, coffee, cake, and cream were served.

The Growth of Mormonism.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, Government Commissioner of Education in Alaska, Superintendent of Missions in Alaska and special missionary to Utah, preached from the pulpit of Wisconsin Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, January 19th. His subject was Mormonism and its alarming growth in the United States. The Mormons claim a membership now of at least 810,000 and Dr. Jackson told his congregation that the Mormon church was gaining accessions in all parts of the country to an extent that threatened the safety of the true Christian church. In fact he predicted that at the present rate of growth the Mormons would be the controlling political as well as religious factor here in time.

The danger feared by Mr. Jackson has also been resented by other clergy men. At a minister's meeting in Baltimore county Rev. John P. Campbell, pastor of Faith Church, said he would like some suggestions as to what to do about a meeting of Latter Day Saints to be held in a hall opposite his church. He said he was afraid that the Mormons were leading away more people than was generally supposed. No one seemed to know exactly what had better be done in the matter, although Rev. Dr. J. W. McIlvaine, of the Maryland Tract Society, placed a good deal of faith in the effect of anti-Mormon tracts, which he said the society was about to distribute through the city.

ANOTHER OYSTER BILL.

Mr. Giles of Somerset Has Introduced A Measure.

Not daunted by the efforts of Mr. Dryden of Somerset and Mr. B. Howard Haman of Baltimore, to introduce oyster legislation which would be acceptable to the oystermen and the general public, Mr. W. Trickett Giles, a member of the House of Delegates from Somerset, has introduced a measure which he desires to apply to his county.

Mr. Giles' bill provides that the owner or occupant of any land bordering on the navigable waters of Somerset county shall have the right of using those waters for the planting and propagation of oysters. The same right is extended to owners or occupants of land bordering on creeks, coves or inlets. The riparian rights are to extend to the middle of the creek. Any male or female resident of the county may apply to the oyster commissioners of the county created for the purpose for a lease for not more than five acres of the bottom in any of the navigable waters of the county, not including the waters bordering immediately on the land whose occupants, as above stated, have the right to those waters. No natural bar or bed of oysters and no grassy bar suitable for the catching of crabs will be subject to lease.

To determine what bottoms may be leased a commission of three residents of the county is to be appointed by the Governor of the State, who are to receive applications for leases, and shall determine whether the bottoms for which leases are desired are subject to lease. These commissioners are to be paid \$3 for each lot of five acres examined and passed upon by them.

Upon determination by the commissioners that bottoms are subject to lease to the applicant the latter is required to have the bottom surveyed in the presence of the commissioners. After the approved survey the lessee is required to mark the bottom by buoys to which are to be attached metallic tags at low water of the lessee.

The leases are to be for 10 years at an annual rental of \$1 per acre for the first three years and an annual rental of \$3 per acre for each year thereafter. Failure to pay this tax will nullify the lease. The tax goes to the county.

All locations of oyster lots in the county under the provision of the general oyster laws for the purpose of planting, bedding or sowing oysters are declared null and void, but whenever any person may have located and appropriated a lot of not more than five acres he shall have the priority of right for the term of six months after the passage of the act if such person is competent under the act to make such lease, the lease to be subject to the tax above mentioned. Any person having a lot under lease and failing to renew the lease shall have the right to remove the oysters within nine months. The lessee is given the right to assign his lease to any resident of one year in Somerset county.

The fees of the oyster commissioners and surveyors are to be paid by applicants for lease. One-half of the funds derived from the leases is to be applied to the school fund, the other half is to be expended under the supervision of the oyster police navy of the district in which Somerset county is located, in spreading shells upon the natural bottoms.

Any person who shall unlawfully remove oysters from the leased bottoms will be subject to a fine of not less than \$200 nor more than \$1000, or imprisonment in jail until the fine shall have been paid, or in the house of correction.

Mail Boxes.

For the information of our readers who are on rural mail routes, we will say that they are not obliged to buy any particular style of box to receive their mail. Any box that you choose to put up will be used, even a wooden box picked up about the premises. Considering that each family desires privacy and safety for their mail, it will be better, however, to pay a fair price for a properly constructed lock box. This will be about \$3.00 with lock and post and will last a life time. Where lock boxes are used they must be of uniform patterns, so the carrier can open all with one key. The postmasters are not permitted to sell these boxes, but they can give you the names of concerns who make a specialty of them.

For Stomach Troubles.

"I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. S. G. Gager of Dunkerton, Iowa, "but never had as good results from any as from Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets." For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

FARMERS INSTITUTE.

The Program and a Brief Sketch of the Speakers.

A State Farmers Institute will be held in Salisbury, on Wednesday from 1.30 to 4 p. m. and Thursday from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. February 19 and 20, 1902, in the Court House. Everybody is invited. Admission Free.

Ladies are invited to attend the afternoon and evening sessions. The Program is as follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION 1.30.

"Opportunities in Maryland Agriculture." H. J. Patterson.

"Poultry for Profit." C. E. Chapman

MORNING SESSION 10.00.

"Value of Water and its Conservation." C. E. Chapman.

"The Relation of Fertilizers to the Quality of the Crop." H. J. Patterson.

AFTERNOON SESSION 1.30.

"Feeds and Feeding." H. P. Miller.

"The Corn Crop; its Possibilities and Uses." H. J. Patterson.

EVENING SESSION 8.00.

"The Children's Lunch Basket." Miss Emma S. Jacobs, Director Cooking Schools in Washington.

"Music," By Local Talent.

Prepare to use the Question Box.

Those who have attended these meetings know they have met some of the best informed men engaged in agricultural work, and that they seldom meet them again. No farmer can afford to miss a one minute of a State Institute.

Following is a brief sketch of some of the speakers who will appear at this Institute.

Mr. H. P. Miller, V. D. M., Sunbury, Ohio, is the oldest son of a very successful farmer and stock raiser, particularly of sheep. He and two brothers have remained in the stock business and developed it along other lines.

Mr. Miller is a graduate of Antioch College and also of the Ohio State University Veterinary College. Is accepted as an expert judge of stock at fairs. Has charge of the sheep department of the "Ohio Farmer," and contributor on other topics to other leading Agricultural papers. He is said to be, by the best authority one of the best institute workers on the Ohio force.

Mr. C. E. Chapman, Peruville, N. Y., was born a farmer's son, and earned his first money chasing a turkey hen. Earned his first big money teaching school, at 17 years of age. He never had any pecuniary assistance, and always managed a farm, for which he did not have a dollar to pay down when purchased.

He made a success in small-fruit growing, poultry, stock breeding (cattle and swine) and the growing of seed potatoes.

Has a good farm, and owes no man. Has attended institutes in several states, and aided in the work for 12 years, more or less.

Has studied some at Cornell University, short courses, and tried many experiments for others.

Has written for agricultural papers for some years, and is now President of a Farmers Co operative Fire Insurance Company.

H. J. Patterson, Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, College Park, Md., Chemist and Vice Director of the Maryland Agricultural Experiment Station, is a graduate of Pennsylvania State College. After graduation he took a post graduate course in that institution and served for two years as first assistant chemist of the Pennsylvania Experiment Station, resigning that in 1898 to accept the position of chemist in the Maryland Station. Mr. Patterson has been identified with the farm all his life and with experimental work since he was thirteen years old. Mr. Patterson is a fellow of the American Association for the advancement of Science; a member of the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science (whose membership is limited to 100), of the Society of Chemical Industry (London, England); and of the American Chemical Society, and was for two years reporter on Foods and Feeding Stuffs for the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists. His work on the feeding of corn fodder has received national reputation and bulletin No. 20 of the Maryland Station on that subject has been more largely quoted and reprinted possibly than any other bulletin in the United States.

Miss Emma Suter Jacobs is a native of Washington, D. C., where she graduated from the Normal School in 1887; the same year was appointed a teacher of cooking, and made director of the department of cooking in the public schools of Washington City in 1889, which position she still retains. The department employs eighteen teachers, each has her own kitchen, and on

an average 225 pupils per week. In the public schools of Washington cooking ranks as one of the major studies, and all pupils in the seventh and eighth grades are required to attend the class when it is taught.

In 1890, under Miss Jacobs' directorship, classes for adults were organized, in connection with the public night schools. These classes are largely attended by young mothers and housekeepers, and are filled long before the opening of the schools.

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SURGICAL OPERATIONS

Many of Them Unnecessary. Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Medicine Have Saved Many Women From the Surgeon's Knife.

Hospitals in our great cities are sad places to visit. Three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow-white beds are women and girls. Why should this be the case? Because they have neglected themselves. Every one of these patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in that bearing-down feeling, pain at the left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back. All these things are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb. What a terrifying thought! these poor souls are lying there on those hospital beds awaiting a fearful operation. Do not drag along at home or in your place of employment until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an examination and possible operation. Build up the female system, cure the derangements which have signified themselves by danger signals, and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved thousands of women from the hospital. Read the letter here published with the full consent of the writer, and see how she escaped the knife by a faithful reliance on Mrs. Pinkham's advice and treatment by her medicines.

If in doubt write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for free advice; her experience covers twenty years.



Here is Proof, Undeniable Proof, That Many Operations May Be Avoided.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—As I am a great sufferer of female trouble I thought I would write to you to see if you thought there was any positive help for me. I am very sore through my bowels, especially over the womb, and on the left side low down I will be taken with a dull sore pain, and in an hour will be so sore that I cannot move myself, and will have to be poulticed, and will be unable to walk for two or three weeks. I have a bad discharge at times. The doctor says I will have to go through an operation and have the left ovary removed. If you can help me let me hear from you soon."—Mrs. M. G. SHIPLEY, Upson, Wis. (Nov. 12, 1900.)

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—When I wrote to you last fall in regard to my health, death would have been a welcome visitor to me, but I followed your advice and am now well. I had tried everything I could hear of, went to every doctor far and near, spent a great deal of money and received no benefit. At the time I wrote you I was saving up money to go to Chicago to have an operation upon the womb and ovaries which the doctor said unless I had I would die, but thanks to your remedies, I avoided this. I have taken eight bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, two of your Blood Purifier, and used four packages of Sanative, and am a well woman. I advise every woman suffering as I did to take Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies."—Mrs. M. G. SHIPLEY, Upson, Wis. (March 20, 1901.)

\$5000 REWARD.—We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lynn, \$5000, which will be paid to any person who can find that the above testimonial letters are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special permission. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Friday, January 24. President Roosevelt has signed the bill granting the franking privilege to Mrs. McKinley.

John D. Rockefeller has given \$100,000 to the Syracuse, N. Y., University to be added to the endowment fund.

Erna Budd Marter, aged 74, a life-long resident of Burlington, N. J., and well known in politics, died yesterday.

Robert J. Lowry petitioned the superior court at Atlanta, Ga., to appoint a receiver for the Atlanta Bank of Commerce, alleging that a shortage of \$12,000 exists.

The largest gas well in West Virginia has been struck in Pleasant county. It is flowing about 15,000,000 feet of gas a day, and also produces over 250 barrels of oil.

Saturday, January 25. A naval retiring board yesterday declined to recommend the retirement of Captain Richmond P. Hobson.

The flagship of the Manila Bay fleet, the Olympia, went into commission at the Charleston (Mass.) navy yard today.

The transport Buford will sail for Manila on February 1 and will carry 1,500 unassigned recruits, now at the Presidio.

W. L. Stewart, a yard foreman, was killed and six others injured in a freight wreck in the Burlington yards at Quincy, Ill.

The annual convention of the Bricklayers and Masons' International Union, after a two weeks' meeting in Pittsburgh, closed yesterday.

Monday, January 27. The St. Louis franchise of the American Base Ball League was purchased by R. L. Hedges and a number of St. Louis capitalists.

Herbert W. Bowen, United States minister to Venezuela, was married to Miss Carolyn Clegg, of Galveston, Tex., on Saturday.

The factory of the Barrett Manufacturing Company, at Shady Side, near Jersey City, N. J., was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000.

The Southern Furniture Exposition company will erect a mammoth building at Charlotte, N. C., in which will be held furniture exhibitions for southern factories.

Tuesday, January 28. The National Association of Retail Grocers held their fifth annual session in Milwaukee.

Two negroes were lynched at West Carroll Parish, La., for the murder of G. N. Grant, a police juror.

Fire destroyed the book store of W. O. Davis & Co., at Cincinnati, causing a loss of \$50,000. Many rare books were burned.

Yale College has decided not to enter a crew in the race at Annapolis, Md., May 10, which is being arranged by the University of Pennsylvania.

A Norfolk and Western Coal company tug collided with the ferryboat Vermont at New York yesterday, smashing the women's cabin of the ferryboat.

Wednesday, January 29. Fire gutted the Guardian Assurance company's building, in Montreal, and caused a loss of \$100,000.

Rear Admiral Lewis A. Kimberly, U. S. N., died of heart disease at West Newton, Mass., yesterday.

Rear Admiral Silas Casey, with the battleship Iowa, of the Pacific squadron, arrived at Valparaiso, Chile, yesterday.

The British war office says there is no dispute between the colonies and the government over pay of colonial troops in South Africa.

The Pittsburgh Steamship company, at Cleveland, O., has settled the wage question with its firemen and offers on a basis of 17½ cents an hour for nine hours' work.

Thursday, January 30. William Taft, governor of the Philippines, arrived in Washington yesterday.

A syndicate of Norfolk, Va., capitalists bought the Consumers' Light, Heat and Ice company at Newport News, Va.

To escape arrest, J. M. Walsh, charged with burglary, committed suicide by blowing out his brains in a Chicago hotel.

President Baer, of the Reading Railway, denies that his company has made an offer to purchase the Western Maryland railroad.

Captain Charles Barr, who sailed the Columbia in her victorious race against Shamrock II, has been engaged by August Belmont to sail his 70-foot yacht Mineola.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 29.—Flour weak; winter superfine, \$2.65@2.90; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25@3.45; city mills, extra, \$2.90@3.15. Rye flour quiet, at \$2.30@2.40 per barrel. Wheat steady; No. 2 Penna., red, 85¢; corn dull; No. 2 yellow, local, 66¢. Oats were firm; No. 2 white, clipped, 52¢; lower grades, 48¢. Hay weak; No. 1 timothy sold at \$15.50@16 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, \$18.50@19.50. Pork firm; family, \$19@19.50. Live poultry, at 10½¢@11¢ for hens, 7½¢ for old roosters. Dressing poultry, at 10¢@10½¢ for choice fowls, and 7½¢ for old roosters. Butter steady; creamery, 28¢. Eggs steady; New York mixed, \$4.50@4.60; culls to good, \$2@2.10; western, \$4.50@4.60; yearlings, \$4.50@4.60. Lambs active and stronger; top lambs, \$5.90@6; culls to good, \$3.75@3.85.

Live Stock Markets. East Liberty, Pa., Jan. 29.—Cattle steady; choice, \$6.50@7.00; prime, \$5.90@6.25; good, \$5.50@5.75. Hogs higher; prime heavies, \$6.45@6.50; best mediums, \$6.30@6.40; heavy Yorkers, \$6.15@6.25. Light do., \$5.90@6.10; pigs, \$5.70@5.80; roughs, \$5@5.50. Sheep steady; best wethers, \$4.50@4.65; culls and common, \$1.50@2.25; yearlings, \$4@5; veal calves, \$7@7.50. East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 29.—Cattle strong and higher; veals, common to good, \$6@6.25; choice to prime do., \$6.50@7. Hogs steady; pigs, heavy hogs, \$8.40@8.50; mixed packers, \$5.30@5.40; pigs, \$5.30@5.40; roughs, \$4.40@4.70; stage, \$4@4.50. Sheep firm; top mixed, \$4.15@4.40; culls to good, \$2@2.10; western, \$4.50@4.60; yearlings, \$4.50@4.60. Lambs active and stronger; top lambs, \$5.90@6; culls to good, \$3.75@3.85.

Our Query Column.

No. 139.—Who were the Mamelukes?

Ans. The Mamelukes were a body of soldiers who ruled Egypt for several hundred years. The name Mameluke is taken from an Arab word meaning slave; and these men were so called because originally they were young captives from Caucasian countries. In the middle of the thirteenth century they were introduced into Egypt as the body-guard of the sultan; but upon the accession of Turan Shah, who was so much hated by them, they overthrew and murdered him, and elected one of their own number sultan. For nearly three hundred years they monopolized the office; and even when forced to give it up, they had great power in Egypt. The Mamelukes were very fine cavalry soldiers, and when Napoleon saw their manoeuvres at the "Battle of the Pyramids" in 1798 he said, that with Mameluke cavalry and French infantry, he could make himself master of the world.

In 1811 nearly all of the Mamelukes were massacred by Mohammed Ali. A few escaped to Nubia, but these were destroyed in 1820.

No. 140.—What are Pasquinades?

Ans. Pasquinades are anonymous publications, either printed or written, or sometimes only posted up, having for their object defamation of character or the turning of a person into ridicule.

The statue of Pasquin in Rome is a famous place for placards of this description, the Pope, and the cardinal being the favorite victims.

The rival statue of Marforio in the Capitol, which formerly stood near the Arch of Septimus Severus in the Forum, was made the vehicle for replying to the attacks of Pasquin; for many years they kept up an incessant fire of wit and repartee.

The Modern Romans seem to regard Pasquin as part of their social system; in the absence of a free press, he has become the organ of public opinion, and there is scarcely an event upon which he does not pronounce judgment. When Meszafanti, the great linguist, was made a cardinal, Pasquin declared that it was a very proper appointment, because there could be no doubt that the "Tower of Babel" required an interpreter.

No. 141.—What king was the first, second, third and fourth of his name at the same time?

Ans. William IV of England was the third son of George III, and the brother to George IV, whom he succeeded.

The Princess Charlotte, only child of George IV, died in 1817, leaving no child, so the Duke of York, next brother to the king became the heir-presumptive. He also died before the king, 1827, leaving no heir; and William, Duke of Clarence, became the heir-presumptive to the crown.

Mark the distinction between the heir apparent and the heir-presumptive.

The king's oldest son is an heir-apparent, because nothing but his own death can come between him and the crown; but if the king has no child, then the nearest relative to the king becomes the heir-presumptive, so called because his right may be defeated by the birth of a child to the king. On the death of George IV, the Duke of Clarence succeeded the throne as William IV, and was at the same time the first William of Hanover, the second of Ireland, and the third of Scotland. He was nearly sixty years of age when he came to the throne in 1830. His reign of seven years was a very peaceful one. The celebrated Reform Bill was passed, which gave to the middle classes a larger representation in Parliament; the chief power having been up to that time in the hands of the land-holding nobility.

QUESTIONS.

No. 142.—Who was the first, and who was the last king of Jerusalem?

No. 143.—What is the origin of "windfall," as expressing good luck?

No. 144.—Who received the bequest left "to the bravest man in England?"

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JAY WILLIAMS, Attorney

TRUSTEE'S SALE

OF VALUABLE

TOWN PROPERTY

In the Village of Mardela Springs, and

Timber Land

In Quantico Dist., Wicomico Co., Md.

By virtue of a decree of Circuit Court for Wicomico county sitting in equity, passed in case of W. R. Elsey, et al, vs. Martha A. Dohme et al, being 1380 on Chancery Docket of said Court, I will offer at public auction in front the

HOTEL AT MARDELA SPRINGS

Wicomico County, Md., on

WEDNESDAY,

February 26, 1902,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following real estate of which Thomas B. Taylor died, seized and possessed, situated in Wicomico county, and State of Maryland, in and near the village of Mardela Springs, to wit:

NO. 1.—A house and lot in Mardela Springs where W. H. Beach lives, fronting on Main Street of said town, and improved by a two story front building 34x18, with porches in front, two story back building 30x18, with side porch, four rooms, and hallway between, 8 rooms above, all in good condition; outbuildings—smoke house, wood house, barn and stable. The metes and bounds of the lot are as follows: Beginning in the centre of

Main Street at the corner of Main Street and Branch Street, and running by and with Branch Street, (west side) North 5° West 101 poles, South 85° West 5 poles, South 2° East 101 poles to Main Street and thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 98 perches, more or less.

Land bought of Joseph Brattan and wife.

NO. 2.—House and lot in Mardela Springs, where A. S. Venables resides, fronting on Main Street on the South, Taylor Street on the West, Cooper Alley on the North and Beach lot on the East, containing 183 perches of land, more or less, improved by a two story double dwelling, 48 feet by 18 feet, side porch all the way down, back building 33x14 and back building 24x18; 7 rooms below and 4 rooms above, corn house, stables and smoke house.

NO. 3.—House and lot tenanted by S. J. Sewell on corner of Church and Brattan streets, bounded on the East by G. E. Bennett lot and on the South by the lot where William Venables lives, containing one acre.

Improved by a 2 story dwelling, 14x18, back building 14x18; 2 rooms below and 2 rooms above; 1 out house 8x20; all in good condition.

NO. 4.—Fourteen shares in Baron Creek Cemetery Company.

NO. 5.—Vacant lot on Brattan Street, bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, containing one and one fourth acres.

This lot is bounded on the North by Brattan Street, on the East by I. N. Cooper's lot, on the South by Baron Creek, on the West by G. E. Bennett's lot.

NO. 6.—Vacant lot at corner of Taylor Street and Cooper Alley, opposite side of the Wheel Wright Shop. West end of lot No. 9 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown on plat of said Estate, containing 57 1/6 perches. This lot begins at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Taylor Street, and runs by and with Taylor Street, North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links to a locust post, thence North 88° East 7 poles 13 links, to a cedar post, thence South 6° East 7 poles and 13 links, thence South 88° West to the beginning, containing 57 1/6 perches, more or less.

NO. 7.—Vacant lot on East side of Taylor St. on south side of R. R. St. Beginning at the end of the lot line of lot No. 8, and running North 6° West 7 poles 14 links to R. R. Street, thence by and with R. R. Street North 84° East, 7 poles 13 links to a cedar post, South 6° East 7 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 6, thence by and with the second line of lot No. 6 reversed to the beginning, containing 57 1/6 perches more or less. This lot being the West end of lot No. 8 of the real estate of Jos. Brattan as shown by plat of same.

NO. 8.—Vacant lot East end of lot No. 8 of Jos. Brattan estate, as shown by plat of same. Beginning at a locust post at the corner of Branch Street and Railroad Street, and running by and with Railroad Street, South 84° West 8 poles 24 links to the corner of lot No. 7, thence by and with the line of lot No. 7 to a cedar post, thence North 88° East to Branch Street, thence by and with Branch Street to the beginning, containing 61 3/8 perches.

NO. 9.—Vacant lot, being the east end of lot No. 9 of land of Jos. Brattan's estate, as shown by plat; beginning at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Branch Street, and running South 88° East 7 poles 1 link, thence North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links, thence North 84° East 7 poles and 14 links, thence South 2° East 7 poles 14 links to the beginning, containing 55 perches, more or less.

NO. 10.—Vacant lot on east side of Branch St. being the North end of lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan, beginning at a locust post on Branch St., at the South West corner of J. E. Bacon's lot or lot No. 17 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown by plat of the same, and running South 88° East 6 poles 11 links to a stone, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's lot South 2° East 8 poles to a cedar post, thence North 88° West 6 poles and 11 links to Branch St., thence by and with Branch St. North 2° West to the beginning, containing 52 perches, more or less.

NO. 11.—Vacant lot on the East side of Branch Street, being the middle section of the lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan. Beginning at a cedar post at the N. E. Corner of store house lot, and running by and with Branch St. North 3° West 84 poles to a cedar post corner of lot No. 10, thence by and with the 84 lines of said lot reversed 6 poles and 11 links to Mrs. Brattan's line, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's line South 2° East 84 poles, thence by and with the storehouse lot to the beginning, containing 52 perches, more or less, improved by old stable.

NO. 12.—Storehouse and lot, corner of Main and Branch Sts. beginning in the centre of Main St. and running by and with the West side of the Storehouse North 5° West 84 poles, thence South 88° East 4 feet, thence North 2° West 636-100 poles by and with Branch St. to a cedar post, South 88° East 6 1/4-100 feet South 2° East 10 poles to Main Street, thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 64 perches. This lot is the original storehouse and lot, part of the Jos. Brattan lot, bought by Mrs. S. A. Brattan and sold by her to T. B. Taylor.

Size of storehouse 40x24, two stories with a shed attached 20x10

NO. 13.—Vacant lot on the North of Main Street, and on the West of Taylor Street, adjoining the Railroad on the West, containing one eighth of an acre, being a part of the L. M. Vincent lot.

NO. 14.—Lot on the West side of Taylor Street, and adjoining the Railroad on the West being lot No. 10 of the estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 76 perches and improved by Wheelwright shop and Blacksmith shop.

NO. 15.—Lot on the West side of Brattan Street and on the South side of Railroad Street, and shown as lot No. 11 on plat of Jos. Brattan's estate.

NO. 16.—Lot on the South side of Railroad Street, and North of Howard and Taylor lot and shown as

strip No. 1 on the plat of estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 6 perches.

NO. 17.—Part of Young's Purchase, adjoining and surrounding the Presbyterian Church property on the South side of County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and East of the Hotel property, beginning at the first Red Oak on the South side of the Road East of the Spring House, and running thence North 45° West 2 poles to the centre of the County road, thence by and with the road South 60° West 4 poles to the bridge, thence by and with the ditch, South 1° West 23 poles to the Creek, thence by and with the Creek South 77° West 18 1/2 poles, North 54° East 7 poles, thence North 12° West 5 1/2 poles, thence a right line to the beginning. In these metes and bounds the church lot is included.

NO. 18.—Twenty-two one hundred twentieths undivided interest in the Grange lot and hall, situated on the North side of Main Street, opposite the Methodist Protestant Church.

NO. 19.—One half undivided interest of lot on West side of the railroad, a part of the hotel property, beginning at a locust post, nearly opposite J. A. Lowe's acre on the South side of Main Street, and running thence South 5° East 204 poles to the R. R. thence North 38° West by and with the R. R. 10 poles and 17 links, thence North 6° West 14 poles and 21 links to the South side of Main Street, thence North 85° East to the beginning, containing 88 perches, more or less.

NO. 20.—One-half undivided interest of this lot off the hotel property. Beginning at a locust post, nearly opposite J. A. Lowe's acre on the South side of Main Street, and running thence South 5° East 204 poles to the R. R. thence North 38° West by and with the R. R. 10 poles and 17 links, thence North 6° West 14 poles and 21 links to the South side of Main Street, thence North 85° East to the beginning, containing 88 perches, more or less.

NO. 21.—On half undivided interest of this lot part of the Hotel property. Beginning on the South side of Main Street and on the East side of the Railroad and running by and with the Railroad South 88° East 16 poles and 7 links, thence North 6° West with line of lot No. 20, 14 poles and 21 links to South Side of Main Street, thence by and with Main Street South 85° East 8 poles and 10 links to the beginning, containing 64 perches of land.

NO. 22.—Hotel property on the South side of Main Street, containing about 2 acres upland and 2 acres of cripplands, improved by a Hotel front building 64 feet long, 30 feet wide and 8 stories high, with lower and upper front porches. End building 36 feet long, 16 feet wide, 2 stories, back building 48 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 stories high, with porches on each side of back building; 8 rooms on lower floor and hallway and 18 bed rooms and hallways.

A fine Spring with house over it with bottling house attached. Hen-house and poultry yard. Outbuildings 12x30 feet, 11 stories high; 9 stables with centre hallway and carriage house on the side.

NO. 23.—The post office grounds and building, at intersection, of Main and Bridge streets.

NO. 24.—Lot on the North side of County road from Mardela Springs to Vienna and about 1 mile from Mardela, where Moses Dashiell lives, about 3 acres of arable land, adjoining lands of L. L. Bonds and fronting on the County road. Improved by a good store and half house with small back building.

NO. 25.—All that tract of "Miles End" purchased by Thom B. Taylor of Josiah Bailey as shown per deed dated May 1st, 1861, situate on the South side of the County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and on the North side of Baron Creek, adjoining the land of W. H. Beach on the East, Baron Creek on the South; that part of "Young's Purchase" on the West which T. B. Taylor bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, and the lot of Maria Giffin and the old schoolhouse lot on the North, containing 19 acres of land, more or less. The above land is all set in thirty pine timber. Also all that part of Young's purchase sold by Robert F. Brattan, trustee (save and except about one acre and half laid off around and contiguous to the Presbyterian Church Property) situate on the North side of Baron Creek and on the South side of the County road from Mardela Springs to Baron Creek Mills and adjoining the land on the East which Taylor bought of Josiah Bailey and on the West the lot laid off around the Presbyterian Church property, containing about 124 acres; about 8 acres arable and the remainder crippland and young timber.

Improved by a story and half dwelling and necessary outbuildings.

NO. 26.—Timber land on the South side of the county road from Porter's Mill to Rewastico Mills in Quantico district; adjoining land of A. J. Horsey on the East; Alms House property on the South; land of Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford on the West and binding on the County road on the North; bought by Thom. B. Taylor of J. W. and A. T. Robertson; well set in pine and oak timber; contains 86 acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent cash on day of sale. Balance to be paid in two equal installments of one and two years from day of sale, purchaser to give bond with satisfactory security for deferred payments, bearing interest from day of sale.

JAY WILLIAMS, Trustee.

House For Rent.

On South side of Main street, Mardela Springs. Apply at once to A. B. ARMSTRONG.

Steam Mill Wanted

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THEY CRUSH THE POWERS

This is written in mid-October. The long, oppressive summer is quite gone. Fading leaf, withering tree and the rustling corn in the fields are signs of the season. Fog, frost, rain, snow—they are coming. You remember last winter, of 1900 and 1901. The weather was cruel. Ah! the thousands it killed, and the hundreds of thousands it maimed and crippled. Oh, the rough grasp it laid on men at work, women at home, and children in cradle and bed. Coughs that began before Thanksgiving. Day are racking and tearing them still; yes, and growing worse as they dig deeper into the poor, tired throat and lungs. Many were cured by using Benson's Plaster. For the soothing and healing power of these Plasters is wonderful. They conquer the complaints.

THAT ARE KILLING THE PEOPLE.

No other plaster, no other medicine or application, can compare with them. Coughs, colds, bronchitis, rheumatism, lumbago, kidney and liver troubles, asthma, influenza—they all go down before Benson's Plaster like a snowflake in the sun. You can't throw money away on a Benson's Plaster. Everybody is going to use them this season. But make certain you get the genuine. All druggists, or we will prepare postage on any number ordered in the United States on receipt of 25c. each. Seabury & Johnson, Mfg. Chemists, N. Y.

ORDER NISI.

In the matter of sale of real estate of Wm. G. Holmes, deceased, ex parte.

No. 184 Real Estate in the Orphans Court for Wicomico County, January term, 1902.

Ordered that a sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by Jay W. Holmes, et al., of Wicomico County, Maryland, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st Monday in March, next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 15th day of February, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$500.

GEO. W. CATHER, J. G. BENNETT, JOHN L. POWELL, Judges Orphans Court.

L. J. GALE, Register.

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City Council

SALISBURY, MD.

LEVY FOR YEAR 1901.

CLERK'S REPORT.

Sehr, J. P. Esham, shells, 72 90

Sehr, T. E. Taylor, shells, 316 91

Sehr, Mary Vickers, shells, 216 70

Sehr, Remedy, shells, 130 83

Sehr, R. E. Powell, shells, 31 25

White, Hearn & Cooper, adv. and pig, 34 50

Browning Bros., 36 75

Pennsylvania Publishing Co., advertising, 15 00

Dezman & Smyth, adv. Co., hardware, 250 98

L. W. Gushy, hardware, etc., 31 05

H. A. Todd & Co., feed, 81 17

Salisbury Lumber & Coal Co., feed, coal, 151 85

B. A. Gills & Son, feed, 43 42

Wm. F. Bonds, mason work, 50 25

Reade, cash advanced on Gr. 7 25

Blackhead & Shockey, bedding, 52 35

H. E. Powell & Co., bedding, etc., 32 35

Thaman Bros., furniture for City Hall, 25 25

Keasery & Mitchell, police uniforms, 9 00

H. Lee Walker & Co., firemen's suits, 224 60

F. R. Shockey, surveying, 27 01

Geary Bros., fire hose and ladders, 25 00

H. S. Adams & Co., lumber, 180 33

F. O. Todd & Co., brick, 128 00

Chas. J. Birchhead, interest on Gr. 51 78

engine notes 2 & 3, due Jan. 23, 1902, 30 04

Chas. J. Birchhead, interest on engine 17 52

repair notes 2 and 3, due Jan. 23, 1902, 147 05

M. H. Carey, interest on engine repair 35 10

note for 1 year, due June 19, 1902, 490 20

Beaver of Engine House Bond No. 3, 147 05

due May 1, 1902, 147 05

Beaver of coupons E. H. Bonds & Co., 25 10

Ball mow, Ches. and Atlantic Ry. Co., 117 85

rent for water plant to Jan. 1, 1902, 117 85

City Treasurer, to pay Water Rent: 117 85

1 quarter, due April 1, 1902, 117 85

2 quarter, due July 1, 1902, 117 85

3 quarter, due Oct. 1, 1902, 117 85

4 quarter, due December 31, 1902, 117 85

Wicomico Electric Light Co. P. Y. 117 85

City Lighting for January, 1902, 117 85

February, 1902, 117 85

March, 1902, 117 85

April, 1902, 117 85

May, 1902, 117 85

June, 1902, 117 85

July, 1902, 117 85

August, 1902, 117 85

September, 1902, 117 85

October, 1902, 117 85

November, 1902, 117 85

December, 1902, 117 85

Total, \$87 84

The above Levy is the total amount of the taxes on the assessable property of the city, viz: \$8,887.01 for 1901—the rate on each \$100 for general purposes and 5 cents on each \$100 special purposes—a total of 35 cents on each hundred dollars.

WILLIAM A. ENNIS, Clerk to City Council.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand as per last report, 78 74

From Collector Parker, 1900, 202 15

From Collector Parker, 1901, 220 00

Street Repairs, 121 36

Opera House License, 25 00

Water connection, 16 00

Treasurer Wicomico County, 9 07

Sale of manure, 5 00

Fines, 110 90

Total, \$575 72

DISBURSEMENTS.

Street Improvements, \$208 20

City Hall and Fire Department, 250 18

Adm. of Police, 20 00

Police Uniforms, 38 50

H. E. Parker, coll. 189, overpaid, 38 75

Ref. on Taxes extra levy 1901, 17 80

Tax Collector's Bond, 40 00

Electric Expenses, 8 10

Balance in hand, 52 80

Total, \$387 72

ELIJAH J. PARSONS, City Treasurer

CARNEGIE INSTITUTION

Trustees Take Action Looking to Permanent Organization.

CLEVELAND DECLINED TO SERVE

At a Meeting in Washington Carnegie Presented Trustees With Deed of Gift and Transferred to Them \$10,000,000 in U. S. Steel Bonds.

Washington, Jan. 30.—An adjourned meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie Institution was held at the state department yesterday afternoon, and a long step was taken towards permanent organization and the initiation of the work of the institution. At 10 a. m. H. H. H. of New York, called the meeting to order, and Secretary Hay was elected temporary chairman, and Mr. Charles D. Walcott temporary secretary. William E. Dodge, of New York, was elected to the board to fill a vacancy caused by the declination of ex-President Cleveland, who sent a letter regretting his inability to serve. After the roll call, Mr. Andrew Carnegie made a brief address, presenting the deed of gift.

The deed recites in substance as follows: "That Andrew Carnegie deems it his duty and highest privilege to administer the wealth which has come to him as a trustee in behalf of others, and entertaining the belief that the best means of discharging that trust is by extending the opportunities for study and research in our country, he transfers to the trustees named \$10,000,000 of registered 5 per cent. bonds of the United States Steel Corporation. This gift is to be held in trust the income from the bonds or from other securities that may be substituted for them to be applied to paying the expenses of such trustees, who are to receive the bonds and collect the interest, and who are not made responsible for the safety of the bonds or for their depreciation. They may appoint officers, fixing their salaries, and provide for the financial business of the trust. The income is to be expended to founding in Washington an institution to co-operate with those now or hereafter established, and in the broadest and most liberal manner encourage investigation, research and discovery, show the application of knowledge to the improvement of mankind, provide such buildings, laboratories, books and apparatus as may be needed, and afford instruction of an advanced character to students properly qualified to profit thereby." By a two-thirds vote the trustees may modify these conditions in accordance with the original purpose, which is "to secure if possible for the United States of America leadership in the domain of discovery and the utilization of new forces for the benefit of man."

After accepting the deed of gift the trustees proceeded to adopt by-laws, and then elected the following officers: Chairman of the board of trustees, Abraham Hewitt; vice chairman, Dr. J. S. Billings; secretary, Charles D. Walcott.

Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, late of Johns Hopkins University, was elected as president of the Carnegie Institution.

MINE WORKERS ADJOURN

Next National Convention Will Be Held in Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 29.—The 13th annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America adjourned last night after selecting Indianapolis as the place for next year's convention. Seranton, Pa.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Birmingham, Ala.; Columbus, O.; Kansas City, Springfield, Ill.; Springfield, Va.; New York city and What Cheer, Ia., made bids for the convention.

Delegates to the joint conference to be held with the operators of the country were instructed to vote for Indianapolis for the joint conference next year. The convention before adjournment voted \$1,000 for the aid of the widows and orphans of the miners killed in the Iowa disaster, adopted a ringing resolution against "government by injunction," and adopted a resolution favoring the re-enactment of the Chinese exclusion act.

Nearly 300 of the big mine owners of the country are here attending the joint conference of miners and operators, which began this morning. The operators vigorously opposed the demands of the miners for an increase of 10 per cent on run of mine basis.

Two Burglars Killed.

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 30.—Two burglars and cracksmen are dead. Deputy Sheriff W. S. Manning is seriously wounded, and Marshal Peter Fintenzwald, of Athens, is perhaps mortally wounded as the result of an attempt to rob Mrs. Mary Priest, an aged and wealthy widow, of this city, last night. The plans of the robbers had been revealed to the Athens officers, who came here and with local officers prepared to frustrate them. The officers laid in wait at the house, and upon the appearance of the robbers a battle ensued, in which both were killed and the officers named wounded.

Chief of Police Dismissed.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 29.—Chief of Police Massey was last night dismissed by the police commissioners on charges of conduct unbecoming for an officer in neglecting to suppress gambling and policy playing last winter. Much testimony was heard.

Pension For Veteran of 1812.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The house committee on pensions reported favorably a bill granting a pension of \$25 per month to the last surviving soldier of the war of 1812, Hiram Crook, of Oneida county, New York, aged 103 years.

PRESIDENT CANNOT TAKE GIFTS

Congress Must Give Him Authority to Accept Presents.

Washington, Jan. 29.—In the opinion of the officials here, President Roosevelt cannot accept any present from either Emperor William or Prince Henry without authority from congress. An examination of the precedents is said to disclose the fact that while in a great many instances presidents apparently received presents from abroad, they never have retained these except by express authority conferred by congress. In the other cases where the gifts have not been returned to the donor, the presents have been deposited by the president in the department of state or in the Smithsonian Institution. Many medals and articles of value may be seen in the library of the state department, the gifts of foreign rulers.

NAVAL FIGHT AT PANAMA

Government Fleet Attempts to Break Insurgents' Blockade.

Panama, Colombia, Jan. 30.—The Colombian government fleet, consisting of the steamers Boyaca and Chucuito and the armed launch General Campo, which left here Tuesday to make an attempt to break the blockade of Agua Dulce, met the insurgent steamer Padilla at Yeguala, 30 miles from Panama, at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and opened fire on her. The revolutionary steamers Darien and Galitan appeared on the scene soon after the engagement began. The fire of the Chucuito was so well directed that it caused the revolutionary fleet to draw in towards the shore, where the enemy's ships were protected by land batteries. The Chucuito and Boyaca then retired unmolested.

REDUCTION OF WAR TAXES

Ways and Means Committee May Draft Bill to Repeal Entire Law.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The Republican members of the ways and means committee held a private conference last night and decided to frame a bill for the reduction of war revenue taxes before proceeding further with the subject of Cuban reciprocity. A meeting of the full committee was held this morning, when work on the war revenue reduction bill began. No draft of a bill has been prepared by the Republican members, but it is pretty fully understood that the majority are prepared to favor a measure effecting very large reductions, amounting practically to a repeal of the entire war taxes, and aggregating about \$68,000,000.

Railroad Officials Admit Rate Cutting.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Some important admissions of rate cutting were made at a hearing given by the inter-state commerce commission yesterday in continuance of the investigation begun at Kansas City on January 9. Vice President Paul Morton, of the Atchafalpa, and J. M. Johnson, of the Rock Island, and J. M. Monroe, traffic manager of the Union Pacific, testified. All the witnesses admitted that the published tariff rates on grain moving in and out of Kansas City, Mo., had not been observed. They said that when the published rate from Kansas City to Chicago was 12 cents per 100 pounds there was practically no grain moved at a rate above 7 cents, and more or less of this traffic was carried at the rate of 6 cents.

Big Crown at Double Hanging.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 29.—Watson M. Kelper and Henry Rowe were hanged yesterday morning in the Harrisburg jail yard in the presence of 1,000 people for the murder of Charles W. Ryan, cashier of the Halifax National Bank, at Halifax. The murderers went to their death without a shudder and neither made any statement on the gallows or at any time since their trial. The crush for admission to the jail was so great that it required the combined effort of the police force and the sheriff's deputies to keep the crowd away from the entrances. The house tops and telegraph poles in the vicinity were crowded with people eager to witness the execution.

Train Struck Funeral Party.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Three persons were instantly killed and four seriously injured by a Michigan Central train at a crossing at West Hammond, Ind., yesterday. The dead: Mrs. Mary Polak, Joseph Bojek, Joseph Swisgalk. The party was in a closed carriage, returning from a funeral. The locomotive struck the carriage with great force, demolishing it and throwing the occupants in all directions.

Buried Beneath Hot Coals.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 30.—William Williams, a fireman, was fatally injured by the blowing out of a fue in the boiler house of the Royal Oak colliery yesterday. Williams was buried beneath a shower of hot coals. David Zeitz, a bystander, was severely injured. The colliery has been shut down as a result of the accident, and 300 men and boys are idle.

Died While Reading Paper.

Passaic, N. J., Jan. 29.—Aaron Woodworth, a prominent resident of Rutherford, near here, dropped dead yesterday while reading the morning papers. He was one of the oldest residents of the town. For a number of years he held a seat on the New York Stock Exchange, but lately retired from business.

Pope Appoints a Bishop.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 30.—It is stated here that Very Rev. Wm. J. Kenney, of Jacksonville, has been appointed bishop of St. Augustine, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Bishop Moore. The Pope's appointment was transmitted to Cardinal Martinelli, the papal delegate at Washington.

Saved Him From Torture.

There is no more agonizing trouble than piles. The constant itching, and burning make a life intolerable. No position is comfortable. The torture is unending. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles at once. For kind of piles, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unequalled. J. S. G. Hall, St. Paul, Ark., says: "From 1885 I suffered with the protruding, bleeding piles and could find nothing to help me until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeits.

The Washington County Teachers' Institute began in Hagerstown under supervision of S. A. S. Superintendent M. Bates Stephens with 250 teachers present.

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The soil about Hancock has been found especially adapted to apple growing, 3,000 barrels being shipped this season.

Millions Put To Work.

The wonderful activity of the new century is shown by an enormous demand for the world's best workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. For Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, or any trouble of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys they're unrivaled. Only 25c at all drug stores.

There is talk of having a road superintendent for Frederick county, where \$25,000 is spent annually on roads with poor returns for the outlay.

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THE MARYLAND OYSTER AGAIN.

No other public interest in the State is so regularly, certainly, and unavailingly productive of discussion and agitation as the silent Maryland oyster. He is discussed in season and out of season, along the river docks, at the country stores, in the banks and business houses, in lawyer's offices, and, with unfailing regularity, in the State House at Annapolis at each session of the legislature.

No session is permitted to pass without the introduction of one or more—generally more—bills designed to preserve and foster the waning industry, and throughout each session much time and argument are given to the measures. It is a peculiar fact, but a fact nevertheless, that there are always wide and irreconcilable differences among the legislators, and the oystermen themselves, as to what legislation is best for the protection and development of this most important and valuable industry.

The present winter at Annapolis is no exception, in this respect, to the past. Already Mr. Dryden, a republican member from Somerset, and Mr. Giles, the democratic member from Somerset have each introduced bills in the House (The Somerset democrats by the way are pledged to planting); and Mr. B. Howard Haman, a lawyer of Baltimore, has had one introduced in the Senate, all of more or less alleged merit, but upon neither of which is it likely that everybody can agree. That legislation is needed in the one proposition upon which they can get together.

The Baltimore Sun speaking editorially of Mr. Haman's bill, says:

"The Haman Oyster bill now pending in the Senate meets, it appears to us, every reasonable objection which has heretofore been made against planting laws. It respects the rights of the oystermen by leaving the natural beds untouched. It provides against monopoly by limiting the number of acres which any company or individual can lease. But, say the politician, the planters will deplete the natural beds and take all the little oysters for replanting in their grounds. Cannot the law against taking small oysters be enforced as well then as now? Cannot a hundred men each take his allotment and combine? Yes; but cannot a hundred or a thousand oystermen combine now to monopolize the market? Have they ever done so? Some arguments are too light and airy to be susceptible of any answer.

Mr. B. Howard Haman, who prepared the pending bill, in his address to members of the Senate the other day evidently impressed them with the honesty and patriotism of his purpose. No one who knows Mr. Haman can doubt them or can doubt that the bill he has prepared was prepared with the desire to promote the wealth of the State and the welfare of our citizens. There is every indication that he was telling the truth when he said that his ambition is to gain the credit and renown which will come to him from the passage of his bill. The race of men who have an unselfish desire to do good to the State is not entirely extinct. Professor Brooks declared that "while the oyster fishermen have never earned much more than \$2,000,000 a year, it is no exaggeration to state that our grounds are capable of yielding hundreds of millions of dollars annually." Dean Swift was eloquent about the man who causes two blades of grass to grow where one grew before. But what shall be said of the benefactor who would increase our oyster production from two million dollars to hundreds of millions?

The interview with Senator William B. Dixon, published in The Sun Wednesday, was the expression of a man who has the welfare of his people at heart and who is not a self-seeking politician. Mr. Dixon represents one of the largest oystering counties, and he fav-

ors Mr. Haman's planting law because, as a far seeing business man who has no personal objects or ambitions to subvert, he believes that its passage would benefit his people."

The interview above referred to was as follows:

"The question of restoring the supply of oysters in this State is one of so much importance that the most careful consideration should be given the subject. That there is a great falling-off in the quantity of oysters is acknowledged on all sides and in a few more years this great supply of most delicious food will be practically extinct. The question then arises, What can be done to restore the supply?"

"In my opinion Mr. Haman's plan is the most practical. As I understand it, it leaves all the public (the natural) oyster beds open to all as at present. It proposes to lease out at a fair price the large area of bay and river bottom now barren, requiring the persons leasing the same to scatter shells in proper quantity over the bottoms leased by them within some reasonable time, allowing owners of adjacent land to have preference and permitting only a reasonable quantity of land, say 100 acres, to each lessee. This plan, it seems to me, would not abridge the rights of the various oyster interests as they now exist.

"In framing an oyster law I would make the closed season from April 1 to October 1, as September is so generally a warm month and the oysters taken then are growing and not so palatable as they are after October."

A REPUBLICAN VIEW.

Some of our democratic editors, poor souls, are having one fit right after another because they have figured it out that all Europe will combine against us. Don't worry, if immigration continues at the present volume there will not be much of anything left in Europe but the kings and queens and the picture cards,—the rest of the deck will be over here moving coal or laying track on the Delaware Division of the P. W. & B. R. R.—Somerset Journal.

THIS IS "ROUGH."

Richard Croker, the deposed Tammany "boss," is reported to have shed copious tears at the banquet of the New York democratic club last Tuesday evening. He parted very reluctantly with the political power he had wielded, chiefly for his own benefit, for seventeen years. He retired to manage his English estate. He sailed for his foreign home last Wednesday. May this country never look upon his like again.—Centreville Record.

A numerous signed petition has or will be presented to the Maryland legislature to change the boundary lines of Queen Anne's and Talbot counties at Queen Anne. The petition originated from around Queen Anne and signed by residents of that section irrespective of the county they are in. It is for the purpose of placing all of the town of Queen Anne within the latter county. The boundary line would follow the stream thus adding to the area. Some of the residents of that section have to pay taxes on small property in both counties.

Senator Dixon, of Talbot, who was one of the Republican members of the committee to formally notify Senator Gorman of his recent election to the United States Senate, paid Mr. Gorman this tribute. "While our votes did not place Mr. Gorman in the high position to which he has been elected, we all know and recognize his ability, and remember the service he rendered the state, and as it had to be a gentleman of his political faith, I know of no one who could so well please me."

The Town Commissioners of Easton, Md., and County Commissioners, at a joint meeting Thursday, agreed to urge the Legislature to establish whipping posts throughout the county for petty thieving.

Mr. Henry Holt, the veteran New York publisher, proposes in the Review of Reviews for February a new method for dealing with anarchists. He would take the anarchist at his word, and virtually obliterate his relation to the government. The anarchist assassin he would commit to the asylum. All immigrants of avowed anarchistic sentiments would be excluded, and exiled anarchists returning without permission would be imprisoned for life.

The Proposed Tax Law.

A brief summary of the proposed law for the collection of taxes in Wicomico county is as follows:

The county treasurer shall be collector for the whole county with office in the Court House. He shall give corporate bond in the sum of \$50,000. He shall be qualified to administer oaths in the certification of all accounts against the county, but in no other case.

He shall keep an accurate cash account, showing all money received and from whom received, and this book shall be at all times open for inspection by the County Commissioners and the public. The treasurer shall keep two separate bank accounts, one for the county taxes and one for the state taxes.

The collector is required to give notice of taxes due and the discounts off if paid between the declaring of the levy and the following January. If taxes are not paid by August 15th, following the collector is to proceed by process of law to collect. He is allowed eighteen months in which to finally settle with the County Commissioners for all taxes overdue.

The treasurer will be required by law to visit each district at some stated time once in each year for the collection of taxes in that district. He is to be the lister of all new property. His office is to be open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. each week day.

For his duties as clerk to the county commissioners, and collector of state and county taxes and treasurer of the county, he is to receive a salary of \$1800 to be paid by the county. He is to have an assistant at a salary of \$600. Senator Brewington, who will introduce the bill, has submitted it to Messrs. White, Jones and Culver, of the House, for their approval or modification if they deem changes advisable.

To Repeal the Mortgage Tax.

Delegate Robt. W. Wells, of Prince George's county, will introduce a bill to repeal the tax on mortgages.

Mr. Wells makes the following points in favor of his bill, which has been before former Legislatures, but failed of passage:

1. The tax on mortgages clouds the title of property.
2. The law is practically unenforced.
3. It makes necessary all sorts of affidavits.
4. Thousands of rich and poor alike are anxious to see the mortgage tax repealed.
5. Drives capital away from the State.
6. Not 10 per cent. of the tax is collectable, and the law is a failure as a revenue raiser.
7. It increases the rate of interest on borrowed money.
8. In many counties no serious attempt to collect the tax is made, as mortgages are treated much as notes and bonds in the course of trade and the County Treasurer is unable to fix upon the real owner of the mortgage.
9. It complicates the conveyance of property, and is an unwise piece of legislation.

Delegate Biggs, of Washington county, several days ago introduced a bill designed to amend and correct some of the complications arising from affidavits in the mortgage instrument.

Maryland's Industries.

A Census bulletin on the manufactures of Baltimore and Maryland has just been issued, showing that the State has \$168,422,260 invested in various industries.

Of these the canning and preserving of fruits and vegetables is the most important industry of the State. The canning of fruits and vegetables is restricted to a few months in the year, and during this period the highest number of employees in the industry in Maryland reached 25,907.

Dr. S. N. D. North, chief statistician for manufactures, had charge of the preparation of the bulletin.

Goats Do Not Thrive.

The anglo-goat farm, which was located in the summer on an extensive area of land in the vicinity of Brandywine, on the line of the Pope's Creek railroad, West of Maryland, has not proven much of a success, as the large herd sent there from Texas has dwindled to half of the number. This in a measure was caused by the long trip on the train, together with the warm weather in July. As it is, a person visiting the neighborhood will perceive that every shrub has been browsed and that the trunks of saplings are bare as far as the goats can reach.

For Over Sixty Years

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

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

HOW THE GLASS WAS BROKEN.

Messrs. Kennerly & Mitchell Throw Light Upon an Important Subject.

Recently two boys, chasing down Main Street, fell into the show case in front of Kennerly & Mitchell's store and smashed one of the glass panels. How it was done and why it was done are matters which have been the cause of no end of inquiry. Messrs. Kennerly & Mitchell being very polite and obliging, and likewise, very busy, have, in order to gratify the public with as little cost of time as possible, and to supply one story to all as well as one price to all (their trade motto) posted the following story:

"This glass was broken about 5.15 p. m., on Monday January 27th, 1902. The thermometer registered about 45 degrees at the time. It happened in this way: Two boys were going down the street when one boy pushed the other against an awning pole where-with the latter turned around and pursued the former when the former turned around to see how near the latter was to him, the former's elbow came in contact with the glass and as the resistance of the glass was not sufficient for the force of the elbow, the glass broke. One boy says it was the other's fault and the other says it was the other's fault and Mr. Mitchell said it was both's fault and so proved by the onlookers. So finally Mr. S. S. Smyth of the well known firm of Dorman & Smyth Hardware Company was sent for. He took the measure for a new glass. I saw him measure the glass but do not exactly remember the dimensions, but think it was about 32x50 inches. However, if you will wait a while I will go ask him. The glass was ordered from Baltimore, Md., and is expected here on Wednesday's steamer, Tivoli. Should it be detained it will probably be here on Friday's boat or perhaps not later than Sunday. It will be put in as soon as it arrives, by the aforesaid Mr. S. S. Smyth. But should he be out of town it will be postponed until his return, and if the boys who broke it do not pay the bill they will be run down by our Chief of Police, assisted by his deputy, Mr. Jim Crouch and special detective Bill Maddox.

For further particulars inquire of KENNERLY & MITCHELL, Dealers in fine Clothing and Hats, SALISBURY, MD.

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed letters remaining in Salisbury, Md., Post Office, February 1st, 1902. Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

E. S. ADKINS, P. M.
Miss Daisy Tine Davis, Miss Eva Parker, Miss Lillie Gordy, Mr. Covey Anderson, Mr. Chas. E. Calloway, Mr. J. T. Davis, Mr. Lemuel B. Stanforth, Mr. Wm. Hannon, Mr. J. Bowers.

HOME AND CHILL

Does your horse "feel his oats"? What a difference between the grain-fed and the grass-fed horse! The first strong and full of ginger, the second flabby, weak and tired out before he begins. The feeding makes the difference. Children are not alike either. One is rosy, bright-eyed, full of life and laughter, another is pale, weak and dull. The feeding again is responsible. Sickly children need special feeding. They don't "feel their oats". Scott's Emulsion adds just the right richness to their diet. It is like grain to the horse. The child gets new appetite and strong digestion. Scott's Emulsion is more than food. It is a strong medicine. It rouses up dull children, puts new flesh on thin ones and red blood into pale ones. It makes children grow. Scott's Emulsion makes ordinary food do its duty.

This picture represents the Trade Mark of Scott's Emulsion and is on the wrapper of every bottle. Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York. 50c and \$1. all druggists.

Dog Gone.
Left my premises on Jan. 15th one brown or liver colored setter answering to the name of "Brownie." Shot in right ear. Reward if returned to H. S. Todd, Salisbury, Md.

THE season is drawing to a close. We still have a few very desirable and stylish patterns left of overcoats, suitings, and trousers which we invite the public to inspect. These goods must be sold as we do not carry any patterns over until next season.

CHAS. BETHKE, Merchant Tailor.

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All Shapes, Colors And Kinds.

If you don't believe we mean what we say, why just stop at 209 Main St. when in town and look our stock over. Don't ask you to buy, only want to show you a beautiful line of Hats.

Come and You will Come Again.
Money back for faulty fit or broken promises. Are you particular? If so, come to us.

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No. 23, 8.00
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These are by far the best and cheapest stove of its kind we have ever offered.

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Local Department.

News is the truth concerning men, nations and things. That is, truth concerning them which is helpful, or pleasant, or useful, or necessary for a reader to know.

—Miss Cora W. Lankford spent a few days in Baltimore this week.

—Miss Jannette Williamson of Easton is visiting friends in Salisbury.

—Rev. L. F. Warner of Easton was in Salisbury a few days this week.

—Mr. W. F. Allen advertises in this issue for 1000 bushels of cow peas.

—Mrs. Dean W. Perdue will give a Tea on Wednesday next, at her home on Division Street.

—Miss Lucy Humphreys of Rockawalking was the guest of friends and relatives here this week.

—Miss Fay Leonard spent several days in Baltimore this week as a guest of Dr. and Mrs. John S. Fulton.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Graham have sent out invitations to a reception to be given on Thursday evening.

—Rev. Dr. Martindale will preach tomorrow (Sunday) evening in the M. E. Church at Parsonsburg.

—Mr. Harvey Ely's horse ran away last Tuesday and badly damaged the milk wagon to which it was attached.

—Miss Stella Ellingworth entertained a number of her friends last Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Lucy Humphreys, of Rockawalking.

—Mr. E. A. Nelson and Miss Alice Melson of Bishopville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Downing a few days during the past week.

—A communication from Pittsville, relative to the proposed change in the collection of taxes could not be published, because the writer failed to sign his name.

—Miss Edna Sheppard entertained some friends, at dinner on Saturday evening in honor of Miss Simpson of Westminster and Miss Legg of Owling's Mills.

—Mr. James F. Dennis and Miss Ella K. Purnell were married last Tuesday evening at the parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church, in Parsonsburg, by Rev. D. F. McFaul.

—Mr. R. P. Graham and Mr. M. A. Humphreys are organizing a Golf club. Among those whose support they have secured, are Mr. L. W. Gunby, Mr. A. J. Benjamin and Mr. W. B. Miller.

—The marriage of Mr. Wm. T. Layfield of this city to Miss Maud N. Patchell of Easton is announced to take place at Ebenezer M. E. Church, Easton, at 6 o'clock Monday evening, February 10th.

—Mrs. Willard Thomson, wife of Capt. Willard Thomson, who is vice-president and general manager of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company died at her home in Wilmington last Monday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tubbs, who reside on Mr. Wm. H. Jackson's Rockawalking farm, were given a surprise party last Friday evening by the young people of that neighborhood. There were about thirty people present.

—The regimental parade, battalion drill and hop given by the Fourth Regiment, at their Armory in Baltimore, last Friday evening was attended by Captain L. P. Coulbourn and Lieutenant L. Atwood Bennett of Company I, of Salisbury.

—Rev. J. H. B. Brooks of South Oil City, Pa., is seriously ill of heart disease. This will be sad news to his friends and admirers here, who will affectionately recall him as the devoted rector of St. Peter's Church several years ago.

—The Salisbury Fire Department was served a toothsome supper at the Engine House last Friday evening. Turkey, chickens, oysters and other delicacies were served. After the supper Mr. Paul Watson presented the members with a choice box of cigars.

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—Elder A. B. Francis announces the following appointments: Rewastico, Saturday, February 1st, 8 p. m.; and Sunday, 2nd, 10.30 a. m.; Mardela Springs, Sunday, 2nd, 8 p. m.; Forest Grove, Saturday and Sunday, 8th and 9th; Salisbury, Sunday, 9th, at 8 p. m.

—The Twenty First Anniversary of the Founding of Christian Endeavor will be observed in the M. P. Church on Sunday evening at 6.45. Special exercises, consisting of music, original papers, recitation, and address at 7.30 by the pastor on Decision. You are cordially invited to all these services.

—A special from Cumberland announces that: The Truitt Drug Company of Allegany County, with its office in Cumberland, has been incorporated, with a capital of \$4000, by the following: J. Gordon Truitt, Edwin B. Claybrook, G. Frank Baker, Harry S. Waller and J. A. McHenry. The object is to conduct a retail drug and paint business. Mr. Truitt and Dr. Waller are Wicomico men, and the people here feel more than an ordinary interest in the success of the new enterprise.

—Mr. John W. Richardson has moved from near Allen to a farm near Princess Anne.

—The first snow of the season fell Tuesday night, Wednesday and Thursday, ending up with a drizzle on Friday. Sleighing parties were the order Wednesday and Thursday.

—It is reported down Main Street that several young ladies who meet daily at a large dry-goods store threaten to establish a girls' bachelor club. The question has been asked, "What is the matter with the men?"

—Louis Fooks Hambrury, the seven weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Granville R. Hambrury, died last week at their home at Wetpquin. The remains were brought to Salisbury Friday afternoon and interred in Parsons cemetery.

—Miss Miriam Powell returned this week from Walter's Park, Penn., where she and her mother had been several months at the sanitarium. Mrs. Powell had previously returned and opened their attractive house on Division Street. Miss Powell is very much improved in health.

—Capt. Wm. S. Holland died at his home near Lewes, Delaware, last week, aged 70 years. Captain Holland was an experienced sea faring man, and had commanded several vessels engaged in trading between New York, Philadelphia and the South American ports. Judge C. F. Holland, of this city is a younger brother and attended the funeral, returning Monday.

—The marriage of Mr. Henry Brewington, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brewington of this city, to Miss Letitia Ovelgie Ackley of Brooklyn, N. Y., took place at the home of the bride last Tuesday. Mr. Brewington has been a resident of Brooklyn for several years, having, most of the time, been in the employ of his uncle, Mr. Allen C. Brewington, in the commission business.

—On account of a serious accident to one of the dynamos of the Salisbury Light, Heat and Power Co., the lights were necessarily very bad for two or three nights this week. Not having the necessary repair parts of machinery on hand there was some delay in getting the dynamo in working order again. The Company regrets very much to have caused its patrons this inconvenience.

—Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. B. W. B. Adkins gave a family dinner party at their residence, 109 Broad Street, in honor of Mr. Adkins' fifty-first birthday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Showard, County Commissioner and Mrs. E. J. Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Adkins, Mrs. D. J. Holloway, Prof. Wm. J. Holloway, Mr. Rufus E. Mills, Mr. Wm. S. Mills, Mr. Asbury Holloway of New London, Mo., Miss Mamie Adkins and Miss Willie Showard.

—The County Commissioners and Judges of the Orphans Court were in session last Tuesday. The commissioners finished examining the accounts which had been filed to date. Wm. T. Bennett of the first district was made road supervisor. Alfred W. Lankford of the tenth district was made road supervisor. Pensions were granted to Frank Cordrey and Ella Culver, of \$1.50 each; order to R. A. Lowe & Co., of Delmar. Wm. Turner was allowed a pension of \$1.50 per month, order to J. H. Goslee & Co., of Upper Ferry. Both boards will be in session Tuesday, February 11th.

—The Misses Tainter entertained a company of young folks last Saturday evening, at Locust Grove, in honor of their guests Misses Mary Oliphant and Clara Inaley. The evening was spent pleasantly in music, recitations, and games. At eleven o'clock ices were served in the dining room which was artistically trimmed in palms and evergreens. Among those present were Misses Clara Inaley, Mary Oliphant, Lala Jones, Susie Gale, Maude Collier, Nellie Brady and Maude Humphreys. Messrs. Joseph Bailey, Daniel Collier, Harry Jones, Walter Humphreys, Clifford Taylor, Earl Messick, Ira Waller, Talbot Truitt and Clifton Bounds.

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—A special from Cumberland announces that: The Truitt Drug Company of Allegany County, with its office in Cumberland, has been incorporated, with a capital of \$4000, by the following: J. Gordon Truitt, Edwin B. Claybrook, G. Frank Baker, Harry S. Waller and J. A. McHenry. The object is to conduct a retail drug and paint business. Mr. Truitt and Dr. Waller are Wicomico men, and the people here feel more than an ordinary interest in the success of the new enterprise.

The Big Clearing Sale Opens Today.

One-third to One-half Off the Regular Prices.

The entire force of the Birkhead & Shockley store have been working hard since the first day of January taking stock, getting out odd lots, heavy goods and remnants of all kinds, styles in dress goods not to be reordered, in fact all goods of such character in every department will be closed out at one-half the regular price.

The center attraction this week will be our remnant counter of Dress Goods at one-third to one-half the regular price.

30 dozen Hose, 15 cent grade, sizes 6 to 9 at 10 cents per pair.

Embroideries, White Goods and Table Linens at a great saving.

Special values in sheets and Sheetings. Bargains in Comforts and bed Blankets.

We will continue to go through our stock and mark down prices. All goods are marked in plain figures, so your money buys as much as your neighbors, providing your trade at the Birkhead & Shockley store.

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Men's Suits, were \$16, now \$8

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Men's Overcoats, were \$16, now \$8

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Children's Suits, were \$6.00, now \$3.50

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Men's Pants that were \$7, now \$4.00

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Supply yourself now while Thoroughgood is in a notion to give goods away.

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Remnants of Muslin.

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Bits Of Maryland News.

A branch of the Washington County Free Library was established at Wilkesport, with P. L. Lemen librarian.

Harmon Burrow, of Addison, about 16 miles north of Frostburg, Md., committed suicide January 23 by swallowing carbolic acid.

George B. McC. Wolf, Hagerstown, awarded the contract to erect the Snyder Avenue Schoolhouse in Waynesboro, Pa., for \$16,867.

The first shipment of a carload of sheet steel from the new mill of the Maryland Sheet and Steel Company, in Cumberland, was made January 23.

Charles Briscoe, a prisoner, and Henrietta Robinson, both colored, were married in jail at Hagerstown, after which Briscoe was liberated.

The petition for an appropriation for dredging La Trappe River has been sent to Hon. William H. Jackson, at Washington.

The tomato growers of Kent county have named \$7 per ton as the price which canners must pay them for to make the coming season.

The citizens of Kensington, Montgomery county, have strong hopes of soon securing greatly improved electric railway facilities with Washington city.

A number of Frostburg men have gone to Annapolis to oppose the proposed amendment to the town charter, imposing an annual saloon tax of \$300.

The Boonshoff trolley extension is completed to a point a mile beyond Beaver Creek. In short time, cars will be running to Beaver Creek Station.

The Snow Hill Improvement Association passed resolutions endorsing the proposed new line of the Queen Anne Railroad down the Peninsula through Snow Hill.

The work on the new wharf of the Chester River Company is about completed and the Chester wharf is in use, if not the first wharf structure on the river.

The temperance people of Frederick county will have a bill offered in the Legislature to prevent saloonkeepers from selling strong drink to intoxicated persons.

Pro. William Kernshaw, of German town, Pa., sold his farm of 118 acres in Cecil county, on the Elkton and Cowartown roads, to John L. Stewart, of Newark, Del., for \$7,000.

Victor Metz bought of Mrs. Ann Rohrer 25 acres of mountain land near Rohrersville, Washington county, for \$15 per acre. William H. Lamar bought 40 acres for \$8.10 per acre.

William M. Weller, civil engineer of Corsicana, Texas, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Weller, in Cumberland before sailing for India. He will be abroad under special contract for three years.

When you lack energy, do not relish your food, feel dull and stupid, after eating, all you need is a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets. They will make you feel like a new man and give you an appetite like a bear. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

State Entomologist Prof. A. L. Quinlan and his staff of assistants are making a determined crusade against the San Jose scale, last week having been busy at work in Kent county. One fine orchard of 5,000 fine five-year-old trees will have to be dug out and burned.

The State Bureau of Immigration has in course of preparation a new pamphlet descriptive of the advantages of Maryland, which will be printed in six languages and widely distributed, with a view of bringing immigrants hitherward. Secretary Badenhop has the work in charge.

Mr. J. W. Le Gore, lime manufacturer, will build a public road from Le Gore to the Monocacy, a distance of several miles, where he will bridge that stream on his own account, a right of way having been secured from property owners along the route. Mr. Le Gore contemplates harnessing the Monocacy to furnish electric power for his plant.

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Messrs. ELYBROS.:—Find enclosed 50 cents, for which please send me your Cream Balm. I find your remedy the quickest and most permanent cure for cold in the head, catarrh, etc. Yours truly, DELL M. POTTER.

Gen. Mgr. Arizona Gold Mining Co.
Ford Cathcart, a son of Mr. B. Frank Cathcart, of Madonnas, crippled and captured a strange looking bird a few days ago. It measures five feet from tip to tip and is pure white with black spots all over it. It has feet as large as a man's hand, which are covered with feathers, as is also the bill. It has large eyes and looks like it might belong to the owl species.

There's a story of a farmer and his son driving a load to market. Of the team they were driving one was a steady reliable old gray mare the other a fractious, balky black horse. On the way the wagon was stalled and the black horse balked and refused to pull.

"What'll we do father?" said the younger man. "Well," said the father, "I guess we'll have to lay the gad on the old gray." That homely remark went to woman. "The gray mare's the better horse," suggests how often when there's an extra strain to be borne it is laid on the woman's back. How often she breaks down at last under the added weight of some "last straw." Women who are dragging along wearily through life can gain real strength by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts back in concentrated form the strength making material, which working women use up more rapidly than it can be restored by nature in the ordinary processes of nourishment and rest. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are universal favorites with women because they are easy to take and thoroughly effective in curing the consequences of constipation.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

After an all day service on Sunday, February 16, the congregation of the Perryville Methodist Episcopal Church will unite in the burning of the remaining mortgage of \$1,000 on the church, which has been liquidated. The church was built several years ago at a cost of about \$7,000. Rev. W. Greerfield is pastor.

Something That Will Do You Good.

We know of no way in which we can be of more service to our readers than to tell them of something that will be of real good to them. For this reason we want to acquaint them with what we consider one of the very best remedies on the market for coughs, colds, and that alarming complaint, croup. We refer to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it with such good results in our family so long that it has become a household necessity. By its prompt use we haven't any doubt but that it has time and again prevented croup. The testimony is given upon our own experience, and we suggest that our readers, especially those who have small children, always keep it in their homes as a safeguard against croup. Camden (S. C.) Messenger, For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

Reggio Salvatore, who claims to be a son of Count della Genestra, of Palermo Italy, stopped at Boyd's Md., and stated that he was on a walking tour around the world, which he is to complete in three years without the use of money. If he succeeds he is to receive \$20,000.

Bilious Colic.

H. Seever, a carpenter and builder of Kenton, Tenn., when suffering intensely from an attack of bilious colic, sent to a near by drug store for something to relieve him. The druggist sent him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, three doses of which effected a permanent cure. This is the only remedy that can be depended upon in the most severe cases of colic and cholera morbus. Most druggists know this and recommend it when such a medicine is called for. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

Mr. Mary G. White, of Phillipsburg, N. J., and the National Bank of Southern Pennsylvania, at Hyndman, Pa., have purchased the plant of the Hazen Tanning Company, at Hazen, Allegheny county, from DeWarrin H. Reynolds, trustee, for \$8,000.

Clerk's Wise Suggestion.

"I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes H. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro, Mass. "I could hardly eat anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure which I did with most happy results. I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time their digestion must be pretty good. I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia Cure heartily." You don't have to diet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food.

The citizens of Fredericksburg met Monday evening for the purpose of agreeing upon a charter for the town. J. Raymond Charles was elected chairman and Prof. E. H. Coby secretary. The charter of Denton, with some minor changes and amendments, was adopted.

Saved Her Child's Life.

"In three weeks our chubby little boy was changed by Epinephrine almost to a skeleton," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, O. "A terrible cough set in, that, in spite of a good doctor's treatment for several weeks, grew worse every day. We then used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was soon sound and well. We are sure this grand medicine saved his life." Millions know it's the only cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. All druggists guarantee satisfaction. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

H. A. Zeller, of Pomeroy, Ohio, late of the United States Steel Company, has been appointed superintendent of the Schenck Iron and Steel Company, Cumberland, and Robert E. Burns, of Pomeroy, has been appointed master mechanic of the same plant.

A Legacy of the Grip

Is often a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

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The Last Heard Of It.

"My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house," says F. D. Reynolds, Mansfield, O. "We feared he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup. Now isn't a cough cure like that valuable?" One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts immediately. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis and all other throat and lung troubles it is a certain cure. Very pleasant to take. The little one will like it.

Mrs. Henson Allnut, a very prominent woman of Seneca, died at her residence there Sunday morning, aged about 70 years. She is survived by a son, John Allnut, a prominent citizen of Washington, D. C., and two daughters.

Cold Comfort from Doctors.

Doctors say neuralgia is not dangerous. This is poor consolation to a sufferer who feels as if his face were pierced with hot needles and torn with a thousand pairs of pincers. A word of advice to him: stay indoors and use Perry Davis' Painkiller. The blessed freedom from pain which follows this treatment cannot be told. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

Baker & Arthur, of Harford county, will again have charge of the Elkton canner, which has been repaired and improved for the coming season, and 286,000 cans have been placed in the building.

By Bribing the Nerves

with opium a cough may be stopped temporarily, but the inflammation of which the cough is a symptom goes from bad to worse. Do not waste time and money on delusive "cough mixtures." Remember that Allen's Lung Balm does not merely put the nerves to sleep. It gets right down to the root of the trouble and so cures even deep-seated affections of the throat and lungs.

The farmers of Colona, Cecil county, have decided to ask \$8 per ton for all tomatoes grown for packing purposes. The packers offered \$7 per ton, an advance of \$1 over the price paid last year, but the farmers refused the offer.

In coasting accidents in South Cumberland, George Hines had his wrist broken Edith Dillon had her back injured and Ralph Thompson had his head cut.

HARD WORK

When Your Nerves Give Way, Dr. Greene's Nervura Builds Them Up and Makes Honest Strength.

The woman who does her own work and takes care of children has need of all her strength. All around us there are examples of what overwork will do. It overtaxes the nerves too, and then trouble begins. Dr. Greene's Nervura is the great strengthener for overworked women. It gives them strength from their food and strength from perfect rest at night. It regulates the nerves and builds up in every way.


Mrs. J. H. LAUX, 48 Springfield Ave., Newark, N. J., says:

"When I began to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy I was terribly run down. My baby had been very sick, and I was nursing him day and night. I got so worried I couldn't sleep. When I tried to get up I felt a lump in my throat and I would leave everything unattended. My little nerve would make me jump, and I lost all my color and got so thin I thought I would break down myself. That was when I decided to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and I am thankful to say it helped me wonderfully. It enabled me to bear the terrible strain of my baby's sickness, and kept me from breaking down in spite of all I had to stand. My appetite and color returned and I began to gain flesh. I recommend Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy to all women run down through overwork, sickness, or any cause, and I give this letter in the hope that other mothers who are worrying over their sick children and trying to do their work, may know how to keep up the health under such trying circumstances."

You love your home and your children, and you want to do the work, but when you overdo, your nerves begin to cry out against you. You must have help, and you'll find it in Dr. Greene's Nervura, which is known everywhere, and which is everywhere working wonders for women.

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—Have you seen Harry Dennis' ad. this week? Look it up.

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—If you want to get a tailor made suit of clothes made in the tip of fashion go to Coulbourn's of course.

—Every shoe designed out and made by the high price of the shoe making craft. R. Lee Waller & Co.

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BENNETT & DOUGLASS, Atlys.

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland on a judgment of condemnation of William Drennon vs. William H. Noel and Florence Noel recorded among the Magistrate Judgment Records of Wicomico County, State of Maryland in Liber J. T. T. No. 8, folio 268, at the instance of William Drennon against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William H. Noel and Florence Noel and to me directed I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said William H. Noel and Florence Noel in and to the following property to wit: All that certain piece of land situated and lying in Sharptown, Wicomico County, State of Maryland and on the South West corner of Ferry and Water streets and fronting on Water street a distance of 90 feet from the intersection of said streets and fronting on Ferry street a distance of 90 feet from the intersection of said streets; adjoining on Water street the lot of Sarah J. Drennon.

And I hereby give notice that on

Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1902

at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door in Salisbury, Md., I will offer to public auction the said property to be taken in execution for cash, to satisfy said writ of fieri facias and costs.

GEORGE W. FOKS,
Sheriff of Wicomico County.



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LOCAL Correspondence

NEWS FROM ALL SECTIONS OF WICOMICO SENT IN BY THE ADVERTISER'S REPRESENTATIVES.

ALLEN.

Miss Dewdrop Allen of Cambridge made a flying visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. C. Allen, the first of the week.

Mr. Mark L. Long has returned to his home in Philadelphia after a visit of several days among relatives and friends in Allen and vicinity.

Mr. E. J. Stewart, Jr. of Pea Hill was in our town Saturday and Sunday last.

The fourth dance of the Allen Cotillion Club was given last Friday night at the Club's rooms on Main St. The Cotillion was led by Mr. John J. Griffith Jr. with Miss Rose Goslee of Mt. Vernon as his partner. At the midnight hour, the guests were invited to an adjoining room where a heavily laden table stood waiting to be relieved of the "good things" of life. This part of the programme being carried out to the letter, dancing was resumed and the "Wee Sm's" hours of the morning were upon us before we knew it. Among those present were as follows: Misses Gertrude and Addie Griffith of our town, Ina Griffith and Rose Goslee of Mr. Vernon; Florence Goslee and Evelyn Brook of Loretto; Sadie Waller of Princess Anne; Messrs. Irving Pollitt, Marion Malone and Samuel Griffith of Princess Anne; Grover Porter, of Loretto; E. K. and Leroy Gunby, Fred and Andrew Pollitt, Jno. J. Griffith Jr. and Raymond Allen. Mr. Allison Elliott of Mardela Springs furnished the music.

A few "gape at a gnat and swallow a camel" people who watched our dance the other night from afar and then scamped when they saw the ADVERTISER man poke his head out of the door, fearing if he saw them that he would "put their names in the paper," need not worry. The ADVERTISER man wouldn't have sent their names in even though they had been there in all their glory. Of course we know its simply awful to dance or to be in a room where there is dancing going on (?) but if you can stand on the county road and watch the young folks trip the "light fantastic toe" without catching a cold that will keep you home from church the Lord will hold you guiltless.

An interesting debate took place last Saturday night at Mr. George Phillips' store, between two of Allen's erudite citizens. It came about in this way: Some one happened to speak about the new ballot law, that it was a good thing and so on and immediately the two gentlemen above mentioned sailed in and discussed the pros and cons of the bill in a masterly way. Mr. Charles Cathell presided over the meeting in a dignified manner. He called the two debaters names like some one "hollering" at a deaf ox. A few packages of Rolled Oats that happened to be present were jarred off their perch by Mr. Cathell's voice and scattered over the floor. The speaker on the affirmative arose and we awaited him to begin in breathless silence. He was as calm as dish water though we thought we observed a paleness about his gills. He began with gestures and by saying: "Gentlemen or the Konvenahuner or ahem er rum."

The writer happened to have a "horn" of 140 degrees Fahrenheit and handed it over to the speaker amid great applause and still greater reluctance on the part of the giver. After wiping away all tears the speaker proceeded as follows: "As I have said gentlemen or the Konvenahuner (cries from the audience of "Go it Boy" we air hear tew sirkumlokumshun on the new ballot law." (Deafening applause.) "As I have said we air hear an' we know it. What air we hear fer? (A voice, "To tell that you are here I suppose)" To discuss the "vircuews" of the new ballot law; This law 'franchisements the darkey an' I'm glad of it. Look at we Democrats in Summerset county before the passing of this law. We jest voted tew pass away the time an' that's about all we cud dew. (Tremendous applause and more cries of "Give it to 'em Demosthenes") This last fall, we jammed through half or over ticket an' next fall we expect tew dew the thing up brown by electin' everything from senter tew sirkumference. Why did the Gvurnor call for a spechul session on the legislator? ("He did it in order that Gorman might be elected to the Senate," came from a man sitting on a nail keg.) "Shet up you cross eyed galoot," shouted the orator. "Why did we have a nextry census?" he asked. "It was becose a man in Charles county by the name of Mud dun some dirty work about the fed'ral census. He actshustly had korpes on the list. A we gentlemen, you kin take yore Muds an' yore Wellintuns an' yore Gormans an' yore ballis laws an' everything else, but I am like that grand old pat'ot Patrick Murphy, as fer me give me lib'erty or give me death." The speaker sat down his form trembling with emotion. The audience was spell bound. There they sat with their eyes riveted upon the learned gentleman, unable to

spak a word. The spell ended by some thund'astic aduiter throwing a wath erel O rictus green at the orator and striking him in the eye. Phidomionum turned a double somersault. Chairman Cathell broke a plank in the floor stamping with his boot heel for order. All this lasted for ten minutes. As soon as everybody got quiet the name of the "negative" orator was called. The gentleman on the negative arose and the assemblage cheered. He spoke for five minutes or longer. For want of time and space we cannot give the speech verbatim or even extracts. We do say however, that it was the effort of his life. Daniel Webster's reply to Hayne was nothing more than a "Mary had a little lamb" speech. Never before have we heard anything like it. Demosthenes and the late Rev. John Jasper must surely step down a peg after this. The speaker flayed the friends of the new law mercilessly. Those present wriggled. "The leek shun law just as it is," said he, "has about as much business on the statshoot books as I have on a Texas mewe." The orator has had some experience with mules of this brand and the crowd thought they observed in the gentleman a tone of bitterness, at least acerbity, when he said this. The manner in which he said it cost him many votes, the result being 20 to 8 in favor of the affirmative. After singing "Lord, and are we yet alive," the society adjourned to meet again when it gets ready. The subject for debate at the next meeting is, "Resolved that the United States should put a stop to muskratters on Passerdye Creek using an artificial light to kill muskrata."

HEBRON.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wilson gave their daughter Helen a party in honor of her seventh birthday Monday evening last. Mrs. Jay Williams and Miss Eva Catlin of Salisbury, Miss Florence Bounds of Quantico, Messrs. W. Frank Howard and Clifton Bounds acted as guides for the small ones. Games of different kinds were introduced which were very amusing. The evening was pleasantly spent by both young and old. The feature of the evening was pinning the tail on the Donkey. Miss Rosalie Fletcher won the first prize and Miss Nettie Nelson won the booby. Those present were Misses Margaret Waller, Katie Howard, Bertha Nelson, Nellie Nelson, Helen Phillips, Rosalie Fletcher, Clara Wallace, Ethel German, Georgia Davis, Donaldis Phillips, Ada Phillips, Pearl Townsend, Etta and Della Truitt, Pauline Nelson, Master Everett Williams of Salisbury and Master Narwood Wilson. Each guest was presented with a souvenir. Miss Helen was the recipient of many useful and handsome presents.

Mr. B. J. D. Phillips, one of our enterprising young business men and leading politician, left Friday for Baltimore to fill a position in the Custom House to which he has been recently appointed. He resigned his position as cyler inspector under the democratic administration to talk republican politics. He became a strong advocate of the foreign policy of the republican party in September of last year and worked hard for the success of that party's local ticket. But his alliance with the republicans made fifty votes for the democrats in Quantico district on election day.

Miss Annie Phillips daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levin J. Phillips was married to Mr. Wm. J. Prettyman of Sharptown at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Mitchell by Rev. C. W. Strickland of Quantico. The bride entered the room with her father, preceded by Miss Sadie Truitt her cousin. The groom was attended by his nephew Mr. Jerry Mitchell. The bride carried a shower bouquet of brides roses. Mr. and Mrs. Prettyman left on the west bound train Thursday morning for Baltimore and Washington. Upon their return they will reside at Ellwood, Dorchester Co., Md.

Messrs. E. G. Davis and George W. Truitt of Willards were the guests of Mr. E. W. Truitt Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. James A. Waller spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Collins, Quantico.

Mr. and Mrs. Fildeon Walter gave a dance Friday evening last in honor of their guest Miss Mary Phillips of Laurel. Those present were: Misses Josephine and Edna Hall, Della Truitt, Eliza Bennett, Amy Mills, Ethel and Lizzie Waller and Annie Mills. Messrs. Clarence Hall, Lee Bailey, W. B. Wilson, Joe Waller, Frank Hall, Murray Phillips and Addison Howard.

Miss Mamie Fitchett gave a "Domino Party" Wednesday evening in honor of her guest Miss Mae Porter of Salisbury. Those present were: Misses Edna and Josephine Hall, Grace Wilkerson, May Hall and Maude Taylor, Messrs. John Hall, Charlie Hughes, Orlando Wilkerson, Lee Bailey, Frank Hall and Clarence Hall.

Miss Bertha Smith of Berlin, spent Sunday and Monday with her brother, Mr. C. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson entertained at dinner at their home Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Howard of "Cedar Lawn"

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Waller of "The Maples"; Mr. and Mrs. John Hitch of S. Hill; Miss Martha Waller of Salisbury; Miss Florence Bounds of Quantico; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. D. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wilson, Mrs. W. Roy Wilson.

Miss Julia Neal of Laurel, Del., is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Carman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Howard spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Phillips, near Quantico.

Mrs. Edgar Phillips of Delmar is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Waller.

Mrs. Jay Williams and Miss Eva Catlin of Salisbury spent Monday and Tuesday with their sister Mrs. J. O. Wilson.

Miss Mary Phillips, after spending a week with Mrs. J. A. Phillips, returned home Wednesday.

SHARPTOWN

Rev. Mr. Smith of Salisbury assisted in the revival services at the M. P. Church this week.

Mrs. Sallie J. Clash has been unable to teach school for a few days owing to an attack of rheumatism.

The Railway Co. is getting in considerable oak timber and expect to do considerable work during the year.

Piling has been driven at the ferry landing on the Dorchester side of the river here and a floating platform will be built for the convenience of the traveling public.

Al Rano held an entertainment at Mardela on Saturday night last and had a large audience.

W. C. Mann purchased of Jas. H. McWilliams, this week a fine young horse, for livery service. This mates a horse Mr. Mann already owned and gives him a fine new span.

Miss Clara Bradley held a social at her home on Saturday evening last in honor of her guests, Misses Dora and Hattie Wilson of Mt. Vernon. Those present besides the above guests were: Misses Bessie Bradley, Lillian Ellis, Pearl Mooney, Ida Bennett, Ola Waller, Maggie Owens, Helen Phillips, Elsie Bradley. Messrs. Carl Bennett, Austin Bennett, Earl Cooper, W. Higgins, W. Kinnikin, Calvin Lowe, Jas. Morris, Charlie Marize, Noah Owens, Thos. Phillips, Lee Phillips, Herman Spear, W. Waller and G. Wright.

Miss Phoebe Elzey of Camden is visiting relatives here.

BIVALVE.

Mr. Wood Roberts, who has been absent for some time, has returned home for a short stay.

Mr. John W. Jones of Rock Creek, Somerset county was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mae Messick Wednesday evening.

The recent snow storm affords our young people much pleasure in sleigh-riding, this being the first opportunity afforded this season.

Mr. C. G. Messick is on the sick list this week.

Mr. E. M. Efford spent Thursday and Friday in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. C. G. Messick has moved his phone from the store house recently purchased by Geo. D. Insley & Son to his residence.

We are very glad to report Mr. Wade Messick out again.

We sympathize with a certain young man, who, while waiting for his lady friend at church was very much surprised to see her walk down the opposite aisle with another gentleman.

Our people are very much gratified to think we will have our State represented once more in the Senate of the United States by that eminent statesman, Hon. A. P. Gorman.

MARDELA SPRINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilson gave a six o'clock dinner Thursday. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Howard of Hebron and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Jones of Quantico.

Rev. Mr. Simpson has been conducting a protracted meeting at the M. P. Church, assisted by Rev. H. L. Murphy, and Rev. L. F. Warner of Easton, Md.

Mardela is beginning to get a hustle on herself. Messrs. Bounds and Cooper have two mills running near town, L. H. Cooper & Sons have one in operation.

Messrs. Perry & Cooper have added quite a lot of machinery to their plant, employing about thirty or forty men and boys.

Mr. Thaddeus Langdale is contracting for a large acreage of tomatoes for the canning season.

Mr. M. N. Nelson who is operating the Shirt Factory here is very busy, running his factory nights in order to fill his contracts. Mr. Nelson also expects to start a large cannery here.

Mr. W. H. Robertson is spending some time in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Misses Ruby Crawford and Jennie Bounds of Quantico spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. I. N. Cooper.

A Cough

"I have made a most thorough trial of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and am prepared to say that for all diseases of the lungs it never disappoints."

J. Early Finley, Ironton, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral won't cure rheumatism; we never said it would. It won't cure dyspepsia; we never claimed it. But it will cure coughs and colds of all kinds. We first said this sixty years ago; we've been saying it ever since.

Three sizes: No. 1, enough for an ordinary cold; No. 2, just right for bronchitis, hoarseness, hard colds, etc.; No. 3, most economical for chronic cases and to keep on hand.

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

One of our young ladies went out driving a few Sundays ago and lost her bearings. The next time she goes out we would suggest she take a compass with her so as to be sure that she is not going to Quantico. Its funny how one gets mixed up some times, isn't it?

Al Rano of Sharptown gave a very good show here last Saturday evening; his dogs do some very remarkable tricks.

QUANTICO.

Rev. C. W. Strickland, pastor of the M. E. Churches of Quantico circuit, has just closed a very successful revival meeting at Hebron. He will begin a series of meetings in his church in this town on Sunday evening, Feb. 2.

Despite the inclement weather on Thursday evening quite a crowd greeted Prof. and Mrs. Hanna in the Knights of Pythias Hall, where they were entertained by song, recitation and a lecture entitled a "Trip to Porto Rico." The financial part of the lecture was very gratifying to the teachers of our school under whose direction the entertainment was given.

On Wednesday evening Mr. W. C. Lightburn of Easton gave a very interesting lecture: "Lights and Shadows of Home Life" in the Knights of Pythias Hall. The proceeds were for the benefit of the M. P. Church, this town.

Mrs. A. L. Jones is spending some time in the cities of Baltimore and Annapolis.

Miss Kate Taylor is visiting relatives in Rock a walkin this week.

Miss Lala Jones is visiting relatives in East Ew Market.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay price 25 cents.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills
have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and

IMPARTING VIGOR
to the kidneys, bladder and LIVER. They are adapted to old and young.

THE WALKING WHICH CAN BE DONE



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on shoes from our stock is remarkable. Almost no wearout to the leather. But there's nothing clumsy about these Shoes. Just as stylish in appearance and almost as light as summer shoes. Not any higher in price either.

Our Men's \$3.00 Shoes are a marvel of comfort, strength and durability. It is the best shoe sold at the price.

R. Lee Waller & Co.
MAIN ST., SALISBURY.

GREAT EXPANSION SALE

OF CLOTHING

Hats and Gent's Furnishing Goods

This sale will last until the 22d of February. Come early, and secure your share of the bargains. The first picking is always the best. Not a sale of old goods, but a sale of New Style Garments. Here are a few prices that will interest you, unless you are bargain proof:

MEN'S SUITS.

Suits were \$16.00 now \$10.00

Suits were 13.00 now 7.50

Suits were 10.00 now 5.00

Suits were 8.00 now 4.50

See window display and note prices

Men's & Boys' Overcoats

Overcoats were \$16 now \$9.00

Overcoats were 10 now 7.00

Overcoats were 7 now 4.50

All shades blue and grey, long and short

Boys' 2 and 3 piece Suits

Suits that were \$7.50 now \$4.50

Suits that were 6.00 now 4.00

Suits that were 5.00 now 3.00

Suits that were 3.50 now 2.50

Suits that were 1.50 now 90c

Mothers don't miss this opportunity to get your boy a suit.

PANTS! PANTS! PANTS!

Here is where you will be especially interested. See window display and note prices quoted for up-to-date goods

Pants that were \$7 now \$5.50

Pants that were 6 now 4.50

Pants that were 5 now 3.75

Pants that were 4 now 3.00

Pants that were 3 now 2.25

Hats! Hats! Hats!

See them displayed in window. Make selection now while the picking is good.

\$2.50 Hats go now for 98 cents

2.25 Hats go now for 98 cents

2.00 Hats go now for 98 cents

All our goods are marked in plain figures and you can readily see when you examine these goods that this is no fake sale. Having enlarged our room for business, we are now going to enlarge our business to suit the room. COME QUICK and get your pick at the

BIG DOUBLE STORE

Kennerly & Mitchell

MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS.

233 and 237 main St., Salisbury, Md.

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FARMERS SLOW TO CONTRACT.

The Canning Men Experience Difficulty in Getting an Acreage.

The canners are having difficulty to get the Wicomico farmers to agree to grow tomatoes this year at the old prices, \$6.00 per ton.

The present prices for the canned goods are such and the market so bare that the farmers believe a bigger profit than usual awaits the canner, hence the farmer thinks he should get bigger money for growing the raw material.

The same feeling prevails among the growers in other sections of the peninsula. A joint meeting was held in Roe's Hall, Greensboro, on Saturday, by the farmers of that vicinity and the canners, for the purpose of agreeing upon a price for tomatoes for the coming season, but it availed nothing, and the breach between the growers and canners is wider than ever.

At a recent meeting of Caroline farmers a resolution was passed whereby the growers demanded 15 cents per basket for their fruit. Fred P. Roe, of the packing firm of Fred P. Roe & Bro., replied to the demand made by the growers, saying that they could not possibly pay more than 12 cents per basket, and if they could not get tomatoes grown for that price they would close their factory. This statement was resented by the growers, who refused the offer and stood firm to their previous demand of 15 cents per basket.

It is claimed by the farmers that with the changed condition in the prices of canned goods the price this year should be in excess of that paid last season—\$6 per ton. The farmers claim that within the last six months the prices have advanced 75 per cent, and that there is but a light stock of last season's pack in the hands of the packers and wholesale grocers, and further claim that under these conditions there is no reason why the present satisfactory quotations will not be maintained during the present year. One of the important factors which contributes to the determined stand taken by the growers is the fact that last year they were under contract with the packers at \$6 per ton. Those who were not under contract received in the open market from \$18 to \$20 per ton. The disparity of prices and the enormous profits suggested by these figures, which were realized by the packer at the expense of the grower, has caused much serious consideration.

The Messrs. Roberts of Baltimore who have been contemplating the erection of a cannery in Salisbury have written to Mr. E. S. Truitt that if they can procure contracts with the farmers for an aggregate of 800 acres in tomatoes at \$7.00 per ton they will erect the plant. The plant will most likely, if built at all, be located in East Salisbury near the N. Y. P. & N. railroad.

Temperance Day in Salisbury.

It is expected that the cause of temperance will be given a mighty impulse on Sunday when such speakers as Rev. Dr. Henry Branch, pastor of the Elliott City Presbyterian Church and President of the Maryland Anti-Saloon League, and Rev. S. E. Nicholson, Superintendent of the League will preach to the several congregations as follows: Dr. Branch will preach in the Presbyterian Church at 11 a. m. and in the M. E. Church South at 7.30 p. m.

Rev. S. E. Nicholson will preach in the M. E. Church at 11 a. m. and in the M. P. Church at 7.30 p. m.

A Union Mass Meeting or Rally will be held in the M. E. Church at 9.30 p. m., addressed by the visiting ministers and others. Special music at this service.

The Anti-Saloon League of this country is about seven years old. Its name conveys a definite idea of its aim. It is non-partisan, embracing members of all political parties. It is not denominational for its supporters are from all denominations, both Protestant and Catholic. It is an attempt to unite all the moral and religious forces of the country against the saloon. It is meeting with great success.

All the churches of the town should be packed on Sunday to hear the able sermons and addresses which will be delivered. Everybody is most urgently and cordially invited to attend. Pastor,

—Mr. Jay Williams entertained at dinner last Monday evening the directors of the Wicomico B. & L. Association. After an excellent set out, followed by coffee and cigars, the party retired to the library and indulged in the enjoyment of story telling. Messrs. Gillis and Benjamin maintained such a sharp rivalry for supremacy that a late hour had arrived before the party was aware, and the committee appointed to award the honors asked to be permitted to withhold the announcement of its decision until some future occasion.

TO BRIDGE LAKE HUMPHREYS.

Citizens of East and South Salisbury Desire Such an Improvement.

Citizens of East and South Salisbury are becoming deeply interested in the bridging, (for foot passengers only) of Lake Humphreys. Those interested want a bridge to span the lake just above the N. Y. P. & N. railroad bridge, for the convenience of the factory hands (men and women) in the two sections named who go daily backward and forward to and from their work. At present the only way for the sixty-odd employers of No. 8 mill and the shirt factory, who reside in East Salisbury, have of reaching their work is to cross the railroad bridge or to come down town and cross via the dam. The latter is at least a mile further and therefore causes much loss of time as well as extra walking. Crossing by the railroad bridge is always attended with danger, and the management of the road seriously object to its being used for that purpose.

Recently two ladies started to cross just before the noon mail train arrived. They had gone only a short distance when they heard the train coming. Becoming demoralized they sat down on the bridge to await their fate. Fortunately the engineer saw them and by stopping his train averted a catastrophe. Last Sunday morning Mr. Levin McLean started to cross the bridge which was then covered with ice and sleet. He fell and dislocated his collar bone and received other injuries.

The lake at the point where the foot bridge is desired is about 400 feet wide, and it is estimated by some of those who are asking for it that a bridge four feet wide with rail may be well and substantially built of 2 inch white oak flitch with strong piling for about \$550, which estimate is no doubt too small.

It is said that private subscriptions could be secured to aid in the bridge's construction. Messrs. W. F. Calloway and F. A. Grier are among those who are taking an active interest in the proposed improvement.

It looks as if the bridge is very much needed, but doubtful if the City Council can see its way, in the present condition of the treasury to expend the money for the purpose.

Social Events of the Week.

Mrs. M. V. Brewington received her friends from five till seven, on Thursday afternoon.

Receiving with Mrs. Brewington was Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., while Mrs. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Brewington, Miss Rider and Miss Mary Lee White assisted in entertaining the guests.

The color scheme throughout the house was yellow, the flowers being carnations and tulips.

In the dining-room Mrs. W. S. Gordy and Mrs. H. L. Brewington were assisted by Miss Amy Brewington, Miss Ada Brewington, Miss Owens, Miss Gordy, Miss Collier, Miss Pauline Collier and Miss Alice Toadvine.

Mrs. Dean W. Perdue gave a charming tea, at her home on Division Street, on Wednesday afternoon. The house was lighted by candles with pink shades and the table decorations were pink carnations and similar.

Mrs. Perdue, Mrs. Glen Perdue, Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., and Mrs. Wm. M. Cooper received the guests in the parlor; Mrs. E. A. Toadvine, Mrs. Wallop and Miss Mary Toadvine assisted in entertaining; Miss Toadvine presided at the tea-table; and the following ladies did the honor in the dining room, Miss Barnes of King's Creek, Miss Gordy, Miss Johnson, Miss Collier, Miss Owens and Miss Alice Toadvine.

A delightful social event of the week was the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. P. Graham, at their charming home on Division Street, Thursday evening. The guests arrived about nine and were welcomed in the drawing room by the host and hostess. The drawing room and hall were prettily decorated with palms and potted plants.

Assisting Mrs. Graham in entertaining her guests were Mrs. Saml. A. Graham, Mrs. W. B. Miller, and Miss Irma Graham. Miss Carroll of Baltimore presided at the punch bowl. Refreshments were served in the dining room during the evening, where the table was beautiful with its decorations of pink carnations and lighted candelabra with pink shades. Assisting Mrs. Graham here were Miss Sadie Goodwin of Belstertown, Md., the Misses Lizzie Collier, Pauline Collier, Mary Reigart, Lizzie Wailes, Esther Judkins, Katherine Todd and Alice Gunby. Mrs. Mary D. Ellegood presided at the tea-table.

WICOMICO LAND TRANSACTIONS.

Changes in the Real Estate Records for January.

Below is a list of deeds representing the changes in the real estate records for January.

Deed to Lee Johnson from Wm. H. Jackson, twelve acres of land in Tony Tank road, Camden. Consideration \$1500.00.

Deed to Geo. H. Rayne from Elijah S. Adkins, house and lot in East Salisbury. Consideration \$520.00.

Deed to Jas. E. Brooks et al, trustees from John S. Robertson, lot in Tyaskin. Consideration \$35.00.

Deed to Wm. Fred Twilley from the W. F. Allen Land & Improvement Co. farm in Salisbury district. Consideration \$3500.00.

Deed to Samuel C. Twilley from Wm. Fred Twilley, farm in Trappe district. Consideration \$1700.00.

Deed to Geo. D. Insley from Jas. P. Insley, property in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$125.00.

Deed to John J. Mumford from Jacob B. Hastings, house and lot in south Salisbury. Consideration \$250.

Deed to Minnie Ryall et al, from Wm. C. Dixon, lot in South Salisbury. Consideration \$40.

Deed to Maryland A. Gravenor from B. P. Gravenor, property in Sharptown. Consideration \$500.00.

Deed to Charles L. Dickerson from Jas. K. Disharoon, property in Salisbury. Consideration \$500. etc.

Deed to Benj. J. D. Phillips from Elizabeth S. Dashiell interest in farm in Spring Hill neighborhood. Baron Creek district. Consideration \$275.

Deed to Geo. N. Adkins and W. Ellwood Downing from G. Q. Parsons, lot in Parsonsburg. Consideration \$50.00.

Deed to the Salisbury Permanent B. & L. Association from W. B. Price, property in Tyaskin. Consideration \$1.00 etc.

Deed to Chas. W. Quinton from W. H. Williams, land in Sharptown district. Consideration \$75.00.

Deed to John W. Collier from E. S. Turner, property in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$250.00.

Deed to Thos. J. Anderson from John W. Harrington, property in Nanticoke district. Consideration \$200.

Deed to Horace A. Twilley from John W. Raton, trustee, property in Pittsburg district. Consideration \$715.

Deed to Ernest M. Mills from Jos. L. Bailey, trustee, farm in Quantico district. Consideration \$1100.00.

Deed to A. W. Dennis and A. W. Carey, from Thomas H. Mitchell, lot in Salisbury. Consideration \$100.

Deed to Ira W. Wright from Samuel J. Cooper, property in Sharptown. Consideration \$441.00.

Deed to L. W. Gunby from Jas. E. Ellegood, trustee, property in California, Salisbury. Consideration \$295.

Deed to Olevia Hillman from Alice C. Catlin, property in California, Salisbury. Consideration \$279.00.

Deed to Sallie E. Wright from Wm. G. Graham, property in Mardela Springs. Consideration \$100.

Deed to John W. Ward et al from Robt. P. Graham, trustee, property in Parsons district. \$1.00 etc.

Deed to John W. Winbrow et al, from John W. Ward et al, property in Parsons district. Consideration \$750.00.

Deed to Jonathan E. Bethard from Benj. J. D. Phillips, lot in Hebron. Consideration \$35.00.

Deed to Jos. C. Davis from G. F. Holloway, land in Parsons and Pittsburg districts. Consideration \$750.00.

Deed to John F. Phillips from W. C. Phillips, interest in farm in Baron Creek district. Consideration \$70.00.

Deed Mary M. Groton from John Harrington, lot in Tyaskin. Consideration \$50.00.

Deed to Maud Herman from Kate H. Toadvine, Cranberry bog, in Salisbury. Consideration \$800.00.

Deed to Wm. F. Allen and Wm. M. Cooper from Jonathan A. Waller, farm in Baron Creek district. Consideration \$2500.

Deed to Samuel E. Shockey from Wm. S. Jones, farm in Dennis district. Consideration \$1000.

Deed to William M. Taylor from Amanda T. Taylor, lot in Sharptown district. Consideration \$50.00.

Deed to John W. Riggan from John W. Sirman, lot in South Salisbury. Consideration \$100.

Deed to D. J. Pryor from the W. F. Allen Land and Improvement Co., land in Nutter's district. Consideration \$818.00.

Deed George E. Bennett from Jas. W. Bradley, property in Sharptown district. Consideration \$117.00.

Deed to Harvey Messick from Thos. Parker, farm in Parsons district. Consideration \$800.

Deed to George R. Hitch from Joseph

Gottchalk et al, lot in Salisbury. Consideration \$800.

Deed to Hicks Waller from Julia A. Goslee, lot in Baron Creek district. Consideration \$66.00.

Deed to Susie Gale Turpin from Mary W. Crawford, property in Quantico. Consideration \$200.00.

Deed to M. N. Nelson from Sallie J. Nelson et al, land in Hebron. Consideration \$200.

Deed to Mary C. Hastings from Emory P. Hastings, property in Salisbury. Consideration \$275.00.

Deed to Elijah J. Parsons from Ella Moore, property in South Salisbury. Consideration \$130.00.

Deed to John T. Elliott from Mary J. Parsons, lot in South Salisbury. Consideration \$125.

Deed to Robt. B. White from Wm. G. Vaughn, property in Trappe district. Consideration \$500.

Deed to Wm. P. Ward from Africa Fooks, lot in South Salisbury. Consideration \$333.50.

Deed to Wm. C. Mitchell from Rachel C. Mitchell interest in farm in Salisbury district. Consideration \$1600.

Deed to John E. Green from George R. Hitch, lot in Salisbury. Consideration \$400.

Deed to Mary Kent from Margaret F. Johnson, lot in Salisbury. Consideration \$208.00.

Deed to Mary Kent from Leah E. Kent, property near Tony Tank. Consideration \$1.00 etc.

Deed to John H. Riggan from Educational and Literary Society, property in Fruitland. Consideration \$860.00.

Deed to Phillips Lee Goldsborough from Robt. P. Graham, trustee, property in Salisbury. Consideration \$875.00.

Deed to Phillips Lee Goldsborough from Nancy M. Showell, property in Salisbury. Consideration \$875.00.

Deed to Geo. H. Larmore from John Dorman, property in Tyaskin district. Consideration \$800.

Deed to Samuel Fletcher from Isaac W. Covington, et al property in Sharp town. Consideration \$700.00.

Deed to Kirby A. Hitch from Albert J. Allen, land in Trappe district. Consideration \$700.

Deed to Calvin L. Wilson from Henry J. Howard farm in Baron Creek district. Consideration \$1.00 etc.

Deed to Jonathan E. Bethard from Levin J. Phillips, property in Hebron. Consideration \$300.00.

Deed to Esther V. Davis from M. N. Nelson, property in Hebron. Consideration \$550.00.

Deed to Stanford C. Culver from F. C. Todd land in Salisbury district. Consideration \$178.40.

Deed to Chas. S. Ulman from Joseph I. Ulman land in Salisbury. Consideration \$550.00.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Clerk of Court Truitt issued the following marriage licenses during January:

WHITE.

Thomas F. Elliott to Olevia A. Brown. Calmer Morris to Della F. Hamblin. Edward Cooper to Cornelia Clarke. Elmer C. Adkins to Mary E. Gordy. Thomas H. Bradford to Levinia Baker. William Byrd to Minnie Owens. Benjamin W. Maddox to Cora Coffman. Oscar Hurley to Annie E. Bedworth. James F. Dennis to Ella K. Purnell. William I. Prettyman to Annie M. Phillips. Clarence Dennis to Eva Perdue. Paul C. Powell to Mary Etta Johnson. Woodland R. Taylor to Rosa E. Dashiell. Elmer W. Holt to Georgia A. Jones. George W. H. Parker to Amanda E. Truitt. Frank M. Stewart to Hattie E. Washburn. Webster W. Phillips to Minnie T. Howard. Joseph P. Shockey to Cora B. Hillman. Thos. L. Coberth to Willie T. B. Hitch. Norman Dennis to Amanda Lewis. George I. Adkins to Mary J. Milla. Robert G. Parsons to Ella E. Malone.

COLORED.

Harry King to Emeline Fooks. Samuel E. Johnson to Annie M. Polk. Thomas Joseph to Lena Wright. Daniel J. Elsey to Irena Dashiell. Isaac Burris to Lurena Davis. Alonso L. Morris to Edith A. F. Waller. Levin C. Smiley to Eliza P. C. Hull.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in Salisbury, Md., Post Office, February 1st., 1902. Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

E. S. ADKINS, P. M.

Mrs. Mary I. Whitley, Miss Rosie E. Smith, Miss Mary Townsend, Mr. Geo. W. Hill, Mr. John Swanson, Mr. John Owens, Mr. G. G. Banks, Mr. Geo. W. Paige.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

PEACH-GROWERS OBJECT.

Threats To Pull Up Orchards If The Freight Rate Is Enforced.

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 8.—Opposition is developing to the plan of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company to do away with the shelving of the peach case this season and have the farmers ship their fruit in "carriers." The company says that freight rates would be benefited.

At a largely attended meeting of farmers and fruit growers at Bridgeville word was received from Providence, Boston, Albany and other cities that the fruit was not wanted in the carriers and would not be salable. Many of the growers threatened to pull up their orchards if the company insists on using the carriers and doing away with the regular peach baskets. The growers say the expense of using the carriers would be considerably more than shipment by ordinary baskets.

Entertainment For School Library.

Mr. G. Clinton Hanna, A. M., and Mrs. Hanna, of Westminster, Md., have been engaged to give an entertainment in the Court House, Monday evening, February 10th, for the benefit of the seventh grade library of the Salisbury High School. Their entertainment consists of Prof. Hanna's entertaining and instructive lecture, "A Trip to Porto Rico," and of solos and readings by Mrs. Hanna. Mr. W. H. Dashiell, Supt. of Schools of Somerset county says, under date of December 28, 1901, "I may also testify to the merit of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna's evening entertainment, consisting of recitation and lecture, which was well received and commended." Tickets at 25 and 15 cents are for sale by members of the class.

SHOE TALK

We have been talking shoes for years, we are talking shoes today and we propose to talk shoes to this community for some time to come and the result has been satisfactory to us.

The people are convinced that we are giving them straight talk about our shoes, they are convinced that we are giving them better values for the money than they get elsewhere and the people's appreciation of our efforts to please them is making new business for us every day.

We have a special shoe for ladies called the "Ultra" and for the men, the famous Douglas shoe.

We have good values for Misses and Children and the little tots. A continuation of your patronage will be appreciated by

HARRY DENNIS,

The Up-to-Date Shoed., 217 Main Street.

WANTED.
1000 Bushels of Cow Peas
ANY VARIETY.
W. F. Allen, Salisbury, Md.

BARGAINS BARGAINS

We must unload before taking stock

Hence

These Prices.

We are marking down our China, Books and Stationery and you'll be able to get genuine bargains.

25c. ORNAMENTS, 19, 18, 16 cts.
50c. ORNAMENTS, 38, 35, 33 cts.
\$1 ORNAMENTS, 75 and 68 cts.
40, 35, 25c. BOX PAPER, 12 cts.
25c. POUND PAPER, 12 cts.
15 and 10c. ENVELOPES 8 and 5 cts. per package.
25c. BOOKS, 13 cts.

All Books in Sets reduced.

Come and look at these prices.

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Mrs. Geo. W. Taylor

Will sell for the next thirty days

Great bargains in hats, fancy broasts, and velvet flowers.

Beaver hats at \$3.00.....\$1.95
Scratch felt \$1.50......75
Wool felt \$1.00......50
Tun caps \$1.25......75
Tun caps 75......50
Violets and roses \$1.50......85
Fancy broasts \$1.00......55
Fancy broasts 1.00......55

A complete line of mousseline, ribbons, velvets, Baby caps and velling and toilet articles.

"Le Fèvre's," Violet and Cucumber cream for chaps.

Call and examine before buying.

Mrs. Geo. W. Taylor.

Wedding Invitations,

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VISITING CARDS,
ENGRAVING
OF ALL KINDS.
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THE GROWTH OF A BUSINESS.

Some Incidents Which Recall the Life And Enterprise of the Late John Robinson of Sharptown.

On Monday of this week a company of men tore down an old building that has stood of late years in the corner of Mrs. Lizzie Boudie's lot on Main street at Sharptown. The building has a history. It was about 12x14 feet and about 12 feet corner posts with one room up stairs and one room down stairs. It has been built for more than a half century. It was used by the late John Robinson as a basket making house, in which the first berry baskets that were ever manufactured in Sharptown were made, and among the first on the Peninsula. They were then made by boys, who are now among our leading citizens here and some have gone elsewhere to seek their fortune and hold places of honor and distinction. The price paid then was thirty cents a hundred baskets and the boys made more than one hundred and fifty to three hundred. The girls made them at the same time in the kitchen of the residence of Mr. John Robinson, and made them about as fast as the boys and the boys were given other work that was heavier and the work of basket making was soon done entirely by the girls. These baskets that were made for thirty cents a hundred sold for about twenty five dollars per thousand. The same kind of baskets are now made for sixty cents per thousand and a girl can make more than a thousand per day and they sell for less than three dollars per thousand. The slats out of which these baskets were then made we cut off boards with a plane—simply a heavy polar shaving, which made a strong durable basket.

Many changes and improvements have been made in the manufacture of baskets since the business was started in Sharptown in the year 1870, and the small beginning at that time has grown until the manufacturing plant covers many square feet of ground and the products are made and stored in every section of the town and while the business has grown in magnitude it has also grown in value and importance to the town. The late and lamented John Robinson in originating this business, which he so successfully developed and fostered, together with his noble spirit of enterprise made him self the greatest single benefactor the town ever had. The business has steadily grown and is still growing, placing upon the market for more than thirty years, a grade of work and neatness of construction that has never been equalled. The present manager is Mr. A. W. Robinson, who began work with the boys as soon as he could lift a hammer. He has grown up into the business until he understands it in every detail. Not as it was but as it is, with all the modern machinery and equipments and he stands to-day without a peer in the business, knowing not only one part, but his whole life-work has covered every department, in the planning, in the work and in the clerical minutiae. He has grown not only in the business but with the business. To view the past and the present and scan the interim presents a history that is deeply interesting in the business, its managers and the town.

CASITORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of Imitations
Solely for the
Signature of
Charles H. Pletcher



Mrs. Sophie Binns, President Young People's Christian Temperance Union, Fruitvale, Bal., Cured of Congestion and Inflammation of the Ovaries by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Eighteen months ago I was a pretty sick woman. I had felt for some months that I gradually grew weaker, but finally I had such severe pains I could hardly stand it. I had taken cold during menstruation and this developed into congestion of the ovaries and inflammation, and I could not bear to walk or stand on my feet. The doctor recommended an operation which I would not hear of. One of my friends advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I gave it a trial. Can you imagine my feeling when within two months I felt considerably better, my general health was improved, and my pains had entirely disappeared. I kept taking it six weeks more and am now enjoying the best of health, thanks to you. Yours truly, MRS. SOPHIE BINNS."

\$5000 REFUND IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.
When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

JOHNS HOPKINS CELEBRATION.

Wicomico Citizens Invited To Assist At The Quarter-Centennial Exercises.

Many prominent residents of Wicomico county have been invited or will be invited to the celebration of the quarter-centennial of the Johns Hopkins University, which is to take place in Baltimore on Friday, February 22, and Saturday, February 23. Among those who have been asked to attend the exercises and help make them representative are:

The members of the General Assembly for Wicomico county, Robert P. Graham, James E. Ellegood, E. S. Treadwell, Hon. Wm. H. Jackson, W. B. Miller, L. W. Gunby, John H. White, Dr. S. A. Graham, Wm. B. Tilghman, C. R. Disharoon, E. S. Adkins, L. E. Williams, Judge C. F. Holland, W. L. Laws, Alan F. Benjamin, H. L. Brewington, A. W. Robinson, Wm. M. Cooper and members of the ministry and medical profession of the county.

The celebration of the great University's quarter centennial and the inauguration of its 20th president will convalesce the most distinguished body of scholars that ever met on a single occasion in Maryland. The ceremonies, too, have been projected upon a broader scale than any conducted by the University since its formal opening, 25 years ago, was graced by the presence of the illustrious Englishman, Huxley, and other eminent scholars of a generation which is rapidly passing. These ceremonies will consist of two general meetings and a number of subordinate functions. In order to receive its guests and the public the committee of arrangements has found it necessary to secure Music Hall, the most commodious auditorium in the city for its general meetings.

The first of these will take place there at 8 o'clock on Friday afternoon, and the feature of it will be a commemorative address by Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, the President Emeritus. An official reception to delegates will follow. President Remsen will deliver his inaugural at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning and the general announcements of the quarter-centennial will then be given to the public. To Dr. Remsen's inaugural will attach all the interest of the hopes and plans of the men on whom the future of Maryland's fame, our university so largely depends. The announcements will end the many guests and settle the many doubts concerning the million dollar land grant fund; and there is the possibility that other gifts may be announced.

Among those who have been invited to assist at these general meetings and the other public functions of the celebration are all of the alumni of the University, all the distinguished scholars in America, and scholars who have lectured before it at various times, the heads and faculties of the other great universities of the country, its benefactors in the State and City, the chief officers of the City and State, the representative commercial, journalistic, professional and scientific residents of Maryland. It will be seen that such an assembly must indicate very sharply the part which Johns Hopkins has borne toward the State and nation during the first quarter century of its life.

Thursday night and at odd periods on Friday unions of old Hopkins men will be held in the several seminaries whence they went out years ago to carry Maryland learning abroad over the country. A general reception to the guests will be given on Friday night in McCoy Hall. Certain features have been arranged to make this especially enjoyable. On Saturday night the alumni will close the celebration with a subscription banquet to which many notable men of the State and country have been or will be invited.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Friday, January 31.

Rev. Madison C. Peters, of New York, has accepted a call to Immanuel Baptist Tabernacle, Baltimore.

The navy department announced that Rear Admirals William T. Sampson and B. J. Cromwell will be retired on the 9th of February.

In a rear-end collision of freight trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad at Deerfield, Ill., Hugh Cox was killed and three others were badly injured.

A bill introduced in the United States senate provides for the union of Oklahoma and Indian territory and their admission into the Union as a state, to be called Oklahoma.

Saturday, February 1.

There are rumors of renewed differences between Queen Wilhelmina of Holland, and Prince Henry, her consort.

A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, was yesterday elected president of the West Jersey and Seashore road.

The Treasury Club, composed of officials of the treasury department, gave a farewell dinner at Washington to Secretary Gage.

The senate committee on building and grounds made favorable report for an appropriation of \$600,000 for an addition to the Nashville, Tenn., public building.

Sunday, February 2.

King Edward of England will organize a bodyguard of native Indian cavalry.

J. Santos Zalaya was inaugurated president of Nicaragua for his third term yesterday.

Jacob Christman, of Summit Hill, Pa., died suddenly on Saturday. Arriving in the morning in good spirits, he foretold his death.

Relatives of James Leo, a resident of Calhoun, Mich., who died yesterday, have found over \$6,000 in gold buried in the cellar of his home.

It is feared at St. Johns, N. F., that many American fishing vessels bound for Gloucester, Mass., were caught in last Thursday's storm and are lost.

Tuesday, February 3.

Through misreading of orders a passenger and freight train collided near Savannah, Ga., killing one person and injuring three others.

A fire at the Cook & White coal mine, at Madrid, N. M., caused the death of two men and did great damage to property.

It is stated Emperor William of Germany will present Miss Alice Roosevelt with a gold jewel box on the occasion of the launching of his yacht.

A lock-out in the four large mills of the American Woolen Company, at Olneyville, R. I., took place yesterday. More than 5,500 operatives are idle.

The second annual sportsman's show of the International Forest, Fish and Game Association opened in Chicago, with an attendance of 10,000 people.

Wednesday, February 5.

James L. Hall, of Scranton, Pa., a commercial traveler, was found dead in a hotel at Albany, N. Y.

Burglars entered the postoffice at Canal Winchester, O., and secured \$400 worth of stamps and \$20 in cash.

The Dowle-Stephenson suit for a recalculation of the Zion lace industries, at Chicago, has been settled out of court.

M. A. Emulock, of Carlisle, Pa., has been appointed an aide-de-camp to Commander-in-Chief Torrence, of the G. A. R.

Owing to the absence of members of the meeting of the board of pardons of Pennsylvania was indefinitely postponed.

Heater Turner, of Scottsville, Ky., shot his brother James dead, but not before James had struck him on the head with a hatchet, inflicting fatal injuries.

Thursday, February 6.

Captain Richmond P. Hobson will appeal to congress for retirement from the navy.

The school children of Minneapolis, Minn., contributed \$685 to the McKinley memorial fund.

An explosion in the Lance mine at Plymouth, Pa., badly damaged the inside workings. None of the employees were injured.

The price of stores was advanced by the Southern Stove Manufacturers' Association at a meeting held in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Albert West, the negro who murdered a Chester policeman and was nearly lynched, was placed in the Eastern Penitentiary for safe keeping.

Prevalence of Kidney Trouble.

So prevalent and deceptive is kidney trouble that it very often becomes well advanced before it is even suspected, therefore, it behooves all to be on the lookout. Should he be ill, or not feeling well, it would be wise to first pay attention to the kidneys and ascertain if they are the cause of your trouble.

A simple method of finding out if your kidneys are at fault has often been called to the attention of our readers through Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root advertisement in the columns of this paper, and it is now repeated for the benefit of those who may be interested. Via: "Fill a bottle with urine and set aside for twenty-four hours or so, and if it shows a brick dust sediment or cloudy appearance, or if the urine is scanty or profuse, or if it is found necessary to go often through the day, or get up many times during the night, you may be sure your kidneys need attention."

After careful inquiry we find Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy is remarkably successful in the quick relief and cure of the diseases for which it is recommended. There is hardly a drug store in the land that does not keep and highly recommend this celebrated preparation for kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

By special arrangement every reader of this paper may have a sample bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root by mail, free, (if they have not already had one) by sending their address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

William Cason, colored, of Seventeenth street, Richmond, Va., was struck by a train on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, near Cumberland, and had both legs cut off below the knees. He was taken to the hospital at Cumberland.

Clarence Owen, a Baltimore and Ohio trainman was awarded a \$100 gold watch contested for at the Elks' bazaar, Hagerstown. He collected \$320.65. His competitor, Charles Harris, of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, collected \$120.

Growers of tomatoes all over the Peninsula are demanding higher prices than heretofore and in many cases are refusing to contract at all. In Talbot county the packers are offering \$7.50, with seed and baskets; at Centerville, \$7; at Elkton, \$8, and at Cambridge, \$9.

Mr. George Wilson, of Easton, Md., proprietor of the flouring mill at that place since his father's death, a few days ago, in looking over papers stored away by his father in an old desk the mill came across a bankbook which upon examination, showed a credit of \$5,400.

The Montgomery Press, the only Republican journal published in Montgomery has been purchased by Mr. Cornelius W. Clum, of Kensington. Mr. Clum has many years been manager of the paper and is at present mayor of Kensington.

The teachers of the Frostburg public school asked each pupil to bring 10 cents as a contribution to the fund of the State Normal School No. 2. This was done at the request of the town committee and with the approval of both the School Commissioners and trustees.

On Tuesday night last the employees of the cotton duck mill at Franklinville, Baltimore county, presented Mr. J. W. Blakeney, manager of the mill, with a handsome Masonic emblem, set with diamonds. Mr. Blakeney is a brother of Congressman A. A. Blakeney, formerly one of the owners of Franklinville Mill.

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his signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

JAY WILLIAMS, Attorney

TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF VALUABLE
TOWN PROPERTY
in the Village of Mardela Springs, and
in Quantico Dist., Wicomico Co., Md.

By virtue of a decree of Circuit Court for Wicomico county sitting in equity, passed in case of W. R. Eisey, et al. vs. Martha A. Dohme et al., being 1890 on Chancery Docket of said Court, I will offer at public auction in front the

HOTEL AT MARDELA SPRINGS
Wicomico County, Md., on
WEDNESDAY,
February 26, 1902,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following real estate of which Thomas B. Taylor died, seized and possessed, situated in Wicomico county, and State of Maryland, in and near the village of Mardela Springs, to wit:

NO. 1.—A house and lot in Mardela Springs where W. H. Beach lives, fronting on Main Street of said town, and improved by a two story front building 32x18, with porches in front, two story back building 30x18, with side porch, four rooms, and hallway between; 5 rooms above, all in good condition; outbuildings—smoke house, wood house, barn and stable.

The metes and bounds of the lot are as follows: Beginning in the centre of

Main Street at the corner of Main Street and Branch Street, and running by and with Branch Street, (west side) North 30° West 164 poles, South 88° West 6 poles, South 30° East 164 poles to Main Street and thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 98 perches, more or less.

Land bought of Joseph Brattan and wife.

NO. 2.—House and lot in Mardela Springs, where A. S. Venables resides, fronting on Main Street on the South, Taylor Street on the West, Cooper Alley on the North and Beach lot on the East, containing 183 perches of land, more or less, improved by a two story double dwelling, 48 feet by 16 feet, side porch all the way down, back building 32x14 and back building 24x12; 7 rooms below and 4 rooms above, corn house, stables and smoke house.

NO. 3.—House and lot tenanted by S. J. Sewell on corner of Church and Brattan streets, bounded on the East by G. E. Bennett lot and on the South by the lot where William Venables lives, containing one acre.

Improved by a 2 story dwelling, 14x16, back building 14x16; 2 rooms below and 2 rooms above; 1 out house 8x20; all in good condition.

NO. 4.—Fourteen shares in Baron Creek Cemetery Company.

NO. 5.—Vacant lot on Brattan Street, bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, containing one and one fourth acres.

This lot is bounded on the North by Brattan Street, on the East by I. N. Cooper's lot, on the South by Baron Creek, on the West by G. E. Bennett's lot.

NO. 6.—Vacant lot at corner of Taylor Street and Cooper Alley, opposite side of the Wheel Wright Shop. West end of lot No. 9 of the Real estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown on plat of said Estate, containing 57 1/2 perches. This lot begins at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Taylor Street, North 60° West 7 poles to a locust post, thence North 88° East 7 poles 1 1/2 links, to a cedar post, thence South 88° West 7 poles and 12 links, thence South 88° West to the beginning, containing 57 1/2 perches, more or less.

NO. 7.—Vacant lot on East side of Taylor St. on south side of R. R. St. Beginning at the end of the line of lot No. 6, and running North 60° West 7 poles 14 links to R. E. Street, thence East with R. E. Street North 84° East 7 poles 14 links to a cedar post, thence South 88° East 7 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 6, thence by and with the second line of lot No. 6 reversed to the beginning, containing 57 1/2 perches more or less. This lot being the West end of lot No. 8 of the real estate of Jos. Brattan as shown by plat of said Estate.

NO. 8.—Vacant lot East end of lot No. 8 of Jos. Brattan estate, as shown by plat of same. Beginning at a locust post at the corner of Branch Street and Railroad Street, and running by and with Railroad Street, South 84° West 8 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 7, thence by and with the line of lot No. 7 to a cedar post, thence North 88° East to Branch Street, thence by and with Branch Street to the beginning, containing 61 1/2 perches.

NO. 9.—Vacant lot, being the east end of lot No. 9 of land of Jos. Brattan's estate, as shown by plat; beginning at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Branch street, and running South 88° East 7 poles 1 link, thence North 60° West 7 poles and 14 links thence North 84° East 7 poles and 14 links, thence South 30° East 7 poles 14 links to the beginning, containing 55 perches, more or less.

NO. 10.—Vacant lot on east side of Branch Street, being the North end of lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan, beginning at a locust post on Branch St., at the South west corner of J. E. Bacon's lot or lot No. 17 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown by plat of the same, and running South 88° East 6 poles 11 links to a stone, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's lot South 20° East 84 poles to a cedar post, thence North 88° West 6 poles and 11 links to Branch Street, thence by and with Branch Street North 20° West to the beginning, containing 62 perches, more or less.

NO. 11.—Vacant lot on the East side of Branch Street, being the middle section of the lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan. Beginning at a cedar post at the N. E. Corner of store house lot, and running by and with Branch St. North 20° West 84 poles to a cedar post corner of lot No. 10, thence by and with the line of said lot reversed 6 poles and 11 links to Mrs. Brattan's line, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's line South 20° East 84 poles, thence by and with the storehouse lot to the beginning, containing 59 perches, more or less, improved by old stable.

NO. 12.—Storehouse and lot, corner of Main and Branch Sts. beginning in the centre of Main St. and running by and with the West side of the Storehouse North 50° West 34 poles, thence South 88° East 4 feet, thence North 20° West 6 1/2-100 poles by and with Branch St. to a cedar post, South 88° East 6 1/2-100 feet South 88° East 10 poles to Main Street, thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 64 perches. This lot is the original storehouse and lot, part of the Jos. Brattan lot, bought by Mrs. S. A. Brattan and sold by her to T. B. Taylor.

Size of storehouse 40x24, two stories with a shed attached 20x10.

NO. 13.—Vacant lot on the North of Main Street, and on the West of Taylor Street, adjoining the Railroad on the West, containing one eighth of an acre, being a part of the L. M. Vincent lot.

NO. 14.—Lot on the West side of Taylor Street, and adjoining the Railroad on the West being lot No. 10 of the estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 76 perches and improved by Wheelwright shop and Blacksmith shop.

NO. 15.—Lot on the West side of Brattan Street and on the South side of Railroad Street, and shown as lot No. 11 on plat of Jos. Brattan's estate.

NO. 16.—Lot on the South side of Railroad Street and North of the Howard and Taylor lot and shown as

strip No. 1 on the plat of estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 5 perches.

NO. 17.—Part of Young's Purchase, adjoining and surrounding the Presbyterian Church property on the South side of County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and East of the Hotel property, beginning at the first Red Oak on the South side of the Road East of the Spring House, and running thence North 48° West 2 poles to the centre of the County road, thence by and with the road South 50° West 54 poles to the bridge, thence by and with the ditch, South 10° West 23 poles to the Creek, thence by and with the Creek South 77° West 18 1/2 poles, North 54° East 5 1/2 poles, thence North 12° West 5 1/2 poles, thence a right line to the beginning. In these metes and bounds the church lot is included.

NO. 18.—Twenty-two one hundred twentieths undivided interest in the Grange lot and hall, situated on the North side of Main Street, opposite the Methodist Protestant Church.

NO. 19.—One half undivided interest of lot on West side of the railroad, a part of the hotel property, beginning at a small locust tree, on the East side of Brattan Street, running with Brattan Street South 88° East 14 1/2 perches, thence South 88° West 10 feet, thence South 88° East by and with I. N. Cooper's line 36 poles to Baron Creek, thence by and with Baron Creek to the railroad, thence by and with the railroad North 88° West 40 poles to the beginning, about two and one half acres, one-half cripplie

NO. 20.—One-half undivided interest of this lot off the hotel property. Beginning at a locust post, nearly opposite J. A. Lowe's store on the South side of Main Street, and running thence South 88° East 204 poles to the R. R. thence North 88° West by and with the R. R. 10 poles and 17 links, thence North 88° West 14 poles and 21 links to the South side of Main street, thence North 88° East to the beginning, containing 68 perches, more or less.

NO. 21.—On half undivided interest of this lot part of the Hotel property. Beginning on the South side of Main Street and on the East side of the Railroad and running by and with the Railroad, South 88° East 16 poles and 7 links, thence North 50° West with line of lot No. 20, 14 poles and 21 links to South side of Main Street, thence by and with Main Street South 88° West 8 poles and 16 links to the beginning, containing 64 perches of land.

NO. 22.—Hotel property on the South side of Main Street, containing about 2 acres up and down and 2 acres of cripplie, improved by a Hotel, front building 64 feet long, 20 feet wide and 3 stories high, with power and a per front porches. Outbuildings 36 feet long, 16 feet wide, 2 stories, back building 48 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 stories high, with porches on each side floor and hallway and lower hallways.

A fine Spring with house over it with bottling house attached. Heat houses and poultry yard. Outbuildings 12x20 feet, 1 1/2 stories high; 9 stables with centre hallway and carriage house on the side.

NO. 23.—The post office grounds and building, at intersection, of Main and Bridge streets.

NO. 24.—Lot on the North side of County road from Mardela Springs to Vienna and about 1 mile from Mardela, where Moses Dashiell lives, about 8 acres of arable land, adjoining lands of L. L. Bounds and fronting on the County road. Improved by a good story and half house with small back building.

NO. 25.—All that tract of "Miles End" purchased by Thomas B. Taylor of Josiah Bailey as shown per deed dated May 1st, 1861, situate on the South side of the County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and on the North side of Baron Creek, adjoining the land of W. H. Beach on the East, Baron Creek on the South, that part of "Young's Purchase" on the West which T. B. Taylor bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, and the lot of Mrs. Griffin and the old schoolhouse lot on the North, containing 12 acres of land, more or less. The above land is all set in thrifty pine timber. Also all that part of Young's purchase sold by Robert F. Brattan, trustee (save and except about one acre and half laid off around and contiguous to the Presbyterian Church property) situate on the North side of Baron Creek and on the South side of the County road from Mardela Springs to Baron Creek Mills and adjoining the land on the East which Taylor bought of Josiah Bailey and on the West the lot laid off around the Presbyterian Church property, containing about 12 1/2 acres; about 3 acres arable and the remainder cripplie and young timber.

Improved by a story and half dwelling and necessary outbuildings.

NO. 26.—Timber land on the South side of the county road from Porter's Mill to Re-wastico Mills in Quantico district; adjoining land of A. J. Horsey on the East; Aime House property on the South; land of Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford on the West and binding on the County road on the North. Bought by Thos. B. Taylor of J. W. and A. T. Robertson; well set in pine and oak timber; contains 36 acres more or less.

Improved by a story and half dwelling and necessary outbuildings.

NO. 27.—The post office grounds and building, at intersection, of Main and Bridge streets.

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NOW LOOK OUT!

"Take care of yourself," say our friends. "I'll try to," we answer. We do take a little care, yet in spite of warm clothes, rubbers and mackintoshes, an army of people were bowled out by pneumonia and other lung and chest diseases last winter. They caught cold, neglected it, let it fix upon them, were torn by coughs, choked by inflammations and congestions, wasted by fever, tired out by pain and then gave up the fight. The hour you realize that you have a cold on the chest, place a Benson's Porous Plaster where the pain or oppression is felt. If you think two are needed make it two. No harm if you were covered with them. They act quickly and prevent the engorgement of blood in the organs. In this way—with ordinary caution as to exposure—serious sickness, no other applications, or any other form of treatment, will accomplish this as certainly and speedily. Benson's Plasters have a distinct and positive action and are curative to the highest degree. Use them with the same confidence for coughs, muscular rheumatism, the grip (back and chest) and all similar ailments. Women, who are chief sufferers from cold weather complaints, should keep these plasters always within reach. Get the genuine. All druggists, or we will prepay postage on any number ordered in the United States on receipt of 25c. each. Seabury & Johnson, Mfg. Chemists, N.Y.

ORDER NISI.

In the matter of sale of real estate of Wm. G. Holmes, deceased, ex parte.

No. 181 Real Estate in the Orphans Court for Wicomico County, anuary term, 1902.

Ordered that a sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by J. W. Williams, d. b. n. of Wm. G. Holmes, deceased, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st Monday in March, next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 15th day of February, next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$700.

GEO. W. CATHILL,
G. BENNETT,
JOHN L. POWELL,
Judges Orphans Court.

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Schr. T. B. Taylor, shells	219 91
Schr. Mary Victoria, shells	215 70
Schr. R. E. Powell, shells	182 40
White, Hearn & Cooper, adv. and pig.	31 05
Brewington Bros.	36 75
Peninsula Publishing Co., advertising	16 00
Dorman & Smith Hdw. Co., hardware	292 00
L. W. Gouby, hardware, etc.	91 05
W. M. Todd & Co., feed	61 17
Salisbury Lime & Coal Co., feed, coal	107 37
B. L. Ollie & Son, feed	4 00
Wm. F. Bounds, mason work	50 28
Name, cash advanced on horse	150 85
Breckhead & Shockey, livery	1 00
R. E. Powell & Co., bedding, etc.	52 35
Utman Sons, furniture for City Hall	25 25
Kennedy & Mitchell, police uniforms	224 90
H. Lee Walter & Co., dressmaker's	27 01
Grier Bros., fire hose and lantern	620 39
E. S. Adkins & Co., lumber	160 35
F. C. Todd & Co., bricks	128 00
Chas. J. Breckhead, interest on Grier	93 78
Engine notes 2 & 4, due Jan. 26, 1902	55 04
Chas. J. Breckhead, interest on engine	17 82
H. H. Carey, interest on engine	17 82
note 4 for 1 year, due June 10, 1902	490 70
Bearer of Engine House Bond No. 3,	147 00
due May 1, 1902	
Bearer of coupons E. H. Bonds 3 and 5	
Balt more, Ches. and Atlantic Ry. Co.,	
rent for water pipes to Jan. 1, 1902.	25 10
City Treasurer, to pay Water Rent:	
1 quarter, due April 1, 1902	121 15
2 quarter, due July 1, 1902	121 15
3 quarter, due October 1, 1902	117 93
4 quarter, due December 31, 1902	
Wicomico Falls Electric Light Co. p/y	
City Lighting for January, 1902	190 00
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" " " " December, 1902	188 98
Chas. R. Disher, salary as Mayor	1 00 00
L. A. Wood Bennett, salary as counsel	200 00
H. H. Parker, Tax Collector for 1902	200 00
W. A. Eadie, Clerk to Council	175 00
E. J. Parsons, City Treasurer	50 00
Thomas Ellis, Night Watchman	5 00
James Crounch, Night Watchman	5 00
Less by cash orders	70 10
James W. Kennerly, Street Com. \$25	220 00
E. M. Elliott, Chief Police	120 00
Less by cash orders, etc.	59 60
Daley M. Bell, what rent One Year	59 60
O. E. Serman, Chief Fire Dept.	91 00
Bal. due Treas. sub. to order	119 98
Total	\$857 81

The above Levy is the total amount of the taxes on the assessable property of the city, viz., \$857.81 for 1902, the rate on each \$100 special purposes and 5 cents on each \$100 special purposes—a total of 35 cents on each hundred dollars.

WILLIAM A. ENNIS,
Clerk to City Council.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Balance on hand as per last report	78 74
From Collector Parker, 1902	202 15
From Collector Parker, 1901	220 00
Street Bonds	25 00
Opera House License	16 00
Brewer connection	16 00
Treasurer Wicomico County	60 00
Sale of manure	5 00
Fines	5 00
Total	\$576 74
Out Improvements	\$209 29
City Hall and Fire Department	290 48
Advances on Police Salary	171 10
Police Uniforms	20 00
H. H. Parker, coll. 1901 overpaid	39 75
Refund on Taxes after levy 1901	17 00
Tax Collector's Bond	40 00
Election Expenses	8 10
Balance on hand	32 80
Total	\$576 72

ELIJAH J. PARSONS,
City Treasurer

WHITNEY-HAY WEDDING

Solemnized in Presence of a Most Brilliant Assemblage.

DIPLOMATIC CORPS ATTENDED

Ceremony Was Performed in the Church of the Covenant By Rev. Hamlin—President Toasted Bride

Magnificent Gifts For Young Couple

Washington, Feb. 6.—At the Church of the Covenant at noon today was celebrated the third cabinet wedding within five years, that of Helen daughter of Secretary of State John Hay, and Payne Whitney, second son of William C. Whitney, secretary of the navy during President Cleveland's administration. It was international in character, since the entire diplomatic corps had been invited, and almost to a unit attended.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Tunis Hamlin, assisted by the Rev. C. H. Hayden, rector of Stone Presbyterian Church, of Cleveland, which was built by the late Amasa Stone, the grandfather of Helen Hay. The bride's attendants were Miss Alice Hay and Miss Dorothy Whitney. The groom was attended by Eugene Hale, Jr., son of Senator Hale, of Maine.

The president of the United States toasted the bride at the wedding breakfast succeeding the marriage ceremony. A thousand invitations had been sent out, and the church on Connecticut avenue was packed with the most brilliant assemblage that has probably ever gathered there. The numerous presents received by the bride were on view at the residence of Secretary Hay. The room where they were arranged was ablaze with the light of diamonds and the flashes from silver and cut glass. After the wedding the presents were sent to New York, where they will be kept in a safe deposit vault until the return of the couple from their bridal trip in April.

Among the gifts received by Miss Hay were the following: Antique clock, three feet high, of old mahogany, curiously inlaid and beautiful in design; two vases of the same antique design and workmanship, the whole contained in a box of mahogany inlaid with lighter wood, from President and Mrs. Roosevelt. A diamond necklace, each stone of which he personally selected; from the pendant a pear-shaped opal two inches in length; also a painting by Sir Joshua Reynolds, from Payne Whitney, the bridegroom. A diamond tiara and a silver tea service of highly polished repousse work on a silver salver, from Secretary of State and Mrs. Hay. Brooch of diamond and rubies, 3 1/2 inches in diameter, to be worn as a corsage ornament, with a pendant of three solitaire diamonds, each nearly an inch in diameter; also a ruby ring, from William C. Whitney. A \$150,000 necklace, a mansion on Fifth avenue near his own, and a beautiful residence at Tuxedo, with spacious grounds; with this house he has presented a complete outfit of china and the greater portion of the furnishings, from Colonel Oliver Payne, uncle of the bridegroom. Emerald ring, set with diamonds, from Miss Dorothy Whitney. Diamond and ruby brooch in the shape of a large bee, from Mr. and Mrs. Almerie Paget. The silver gifts represent a fortune, and there was also a great amount of valuable bric-a-brac received.

Afraid of Dynamite Ship.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 6.—The Norwegian steamer Daggers, which stranded on Gull Shoals, N. C. last week, and was later towed to Norfolk, has been towed out of the harbor here by an order of the commissioners, instigated by a letter from the mayor. The vessel had 1,500 cases of dynamite in her hold, with railroad iron and coal. Her bottom is damaged, and merchants protested, on the ground that her presence damaged the city.

The Claverdale Floated.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 6.—The British steamship Claverdale, from China and Japan for New York, which went ashore on Brigantine Shoal during Saturday night's storm, was floated with the aid of several tugs yesterday. The Claverdale was apparently uninjured, and she proceeded to New York under her own steam.

Whole Family Dying of Small-pox.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 6.—During the last 24 hours the mother, son and daughter of the James Davis family died in the pest house at Plymouth. The father is low and another son is dying. All were taken from their home to the pest house a week ago. John Davis, another son, died last week.

Mother and Three Children Burned.

Waterloo, Ia., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Ed Kuehner and two children were burned to death in their home yesterday in a fire caused by the overturning of a lamp. One other child was fatally burned and three others seriously injured.

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ADMIRAL SCHLEY AT KNOXVILLE

Chamber of Commerce Presented Him With a Loving Cup.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 6.—The welcome extended Admiral and Mrs. Schley in Knoxville yesterday has never been exceeded in this city. It found a fitting climax last night in a banquet given by the chamber of commerce in honor of the admiral. During the first ceremonies of the banquet Mrs. Schley was the guest of prominent women at an elegant course dinner. As the toast were begun the ladies were escorted into the main dining room. Admiral Schley spoke of the "American Sailor." He paid a beautiful tribute to the man behind the gun. President W. B. Lockett, of the chamber of commerce, toasted "Our Guest," and in concluding presented the admiral with a beautiful loving cup from the chamber. During the day Past Commander S. B. Dow, of Tennessee Knight Templars, presented Admiral Schley with a handsome silver-headed hickory cane. The hickory was cut from the site of Admiral Farragut's birthplace and early home, 13 miles west of this city.

BRIGGS NAMED FOR TREASURER

New Jersey Contest Won By Present Official By One Vote.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 5.—The Republican joint legislative caucus yesterday afternoon decided on ex-Mayor Frank O. Briggs, of Trenton, to be supported in the joint meeting for state treasurer. Mr. Briggs received 32 votes to 31 for Senator Charles A. Reed, of Somerset county. It was not until the last vote was cast that the contest was decided. The roll stood 31 to 31, when Assemblyman Wright, of Burlington, the last man to be called, announced himself for Mr. Briggs. The nomination was made unanimous. There was but one ballot. Mr. Briggs is assistant treasurer of the John A. Roebing Sons Company and a bank director and is a graduate of West Point.

No time has yet been fixed for the joint meeting of the legislature, when Mr. Briggs will be elected state treasurer. The election will be for a full term of three years. The position pays \$5,000 a year.

BILL TO ANNEX CUBA

To Be Admitted to the Union As a Territory and Later As a State.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Representative Newlands, of Nevada, of the ways and means committee, who was the author of the resolution annexing Hawaii, yesterday introduced a joint resolution inviting the Republic of Cuba to become a part of the United States, first as a territory, and then as a state of the Union, to be called the state of Cuba; also authorizing a 25 per cent. reduction of duty on the present crop of Cuban sugar, in consideration of Cuba's granting preferential rates to the United States. The resolution confines the 25 per cent. reduction of duties to the period prior to January 1, 1903.

Boer Delegates Thanked Holland.

The Hague, Feb. 6.—As an outcome of conferences held here, the Boer delegates have issued a circular thanking the Dutch government for its efforts toward bringing about peace in South Africa, and denying the British statement that they have had no instructions from South Africa since March, 1900. The delegates declare that the reply of Great Britain to the Dutch note proves that the only object of the former country is the extermination of the Boer nation.

Jeffries Will Fight Fitz.

New York, Feb. 6.—Champion Jim Jeffries and Bob Fitzsimmons will meet after all. Jeffries announced yesterday afternoon that he would make such inducements to the Cornishman which he was positive the latter would accept. Jeffries received a telegram from Billy Delaney, his manager and trainer, advising him to accept Kennedy's proposition, which is one-third to each man and one-third to the club.

Miss Roosevelt Mr. Reid's Guest.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Mr. Whitelaw Reid has invited Miss Alice Roosevelt, eldest daughter of the president, to accompany him to London as his guest when he goes to attend the coronation of King Edward. It is the present expectation of Miss Roosevelt to avail herself of this opportunity to spy London, but if she does so she will have no status save that simply of a young American girl, and will not figure in the coronation ceremonies in any manner.

Dairymen Favor Oleo Bill.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 6.—A meeting of the Five-State Milk Producers' Association, composed of dairymen from the states of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Massachusetts, yesterday adopted a resolution favoring the Groat oleomargarine bill now before congress and demanding its passage in the form in which it was reported.

Gas Renders Many Unconscious.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 5.—The main supplying the town of Plymouth with gas burst Tuesday night, and the escaping gas found its way through the cellars into about a score of houses on Jeannette street. Many families residing on the street were rendered unconscious by the gas, and the timely arrival of a number of physicians saved the lives of not a few.

Negotiators Had Close Call.

London, Feb. 5.—A Sofia dispatch says that during the negotiations with the brigands for the release of Miss Stone, the captive missionary, the house in which the American party was lodged burned down, but that the inmates escaped with the money to be paid as ransom.

Relief Clerk's File.

Here are some orders recently received by druggists:

This child is my little girl. I send you five cents to buy two little powder for a grown up adult who is sick.

Dear Doctor, please give five more of Auntie Toin's for my little baby's throat and oblige.

You will please give the little boy five cents worth of opococ for to throw up in a five month's old babe. N. B.—The babe has a sore stummick.

I have a cute pain in my child's diagram. Please give my son something to release it.

My little baby has eaten up its father's parish plasters. Send an antedote quick as possible by the enclosed girl.

I had a hot time in my insides and which I would like it to be extinguish. What is good for too extinguish it?

The enclosed money is for the price of the extinguisher. Hurry please.

F. E. B.

We heard a man say the other morning that the abbreviation for February, Feb., means Freeze everybody, and that looked frozen in his ulster. It was apparent that he needed the kind of warmth that stays, the warmth that reaches from head to foot, all over the body. We could have told him from personal knowledge that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives the permanent warmth, it invigorates the blood and speeds it along through artery and vein, and really fits men and women, boys and girls, to enjoy cold weather and resist the attacks of disease. It gives the right kind of warmth, stimulates and strengthens at the same time, and all its benefits are lasting. There may be a suggestion in this for you.

The Garrett County Telephone Company's line has been extended from Hoves, via Elder Hill, to Friendsville, and another extension is being made from Deer Park to the Fundenberg and De Witt farms, on the north, and to the clubhouse east of Deer Park.

Saved Him From Torture.

There is no more agonizing trouble than piles. The constant itching and burning makes life intolerable. No position is comfortable. The torture is unceasing. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles at once. For skin diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unequalled. J. S. Giral, St. Paul, Ark., says: "From 1895 I suffered with the protruding, bleeding piles and could find nothing to help me until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeits.

Prof. A. Riggs Brown, in charge of the manual training department at the Rockville High School, has resigned to accept a similar position with the high school at Chestertown, Md.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best and most famous compound in the world to conquer aches and kill pains. Cures Cuts, burns, Bruises, subdues inflammation, masters Piles. Millions of Boxes sold yearly. Works wonders in Boils, Ulcers, Felons, Skin Eruptions. It cures or no pay. 25c. at all drug stores.

Mr. Garnet Savage, chief engineer of the Washington, Westminister and Gettysburg Railroad, has all the surveys completed, and it is expected building will begin in the spring.

Millions Put To Work.

The wonderful activity of the new century is shown by an enormous demand for the world's best workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. For Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, or any trouble of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys they're unrivaled. Only 25c. at all drug stores.

Cap. A. Algren Sartoris, of Washington, donated to the Boonshoro Republican Library a handsome bust and portrait of General Grant and copies of the lives of Generals Grant and Scott.

Favorite Nearly Everywhere.

Constipation means dulness, depression, headache, generally disordered health. Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers stimulate the liver, open the bowels and relieve this condition. Safe, speedy and thorough. They never gripe. Favorite pills.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also a convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What To Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail, address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.



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drink pure whiskey, and to make sure it is pure drink the kind that has the Blue Bird label on the bottle.

Blue Bird Rye Whiskey is pure, old, mellow and delightful.

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It comes only in half pint and pint flasks.

Try it and you will be delighted with it.

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It is some comfort to feel that you are properly insured. This security is obtained at a trifling outlay.

Fire Insurance

rates are not high and when considered in connection with the great benefits conferred are very low. No man of property should neglect to have it fully covered.

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Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It prevents formation of gas on the stomach, relieving all distress after eating. Dieting unnecessary. Pleasant to take. It can't help but do you good.

Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 51 bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 10c. size.

TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE CHEAP.

I will sell on reasonable terms my eight-room dwelling on High street, where I now reside. This is situated in a very desirable part of Salisbury. Also

My Store and Stock of Goods

situated at the corner of Division and Church streets. For further particulars apply to T. E. ADKINS, Salisbury, Md.

JERSEYS.

St. Lambert and Combination. For Sale—5 Cows, 7 Hifers, 16 Bulls. S. E. NIVIN, Landenberg, Pa.

GEO. C. HILL, Furnishing Undertaker



EMBALMING

Will Receive Prompt Attention

Burial Robes and State Grave

Vaults kept in Stock.

Dock St., Salisbury, Md.

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Best on the Market for the Money.

Iron and Brass Castings, etc.

Repair Work a Specialty.

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A man in attendance to groom you after the bath.

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A POOR RECOMMENDATION.

The Seaford News says: "About as poor a recommendation as a man can have is the simple fact that he is a good democrat or a good republican. The people are demanding more and more each election that the candidate they support for office be a good man. It is right and proper to be loyal to your party; we have little respect for a man who does not stand by his principles, but party loyalty alone is not enough to satisfy the voter of the present day. People are thinking and acting more independently all the time."

—Of the interesting correspondence that is daily received at the State Department, a letter received from U. S. Minister Allen at Seoul, Korea, is worthy of comment. He has made a touching appeal for a respectable legation building at the Korean capital, saying that the rooms in the present structure are only about six feet high, and as he is six feet two inches, and wears a tall hat, this is rather hard on the hat as well as on the American prestige. It was suggested at the Department that he might be instructed to take his hat off in the house.

—Senator Bacon of Georgia recently offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Printing to consider the advisability of issuing the "Congressional Record" to the general public at the rate of two dollars for the long session and one dollar for the short. At present the rate is \$1.50 a month or \$8.00 for the long session, payable in advance. This is a practically prohibitory rate, and more than is charged by any newspaper in the United States.

—The bicycle manufacturers in this country are confronted with the serious problem of reviving interest in wheeling in order that the industry may be kept alive until the motor vehicle can be furnished on a popular basis.

—Senator Bacon's plans for popularizing the Congressional Record may increase its circulation. It also needs a decrease in the present surplus of contributors, who take advantage of the "leave to print" privilege.

—An instructive generalization made from the dry statistics of the Census Office shows that during the past decade the growth in the North was in the cities; in the South in the towns and country, and in the West fairly even everywhere.

—When a poor man tells you that wealth is not an enviable prize there is always a suspicion that he might think otherwise if he were rich. But when Andrew Carnegie says the same thing one is more apt to accept it as the truth. He says "The test of wealth is not what it does for the owner, but what it enables the owner to do for others." Further, he says that a good managing wife is the best capital a man can have, and there is nothing else that helps to success and happiness more than a wife of that kind. He urges everyone to lay by something for the future either in the savings bank, or, better yet, in the form of a home.

—A queer raid was made in Minneapolis the other day. The health officers made a descent on the chamber of commerce, locked the brokers in and vaccinated all of them, nearly three hundred.

—The St. Louis exposition managers announce that the fair will be opened in May, 1902, whether it is ready or not. It was just that action that had most to do with the large deficit that confronted the stock holders at the close of the Pan-American exposition. Those who visited the fair at first returned with stories of its unreelness, and that deterred many who would otherwise have been visitors.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Suggestions to Improve the System of Free Education in the State.

Last Wednesday many School Commissioners and Examiners of the counties met at Annapolis to appear before the Education committees of the legislature.

The State Superintendent of Education, several members of the State Board of Education, and Mr. Prettyman, secretary of the board and principal of the Normal School, were included in the gathering.

This gathering was in response to a call made at a meeting of the school commissioners and examiners in Baltimore last December. The notice, sent by Superintendent Stephens, was addressed to school officials, and the object stated was to consider school legislation. It was agreed to recommend the following laws:

First—To increase the amount paid the counties for manual training schools and to give the State Superintendent authority to examine into the application of the money and to withhold appropriations when the money is not being used for the purposes specified. The present appropriation is \$2,500 to a county—16 counties receiving it—but it is said that in some of them the money goes into the general school fund.

Second—A bill giving authority to consolidate schools and to carry children in trolley cars or wagons where it would be cheaper than to sustain separate schools. This is done in one case in Washington county, where the School Board pays the cost of carrying a number of children to school on a trolley road.

Third—The Moore bill providing half pay for retired teachers was approved. It was the sense of the meeting, however, that it would be better to specify the sum to be paid—\$30 a month for nine months a year being suggested.

Fourth—To have the schools supported entirely by the State without the aid of local taxation; to have the school year uniform in all the counties; to pay a minimum salary to teachers, the amount suggested being about \$350; to distribute the school fund according to the enrollment of population without regard to color, (under the present law the colored school population counts twice in the distribution); to make the State Superintendent a member of the State Board of Education.

Fifth—Teachers not to be dismissed by the trustees except after charges preferred, and an appeal to lie to the School Board. Graduates of normal schools of other States satisfactory to the State Board to be received as teachers, provided Maryland Normal School graduates are received upon the same terms in the States they come from.

Sixth—A compulsory education law was discussed, but it was regarded as impracticable just now.

Seventh—A bill providing for a commission to examine into the condition of the public schools. This bill has been prepared and will shortly be introduced. It is designed to carry out a pledge in the Democratic platform upon which this Legislature was elected. This platform recommended the appointment of a commission of citizens from those personally interested in the public schools to examine their condition and to recommend amendments to the existing law wherever found necessary. This plank of the platform was suggested, a leading State official said, by the general belief that the School Board of Baltimore City was not in touch with the people.

After the meeting of the school officials a committee of them waited on the Governor and asked him to have the commission composed of five members, himself being the chairman, and the other four to be well acquainted with the schools. This the Governor will do.

The Legislature was asked to appropriate \$1,000 a year for the expenses of the State Superintendent.

Death of John Smith.

John H. Smith died at his home at Sharptown on Friday morning, January 31st, 1902, at the age of seventy three years. He came to this county in the year 1837, from Dorchester, his native county. He entered the mercantile business when he came to Sharptown, and for many years did a large and prosperous business. Some years ago he retired from his business until four years ago he reopened business, and continued until last September, when failing health made it necessary to abandon it. Since then he has been living a quiet life.

Politically he was a democrat and was postmaster of Sharptown during Cleveland's first administration, and was a Justice of the Peace for several years. His experience in business and in legal matters made him a good counselor and his advice was often sought. He was very cautious in matters of business and was generally successful in his speculations.

He was twice married. His first wife was Mrs. Jane Kennerly of Dorchester County who died in 1874. His second wife was Miss Ellen Wright, daughter of Clement M. Wright, near Mardela. She survives him. He also leaves three children, Ethel, the wife of Capt. Oscar J. Smith, John and Mattie, who are home and about grown. He also leaves three brothers, Joseph M. Smith of Sharptown, and Benjamin and Charles of Caroline county.

He was for several years a member of the M. E. Church and at the time of his death was president of the board of trustees. He was a kind father, a true devoted husband and a faithful friend. He was a man of strong business integrity and was accurate and pains taking in the details of his transactions. He was identified with the business interests of Sharptown for more than thirty years, and as a business man he retained activity that was surprising for a man of his physical infirmity. While he had been feeble for several years he was able to be up and out until Monday prior to his death on Friday.

On Sunday morning last his remains were interred in the Taylor Cemetery, at Sharptown, after funeral services at his late residence by his pastor Rev. E. H. Miller, assisted by Rev. A. W. Mathew of the M. F. Church. A large number of friends and relatives were present at the burial, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. C.

—Annual Remnant sale at Powell's begins today.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Some of the Legislation of a Week at Annapolis.

Chairman John P. Moore, of the democrat caucus, has appointed the following steering committee: House—John G. Rogers of Howard, Peter J. Campbell, W. Trickett Giles, Robert W. Walls, C. Lyon Rogers of Baltimore county. Senate—Spencer G. Jones, Marion V. Brewington, Thomas H. Robinson.

Chairman Broening, of the city delegation, introduced in the House four bills prepared by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. They are:

First—To prevent the docking of the tails of horses.
Second—To prevent the shooting of pigeons released from traps.
Third—To increase the penalties for persons assisting in or treating animals with cruelty.
Fourth—To allow the swearing out of search warrants to search premises where cruelty to animals is suspected. All four of the bills were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The bill empowering the Queen Anne's Railroad Company to extend its line to Salisbury, Snow Hill and the Virginia line was sent back to the committee in the Senate. The object of this action was to incorporate several amendments with the bill. Among those desired is one requiring work to begin within five years. The bill exempts the road from local taxation. It is desired to provide for the forfeiture of this exemption in case the company should sell to any other company.

Delegate White has introduced a bill providing that non-resident hunters in Wicomico county shall pay a license fee for the privilege of taking Wicomico game.

The committee on elections made an unfavorable report in the contested seats of the Somerset delegation, and the case was dismissed. The committee's report was as follows:

Your committee of elections beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the petitions and evidence submitted by William Jackson Shores and Luther Thomas Miles, contesting the election of Abraham Lincoln Dryden and Joseph Muir, all of Somerset county.

The committee finds no evidence suggesting any fraud or wrongdoing on the part of any of the officers of election in said county, and the committee considers the evidence submitted as to any errors of judgment on the part of said officers is too indefinite and insufficient to justify a review of the judgment of these officers on the part of the committee by a recount of the ballots in said county.

Your committee respectfully recommends that the petitions of the contestants in the above entitled cases be dismissed and the contestants be declared duly elected members of the House of Delegates.

The contested cases have all now been dismissed, no members returned elected have been seated. Dr. Hering, the comptroller, and Mr. Farran, the clerk of the Court of Appeals, will retain their respective positions.

KICK A DOG

Kick a dog and he bites you
It bites you and you kick him
The more you kick the more he bites and the more he bites the more you kick. Each makes the other worse.

A thin body makes thin blood. Thin blood makes a thin body. Each makes the other worse. If there is going to be a change the help must come from outside.

Scott's Emulsion is the right help. It breaks up such a combination. First it sets the stomach right. Then it enriches the blood. That strengthens the body and it begins to grow new flesh.

A strong body makes rich blood and rich blood makes a strong body. Each makes the other better. This is the way Scott's Emulsion puts the thin body on its feet. Now it can get along by itself. No need

of medicine.
This picture represents the Trade Mark of Scott's Emulsion and is on the wrapper of every bottle.
Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE,
409 Pearl St., New York.
50c. and \$1. all druggists.

Dr. Bull's
Cures all Throat and Lung Affections.
COUGH SYRUP
Get the genuine. Refuse substitutes.
Salvation Oil cures Rheumatism. 15 & 25 cts.

Itching Skin

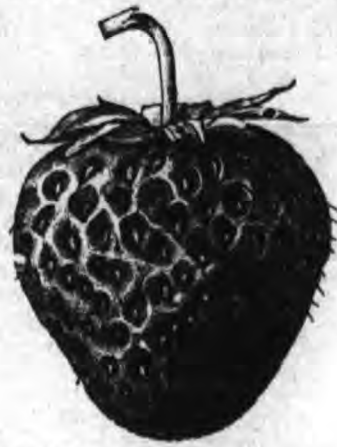
Distress by day and night—
That's the complaint of those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with Eczema or Salt Rheum—and outward applications do not cure. They can't.

The source of the trouble is in the blood—make that pure and this scaling, burning, itching skin disease will disappear.

"I was taken with an itching on my arms which proved very disagreeable. I concluded it was salt rheum and bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. In two days after I began taking it I felt better and it was not long before I was cured. Have never had any skin disease since." Mrs. Ida E. Ward, Cove Point, Md.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills
rid the blood of all impurities and cure all eruptions.

Tilghman's Favorite STRAWBERRY PLANTS.



The best Strawberry on the market. During 1901 these berries sold in the cities for several cents per quart more than any berry shipped. Catalogue giving full particulars free. Call on or write to

Geo. Tilghman,
SALISBURY, MARYLAND.



THE WALKING WHICH CAN BE DONE

on shoes from our stock is remarkable. Almost no wearout to the leather. But there's nothing clumsy about these Shoes. Just as stylish in appearance and almost as light as summer shoes. Not any higher in price either.

Our Men's \$3.00 Shoes are a marvel of comfort, strength and durability. It is the best shoe sold at the price.

R. Lee Waller & Co.
MAIN ST., SALISBURY.

Mortgagee's Sale
OF A VALUABLE
House and Lot
IN SALISBURY, MD.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Elias T. Austin and Viola M. Austin, his wife, to Jay Williams, dated July 1st, 1901 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. T. No. 81 folio 228, default having been made in the covenants in said mortgage, whereby the whole mortgage debt has become due, I will offer at public auction in front of the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, on

SATURDAY,
March 1st, 1902,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that piece or parcel of land situated and lying in Parsons District, Wicomico County, Maryland, on the North side of and binding upon Baltimore Street near the depot of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, in the Town of Salisbury and having a front on said Baltimore Street of fifty feet, extending back in a uniform width to Hill Street, having a depth of eighty-three feet, being lot No. 4, as described on a plat of survey as made by Peter S. Shockley, September 26th, 1899, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. T. No. 29 folio 109 being the same property which was conveyed to the said Viola M. Austin from Thomas H. Mitchell and others by deed dated May 9th, 1901. This property is improved by a good, new two story dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE:
\$100 cash on day of sale, the balance to be paid in two equal installments of one and two years from day of sale, purchaser giving bond with security, to be approved by the undersigned, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser.
JAY WILLIAMS,
Atty. named in said Mortgage.

THE season is drawing to a close. We still have a few very desirable and stylish patterns left of overcoats, suitings, and trousers which we invite the public to inspect. These goods must be sold as we do not carry any patterns over until next season.

CHAS. BETHKE, - - **Merchant Tailor.**

Hats. Hats. Hats.
All Shapes, Colors and Kinds.

If you don't believe we mean what we say, why just stop at 209 Main St. when in town and look our stock over. Don't ask you to buy, only want to show you a beautiful line of Hats.

Come and You will Come Again.
Money back for faulty fit or broken promises. Are you particular? If so, come to us.

L. P. Coulbourn,
209 Main St., SALISBURY, MD.

NERVE, ENERGY AND EYE-GLASSES

A constant dripping wears away a stone. A slight eyestrain injures the health because it is constant. The strain which just manifests itself as a slight discomfort should be remedied at once. This we guarantee to do with glasses.

Delays are dangerous, best fitted at once by
Harold N. Fitch, Optical Graduate, 129 Main St., Salisbury, Md.
Next to White & Leonard's Drug Store

IS IT FLOUR YOU WANT?

If so you want the BEST. By offering any other you not only trifle with your own trade but you insult your customer. Our flours are fast becoming the most popular flours on the market. When once introduced it will prove a lightning seller. If you have not already sold it, sit down at once and order a sample shipment of the

BEST FLOUR
made. It will pay you.

B. L. Gillis & Son,
SALISBURY, MD.

The Forest Cinderella Air Tight Stoves

CAST IRON TOP AND BOTTOM....
NICKLE URN and NICKLE FOOT RAIL.
We have them in 4 sizes:

No. 18, \$7.00
No. 21, 7.50
No. 23, 8.00
No. 25, 9.00

These are by far the best and cheapest stove of its kind we have ever offered.

Dorman & Smyth Hdw. Co.
SALISBURY, MD.

Local Department.

News is the truth concerning men, nations and things. That is, truth concerning them which is helpful, or pleasant, or useful, or necessary for a reader to know.

—Miss Godwin of Reisterstown is visiting Mrs. R. P. Graham.

—Miss Carroll of Baltimore is visiting Miss Graham.

—Postmaster E. S. Adkins has the whooping cough.

—Unless a letter has a stamp on it it remains stationary.

—Miss Mabel Drummond of Salisbury is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

—Miss McBride is the guest of Mrs. E. Stanley Towdrin, Newton Street.

—With all Wicomico's conceded patriotism, it invariably goes to Holland for justice.—Somerset Journal.

—Mr. John V. Carey of Philadelphia visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer Carey, in this county, last week.

—Mr. A. J. Horsey slipped on the porch of his residence in Laurel last Tuesday and fractured one arm.

—Wednesday of this week was said to be the coldest day we have had this winter.

—Miss Fannie Freney of Delmar is a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. S. Brewington.

—Miss Mary Gullett of Greenwood, Del., returned to her home this week after a three week's visit to her brother, W. C. Gullett of this city.

—Miss Daisy M. Bell was present last Friday night at the Delmar hop. She was a guest of Mrs. L. B. Ker while in Delmar.

—The members of the Salisbury Golf Club are requested to meet at the Peninsula Hotel to night (Saturday) at 8 o'clock.

—FOUND. On Division Street, on Monday afternoon, a black silk ruff. Owner can recover it by calling at 701 Division Street.

—The pastor, Rev. J. S. Bozman, will preach at Parker's chapel tomorrow Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Also at Riverside at 7.30 in the evening.

—If Schwab's idea of the college man is correct, Carnegie and Rockefeller are wasting lots of money.—Somerset Journal.

—Lake Humphreys has afforded excellent skating during the past week, and the skaters of town have thoroughly enjoyed it.

—Charles Mitchell of Quantico and a minor of Edward Trader deceased have been granted a pension of \$10 each by the pension department.

—Mr. C. J. Birkhead, who has been confined to his home during the past week, by illness, has gone to the Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment.

—Secretary Bounds of the Wicomico School Board was among the county school officials who waited upon the legislature last Wednesday in the interest of the public schools of the State.

—In the February issue of the Pathfinder, the official organ of the Improved Order Red Men, appears Dr. J. C. Littleton's poem, "The Eastern Shore."

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Anne F. Carter and Mr. Ernest T. Lucas at Asbury M. E. Church Wednesday evening, February 26th at eight o'clock.

—Mr. L. W. Bounds whose legs were cut off some weeks ago at Princess Anne, has sufficiently recovered at the Peninsula General Hospital to be removed to his home in Delmar.

—The best play of the season will be at the Uman Grand Opera House Friday night, February 14th. Prices 35, 50 and 75. Tickets will be on sale at box office. Don't fail to see it.

—Rich men spend their surplus on hobbies. It seems to be the idea of the republicans that this government should spend its surplus on islands.—Catonsville Argus.

—Free eye examination by a specialist from the Sayre Optical Co., Baltimore, Md., at E. K. Truitt and Sons' Drug Store, Thursday and Friday, February 13th and 14th.

—Mr. Thomas Perry, who is at Walters Park, Pa., for treatment for an aggravated case of stomach trouble, states that he feels improved and will remain till about the middle of the present month.

—Mr. William Fulton, brother of Mr. E. C. Fulton, of this city, has recently been promoted to the position of ticket agent and operator at Market street station, Wilmington, for the B. & O. railroad.

—Miss Nettie O. Crane will become choir-master and organist of Memorial Protestant Episcopal Church, Baltimore. Rev. Dr. William M. Dame, rector March 1. Miss Crane is well known to many Salisbury people.

—A lecture, "A Trip To Porto Rico" by Prof. G. Clinton Hanna, and solos and readings by Mrs. Hanna will be given Monday evening, February 10th, at the Court House, beginning at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 and 15 cents, proceeds for High School library.

—A remarkable thing occurred Saturday night. In Easton about 10 o'clock it was thundering and lightning, and the sleighbells were jingling. To have a thunder storm the last day of January and fine sleigh riding the same time is most unusual, if not unprecedented.—Easton Ledger.

—Mr. O. J. Schneck, proprietor of the Peninsula Hotel was confined to his room a few days this week, under the care of Drs. Slemmons & Morris. He contracted a cold while attending the funeral of a friend in Allentown, Pa., recently, which was troublesome and hard to conquer.

—Besides the Temperance meeting in the M. P. Church on Sunday evening to be addressed by Rev. S. E. Nicholson, the pastor Rev. S. J. Smith will preach at 11 a. m. a sermon on "Woman's Achievements," and the post passed twenty first Anniversary of Christian Endeavor will be held at 8.30 p. m. This will be a meeting of much interest and all are cordially invited. Service in lecture room.

—The Methodist Protestant Church of Delmar has put electric lights in the church. The current was turned on last Sunday night for the first time. The new church hymnal was also used last Sunday and everyone seems to be pleased with the book.

—How many people have noticed that no portrait of a man has ever appeared on a United States coin or the picture of a woman on the postage stamps. An observing editor remarks on these facts that they constitute the reason why we lick the stamps and squeeze the coin.—Georgetown Democrat.

—The cold weather of the past week has greatly hindered navigation on the bay and rivers. The steamer Tivoli was unable to make all her regular trips. The steamer Cambridge on the Claiborne route had the same experience and several passengers from Salisbury last Monday had to return after reaching Claiborne.

—The handsome residence of Mr. L. L. Dirickson, Jr., of Berlin narrowly escaped being destroyed by fire last Wednesday morning. The fire originated while a colored man was thawing out some steam pipes running up from the cellar. By hard fighting the fire was extinguished before very much damage had been done to the building.

—Mr. R. Wayne Wroten of this city, who has been attending Strayer's Business College of Baltimore, for several months, has accepted a position as stenographer and typewriter with the Southern Railway Co., recently made vacant by Mr. Maurice Ellingsworth, formerly of Salisbury, who resigned to accept a like position with the Merchants and Miners Transportation Co.

—In writing of Mr. T. F. J. Rider's official visits to the Heptastroph Conclaves on the Peninsula in last week's issue, we said "On the 1st of January, 1903, there was a surplus in the Treasury of \$102,000, with all liabilities paid to November 25th, 1901. This surplus is a guaranty fund against any more than 12 assessments a month." What we should have said instead of "12 assessments a month" was "12 assessments per year."

—An American sojourner in the Philippines says in a recent letter to friends at home: "I want to go home. I want some washing done. To show you how bad, I send you under separate cover a handkerchief and collar just back from the laundry. Take the handkerchief out and bury it and save the collar as a souvenir. They don't pretend to get the dirt out of your clothes here. They take them down to the river, hard water and partly salt, scouse them in, take them out, lay them on boards, and with stones bat them full of holes and pound the buttons off. Then they smooth them out with a plank."

—The death of Mr. James Alman in Washington city recently, recalls the fact that he once refused a bribe of \$100,000 to poison the milk to be served to President Lincoln. Mr. Alman was 73 years of age when he died, and he guarded carefully the fact that he was ever connected even remotely in any way with the death of President Lincoln.

—Very few persons knew the story of the offer made to him and when he was asked about it some time before his death he expressed great surprise that it was known, as he thought only a few intimate friends knew the circumstances beside himself.

—Aiden B. Benedict's "Fabio Romani" which will be presented at the Uman's Grand Opera House Friday night, February 14th, lays just claim to being the longest lived and most popular melodrama ever presented upon any stage.

—For the past two years it has been presented continuously under Mr. Benedict's management and during its ninth, tenth and eleventh seasons it played to more money than in the entire eight seasons preceding them.

—Manager Benedict not only feels proud of his record, but is also proud of his famous play which has earned for him an independent fortune; for this, the twelfth season, he promises his patrons the best production he has ever given of this remarkable play.

—Walter Lawrence who originally created the part of Fabio will again be seen in the title role and Miss Martha Beaufort who has been featured as Nina for the past five years will again be seen in her artistic rendition of that character.

—As an additional feature for this season Mr. Benedict has Miss Ollie Cooke who will appear in her celebrated Serpentine, Fire and Stereopticon dances.

—Capt. Holland's Experience.

Captain Wm. S. Holland, a brother of Judge Holland of this city whose death at his home in Lewes, Del., was briefly mentioned in last week's ADVERTISER, had a very exciting career.

He began the life of a sailor at 17 years, and many of his experiences were of the most thrilling character.

He was one of Philadelphia's oldest shipmasters. He retired from the sea in 1892 after a voyage from Santos, Brazil, in which his entire ship's company had died of yellow fever. He himself was ill of the fever.

Capt. Holland, at the time was in command of the old Philadelphia brig Odorilla, owned by Henry D. May. In 1892 while in command of this vessel, he collected in demurrage for detention at Santos, during the yellow fever epidemic, a sum equal to almost twice the value of the vessel.

When the Odorilla arrived at Santos there were so many vessels ahead of her that she was unable to reach her discharging berth, and for 843 days she lay at that pest ridden place, awaiting an opportunity to dispose of her cargo.

During this time the death rate daily averaged 810. One by one he saw the members of his crew succumb to the fever.

When ready to leave Santos Capt. Holland experienced great difficulty in securing a crew, and was compelled to pay a bounty to the boarding house keepers for each man shipped.

While in Santos the American consul died, and Capt. Holland assumed his functions and protected American interests until his successor was named.

Silently Assented.

The Nervous Pedestrian ran plump into a Stolid Individual standing in front of a Clothing Store.

"You Dummy!" he shouted.

The Stolid Individual ignored the Accusation. A Second Glance showed the Nervous Pedestrian that he was Right.—Los Angeles (Cal.) Herald.

Improvements to Bank Building.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Salisbury National Bank, held December 29th, it was decided to enlarge the Bank building, and it is proposed to begin the work just as soon as the weather will permit. The business of the bank has increased so that these steps have become a matter of necessity.

The building will be extended in the rear about fifteen feet, and the vault taken down and carried back in the direction of the addition nine feet. The space then gained by the removal of the vault will enlarge the cash room, giving the officers of the bank the much needed space. There will also be a second story added over the entire building, and a handsome stairway will lead from the cashier's room to the directors room in the second story.

The principal features in the architecture of the present building will be preserved.

Mr. Thomas H. Mitchell is engaged in drawing the plans.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Mitchell*

The Big Clearing Sale Opens Today.

One-third to One-half Off the Regular Prices.

The entire force of the Birkhead & Shockley store have been working hard since the first day of January taking stock, getting out odd lots, heavy goods and remnants of all kinds, styles in dress goods not to be reordered, in fact all goods of such character in every department will be closed out at one-half the regular price.

The center attraction this week will be our remnant counter of Dress Goods at one-third to one-half the regular price.

30 dozen Hose, 15 cent grade, sizes 6 to 9 at 10 cents per pair.

Embroideries, White Goods and Table Linens at a great saving.

Special values in sheets and Sheetings.

Bargains in Comforts and bed Blankets.

We will continue to go through our stock and mark down prices. All goods are marked in plain figures, so your money buys as much as your neighbors, providing your trade at the Birkhead & Shockley store.

Birkhead & Shockley
SALISBURY, MD.
WEAR American Lady CORSETS

Its a Hot Time

Lacy Thoroughgood will have Saturday. Now don't get excited, Thoroughgood's store will be open until a late hour Saturday night or just as late as Thoroughgood can sell a few Suits of Clothes or pairs of Pants. A big Clearing Sale of Clothing—Stylish Made and Perfect Fitting Suits in sizes 34 to 44. You can't afford to miss this bargain opportunity.

The Suits come in Fancy Cheviots, and Cassimeres and all kinds of Worsteds, are beautifully tailored and finished, and perfect in fit and style. You can buy suits anywhere for \$6.66, but not Suits that have been selling for \$10 \$12 and \$15. Lacy Thoroughgood urges you to take advantage of so exceptional a chance. Think of it! \$10, \$12 and \$15 Suits selling for \$6.66. Yes, if you come, and come soon, you can buy for \$6.66 a Suit worth \$10, \$12 and \$15 for \$6.66. It's just like giving you a Suit of Clothes, \$6.66 for a Suit worth \$10, \$12 and \$15—think of it! I am going to do it. Of course the Suits cost me more than \$6.66, but my loss is your gain. Come and see—every Suit will have a red tag ticket attached to it, and marked \$6.66.

I Rise To Explain

That I still send laundry to Baltimore every Tuesday evening and get it back every Saturday. I represent the Elite Laundry which is the largest steam laundry in Maryland and no doubt the best one.

Lacy Thoroughgood
SALISBURY, MD.
THE FAIR DEALING CLOTHIER

Generously Good
THE
EL MARDO
5c. Cigar

PAUL E. WATSON,
Manufacturer.

NEW HARNESS
FOR YOUR OLD.

Have you an old set of Harness you want to exchange for a brand new one? Come to me with it.

REPAIRING - A - SPECIALTY.

SMITH & CO.,
No. 107 Dock St. (Uman Building),
SALISBURY, MD.

LOWENTHAL'S
Great Sale of Remnants

still going on, an entire new lot. Our sale has been so successful that we bought another lot of mill ends.

The goods are of the finest weaves and the quantity will not last long, so come early to secure bargains.

Look at our 40 in. India Linen, 10 and 12c.

Look at our 36 in. Gingham, 10c.

Look at our Gingham at 8 and 10c.

Look at our P. K. at 8c.

Look at our Plaid Muslin at 5c.

Look at our Muslin at 5c.

Look at our Laces at 5c.

Look at our Large Pearl Buttons, 10c doz.

Look at our Pearl Buttons at 6c doz.

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THE UP-TO-DATE MERCHANT OF SALISBURY.

A SPECIAL OFFER

\$3.00 photos \$1.49. If you want cheap and good work call at once.

E. R. W. HAYMAN,

MAIN STREET, SALISBURY, MD.

Our Remnant
Sale

Begins Saturday, Feb. 8th.

We have gone through our entire stock and have selected all the remnants in the different lines and now offer them at great bargain prices. We have in the lot

REMNANTS, Woolen Dress Goods,	REMNANTS, Silk.
" Linings,	" Long Cloth,
" White Goods,	" Hamburg,
" Table Linen,	" Gingham.

We also offer a lot of odds and ends in Men's, Ladies' and Children's hosiery at the following bargain prices:

Hose that were 25c. we offer for 17c.

Hose that were 20c. we offer for 14c.

Hose that were 15c. we offer for 10c.

Hose that were 10c. we offer for 8c.

The above goods are not seconds or mill ends but are perfect goods, remnants of our own stock. They must be sold to make room for spring stock.

R. E. Powell & Co.,

SALISBURY, MD.

BALTIMORE, CHESAPEAKE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Steamer connections between Pier 4 Light St. Wharf, Baltimore, and the railway division at Choptank.

RAILWAY DIVISION.

Table in effect at 100 a. m. Monday, September 16, 1901.

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Royal Oak	10:10	8:00	9:48
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Bits Of Maryland News.

The pink eye epidemic has made its appearance in the schools of Downsville.

A trestle 200 feet long has been erected along the Western Maryland Railroad at Leister's Coal yards, Hagerstown.

The Annapolis shirt factory, which closed its doors last week, has been sold to C. A. Friend.

Hagerstown, Md., is manufacturing reed organs in large numbers for New Zealand and Australia.

Lieut. H. H. Hough has gone to Norfolk, Va., to bring to Annapolis the torpedo boats, Gwynn and Masley.

Judge Stake is building three dwellings in East Franklin street, Hagerstown.

It is contemplated to build a system of waterworks for Williamsport by private parties.

The stockholders of the Hyattsville Broom Manufacturing Company elected W. P. Magruder president.

Williamsport, Md., will ask authority to issue \$5,000 in bonds to construct an additional electric lighting plant.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Updegraff, of Hagerstown, have gone to San Juan, Porto Rico, to reside, sailing from New York.

The Montgomery County Agricultural Society proposes to invest \$8,000 in enlarging the track of the Rockville Fair Grounds.

A number of Frostburg men have gone to Annapolis to oppose the proposed amendment to the town charter imposing an annual saloon tax of \$300.

Capt. J. C. Byrnes, of the United States regular army has returned to his home in Hagerstown from China and the Philippines.

Land for the new reservoir for the Washington County Water Company on the mountain near Edgemont will be condemned.

During January 6,088 books, an average of about 200 a day were taken from the Washington County Free Library in Hagerstown.

Governor Smith has appointed Henry G. F. Plaff, of Baltimore, a special policeman to protect the property of the Baltimore and Sparrows Point Railway.

Mr. Mollie MacGill Rosenberg, of Galveston, Texas, sent her check for \$25 to the Washington County Orphans' Home.

Rol M. Rodenhiser was granted an absolute divorce by Judge Stake, in Hagerstown, from his wife, Mrs. Annie E. Rodenhiser.

Officers of the Liberty Copper Mines inspected the new machinery last week and were satisfied with the result, the plant having been worked on full time lately.

The Hampstead Fire Company has purchased a lot on Main Street, Hampstead from H. R. Shipley for \$175 and will erect an engine house in the near future.

The hook-and-line fishermen along the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal have presented a petition to the canal officials requesting them to prohibit net fishing in the waterway.

Messrs. Abraham, Isaac and Jacob Price, triplets, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Price, of Hereford, Baltimore county, will celebrate the forty-second anniversary of their birth on March 12.

Miss Henrietta Brown, daughter of H. B. Brown died in Cumberland January 28, aged 22 years. She contracted a cold while sleighing and it ended fatally.

Robert Bridges, of Hancock, purchased the Samuel H. Miller property in Hagerstown for \$4,800. Jacob A. Snively bought Calvin B. Thirston's brick house in Hagerstown for \$2,600.

When you lack energy, do not relish your food, feel dull and stupid, after eating, all you need is a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets. They will make you feel like a new man and give you an appetite like a bear. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

A movement is reported looking to the changing of the boundary lines of the three counties at the town of Queen Anne's so as to throw all of the town into Queen Anne's county. A petition will be presented to the legislature. Many of the citizens are compelled to pay taxes in two counties, although they own only small tracts of land, and the movement is to permit of more satisfactory arrangements in that direction.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers, in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepared Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggist or by mail. The liquid embodies the medical properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

The North Maryland Lumber Company, composed of capitalists from Warren, Pa., has just purchased 8,000 acres of timberland lying east of Meadow Mountain, bordering on Savage River and tributaries in Garrett county. The mill will be the largest in Western Maryland, and 40 houses will be built to accommodate the working force. A broad-gauge railroad will connect the tract with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Patting food into a diseased stomach is like putting money into a pocket with holes. The money is lost. All its value goes for nothing. When the stomach is diseased, with the allied organs of digestion and nutrition, the food which is put into it is largely lost. The nutriment is not extracted from it. The body is weak and the blood impoverished.

The pocket can be mended. The stomach can be cured. That sterling medicine for the stomach and blood, Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, acts with peculiar promptness and power on the organs of digestion and nutrition. It is a positive cure for almost all disorders of these organs, and cures also such diseases of the heart, blood, liver and other organs, as have their cause in a weak or diseased condition of the stomach.

Maryland and Its Natural Resources.

The Maryland Geological Survey, of which Dr. William Bullock Clark is director, has prepared for the Maryland Commissioners to the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition a handsome printed and illustrated pamphlet on "Maryland and its Natural Resources." It is similar to the one gotten up for the Buffalo Exposition, and copies will be distributed liberally through the South. The pamphlet goes thoroughly into the resources of the State, mineral, vegetable and animal, and one of the features of it is a map of the State showing the products of each county. It also contains a list of the principal operators in the State, and the average annual value of which is stated to be about \$7,408,000.

Something That Will Do You Good.

We know of no way in which we can be of more service to our readers than to tell them of something that will be of real good to them. For this reason we want to acquaint them with what we consider one of the very best remedies on the market for coughs, colds, and that alarming complaint, croup. We refer to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it with such good results in our family so long that it has become a household necessity. By its prompt use we haven't any doubt but that it has time and again prevented croup. The testimony is given upon our own experience, and we suggest that our readers, especially those who have small children, always keep it in their homes as a safeguard against croup.—Camden (S. C.) Messenger. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

Superintendent John L. Cost, of the Hagerstown Poultry Show, has been notified by Secretary T. E. Orr that the next meeting of the American Poultry Association will be held during the Hagerstown Fair exhibition next October.

Bilious Colic.
H. Seever, a carpenter and builder of Kenton, Tenn., when suffering intensely from an attack of bilious colic, sent to a near by drug store for something to relieve him. The druggist sent him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, three doses of which effected a permanent cure. This is the only remedy that can be depended upon in the most severe cases of colic and cholera morbus. Most druggists know this and recommend it when such a medicine is called for. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

The Commissioners of Mineral county, West Virginia, have appropriated \$1,700 toward a bridge across the north branch of the Potomac at Barnum, the Commissioners of Garrett county, Maryland, having appropriated a similar amount.

Clerk's Wise Suggestion.
"I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes M. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro, Mass. "I could hardly eat anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure which I did with most happy results. I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time their digestion must be pretty good. I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia Cure heartily." You don't have to diet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food.

Mr. George F. Tibbetts, secretary of the organization composed of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia and West Virginia, addressed a large meeting of men in Cumberland on Sunday.

Saved Her Child's Life.
"In three weeks my chubby little boy was changed by pneumonia almost to a skeleton," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, O. "A terrible cough set in, that, in spite of a good doctor's treatment for several weeks, grew worse every day. We then used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was soon sound and well. We are sure this grand medicine saved his life." Millions know it's the only cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. All druggists guarantee satisfaction. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

It begins to look as if the Delaware canning factories would eventually be merged into the National Canning Company. The trust has an option now on 75 per cent of the canneries of Delaware and Pennsylvania and 90 per cent of those in New Jersey.

A Legacy of the Grip
Is often a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

Foard Cathcart, of Madonna, crippled and captured a strange bird. It measured five feet from tip to tip, and was white, with black spots. The feet were as large as a man's hand and were covered with feathers, as was its bill. The eyes were quite large and bright.

For Friends, the Druggists.
It is a pleasure to testify to the generally high character of druggists. But because of a few exceptions to the rule, it is necessary to caution the public to be on guard against imitations of Perry Davis Painkiller. See that you get the right article, the soothing, helpful Painkiller that was used in your family before you were born. Don't be taken into buying a substitute. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Western Maryland Railroad will, it is understood, soon be compelled to purchase more engines and cars to handle its increasing traffic. It appears that 8 or 10 locomotives and 135 or 150 freight cars will be required.

The Last Heard Of It.
"My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house," says E. D. Reynolds, Mansfield, O. "We feared he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup. Now isn't a cough cure like that valuable?" One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts immediately. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis and all other throat and lung troubles it is a certain cure. Very pleasant to take. The little ones like it.

A meeting of the stockholders of the American Angora Goat Company, of Garrett county, Maryland, was held in Oakland in the office of Mr. G. S. Hamill. Mr. B. T. Spencer left for Kansas City to purchase the goats, 1,000 in number. It was decided not to take goats from Baltimore county.

A Victory to be Proud of
is the final and absolute cure of a sore throat, in which the rawness and tenderness have been spreading dangerously near those guardians of life, the lungs. The luxury of a sound throat and robust lungs is most keenly enjoyed by people who, having suffered all the consequences of a "little cold, you know," have been rescued from misery and danger by Allen's Lung Balm.

The directors of the Talbot County Fair Association have elected the following officers: Dr. I. A. Barber, president; Henry Rieman, vice president; and Joseph B. Harrington, secretary and treasurer.

Chronic Constipation Cured.
The most important discovery of recent years is the positive remedy for constipation. Cascarets Candy Cathartic. Cure guaranteed. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. Druggists, roc.

In Montgomery county David J. Brady butchered a steer weighing nearly 1,700 pounds. This mammoth beef was raised near Rockville by William H. Rabbitt; it was half Holstein and half Alderney and 24 years old.

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Rheumatism is the subtle foe which steals away the joy of life. It gets into your joints and your muscles. It comes and stays and everything you do to dislodge it seems useless. Sometimes it lays you up, sometimes it lets you drag around, but its sting is always with you when you make a quick or an unguarded movement.

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"Two years ago I was taken with rheumatism. I could not sleep or eat but very little, and for over two months I could not stand on my feet. My weight had decreased to such an extent as to force me to look for better medical advice than my own doctor. I had seen Dr. Greene's Nerveura advertised and concluded to try it. I had not used it very long before I felt the pain and swelling leaving me, and to my surprise I could feel as if I were a new man, and my weight increased. My appetite was better than it ever was, and now I am well and hearty, after going through the most intense pain which a human person could endure. I cheerfully recommend Dr. Greene's wonderful Nerveura to my friends who know how I have suffered, and I hope this testimonial may be published."

Rheumatism supports half the doctors in christendom, but it would disappear if every sufferer understood how surely it is cured by Dr. Greene's Nerveura. Don't think because nothing has yet cured your rheumatism that Dr. Greene's Nerveura won't do it, for it will if you give it a chance. You'll pay almost any sum to be rid of the trouble, but you can get rid of it at little cost. Start to-day using the medicine that is known to cure rheumatism, and that has been curing it for many years.

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—Wear Monarch \$3.00 shoes. None better for style comfort and wear at Kennerly & Mitchell's.

—Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 50c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

—If you want Battle Axe shoes, we have them. They are the best in the world. R. E. Powell & Co.

—If you want to get a tailor made suit of clothes made in the tip of fashion go to Coulbourn's of course.

—Every shoe designed out and made by the high priest of the shoe making craft. R. Lee Waller & Co.

—Wear the celebrated \$3.00 Hawes Hats from the factory to your head. Kennerly & Mitchell sole agents.

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—You can tell a good thing when you see it, can't you? Well see our \$5.50 Walkover shoes for men. R. Lee Waller & Co.

—We have absolute control for this section for the sale of Sweet Orr & Co.'s Overalls and Jumpers. They fit, wear and will not rip. R. E. Powell & Co.

—We sell more watches than the rest because we sell them cheaper and guarantee them to be the best quality. We are the only Graduate opticians therefore can fit your eyes better than the rest. Just ask the price and you will buy. Harper & Taylor.

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Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of a writ fieri facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Wicomico County, State of Maryland on a judgment of condemnation of William Drennen vs. William H. Noel and Florence Noel recorded among the Magistrate Judgment Records of Wicomico County, State of Maryland in Liber J. T. No. 8, folio 268, at the instance of William Drennen against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of William H. Noel and Florence Noel and to me directed I have levied upon, seized and taken into execution all the right, title, interest, claim and demand at law and in equity of the said William H. Noel and Florence Noel in and to the following property to wit: And that certain piece of land situated and lying in Sharpsburg, Wicomico County, State of Maryland and on the South West corner of Ferry and Water streets and fronting on Water street a distance of 90 feet from the intersection of said streets and fronting on Ferry street a distance of 80 feet from the intersection of said streets; adjoining on Water street the lot of Sarah J. Drennen.

And I hereby give notice that on

Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1902

at 3 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door in Salisbury, Md., I will offer at public auction the said property so taken in execution for cash, to satisfy said writ of fieri facias and costs.

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LOCAL Correspondence

NEWS FROM ALL SECTIONS OF WICOMICO SENT IN BY THE ADVERTISER'S REPRESENTATIVES.

QUANTICO.

It seems when amusements become scarce in our modest and quiet town kind Nature provides them for our young folks particularly. For a few days their fun had been at low ebb, when the down fall of snow furnished them sleighing and the hard freezes of this week gave them another opportunity to be off for Bailey's pond, a mile from town, to enjoy the skating so popular among pleasure seekers of the winter months. The people of town and vicinity usually enjoy life to the great extent, always cordial with each other, always cheerful in business, all ways kind to their neighbors. While, of course, there are not the elaborate "set outs" and the pleasant "at homes" given in cities yet the social life is of the highest order and we boast of the fact that no one ever mingles with our Quantico society that is not highly cultivated and very willing to repeat the visit.

Those interested in the tricks of the canine will be entertained in Quantico next week by Al Bano of Sharptown, who will appear with his trained dogs.

The young ladies and gentlemen of town gave Miss Mattie Gordy a very pleasant surprise party at her home on Main Street on Monday evening. The company was entertained by various musical selections by Miss Gordy who is a skilled musician. At 10:30 light refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Lillian and Daisy Boston, Myrtle and Elsie Gordy, Myrtle Phillips, and Maude Collier and Messrs. Walter Humphreys, Harry Jones, John Graham, Guy Crawford, Clifton Bounds, Daniel Collier, Wm. Gordy and Ray and Ira Disharoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jones entertained at dinner at their pleasant home on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. G. Marion Messick, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Messick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dashiell, Miss Emma Harris, and Rev. F. B. Adkins.

Miss Maude Collier had the following ladies and gentlemen to spend the day on Sunday at her home: the Misses Agnes Taylor, Minnie Anderson, and Susie Gale and Messrs. Herbert Messick, Guy Crawford and Clifford Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Levin J. Gale entertained at dinner on Thursday at their pleasant country home near town Mr. and Mrs. Orlando W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Messick and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard.

The Misses Taylor entertained at their country home near town on Wednesday evening the society folks of town. Vocal and instrumental music was rendered during the evening by the Misses Minnie Anderson and Mattie Gordy and the various innocent amusements practiced by our young people were indulged in. Those in the company were the Misses Mattie Gordy, Myrtle Phillips, Myrtle and Elsie Gordy, Daisy and Lillian Boston, Minnie Anderson, Emma Harris, Maude Collier and Messrs. Tabot Truitt, Wm. Gordy, Ira and Ray Disharoon, Walter Humphreys, Daniel Collier, Harry Jones and Jno. Graham.

Mr. Clifford Cooper of Allen spent Sunday evening near town.

It is a wonderful and significant fact that young men in particular, have a hankering for Quantico on Sunday evenings. They all have come for proaching service not to the churches, anyway. It can hardly be to transact business on Sunday for our people observe strictly the Sabbath, so their mission—important it is to them too—must be to win the affections of some of our fair young ladies. Fortunately, the young men in town are good natured and do not resent these encroachments upon their inalienable rights so the "furness" may continue to come with out fear of molestation by our peaceful and amiable young gentlemen.

Mr. Herbert Messick made a business trip to Crisfield this week.

Mr. Edmund Humphreys of Salisbury visited his aunt, Mrs. Margaret Humphreys, this town on Sunday.

The meetings at the M. E. Church which were spoken of last week in the ADVERTISER to begin on Sunday night were postponed on account of the inclement weather.

Messrs. Wm. Phillips and Geo. Graham who have been in partnership for the canning and milling business for several years have dissolved partnership. The business will be continued by Mr. Phillips. Mr. Graham is one of our energetic and business like young men so there is no doubt of his success in whatever other business he may engage.

ALLEN.

Mrs. J. S. C. Allen spent a few days of this week with Mrs. R. T. P. Hitch at Loretto.

Mrs. Ella Leonard and children returned to their home in Salisbury last Saturday afternoon after a visit of two weeks among relatives in Allen.

The children of Allen are having a siege with the whooping cough.

Mr. Robt. G. Parsons formerly of this place, but now of Parsonsburg and Miss Ella Malone, daughter of the late Levi Malone, were quietly married at the home of the bride last Wednesday evening (Jan. 29th) at 6 o'clock. After the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. J. E. White, the happy couple drove to Salisbury where it is said they will reside in the future.

Capt. L. T. Collins of Collins' wharf was stricken with paralysis last Sunday afternoon. It is reported at this writing that he is in a rather critical condition. We sincerely hope such is not the case and that Capt. Collins may soon be able to go around among his old friends again.

Mr. Warren Brumbley, a resident of Trappe district died last Wednesday morning of pneumonia, aged 48 years.

Rev. J. E. White spent part of this week in Berlin.

Capt. J. W. Mumford, of Baltimore, arrived last Sunday night via steamer Tivoli to spend a few days with his wife and little daughter.

The young folks of Allen are enjoying fine skating this week.

Teacher of colored school to pupils: "Conjugate 'to lie' in the passive voice." Pupil: "I am a liar, I was a liar, I shall be a liar." "Correct," said the teacher.

Mr. William Samuel Williams is a little disturbed over an English sparrow flying in his house the other day and pitching on the "Scripter", as he puts it. Sammy says he feels about like a man whose life is hanging by a thread and is quite sure something is "a gwine to happen." He also says that in his boyhood days his grandfather used to tell him about a bird that flew in the house of his grandfather's halfbrother's second cousin and pitched on a jug of apple jack, and the very next day his hound puppy died and the cat fell down the well and came near being drowned. "I'm afeared I'll lose 'Punch'," said Sammy. "Such things as this is enough to make a man 'trimble'." The writer assured him there would be no such good news as 'Punch' dying, and it seemed to do him considerable good when told that it was far better to have his life hanging by a thread than by a rope.

It seems rather strange, but nevertheless it is a fact that when one young man sees another young man kissing a pretty girl, he gets "upplish" about it right away. One of our young men kissed a pretty girl 68 times the other night by actual count, and on the ice too. This stirred the bile, or was it the envy, of another young man, who took the former to task about it. Why doesn't he ask the woman about it? Pahaw, said an old English judge one time, and p'raps he was near right. We all know that whatever the ladies want they'll have, and there is no circumventing them. What is the matter with you, anyway, my friend? Dost thou think, because thou art virtuous, there shall be no more cakes and ale? Hast thou vinegar in thy veins, instead of rich, warm blood, that stirs in the presence of beauty and bounds gaily at the meeting of lips? Go to! Get thee to a monastery, one of those old Greek Monks on Mount Atlas, where feminine foot bath not trod for centuries.

SHARPTOWN.

W. H. Knowles of this town and George Ross of Choptank have formed a partnership for the purpose of canning fruit and vegetables at Gates town, on the opposite side of the river from here, in Dorchester. They will begin the erection of an entire new plant as soon as the weather gets favorable.

Two of our poultrymen kept an account of the sale of eggs during January. One man sold from 90 hens \$9.32 worth of eggs and another \$8.92 from 14 hens, besides a great many eggs used for table purposes.

S. T. Walker had his hand badly torn up a few days ago by the premature discharge of a number eight gun. He had hold of the hammer and both barrels were discharged accidentally. No damage was done by the leads.

B. H. Phillips drew a fine parlor clock valued at \$10.00 in a drawing match at the jewelry store of C. E. Cault, this week. Since the holidays Will Dunn has drawn a gold watch valued at \$30.00 and Charlie Twilley and John S. Smith each drew a watch valued at \$5.00.

Capt. Joseph M. Smith stuck a nail into the top of his foot Tuesday and inflicted a bad wound.

Mail drivers have made irregular trips to and from here this week, and Steam or Nanticoke has been detained several days.

W. H. Knowles began work on his new wharf property on Tuesday of this week.

The inclement weather this week has greatly reduced the attendance at school.

Wm. J. Gravenor and John T. Wilson are spending a few days with their families this week.

The young people will hold an entertainment in Twilley's Hall, February 21st and 22nd, Friday and Saturday nights. All the characters will be represented by home talent. Full particulars later.

BIVALVE.

Capt. Gus Langrell who has been spending a few weeks in Cambridge and Baltimore has returned home.

Capt. O. P. Inaley who has been spending some time at this place will return to Baltimore next week.

Miss Annie Inaley left Monday on steamer Tivoli for Baltimore, where she expects to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Messick spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sellers.

Services will be held at the Waltersville M. P. Church Sunday as follows: Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:30 a. m.; Class, 2 p. m.; Christian Endeavor, 8:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice B. Downing spent Sunday evening last with Mr. and Mrs. Willie A. Downing.

Miss Jennie Messick is spending this week with her aunt Mrs. Lizzie Travers at Jetersville.

Mrs. Julia Horseman who fell and broke her arm last Sunday is much improved at this writing.

Mr. Ernest Taylor and Mr. John Larmore who have been away for some time have returned home.

Those on the sick list this week are Mr. E. M. Eford, Miss Melissa Dennis and Mrs. Gerlie Horseman.

Skating seems to be taking the lead with the young people at this place.

Mr. Esau Inaley is spending this week in Baltimore.

FRUITLAND.

Death has made its appearance in our midst and taken from us two of our good citizens. Mrs. Leah Jane Hayman passed quietly away last Wednesday at 2:15 p. m. Mrs. Hayman leaves three sons and one daughter to mourn the loss of a mother. They are: Mr. S. E. Hayman a merchant of this place; A. J. D. Hayman of Baltimore, Md.; Josiah Hayman of Crisfield, and Miss Emma Hayman, photographer of Salisbury. Mrs. Hayman has been a long sufferer and bore her afflictions bravely. She said to her friends that she was only waiting for the Lord to take her to Himself. Her remains were laid away in the cemetery here Friday at 8 o'clock. She had reached her 83rd year and ten the day she died. She has taken on the form of immortality and is to-day enjoying the blessed companionship of the Redeemed Spirits. The soul that has been plucked from earthly garden has been transplanted in the paradise of God, there to bloom for ever.

Mr. Warren Brumbley, a very highly respected young man of near Siloam died last Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. Mr. Brumbley was stricken to his bed two weeks ago with pneumonia. Mr. Brumbley leaves a wife and five children to mourn their loss. He was laid to rest in the cemetery at Siloam Friday at 1 o'clock. Rev. F. X. Moore officiated. A little more than one year ago his brother Samuel died of diabetes and left a widow and five children.

MARDELA SPRINGS.

The members of Mardele Springs Lyceum will hold a bazaar in the Grange building on the 21 and 22 of February, proceeds for the Lyceum. All are cordially invited.

Col. Graham Dukehart and Mr. R. D. Grier visited Temple Lodge 170 A. F. & A. M., and installed the officers for the ensuing year.

Mr. Isaac K. Wright and old and respected citizen of this district was stricken with paralysis last Monday.

The young gentlemen of the town gave a dance in Cooper's Hall Friday evening.

Why do people go to Florida in the winter to find a warmer climate when they could go to Salisbury where the weather was warm enough last Monday to sit in the parlor without any fire so one of our young ladies said, who was visiting that town on that day.

One of our young ladies was out walking last Thursday afternoon and decided to cross the railroad bridge. After getting part of the way across her head became very light and she had to crawl the balance of the way. The consequence was she was unable to bow in response to a compliment made that evening in regards to her hair of which she is very proud.

A Card to Investors and Patentees.

In a recent publication, we were taunted by another patent attorney with "railroading" applications for patents through the United States Patent Office. Statistics show that railroad travel is not only the swiftest but the safest in the world. There are, however, people who prefer ox cart and ass-cart locomotion.

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You forgot to buy a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral when your cold first came on, so you let it run along. Even now, with all your hard coughing, it will not disappoint you. There's a record of sixty years to fall back on.

Three sizes: 25c, enough for an ordinary cold; 50c, just right for bronchitis, hoarseness, hard colds, etc.; \$1, most economical for chronic cases and for keeping on hand.

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Sharptown's Railway Busy With a Big Boat.

On Saturday last the Sharptown Marine Railway Co. signed an agreement with Capt. John T. Griffith, of Seaford, Del. and several other persons, at Seaford, Laurel, Blades, Bethel and Sharp town, to build a new vessel, of the sailing class known as a "ram" schooner. She is to be 180 feet keel; 28 feet beam and 9 feet depth of hold, with three masts. She is to be finished ready for the seas by the Company and is to be completed by September 1, 1902. The contract price is reported to be \$12,500 completed. This means a busy year at Sharptown railway. The company expect to do considerable repair work and this new vessel together with the old work will give steady employment for the railway force during the year. The new vessel will be begun as soon as the weather moderates.

For Stomach Troubles.

"I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and constipation," says Mrs. S. G. Gier of Dunkerton, Iowa, "but never had as good results from any as from Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets." For sale by R. K. Truitt & Sons.

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This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness and ALL DISEASES arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion. The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegantly sugar coated and easy to swallow. Take No Substitute.

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This sale will last until the 22d of February. Come early, and secure your share of the bargains. The first picking is always the best. Not a sale of old goods, but a sale of New Style Garments. Here are a few prices that will interest you, unless you are bargain proof:

MEN'S SUITS.

Suits were \$16.00 now \$10.00

Suits were 13.00 now 7.50

Suits were 10.00 now 5.00

Suits were 8.00 now 4.50

See window display and note prices

Men's & Boys' Overcoats

Overcoats were \$16 now \$9.00

Overcoats were 10 now 7.00

Overcoats were 7 now 4.50

All shades blue and grey, long and short

Boys' 2 and 3 piece Suits

Suits that were \$7.50 now \$4.50

Suits that were 6.00 now 4.00

Suits that were 5.00 now 3.00

Suits that were 3.50 now 2.50

Suits that were 1.50 now 90c

Mothers don't miss this opportunity to get your boy a suit.

PANTS! PANTS! PANTS!

Here is where you will be especially interested. See window display and note prices quoted for up-to-date goods

Pants that were \$7 now \$5.50

Pants that were 6 now 4.50

Pants that were 5 now 3.75

Pants that were 4 now 3.00

Pants that were 3 now 2.25

Hats! Hats! Hats!

See them displayed in window. Make selection now while the picking is good.

\$2.50 Hats go now for 98 cents

2.25 Hats go now for 98 cents

2.00 Hats go now for 98 cents

All our goods are marked in plain figures and you can readily see when you examine these goods that this is no fake sale. Having enlarged our room for business, we are now going to enlarge our business to suit the room. COME QUICK and get your pick at the

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PROGRESSIVE, RELIABLE AND INDEPENDENT.

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"THE BILL OF THE SESSION."

Mr. Thomas Perry So Declares the Haman Oyster Measure.

There is in my judgment no measure yet presented or likely to be presented for enactment this session at Annapolis as important as the Haman Oyster Bill now before the legislature. If it is the barren bottoms of the bay and its tributaries, that Mr. Haman proposes to lease (and that is unquestionably the provision) I do not see the oystermen have anything more to do with it than they would with a law regulating the leasing of marshes to parties to catch muskrats, supposing the state owned marshes. I do not think however anyone claims that the oyster beds of the state belong to any one class of citizens of the state, but are the property of the state, just as the barren bottoms are. I believe that those who are engaged in the oyster business make a mistake by opposing this legislation, because the same opportunities will be given them that will be given any other citizen of the state to lease these lands, and they are much better prepared to judge of bottoms most valuable. It will not be an enterprise that will singly require any great amount of capital. Of course in the aggregate it does mean a vast sum, and if there are oystermen who do not want to lease grounds, they will not only not be interfered with in any of the privileges they now enjoy but their opportunities will be increased three fold. In the first place there will be an unusual demand for oysters to seed these bottoms, and by the way, I think the Haman Bill is defective in that it does not provide for taking oysters a portion of the closed season to seed these beds with. The demand for oysters to seed the beds would make the oyster business exceptionally good for some years to come. Then when the leased bottoms begin to yield, there will be a three fold demand for labor to take these oysters from the beds; for it must be remembered that the cultivated crop must be reaped in about the same manner as the wild crop from the natural rocks. Why then should the oysterman oppose the measure? On the other hand he is one of those who will be most benefited under it. I do not exactly like the provision which stipulates that these bottoms shall be leased at from one to three dollars per acre, better have them leased out under public sale in some form so that the privilege will be given alike to all citizens of the State.

I say the measure is an important one and entitled to the greatest consideration, but I do not take the same rosy view of the matter that Prof. Brooks does, nor do I quite agree with Mr. Haman that we make our calculations to spend \$400,000 a year on our public roads from money obtained from this source. I believe that we will eventually get much more than Mr. Haman names, but it will take several years to get these bottoms leased out.

We must not suppose that all the available bottoms of the state will be platted in a few months and ready to go on the market, besides, prospective lessees will soon see that it would take the entire catch of many seasons from the natural beds to seed 400,000 acres even if the entire catch was used for that purpose which will not be done nor the half either.

I understand that the prime objection to the bill by the oystermen is that it will make oysters cheap.

That time is some distance ahead, friends. It is quite probable that oysters will never be as cheap as they have been in the past, for if the Haman bill passes and the quantity is greatly increased, it must be remembered that the population within reach of Baltimore on account of increased transportation facilities, and the use of refrigerating methods added to our increased population, can take probably one hundred times as many oysters as it could forty years ago if the prices were such as to make them an article of staple diet.

If this law passes, Wicomico county will get eight to ten thousand dollars a year for improvement of our public roads, if the amount anticipated by the friends of the bill is realized. I am confident myself that it would be eventually, although I do not believe it would be at first. I hope the Wicomico delegation will give the matter due consideration. It is to my mind the bill of the session, and in considering the interests of the whole county and of the whole state, should be considered.

THOS. PERRY.
Salisbury, Md., Feb. 14, 1902.

At the quarterly conference recently held at Parsonsburg the pastor, Rev. D. F. McPaul, was cordially invited to continue his services as pastor the coming year.

TO BRIDGE THE NANTICOKE.

The Residents of Sharptown, In This County, and of Galestown, in Dorchester County, Ask—
ing For It.

The citizens of Sharptown are circulating a petition and have secured a great many signatures, asking the Legislature to authorize and require the Commissioners of this and Dorchester Counties to bridge the Nanticoke at Sharptown. The petition will be circulated in other parts of the county. The present mode of crossing is by ferry boat, which requires two men, and in stormy weather, the transportation is slow and attended with some danger. The travel is rapidly increasing and it is almost a constant running of the boats, one small and one large, from early morn till late at night. A bridge seems to be almost a necessity and when the cost of ferry boats, cables and other things are considered and the constant employment of two men there is not so much difference after all. The petition sets forth the request that the bridge be built during the year 1902. The bridge, if built will add greatly to the business and convenience of Sharptown, and near by Dorchester and relatively the entire counties as well. It is an improvement that is greatly needed and should be done.

Death of Rev. J. H. B. Brooks.

Rev. J. H. B. Brooks, whose serious illness was recently mentioned in the ADVERTISER, died last Tuesday night at his home in South Oil City, Pennsylvania, of an organic disease of the heart. Mr. Brooks came to Salisbury as rector of St. Peter's Church, from Seaford, preaching his first sermon here Sunday, Feb. 2, 1878. The vestry of St. Peter's Church called him to succeed the Rev. Dr. Wm. Fulton, who had died the preceding December.

After a very successful pastorate here he accepted a call to South Oil City, where he had remained the rector of the Oil City Parish nineteen consecutive years. The Oil City Derrick, in speaking of the Rev. Mr. Brooks, says, that he was endeared to the people "without regard to creed, to a remarkable degree. His private benefactions were in variably to the full extent of his means and were extended to all deserving cases that came under his notice with out regard to church affiliations. He was especially warm hearted toward boys, and many a young man of this city who is now a respected and valued citizen can look back upon his life and date his first inspiration to the financial aid and helpful advice of Rev. Brooks."

Before leaving Salisbury Mr. Brooks had endeared himself to many Salisbury people both among his parishioners and those who were not.

Sad Death of Mrs. Lee.

It was with deep regret that the news of the death of Mrs. James F. Lee, at her home in Roanoke, Va. was received by her friends in Salisbury last Monday morning. Her death was caused by an attack of acute gastritis.

Mrs. Lee, who is a daughter of Rev. Dr. Jenkins, Presiding Elder of Eastern Shore District, Virginia Conference, left Salisbury only a few months ago a bride, her marriage to Mr. Lee having taken place the sixteenth of last October at the home of her parents in Salisbury. After a bridal trip the young couple went to Roanoke to reside where Mr. Lee is engaged in business, and had just completed the building of a handsome home and expected to begin housekeeping in a few weeks.

Dr. Jenkins was present with his daughter at the time of her death. The many friends of the family are deeply grieved at the young lady's untimely death.

A Brick Company Incorporated.

Messrs. A. J. Benjamin, F. P. Adkins, Albert Wooten, James E. Ellegood and L. L. Price have purchased from Messrs. H. J. Phillips and J. D. Wallop the brick plants located at Rockawalking and White Haven, and have assumed control of the business.

The new company has been incorporated by the Wicomico Circuit Court, and chosen officers as follows: President, A. J. Benjamin; Secretary and Treasurer, F. P. Adkins; Manager, Albert Wooten. Mr. Wooten, who has been in the Salisbury office of the B. & O. Railroad several years, has resigned his position with that company and will give his whole time to the management of the two brick plants. The new company has already heavy orders for bricks and starts in with attractive prospects for a successful business career.

A SKATING ACCIDENT.

A Young Gentleman and Lady Have Narrow Escape.

About five o'clock on Monday afternoon a skating accident occurred on Anderson's Pond in Rockawalking, that was a very narrow escape from drowning for the parties concerned. Mr. Clifton Bounds, of the manufacturing firm of G. A. Bounds & Co., in Hebron, was skating on this pond with Miss Katie Anderson, daughter of the late Henry Wesley Anderson. The pond is a springy one, hence when frozen over the ice has many large cracks in it. Mr. Bounds and Miss Anderson by accident skated over one of these cracks in the frozen surface of the water and suddenly went down into water several feet in depth. Fortunately Mr. Raymond Humphreys, who was skating in their vicinity, recognized their peril and by his calmness under circumstances that are always exciting, soon had Mr. Bounds upon the ice, he having remained in the water only about five minutes—but he experienced much more difficulty in rescuing Miss Anderson. After several futile attempts to save her, during which time he himself broke in several times—he almost despaired of her life when a boat was found and pushed to her and with difficulty she was gotten into it. She was now unconscious and in a critical condition since she had been in the chilled water for twenty minutes. She was taken at once to her home which was only a short distance away and restoratives applied with a beneficial effect. She has now entirely recovered and neither she nor Mr. Bounds seems in worse condition for the disagreeable and dangerous experience.

The Farmers' Institute.

The farmers of this county are urged to attend their Institute which will meet in the Court House in Salisbury next Wednesday and Thursday.

The ADVERTISER two weeks ago published a detailed account of the program and a brief sketch of the speakers. Director Amos has planned to make these meetings interesting and practical, and if they are not a success it will be due to the indifference of the farmer.

If the Wicomico farmer wants to keep up with the 20th century process he must awaken to the new conditions, and in no other way can he get so much information for so little money. The Institute meetings are free, the State paying the expenses out of a fund appropriated by the legislature for that specific purpose. Only forbidding weather or other unsurmountable difficulties should keep the farmer away. The ladies are invited particularly to hear Miss Jacobs lecture on the "Children's Lunch Basket," Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. This is a subject which should interest a good many women at this time.

There will be at each session music by local talent.

Mr. E. S. Truitt's Loss.

On Tuesday morning the fertilizer factory of E. Sampson Truitt which was situated just outside city limits was wholly destroyed by fire. The fire caught from a spark of the smoke stack which fell on the east side of the building.

The fire bell sounded at 8 o'clock. The firemen responded with the hose cart but could accomplish nothing since there was no water in near proximity of the fire.

By the prompt action of the men a part of the material was saved. So furiously did the fire burn that only two hours passed before the whole five buildings were leveled to the ground. Mr. Truitt valued the building and contents at \$5,000, on which there was no insurance. There was about \$2,000 worth of goods and machinery saved leaving his loss at about \$3,000.

Mr. Truitt expects to rebuild at once and be ready to supply his customers within ten days. He expresses gratitude to the Salisbury firemen for their assistance.

Big Clearance Sale.

Messrs. R. E. Powell & Co. began a great clearance sale this week, embracing many lines of goods, as will be seen by reference to their big advertisement on the eighth page. These are not shopworn goods, but are remnants of choice goods which offer special inducements to purchasers. Stock taking has disclosed many articles which must be disposed of to make room for Spring goods. The public is thus enabled to profit by a genuine clearance sale, which will continue through the present month.

TWO IMPORTANT SUBJECTS.

Mr. Thomas Perry Discusses Roads and The Oyster Industry.

Editors Advertiser—I have your letter asking if I have anything to say on the subject of public road legislation. Of course a great deal of work could be done under our present law, to improve our highways, but whether it could be done most economically and efficiently is a matter that will admit of discussion. It would hardly be necessary this time for me to go over the subject of how to build roads, as this matter was all gone over last year, and I think most people agree that the methods laid out by the ADVERTISER and its contributors are correct—namely, that the roads should be built of clay, and done by paid labor. Whether or not the neighborhood through which the roads are to be built, should contribute a definite part in the way of labor is a matter of details, and should be left to those who administer the laws. I believe any law enacted should contain the old feature of empowering the officers to "warn out" citizens to contribute time towards the repairing of roads, but I do not think for a moment that we should rely upon free labor to build roads. When I say build I mean cover them with clay. By the way, the more observation I have the stronger advocate I become of the clay roads; then I want to say to our friends at home that it will be no experiment, but simply adopting a well established principle in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

I have not at my command to-day the figures, but I am of the impression that the item for pay of road supervisors amounts to between three thousand and thirty five hundred dollars a year in our county. I am opposed to this expenditure in this form when we are getting so little results. I have been convinced in my own mind for some time that there should be a radical change in the law in this respect. I believe that a law should be passed at the present session of legislature creating a Supt. of Highways, at a moderate salary—say \$800 or \$1000 a year and an allow over of \$100 for expenses of keeping team, etc. and he should give his whole time to the work of building and repairing roads. I believe it would be best to have him appointed by the County Commissioners, not that they could make a better selection than the people at the polls, but he should be directly under the control of the Board of County Commissioners. In fact should be the executive officer of the Board so far as the public roads are concerned; should be amenable to them, report monthly, work done, and subject to removal any time for neglect of duty. At certain seasons of the year his time could be given to road building, for instance in Fall, Winter, and early Spring, when the farmers could afford to work cheaper; at other seasons to road repairing such as putting in culverts, terra cotta piping, etc. in place of old bridges. We want to do away with this bridge business and when we build in their stead build wisely. I think our delegation at Annapolis this winter should by all means pass a bill containing these features, and the County Commissioners should make liberal appropriations to begin this work. I have become thoroughly convinced since these discussions began that the people of the county are willing to be taxed to have our roads improved and they want a substantial improvement—no patched up job conducted by ignorance and at the behest of any local politicians. It must be a businesslike administration of the affair.

I think, too, we should be ready to organize and go to work in case the Haman Oyster Bill passes the legislature, and I want to say, too, right here by the way, that there is in my judgment a great deal more in the subject treated by Mr. Haman's bill than many are disposed to credit it with. A thorough investigation of the matter does not scare me. I believe that a proper planting law would be better for the state and for those who are engaged in the traffic. I am not so optimistic however as Prof. Brooks on the subject of revenue that would be derived from that source. I believe it would greatly increase the opportunities of those engaged in taking oysters off the bottoms. It would make abundant a delicious product and bring a handsome revenue to state. I think the matter therefore entitled to the most serious consideration. I consider it the most important bill that is likely to be before the legislature this session, by far.

THOS. PERRY.
Walters Park, Pa., Feb. 6, '02.

—Mr. J. King White spent last Sunday in Westminster.

SHOE TALK

We have been talking shoes for years, we are talking shoes today and we propose to talk shoes to this community for some time to come and the result has been satisfactory to us.

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WISH TO RETAIN THE BASKET.

Each Grower Opposed to the Adoption of the Crates.

A very large meeting of horticulturists of the Peninsula met at Dover Thursday of last week to protest against the action of the horticulturists at Berlin, recently.

There were prominent growers and shippers from all over Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland, and commission men from all the important cities between Boston and Baltimore.

The meeting was a sequel to the meeting held recently at Berlin, Md., when the subject of discarding the five-eights peach basket, substituting the Georgia crate and doing away with shelved cars was discussed. Every interest concerned in the peach harvest was heard; and the 350 men present voted as a unit against any change. The reduction in freight offered by the Pennsylvania railroad, if the crate or carrier should be adopted in lieu of the basket and the shelved car, were not deemed commensurate with the additional expense which would be entailed on the grower by the change. There were some sharp strictures on the Berlin meeting's work, and it was charged that the officers of the Peninsula Horticultural Society were working in the interest of the railroad company and against the growers. A protective society to cover Delaware and the Eastern Shore was formed and directed to retain counsel to protect the growers against delayed trains in shipment. A motion for an improved five-eights basket was also adopted.

Why Our Roads Are So Bad.

One of the chief things that have conspired to place the roads of Maryland with the worst in this broad land has been the practice of putting certain sections of the country in charge of road supervisors and distributing what money was to be expended for the construction and improvement of roads among them. These men have been political appointees, they have changed with each election, and the forces at work under their charge have changed with them; moreover, they usually have been impressed with the idea that they must make as great a show for the money spent as possible, and consequently they have used their allotment in the making of superficial repairs, covering a lot of ground—repairs so inadequate that all traces of them have, as a rule, been swept away before the next season was ended. When the Highway Division of the Maryland Geological Survey was formed and began its work, it found that a large proportion of the money spent on the improvement of roads was wasted because of this practice; and the second report of the officers of that Division, now being issued, calls attention to the fact that this evil has not been remedied. The roads, according to the report, soon return to their former bad condition, whereas if the efforts had been concentrated on making proper improvements to the worst sections of the different roads the result would have been a permanent betterment.

The evil of entrusting this work wholly to the road supervisors has been recognized, and an attempt made in some counties to correct the trouble by placing all road work in charge of the county commissioners. This system, however, is also ineffective, owing to the fact that the commissioners themselves, while often men of high standing and intelligence, have never received any special training for the work of road building and maintenance, and are not familiar with the many technical factors that determine the usefulness and life of a road-bed. These things lie in the province of the expert road engineer, and the importance of utilizing expert knowledge in the construction and repair of highways cannot be overestimated.

There is now little excuse for the failure to recognize this fact in Maryland, for not only has the old idea that any man is good enough for a road supervisor been exploded by the experience of road-builders in other States and in other counties, but the work of our own Geological Survey in the three years of its existence has shown conclusively the value of expert assistance. The roads that have been built and repaired according to the plans and under the supervision of the officers of the Highway Division of the Survey have proved their superiority to the roads constructed without those plans and that supervision, and Marylanders have been given an insight into the construction of useful highways. The Survey officers are ready to assist county commissioners and supervisors so far as they means at their disposal allow, and no work of importance on roads should be commenced without their advice, nor should their advice be disregarded without very evident reasons therefor.—Baltimore Evening News.

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SOCIETY DOINGS.

Mrs. M. A. Humphreys and Miss Alice Humphreys gave a delightful tea on Tuesday afternoon at their home on Newton Street, from four until six o'clock. Mrs. Wm. P. Jackson, Miss Violet Richmond of Cumberland, Mrs. Wm. Sheldermine, Miss Marie Sheldermine and Miss Rosalie Fontaine, of Philadelphia, assisted Mrs. Humphreys and Miss Humphreys in receiving the guests in the drawing room, which was elaborately decorated with potted plants arranged about the room, also with pink carnations, and pink-shaded candles, which gave a most pleasing effect.

Miss Grace Ellegood entertained the guests with instrumental music. The dining-room was a typical "red" room on this occasion; red carnations and red shaded candelabra ornamented the table, together with bows of red ribbon fastening at the four corners, the strips of smilax suspended from the ceiling. Assisting Mrs. Humphreys here were Miss Elizabeth Sheldermine, of Philadelphia, Misses Maria Ellegood, Lillie Humphreys, May Humphreys, Bessie Ellegood and Mrs. James Ellegood, who presided at the tea table.

In the evening Mrs. Humphreys entertained the receiving party at a progressive supper. Carnations were the flowers used in decorating the table. The gentlemen of the party were Messrs. Alan F. Benjamin, W. P. Jackson, Edgar Laws, Harvey Morris, Winter Owens, S. King White, Wm. Richardson, Leonard Wallis, Walter Brewington, G. Vickers White and M. A. Humphreys.

A charming social event of the week was the tea given by Mrs. Louis W. Gunby on Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her debutante daughter, Miss Alice Gunby. Mrs. Gunby and Miss Gunby received their guests in the drawing-room from four to six o'clock. Palms and potted plants were used in decorating the house.

Mrs. Gunby was assisted in entertaining her guests by Miss Carroll of Baltimore, Mrs. W. B. Miller, Mrs. R. P. Graham, Mrs. S. A. Graham, Mrs. Somers Gunby and Mrs. L. D. Collier.

The decorations in the dining-room were most attractive. White carnations and maiden hair fern tastefully arranged in the center of the table, while strips of smilax hung from the lighted chandelier, were gracefully festooned about the corners and sides of the table. The candelabra with green candles under white shades cast a becoming light and carried out the color scheme of white and green.

Mrs. Sallie Kittredge served at the coffee table and Misses Irma Graham, Virginia Gordy, Lizzie Collier, Edna Gillis, Minnie Tighman, Wilma Woodcock, Pauline Collier, and Victoria Wallis dispensed refreshments to the guests.

Mrs. E. Stanley Treadwin entertained a few of her friends Tuesday evening at an informal supper in honor of her guest, Miss McBride of Columbia, Penn. and Miss Carroll of Baltimore.

At each plate was an original couplet, written on a slip of paper, which told of a striking characteristic of the particular guest who was to occupy that particular seat. The lines in each case fitted so admirably some of the guests, that all others at once identified thereby the person indicated and the seating was done accordingly, amidst much jollity.

Those present at the supper were, Miss McBride, Miss Carroll, Mrs. R. P. Graham, Mrs. W. B. Miller, Mrs. S. A. Graham, Miss Graham, Miss Mary Houston, Miss Mary Lee White.

Mrs. T. E. Adkins very pleasantly entertained a number of friends at a musical Friday evening from eight to eleven o'clock, at her home on High Street. Miss Carrie Adkins, Miss Virginia Gordy and Miss Lizzie Collier assisted Mrs. Adkins to receive her guests in the parlor.

Those who served in the dining room, which was very prettily decorated in pink and green, were: Misses Edna Sheppard, Marian Vessey, Pauline Collier, Bessie Ellegood and Alice Catlin.

Mrs. Dalmas, Miss Edna Gillis, Miss Edna Adkins, and Miss Edith Weisbach each rendered piano solos; Miss Clara Walton, Violin solo, and Miss Grace Ellegood a vocal solo.

Another enjoyable feature was a Musical Romance, in which the answers to certain questions were guessed from snatches of music played by Miss Carrie Adkins.

Miss Julia Dashiell entertained twenty of her friends on Monday evening at a Euchre Party. Refreshments were served about eleven o'clock.

Mrs. L. D. Collier entertained at her home on Division Street, last Monday afternoon and evening, a number of her friends and relatives of the family.

Want Railroad Extension.

The people of Worcester county are much interested in the progress through the Legislature of the new charter for the Queen Anne's Railroad Company, and memorials are being generally signed urging the Worcester representatives to use their earnest efforts to secure for the company such a charter as will enable it to promptly carry out its plan for an extension through Snow Hill and other parts of the county.

MRS. J. E. O'DONNELL,

President Oakland Woman's Riding Club, Chicago, Sends an Unsolicited Letter to Mrs. Pinkham, and Wants It Published.

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The troubles to which women are subject because of their sex are many—every day a woman is liable to a new pain. Excessive worry may disturb the menstrual functions and unsettle the nerves. Over-excitement may set up inflammation of the ovaries and womb, but wherever or whatever the trouble is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is sure to find and cure it. Read Mrs. O'Donnell's letter and try to realize that such generous testimony is not to be had for money, or any monetary consideration; it is purely out of the goodness of her heart and gratitude for her own cure that by this act she is endeavoring to lead other women to health and happiness.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all women who are ill to write her for advice. Address Lynn, Mass., giving full particulars.



MRS. JENNIE E. O'DONNELL.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have never in my life given what you would call a testimonial before, but you have done so much for me that I feel called upon to give you this unsolicited acknowledgment of the wonderful curative value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For eight long years I had female trouble, falling of the womb and other complications. During that time I was more or less of an invalid and not much good for anything. Four years ago I noticed a book in the hall telling of the cures you could perform. I read it and became interested, I bought a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was helped, and decided to use it for a year, but seven months sufficed to cure me, and since that time I have simply had perfect health. Thanks, dear Mrs. Pinkham again, health such as I now enjoy is worth all that and more."—Mrs. JENNIE O'DONNELL, 278 East 81st St., Chicago, Ill.

Surely such endorsement should dispel doubt from the minds of all hesitating women. After reading such a letter, if any woman is willing to remain sick, we can only say it is her own fault and she deserves to suffer for the medicine that cured Mrs. O'Donnell and a hundred thousand others will surely cure her.

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The Pennsylvania Railroad Personal ty-conducted Tour to California will leave on February 25. Passengers will be transported to El Paso, Texas, in special Pullman cars. At the latter point they will be transferred to the "Mexico and California Special," composed exclusively of Pullman parlor-smoking, dining-room, drawing room, sleeping compartment and observation cars which will be used over the entire trip back to New York. While the best hotels will be used where extended stops are made, the train will be at the constant command of the party. Round trip tickets, covering all necessary expenses, \$875 from all points on Pennsylvania Railroad except Pittsburgh, from which point the rate will be \$900.

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WEDNESDAY,

February 26, 1902,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following real estate of which Thomas B. Taylor died, seized and possessed, situated in Wicomico county, and State of Maryland, in and near the village of Mardela Springs, to wit:

NO. 1.—A house and lot in Mardela Springs, where W. H. Beach lives, fronting on Main Street of said town, and improved by a two story front building 32x18, with porches in front, two story back building 30x18, with side porch, four rooms, and hallway between, 5 rooms above, all in good condition; outbuildings—smoke house, wood house, barn and stable.
The metes and bounds of the lot are as follows: Beginning in the centre of

Main Street at the corner of Main Street and Branch Street, and running by and with Branch Street, (west side) North 3° West 164 poles, South 85° West 9 poles, South 3° East 164 poles to Main Street and thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 98 perches, more or less.
Land bought of Joseph Brattan and wife.

NO. 2.—House and lot in Mardela Springs, where A. S. Venables resides, fronting on Main Street on the South, Taylor Street on the West, Cooper Alley on the North and Beach lot on the East, containing 183 perches of land, more or less, improved by a two story double dwelling, 48 feet by 18 feet, side porch all the way down, back building 32x14 and back building 24x18; 7 rooms below and 4 rooms above, corn house, stables and smoke house.

NO. 3.—House and lot tenanted by S. J. Sewell on corner of Church and Brattan streets, bounded on the East by G. E. Bennett lot and on the South by the lot where William Venables lives, containing one acre.

Improved by a 2 story dwelling, 14x18, back building 14x18; 3 rooms below and 2 rooms above; 1 out house 8x20; all in good condition.

NO. 4.—Fourteen shares in Baron Creek Cemetery Company.

NO. 5.—Vacant lot on Brattan Street, bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, containing one and one fourth acres.
This lot is bounded on the North by Brattan Street, on the East by I. N. Cooper's lot, on the South by Baron Creek, on the West by G. E. Bennett's lot.

NO. 6.—Vacant lot at corner of Taylor Street and Cooper Alley, opposite side of the Wheel Wright Shop, West end of lot No. 9 of the Real estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown on plat of said Estate, containing 57 1/8 perches. This lot begins at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Taylor Street, and runs by and with Taylor Street, North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links to a locust post, thence North 88° East 7 poles 13 1/2 links, to a cedar post, thence South 6° East 7 poles and 13 links, thence South 88° West to the beginning, containing 57 1/8 perches, more or less.

NO. 7.—Vacant lot on East side of Taylor St. on south side of R. R. St. Beginning at the end of the 1st line of lot No. 6, and running North 6° West 7 poles 14 links to R. R. Street, thence by and with R. R. Street North 84° East 7 poles 10 1/2 links to a cedar post, South 6° East 7 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 6, thence by and with the second line of lot No. 6 reversed to the beginning, containing 57 1/8 perches more or less. This lot being the West end of lot No. 8 of the real estate of Jos. Brattan as shown by plat of same.

NO. 8.—Vacant lot East end of lot No. 8 of Jos. Brattan estate, as shown by plat of same. Beginning at a locust post at the corner of Branch Street and Railroad Street, and running by and with Railroad Street, South 84° West 8 poles 8 1/2 links to the corner of lot No. 7, thence by and with the line of lot No. 7 to a cedar post, thence North 88° East to Branch Street, thence by and with Branch Street to the beginning, containing 61 3/5 perches.

NO. 9.—Vacant lot, being the east end of lot No. 9 of land of Jos. Brattan's estate, as shown by plat; beginning at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Branch street, and running South 88° East 7 poles 1 link thence North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links, thence North 84° East 7 poles and 14 links, thence South 3° East 7 poles 14 links to the beginning, containing 53 perches, more or less.

NO. 10.—Vacant lot on east side of Branch St. being the North end of lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan, beginning at a locust post on Branch St. at the South west corner of J. E. Bacon's lot or lot No. 17 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown by plat of the same, and running South 88° East 6 poles 11 links to a stone, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's lot South 3° East 4 poles to a cedar post, thence North 88° West 6 poles and 11 links to Branch St. thence by and with Branch St. North 3° West to the beginning, containing 52 perches, more or less.

NO. 11.—Vacant lot on the East side of Branch Street, being the middle section of the lot bought of Mrs. S. A. Brattan. Beginning at a cedar post at the N. E. Corner of store house lot, and running by and with Branch St. North 3° West 84 poles to a cedar post corner of lot No. 10, thence by and with the 3d line of said lot reversed 6 poles and 11 links to Mrs. Brattan's line, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's line South 3° East 84 poles, thence by and with the storehouse lot to the beginning, containing 52 perches, more or less, improved by old stable.

NO. 12.—Storehouse and lot, corner of Main and Branch Sts. beginning in the centre of Main St. and running by and with the West side of the Storehouse North 6° West 84 poles, thence South 88° East 4 feet, thence North 3° West 6 96-100 poles by and with Branch St. to a cedar post, South 88° East 6 44-100 feet South 3° East 10 poles to Main Street, thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 64 perches. This lot is the original storehouse and lot, part of the Jos. Brattan lot, bought by Mrs. S. A. Brattan and sold by her to T. B. Taylor.

Size of storehouse 40x24, two stories with a shed attached 30x10.

NO. 13.—Vacant lot on the North of Main Street, and on the West of Taylor Street, adjoining the Railroad on the West, containing one eighth of an acre, being a part of the L. M. Vincent lot.

NO. 14.—Lot on the West side of Taylor Street, and adjoining the Railroad on the West being lot No. 10 of the estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 76 perches and improved by Wheelwright shop and Blacksmith shop.

NO. 15.—Lot on the West side of Brattan Street and on the South side of Railroad Street, and shown as lot No. 11 on plat of Jos. Brattan's estate.

NO. 16.—Lot on the South side of Railroad Street and North of the Howard and Taylor lot and shown as

strip No. 1 on the plat of estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 6 perches.

NO. 17.—Part of Young's Purchase, adjoining and surrounding the Presbyterian Church property on the South side of County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and East of the Hotel property, beginning at the first Red Oak on the South side of the Road East of the Spring House, and running thence North 48° West 2 poles to the corner of the County road, thence by and with the road South 50° West 51 poles to the bridge, thence by and with the ditch, South 1° West 23 poles to the Creek, thence by and with the Creek South 77° West 18 4/5 poles, North 54° East 7 poles, thence North 13° West 2 3/8 poles, thence a right line to the beginning. In these metes and bounds the church lot is included.

NO. 18.—Twenty-two one hundred twentieths undivided interest in the Grange lot and hall, situated on the North side of Main Street, opposite the Methodist Protestant Church.

NO. 19.—One half undivided interest of lot on West side of the railroad, a part of the hotel property, beginning at a small locust tree, on the East side of Brattan St. and running with Brattan Street South 6° East 14 4/5 perches, thence South 88° West 30 feet, thence South 6° East by and with I. N. Cooper's line 36 poles to Baron Creek, thence by and with Baron Creek to the railroad, thence by and with the railroad North 88° West 40 poles to the beginning, about two and one half acres, one-half cripplies.

NO. 20.—One-half undivided interest of this lot off the hotel property. Beginning at a locust post, nearly opposite J. A. Lowe's store on the South side of Main Street, and running thence South 85° West 204 poles to the R. R., thence North 88° West by and with the R. R. 10 poles and 17 links, thence North 6° West 14 poles and 21 links to the South side of Main Street, thence North 85° East to the beginning, containing 88 perches, more or less.

NO. 21.—On a half undivided interest of this lot part of the Hotel property. Beginning on the South side of Main Street and on the East side of the Railroad and running by and with the Railroad South 88° East 16 poles and 7 links, thence North 5° West with line of lot No. 20, 14 poles and 21 links to South Side of Main Street, thence by and with Main Street South 83° West 8 poles and 16 links to the beginning, containing 64 perches of land.

NO. 22.—Hotel property on the South side of Main Street, containing about 2 acres upland and 2 acres of cripplies, improved by a Hotel front building 44 feet long, 20 feet wide and 8 stories high, with lower and upper front porches. End building 36 feet long, 16 feet wide, 2 stories; back building 48 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 stories high, with porches on each side of back building; 8 rooms on lower floor and hallway and 18 bed rooms and hallways.

A fine Spring with house over it with bottling house attached. Hen-house and poultry yard. Outbuildings 12x30 feet, 14 stories high; 9 stables with centre hallway and carriage house on the side.

NO. 23.—The post office grounds and building, at intersection, of Main and Bridge streets.

NO. 24.—Lot on the North side of County road from Mardela Springs to Vienna and about 1 mile from Mardela, where Moses Dashiell lives, about 3 acres of arable land, adjoining lands of L. L. Bounds and fronting on the County road. Improved by a good story and half house with small back building.

NO. 25.—All that tract of "Miles End" purchased by Thomas B. Taylor of Josiah Bailey as shown per deed dated May 1st, 1861, situate on the South side of the County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and on the North side of Baron Creek, adjoining the land of W. H. Beach on the East, Baron Creek on the South; that part of "Young's Purchase" on the West which T. B. Taylor bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, and the lot of Maria Griffin and the old schoolhouse lot on the North, containing 12 acres of land, more or less. The above land is all in thirty five year timber. Also all that part of "Young's Purchase" sold by Robert F. Brattan, trustee, and except about one acre and half laid off around and contiguous to the Presbyterian Church Property) situate on the North side of Baron Creek and on the South side of the County road from Mardela Springs to Baron Creek Mills and adjoining the land on the East which Taylor bought of Josiah Bailey and on the West the lot laid off around the Presbyterian Church property, containing about 13 acres; about 8 acres arable and the remainder cripplies and young timber.

Improved by a story and half dwelling and necessary outbuildings.

NO. 26.—Timber land on the South side of the County road from Porter's Mill to Rewastico Mills in Quantico district; adjoining land of A. J. Horsey on the East; Alma House property on the South; land of Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford on the West and binding on the County road on the North; bought by Thos. B. Taylor of J. W. and A. T. Robertson; well set in pine and oak timber; contains 96 acres more or less.

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Mortgagee's Sale OF A VALUABLE House and Lot IN SALISBURY, MD.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Elias T. Austin and Viola M. Austin, his wife, to Jay Williams, dated July 1st, 1901 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. No. 81 folio 228, default having been made in the covenants in said mortgage, whereby the whole mortgage debt has become due, I will offer at public auction in front of the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, on

**SATURDAY,
March 1st, 1902,**

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that piece or parcel of land situated and lying in Parsons District, Wicomico County, Maryland, on the North side of and binding upon Baltimore Street near the depot of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, in the Town of Salisbury and having a front on said Baltimore Street of fifty feet, extending back in a uniform width to Hill Street, having a depth of eighty-three feet, being lot No. 4, as described on a plat of survey as made by Peter S. Shockey, September 28th, 1899, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. No. 29 folio 138 being the same property which was conveyed to the said Viola M. Austin from Thomas H. Mitchell and others by deed dated May 9th, 1901. This property is improved by a good, new two story dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE:
\$100 cash on day of sale, the balance to be paid in two equal installments of one and two years from day of sale, purchaser giving bond with security, to be approved by the undersigned, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser.
JAY WILLIAMS,
Atty. named in said Mortgage.

ORDER NISI.
In the matter of sale of real estate of Wm. G. Holmes, deceased, ex parte.
No. 184 Real Estate in the Orphans Court for Wicomico County, January term, 1902.
Ordered that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by Jay Williams, d. b. n. of Wm. G. Holmes, deceased, ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st Monday in March, next, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Wicomico County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 15th day of February, next.
The report states the amount of sales to be:
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A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Friday, February 7.

James Egan, who served under Admiral Farragut during the civil war, died at Joliet, Ill., yesterday.

The senate yesterday passed a bill appropriating \$2,500,000 for a post-office building in New York city.

Armstrong Hensley was hanged at Erwin, Tenn., yesterday for the murder of his 6-year-old stepdaughter.

Mary Miller, 31 years old, of Philadelphia, committed suicide at her home by swallowing carbolic acid.

Captain Richmond P. Hobson was the guest last night of the New Haven (Conn.) Business Men's Association at their annual banquet.

The Brown University Corporation, of Providence, R. I., accepted John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$75,000 for the erection of a social and religious building.

Saturday, February 8.

The Orinoco Steamship Company, capital \$1,000,000, was incorporated at Trenton, N. J.

Count De Lucenay, of Calcutta, India, was sent to jail in default of bail at El Paso, Tex., for perjury.

The Red Wing Sewer Pipe Company's plant at Red Wing, S. D., was destroyed by fire. Loss \$100,000.

Fire destroyed the Vendome Hotel, at Minneapolis, Minn., causing a loss of \$75,000. Many guests had narrow escapes.

C. M. Cole and Henry Reynolds were killed by the breaking of a scaffold on which they were painting the interior of a building at Atlanta, Ga.

Monday, February 10.

The International Woman Suffrage Congress will convene in Washington next Wednesday.

The Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, at Lebanon, Pa., was damaged by fire to the extent of \$5,000.

The Stationary Firemen's Union, of the anthracite coal region, will hold their convention at Nanticoke, Pa., on March 1.

The Filipino junta of Hong Kong, China, has flooded Manila with pamphlets expressing sympathy at the death of President McKinley.

A street motor dashed into a Cleveland and Pittsburgh freight train going at full speed at Cleveland, O., and five men were seriously injured.

Tuesday, February 11.

Ground was broken at Princeton, N. J., for the new \$250,000 gymnasium for Princeton College.

It is reported that ex-Secretary Gage will assume the presidency of the United States Trust Company, of New York.

The battleship Illinois, to be the flagship of the reception squadron to meet Prince Henry, left Newport News for New York.

Andrew Carnegie sent a check for \$100,000 to Stevens Institute of Technology, in Hoboken, N. J., to endow the laboratory of engineering.

General Fitzhugh Lee lectured last night on "Peace and War in the United States and Cuba" before the National Union Organization of Chicago.

Wednesday, February 12.

Three business blocks of Alliance, O., were burned yesterday. Loss, \$60,000.

More than 400 houses were destroyed by fire at Canton, China, yesterday.

The national convention of railroad commissioners met in Charleston, S. C., yesterday.

Fifteen men were injured, five seriously, in a dust explosion at mine No. 5, near Bon Air, Tenn., yesterday.

Indianapolis, Ind., has been designated as a regular inspection point for cavalry horses purchased for the British army in South Africa.

A yellow rainfall at Manche, France, was found to contain mineral matter composed of carbonate of calcium and lime sulphate and chlorates.

Thursday, February 13.

The Marconi Wireless Telegraph company, of London, has insured the life of Mr. Marconi for \$750,000.

The seventh annual convention of the Pennsylvania State School Directors' Association was held in Harrisburg.

Fire yesterday at Harmarville, Pa., on the West Penn railroad, destroyed \$75,000 worth of property and for a time threatened the entire town.

The Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, former governor general of Canada, died yesterday at his residence at Clondeboyne, County Down, Ireland.

S. S. Tilden, postmaster at Raymond, Ill., pleaded guilty to embezzlement and was fined \$1,950 and sentenced to six months in the penitentiary.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 12.—Flour weak; winter superfine, \$2.25@2.30; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25@3.50; city mills, extra, \$2.90@3.15. Rye flour steady; at \$2.25@2.35 per barrel. Wheat steady; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, \$1.40; corn steady; No. 2 yellow, local, 66 1/2¢; oats firm; No. 2 white, clipped, 67 1/2¢; lower grades, 47¢. Hay weak; No. 1 timothy, sold at \$15.50@16 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, 19.50@20.50. Pork firm; family, \$19@19.50. Live poultry, 12@12 1/2¢ for hens, and 8¢ for old roosters. Dressed poultry sold at 12 1/2¢ for choice fowls, and at 8¢ for old roosters. Butter steady; creamery, 31¢. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 30 1/2¢ per dozen. Potatoes were dull; eastern, 75@80¢ per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Cattle firm and unchanged; veal firm; hogs, \$9.25; light to good, \$7@8.75. Hogs declined 5¢ on all but Yorkers; heavy, \$8.40; mixed, \$6.25@6.35; pigs, \$4.50@4.60. Sheep firm; mixed, \$4.50@4.60; others, \$3.25@4.75; wethers, \$5.25@5.50; yearlings, \$4.50@5.75. Lambs firm; tops, \$4.35@6.40; others, \$4.50@4.60.

East Liberty, Pa., Feb. 12.—Cattle steady; choice, \$6.50@6.75; prime, \$6.25@6.40; good, \$5.60@5.80. Hogs active; prime heavies, \$6.15@6.30; medium, \$5.80@6.00; heavy Yorkers, \$5.25@5.50; light Yorkers, \$4.60@4.80; pigs, \$3.50@3.75. Sheep steady; best wethers, \$5@5.25; culls and common, \$2@3; yearlings, \$4.50@5.50; veal calves, \$7.50@8.50.

WHEALTON'S WILD GOOSE FARM.

Four Hundred Acres of Land Growing Wild Geese.

A few weeks ago the Sunday edition of the Baltimore Herald published an account of Captain Whealton's wild goose farm on Chincoteague Island, which was widely read and quoted. Editor Haddaway was evidently not altogether pleased with the account, inasmuch as he has written an account of this industry which is characteristically his own. Here it is in head lines and all.

"There are numerous ostrich farms in South Africa and Western America; there are snail farms in France and Italy; there are leech farms in Netherlands and in Flanders; there are bull-frog farms along the Mediterranean and bull farms in Ireland; terrapin farms in the American States and turtle farms in Caroline county; four ground hog farms in New England and two in the old country; but there is but one wild goose farm in the world, and that is Captain Joshua W. Whealton's on Chincoteague Island, an Atlantic coast strip partly in Maryland and mostly in Virginia. Captain Whealton is one among the 400 wealthiest men of the peninsula, and he is not in the last row. His wild goose farm did not make his wealth; but it has been contributing to its amplitude.

The area of Captain Whealton's wild goose farm is 400 acres. He commenced on a much smaller scale than this, his first plant being a small salt water hole about as big as a cabbage's imagination, and a strip of ground the size of a cabbage patch. The development of the business soon required expansion, and Captain Whealton gave expansion the reins, and increasing demands will doubtless be met by subsequent additions to the Chincoteague wild goose farm. To keep the geese company the Captain has branched—the finest of all water fowl to test the huntsman's skill, and satisfy the palate around a winter evening's supper table,—Japanese ducks and many other kinds of wild birds. English sparrows are strictly prohibited. The geese are shipped alive upon special orders and bring five dollars apiece. Sales are made mostly along the New England coast and in Canada from Anticosti to Winnipeg, but shipments have been made as far north as Abo, Finland, the place where John Reinwall, sailor and bridge builder, who recently lived in Easton, came from.

It is said that, amongst of geese, Captain Whealton in Table I, one separately, and the general and progeny of each one, even as a sheep head knows his ewe and his lambs by looking them in the face. William Cullen Bryant's ode to a water fowl is supposed to refer to the wild goose, but not to Captain Whealton's, as he has no owned ones pro or con. It's all cash. Chincoteague is a most interesting part of the Atlantic's beachy strips the east winds have formed all along the American coast. The wild beach ponies are indigenous to Chincoteague as far as America is concerned. They are becoming extinct however. Commercialism is after them, and it is doubtful if there is now a thousand of them on the island. Their ancestors came from the Orkneys, and swam ashore from a shipwreck. They were the only survivors of the calamity. This occurred years before another shipwreck on the same coast but north of Chincoteague, a ship from the Mediterranean, — a ship from the Mediterranean, — stranded several families of Moors, whose descendants are thrifty and respected citizens around Cheswold in Delaware.

And on Chincoteague there is the only wild goose farm in the world."

Temperance Army.

The citizens of Canton or East Salisbury called a meeting last Saturday evening in the mission room, corner Church and Anne streets, for the purpose of organizing a society for the promotion of temperance and sobriety. Notwithstanding the unfavorable conditions of the weather a large number of citizens responded.

Rev. J. S. Bosman was chosen chairman, and called the meeting to order. A temperance army was then organized and the following officers elected. President—Mrs. S. P. Downing. Vice-President—Mr. G. M. Downing. 2d Vice-President—Mrs. Wm. Boston. Secretary—Mrs. Clarence Parker. Treasurer—Mr. John H. White. Committee on Finance—Mr. Jno. Reinwall, Mr. Benjamin Davis, Mr. Clarence Parker.

Committee on Music—Mrs. Charlie Farlow, Mrs. George Farlow, Mrs. E. Q. Parker, Mrs. Henrietta Holt, Mrs. Ed Phillips, Mrs. Fannie Bowden, Mr. Eugene Nicholas.

Committee on Literature—Mrs. Harry Webb, Mrs. George Farlow, Mrs. Annie White, Mrs. Nathan Evans, Mrs. Elmer Dennis, Mrs. Lee Godfrey, Mrs. Wm. Bostie.

Organist—Mrs. George Tyndal. Assistants—Mrs. James Bosman, Miss Laura Reinwall. There are at present forty-four volunteers. The society will meet at half after seven o'clock every Saturday evening.

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Mr. James Lenpreere Hammond gave an organ recital in Christ Church, Easton, Friday night, January 31. The choir sang selections from Mendelssohn's "St. Paul," "Jairus' Daughter," Stainer, several anthems, a trio and quartet.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter, widow of George R. Carpenter, died Sunday in Chesapeake City of paralysis, aged 70 years. Her surviving sons are Tobias Carpenter, of Chesapeake City, and Richard Carpenter, of Wilmington, Del.

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A meeting of Frederick county turnpike representatives was held in Frederick on Saturday to take steps to resist the passage by the legislature of the bill to prohibit the collection of toll on Sunday from persons going to church.

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Samuel Bradford, of Belair, has been inspecting valuable tracts of land in Cecil county, in which there are clay deposits, and it is rumored that a large plant will soon be established near North East for the manufacture of bricks.

HE FEARED HE HAD LOST

When Wu Ting Fang, the famous Chinese Minister to Washington, irritable and somewhat forgetful from a severe cold, missed one day from the front of his cap the immense diamond he always wears there, he was dreadfully frightened. A friend pointed out that the diamond was inadvertently dropped by the turban wrong side before, and that the diamond was safe in the rear. Had Wu Ting Fang been wearing a Benson's Porous Plaster on his chest or back to cure his cold, he never would have doubted its location. He would have felt it doing its work,—warming and making flexible the torpid muscles, extracting the pain and soreness, promoting the free circulation of the blood, stimulating the skin and lungs to proper action, and so dissolving and banishing the malady. Thus we perceive, beloved friends, that

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AS THE SUN SEES IT.

The Baltimore Sun is giving Mr. B. Howard Haman's oyster bill a most pronounced support. Speaking editorially Thursday, the Sun says:

"Mr. Haman's speech to the House of Delegates in advocacy of an oyster-planting law, published in yesterday's Sun has produced a profound impression on the Maryland public, and it is hard to believe that it will be without effect upon the State Legislature. Mr. Haman proposes simply that 400,000 acres of the bottom of the bay, where no oysters now grow, shall be leased for 20 years in tracts of not more than 300 acres at an annual rental of from \$1 to \$3 per acre, with a view, first, to a revival of the oyster-growing and oyster-packing industries of the State, and in the next place in order to obtain from \$400,000 to \$500,000 of new revenue applicable to road-making in the several counties. Such increase of the oyster-growing area will not injure those who are now engaged in obtaining oysters from the natural beds. On the contrary, it will increase their business, as well as that of the many industries dependent upon the oyster industry. The spat from the planted, or artificial, beds will, to some extent, be floated by the tide upon the natural beds to the enrichment of the latter. It is not proposed to interfere in any way with the natural beds, from which the oyster-men now get oysters.

Mr. Haman shows how other States with less favorable oyster areas are now, by judicious planting laws, increasing yearly their catch of oysters and swelling their revenue. Maryland, which has wasted \$1,500,498 since 1865 in absurd legislation, should learn something from its own experience if it dares to learn from the experience of Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York and Virginia. Oyster planting is an old industry practiced in Europe long before it was practiced in this country. Its results speak for themselves. It is little less than criminal for the legislature to continue to consult ignorance and mistaken local interests rather than the experience of progressive communities. Revenue obtained by leasing barren areas at the bottom of the bay will afford welcome relief to the taxpayers of the counties. Applied intelligently to road making it will confer infinite benefits upon farmers and all others who have occasion to use the public highways."

ANOTHER OBJECT LESSON.

The United Charities of Cambridge is taxed beyond its capacity to help the needy of that city. The long and continued freeze has reduced many people who in fair weather seek out a living by taking oysters from the overworked and depleted beds of the Choptank, to the necessity of appealing to Charity for temporary relief.

A correspondent, in commenting upon this fact says:

"This condition of things gives further evidence on the fact that the once prolific oyster beds of the Choptank river are now depleted to such an extent that the oystermen are unable to earn enough money to meet their needs in times like the present. Heretofore they could all, in good weather, prepare for such emergencies, but that time has gone by."

Here is another argument to the legislature to speedily do something to save the oysterman from himself and the oyster industry from inevitable and absolute collapse. It is high time that the question shall be dealt with heroically, by the unselfish, patriotic, and intelligent element of the State without regard for the shortsighted and selfish preferences of any individual or class, but with an eye single to the rehabilitation of the industry as a source of employment and food supply to the people and of revenue to the whole State.

Wicomico's Civil Appointments.

Governor Smith has named the following Justices of the Peace, Notaries and School Commissioners for Wicomico county:

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

Districts.

1. Isaac L. English.....Mardela
2. William Bailey.....Mardela
3. Jonathan E. Bethards.....Hebron
4. George W. Freney.....Quantico
5. Levin T. Walter.....Jestersville
6. William Deaton.....Tyaskin
7. Minos B. Downings.....White Haven
8. John F. Phillips.....Capitola
9. Samuel P. Parsons.....Parsonburg
10. H. James Truitt.....Pittesville
11. Wesley D. Truitt.....Willards
12. William A. Trader.....Salisbury
13. William S. Boston.....Salisbury
14. Marcus Dennis.....Powellsville
15. Isaac F. Messick.....Fruitland
16. Daniel J. Staton.....Salisbury
17. Henry D. Powell.....Salisbury
18. Thomas J. Tarpin.....Salisbury
19. William J. Riggan.....Fruitland
20. Walter C. Mann.....Sharptown
21. Samuel E. Foskey.....Delmar

NOTARIES.

- F. Leonard Wallis.....Salisbury
G. Vickers White.....Salisbury
Ed. C. Fulton.....Salisbury
Theo. A. Vessey.....Delmar, Del.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

- W. Jeff Staton.....Salisbury

A Growing Industry.

There is a spirit of enterprise in Wicomico county which makes itself felt in her industrial growth, most gratifying to the citizens, particularly as local enterprise is sometimes lacking in rural communities.

One of the most note-worthy industries of the county is the crab meat business which Messrs. George D. Inley & Son of Bivalve are rapidly developing. They have a large packing house on the Nanticoke river, at Bivalve, where they are employing several months in the year large forces of men and women in putting up crab meat by a secret and most successful process for the markets of the country. The secret is their own and they carefully guard it. Their goods are now sold in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago and many of the other large cities of the West.

At the large department store of Siegel, Cooper & Co., New York, beginning with Monday, February 17th, and lasting two weeks, a free lunch made of this crab meat will be served, under the direction of four demonstrators.

The Messrs. Inley are backing the product with considerable capital, and expect soon to have it established on all the big markets of the country.

Free Membership in the Maryland State Horticultural Society.

All persons interested in the cultivation of fruits, vegetables and flowers should by all means become members of the State Horticultural Society. There is no charge whatever as the expenses of the Society are provided for by an annual appropriation from the State. The annual reports of the Society contain much valuable information, and are sent free to all whose names are on the roll book. To become a member, you have simply to write a postal requesting the Secretary to enter your name as a member. You will then be entitled to all the privileges of the Society, and as a tax payer, you cannot afford to miss becoming a member, and thus receive your share of the benefits from the State appropriation. The 4th annual report will soon be ready for distribution, and you should send in your name at once, so that a copy may be sent you. Be sure, in giving you address, to give the post office and county. Address A. L. Quaintance, Secretary, College Park, Md.

Suit Against B. C. & A.

Robert J. Dawson, of Trappe, Talbot Co., has brought a suit for \$10,000 damages against the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company. The case has been docketed, but the bar has not been filed. Last summer Mr. Dawson had an arm badly injured by machinery and was taken to the Cambridge Hospital to be treated. It became necessary to amputate the arm. He was taken to Cambridge by one of the defendant's steamboats. It is alleged, though not so stated as yet in the suit proceedings, that exposure incident to the non arrival of the steamboat on schedule time caused the loss of the arm.

The Best is The Cheapest.

If your business isn't large enough to justify extensive advertising better confine your work to the columns of the best paper in the town. It is a pretty sure thing that the best people in town—those whose trade is most desirable—are the ones who take the best paper. Its circulation is made up of the cream of the community, and you had better get all the trade you can out of that circulation before you turn to something else.—Charles Austin Bates.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Pritchard*

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Some of the Legislation of a Week at Annapolis.

The Committee on Judicial Proceedings submitted a favorable report to Senator Bryan's bill repealing the tax of 8 per cent on the income of mortgages. An amendment was adopted making the bill apply to mortgages executed after March 30, 1898.

In the House Mr. Braashears, of Anne Arundel county, introduced a bill the object of which is to compel white taxpayers to pay the expense of the conduct of white schools, while colored people will pay for the maintenance of colored schools. It is anticipated that the bill will provoke a great deal of discussion and opposition throughout the state.

The bill prepared by the commission of the American Bar Association for a uniform divorce law throughout the United States, and which was introduced in the Senate, has been reported unfavorably and the report adopted. It was considered that the present Maryland law suited the needs of the State better.

Some little pressure is being brought to bear upon Governor Smith for and against different candidates for appointment, although this is not nearly so severe as at the last session. It being understood that few changes will be made. According to the Constitution, all appointments requiring confirmation by the Senate must be sent in not later than Wednesday of next week.

Mr. Godwin has introduced an election bill in the House which is an exact copy of the bill already introduced by Mr. Putzel in the Senate. The bill practically restores the law as it stood prior to the extra session of last March, the only change being in the denial of assistance to voters unless physically disabled.

Senator Lewis' road bill for Allegany county was introduced in response to the recommendation of the grand jury and the Circuit Court of Allegany. It provides for a "road engineer" and three "road directors," appointable by the Governor, one of the directors to be of the minority party. It is hoped, says Mr. Lewis, to save an immense sum each year by this act, which follows the law for Baltimore county. Owners of wagons with tires less than four inches, having 6,000 pounds, will be subject to a fine of \$5.

Mr. Culver, of Wicomico, has introduced a libel and slander bill in the House. It adds a new section to the existing law as follows: "That any person who shall publish or speak any statement, word or words falsely, derogatory of the character of any female in this state, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than \$50 nor more than \$500, or imprisonment in the House of Correction for not less than two nor more than six months, or to both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court. Nothing in this act shall interfere with the civil remedies now existing in this state."

Senator Brewington has offered a local bill for the city of Salisbury which is the preliminary step toward paving the streets of the city with blocks or vitrified brick. The bill provides that whenever a majority of the property holders on any street shall petition the City Council to have a street paved the Council shall order the work done and the property on each side of the street shall be assessed one-half the cost and the city the other half. The bill provides that no one shall have a right of petition who does not own at least \$1,000 worth of property.

Another bill offered by Senator Brewington is to authorize the City Council of Salisbury to issue \$4,000 worth of 5 per cent bonds for fire engine repairs.

Senator Wilson of Prince George's county has introduced several bills relating to the public school system of the State. The most important was one providing for a commission to consist of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, who shall conduct a thorough investigation of the public school system of the State and report the same to the next General Assembly. The report is to embrace all the expenditures connected with the system and the method of raising revenue, as well as a review of the general system of education in vogue in different parts of the State.

Another bill introduced by the same Senator provides that the total free-school fund shall be reduced from \$150,000 to \$125,000, and that it shall be distributed according to the average attendance in the schools.

A third bill by the same author provides that all teachers in public schools shall be allowed to fill the full term of their election unless dismissed on regularly tried charges.

For Over Sixty Years

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

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SHARPTOWN

The "Deacon" in Twilley's Hall on Friday and Saturday nights of next week promise to be largely attended. The entire play will be presented by home talent.

Al Rano, the showman took his bull terriers out for practice a few days ago and a large bound intercepted them and the terriers became so infuriated that it was with great difficulty that they were subdued. The terriers are very vicious when aroused. The dogs were without muzzles and he succeeded in charming the old ones together but the young one had to be subdued by force. The hound was badly bitten and Al Rano received a wound on the leg.

Mrs. Cina Phillips and her children left here on Thursday for their home in New Jersey. Miss Phoebe left also on the same day for Philadelphia.

The Nanticoke has been frozen over here for several days. On Wednesday a track was cut open for the passage of the ferry scow, and the mail from here to Seaford was resumed.

On Friday of last week James W. Knowles, near here, cut two of his toes off while chopping wood in his yard near his residence.

A large storage of ice has been made here this season. All the ice houses have been filled with fine ice.

The skating on the near by ponds has been fine for several days. Our young ladies and gentlemen have enjoyed the sport and a great many have embraced the opportunity. There are some fine skaters. The accidents have been few and only slight in effect.

Lee Bradley of this town purchased this week of Capt. John Martino, his residence corner of Taylor and Water Streets. Capt. Martino will vacate the residence in May and Mr. Bradley and his bride will then occupy their new home.

Dr. Martindale, Presiding Elder, is expected here on Saturday to hold the Fourth Quarterly Conference at the M. E. Church. He will preach on Sunday morning.

While it has been several days since navigation practically closed here, the merchants' stock of merchandise seems to hold out and customers are supplied regularly. Drummers come and go just the same as before.

HEBRON.

Rev. A. W. Lightbourn will deliver a lecture in the M. P. Church of Hebron, Thursday evening, February 26th for the benefit of the church. Subject of the lecture is "Sunshine Shadows of Home Life." Everybody is invited.

Rev. Dr. Martindale of Salisbury delivered a very interesting sermon last Sunday evening in the M. E. Church.

Miss Laura Hearne entertained at her home on Main Street, a few of her friends. Those present were Misses Sadie and Annabel Lowe, Baby Phillips, Ella Davis, Carrie White and Lizzie Waller, Messrs. Oley Bennett and Messrs. Messick of Quantico, never in my life, Marion and Edgemoor have done Dow Mills of Spring Hill.

"Al Rano" and his dogs will entertain the town people this Saturday evening in the town hall.

Mr. Oley Bennett of Philadelphia has been spending the past month with his parents near town.

Mr. George Graham of Quantico spent the day in town Monday.

Mr. Marion Nelson made a flying trip to Baltimore this week.

The new grist mill of Nelson & Phillips is now in operation, converting the golden grain into a more delicate form.

Mr. Daniel Twilley is very sick at this writing.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

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will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

THE season is drawing to a close. We still have a few very desirable and stylish patterns left of overcoats, suitings, and trousseauing which we invite the public to inspect. These goods must be sold as we do not carry any patterns over until next season.

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Local Department.

News is the truth concerning men, nations and things. That is, truth concerning them which is helpful, or pleasant, or useful, or necessary for a reader to know.

—Mr. B. A. Booth spent part of last week in Baltimore.

—Mrs. Warner of Erie, Pa., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Smyth.

—Miss Mollie Laws is visiting her brother on Chincoteague Island, Va.

—Miss McBride, of Columbia, Pa., is visiting Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvin.

—Miss Violet Richmond of Cumberland is visiting the Misses Ellegood.

—Mr. Paul Watson spent a part of this week with his brother in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. Mollie Alderman of Tampa, Florida, is visiting her brother, Capt. W. F. Veasey.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. T. W. Williams of Milford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gillis this week.

—Mrs. W. J. Thompson of Delmar was a guest of Mrs. Jennie Collins this week.

—Dr. Harry S. Wailes of Cumberland, Md. was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Anna T. Wailes last Saturday and Sunday.

—One hundred and fifty persons have professed conversion at the revival services in Asbury Church, Smyrna.

—Mr. U. W. Dickerson of Virginia returned to his home this week after a visit among friends in this and Worcester county.

—Mrs. E. Stanley Toadvin and her guest, Miss McBride, of Columbia, Pa., Miss Graham and her guest, Miss Carroll of Baltimore, were the guests Thursday of Mrs. Toadvin's cousin, Mr. George Sellman Williams, at Princess Anne.

—Mr. A. W. Robinson of Sharptown, this county, was one of the passengers in the South bound train which was in collision with another train near Dover, Delaware last Wednesday night. Mr. Robinson was shaken up but uninjured. He walked to Dover.

—The delightful skating on Lake Humphreys has continued during the past week, and proved very alluring to several young people of Princess Anne, who came up regularly on the three o'clock train each afternoon to skate, returning on the evening train.

—A lively interest has been taken in the debate between the Mandela and Riverton public schools, some of the debaters having called on their Salisbury friends for assistance. Mr. W. B. Miller was asked for some points on the subject by one of the Riverton pupils.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. D. Stanford gave a large reception last Saturday evening, from eight to ten o'clock, at their home in Princess Anne. Those of Salisbury who attended the reception were, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gordy, Jr., Miss Mary Lee White, Miss Virginia Gordy, Mr. G. Vickers White and Mr. Graham Gunby.

—The directors of the Easton Gas and Electric Light Company have given an option on their plants and franchises in Easton for \$11,000 for 60 days to the Diamond State Telephone Company, Harry A. Richardson, of Dover, Del., president. The property is encumbered with a mortgage for \$9,000 to Senator Robert B. Dixon. During the running of the option a thorough examination of the properties will be made by an expert.

—Captain Jas. A. Turner, of the state police steamer Governor McLane, reports that he proceeded to the schooner, Minnehaha, which is beached at Parker's rock, near Fairhaven. He could not get to her with the McLane, but sent one of his small boats. The captain of the schooner reported that the tide had dropped five feet since the vessel was forced into the position it then occupied and that only a foot of water remained beneath the ice. He said he had provisions enough for five days and would not leave the boat.

—The largest invoice of farm shovels ever received by a firm in Salisbury arrived Monday for the Dorman & Smyth Hardware Company. There was a full car load, more than two hundred bundles, which came direct from manufacturers. The Dorman & Smyth Hardware Company has en route from the factory three car loads of Oliver Chilled Flows, which are expected to arrive this week. This shows how largely Salisbury merchants buy.—Wicomico News.

—At Peddy Institute, in New Jersey, where Mr. George Whartman, of this city, is enrolled as a student, another student hanged himself last Tuesday. The motive is not known but it is thought by the management of the school that the unfortunate young man meant to play a practical joke upon his roommate. In any event when the roommate entered the room he was appalled by the sight of his companion hanging from the end of a rope which was fastened to the facing of a closet door. The body was at once cut down but every effort to start the current of life failed.

—At a meeting of the County Commissioners last Tuesday, Mr. J. Frank Waller was appointed constable for Salisbury District, and the bonds of Mr. A. Lee Pollitt and Mr. Robert A. Ellis were approved. Pensions of \$1.50 per month were granted Julia A. Smith and Henry Evans.

—Rev. S. J. Smith proposes to preach in the M. P. Church on Sunday upon the following themes, 11 a. m. "The Year of Jubilee" 7.30 p. m. "The Hand that stuck to the Sword". Sunday School at 9.30 and Christian Endeavor at 6.45. Cordial invitation to all these services.

—Rev. Chas. A. Hill was called to Wilmington this week on account of the death of his mother, which occurred at her home in that city Wednesday of this week. Funeral services will be held this Saturday afternoon and interment made in Wilmington. Mr. Hill will return the early part of next week. Mrs. Hill was one of the oldest ladies living in Delaware.

—A "Valentine Social" was held last evening by the young people of Rockaway, walking at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Pollitt. An interesting program was rendered and a valentine was given to each one present as a souvenir of the occasion. A small admission fee was charged and ice cream and cake served free. The proceeds were for church purposes.

—The Christian Endeavor Anniversary in the M. P. Church last Sunday evening was a decided success. There was a large attendance, there were eight additions to the society. Two papers read by Miss Jennie Vincent and Miss Edna Adkins had special merit. Elmer Powell recited "A guest for a creed." The responses from church officers were to the point. The enthusiasm was intense, the music was inspiring, Miss Minnie Wimbrow as organist.

Navigation Closed.

Navigation has been closed ten days. The rivers and bay are frozen up, the steamer Tivoli, Captain Veasey, is at her pier in Baltimore and has not attempted to leave for a week. No boat has connected with the B. C. & A. railroad at Claiborne since last week.

The oyster business and fishing are entirely suspended, as are field operations among farmers, so there is but little work of any kind doing. The snow has been a great protection to the wheat fields.

There is fine ice skating and skating. Wherever there is a hole of sufficient area open in the ice wild fowl congregate for feeding. Turkey buzzards are starving and perishing from cold, and the winter has been probably destructive to partridges and other birds and to rabbits. Icehouses in Wicomico county are filled from bottom to top with heavy clear ice.

Despite the general tie up Salisbury people have enjoyed uninterrupted intercourse with the outside world by means of the Pennsylvania railroad, both as to travel and mail.

There has been but little real suffering among the poorer people of the town and county. This is due, probably to the fact that none of our people are so poor that they cannot protect themselves against the rigors of a severe winter.

Letter to L. W. Gunby.

Salisbury, Md.
Dear Sir:—You have taken the agency for the foremost paint in the world: Devco lead and zinc. It is right to put before you the facts as to why it is the foremost.

- (1) Best materials; lead, zinc, dryer, color, and linseed oil, ONLY used in it.
- (2) It contains nothing else whatever; no water, no alkali, no benzine, no petroleum, no fish oil, no barytes, no whitening—no adulterants.
- (3) Your state chemist not only has analyzed the paint, and verified (1) and (2); but he is going to buy it and analyze it occasionally, and thus watch over the interests of your customers.
- (4) It is proportioned for wear.
- (5) It is mixed intimately and ground fine.
- (6) It is full measure (231 cubic inches a gallon).
- (7) It is sold at so low a price as to make it cheaper than lead and oil.
- (8) It wears twice as long, and therefore costs less than half as much by the year.
- (9) You can refund the money if any customer is dissatisfied.
- (10) We are responsible; have been in business 145 years without a break, and are the largest paint manufacturers in the U. S.

Yours truly,
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A Horse On Lake Humphreys.

Mr. Charles E. Bennett almost lost his horse late Friday afternoon. Attracted by the excellent skating on Lake Humphreys which has been enjoyed by a great many people Mr. Bennett thought he would drive his horse to a sleigh over the glassy surface of the lake.

He succeeded in getting on the ice without mishap and had driven over the lake repeatedly, but attempting to drive off at a point just below the jail, the ice gave way and the horse and cutter sank into the mud near the shore.

The spectators immediately came to Mr. Bennett's rescue and succeeded in preventing the horse from drowning, and finally, after hard work, landed him not much worse apparently for the chilly bath.

Bad Coughs

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could find no relief until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Only one-fourth of the bottle cured me."
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Neglected colds always lead to something serious. They run into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or consumption. Don't wait, but take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral just as soon as your cough begins. A few doses will cure you then.

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One-Third to One-Half off the Regular Price.

These garments are made by the best skilled operators and manufacturers, pretty and stylish, for there's style in underwear as well as outerwear. Don't miss the chance to secure your outfit at one third to one-half off the regular price.

Visit our Remnant Counter before it is too late.

30 dozen Hose, 25c. grade, size 6 to 9 1-2 at 16c. per pair.

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Special sale of embroideries, White Goods, Etc.

Linen Department.

Special bargains in Table Linens and Napkins to match, Towels, Crashes, Etc.
Bargains in Comforts, Bed Blankets—in fact Bargains greet you in every department.
Prices marked in plain figures—no deviation.

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If a good name will sell anything, what will a Thoroughgood name sell? What firm in Salisbury has put more clothing on the backs of Salisbury people than any other two firms?—Lacy Thoroughgood. Facts, not words, dictate where you should buy Clothing and Hats. Is there really and need to say where values are found? Wait a moment let us think; let us think. What Clothing man in Salisbury was brought up in the business, knows it from A to IZZARD? Lacy Thoroughgood. What firm works with a free hand? Lacy Thoroughgood. What firm has every Suit of Clothes it sells made special to order? Lacy Thoroughgood. What firm stands behind every garment until it wears as it should? Lacy Thoroughgood. What Clothing do others say theirs "is just as good as"? Lacy Thoroughgood's. Do you wonder why Thoroughgood sells twice as much clothing and Hats as any other firm in this Salisbury town? There is no mystery about it—"A GOOD NAME WILL SELL ANYTHING"—and knowing what men want, having it and selling it for less money. Every day people show me more plainly than words could tell that the Clothing and Hats I sell is the sort they want, and that encourages me to sell better Clothing all the time. Over fifteen years ago (when many of you were youngsters, and Lacy Thoroughgood a toddling infant in the Clothing and Hat business) that word "good" was written all over whatever I did, and has since stuck fast to whatever I do. And now, (I can safely say it) the Clothing that bears my name is far ahead of the average ready-to-wear Clothing. About those Bargains! Oh yes here they are—over one hundred Men's Suits 34 to 44 breast, all on our Bargain Table, each suit with a red tag attached—\$10, \$12 and \$15 Suits now \$6.60.

Lacy Thoroughgood
SALISBURY, MD.
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The goods are of the finest weaves and the quantity will not last long, so come early to secure bargains.

Look at our 40 in. India Linen, 10 and 12c.

Look at our 36 in. Gingham, 10c.

Look at our Gingham at 8 and 10c.

Look at our P. K. at 8c.

Look at our Plaid Muslin at 5c.

Look at our Muslin at 5c.

Look at our Laces at 5c.

Look at our Large Pearl Buttons, 10c doz.

Look at our Pearl Buttons at 6c doz.

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SALISBURY, MD.

keeper. "that is the password: LIFT up your hands, ye everlasting gates, and let these people come in." They go in and surround the throne, jubilant forever!

Ah, do you wonder that the last hour of the Christian on earth are illuminated by thoughts of the coming glory? Light in the evening. The medicines may be bitter. The pain may be sharp. The parting may be heartrending. Yet light in the evening. As all the stars of the night sink their anchors off pearls in lake and river and sea so the waves of Jordan shall be illuminated with the down flashing of the glory to come. The dying soul looks up at the constellations. "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?" "The Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

Close the eyes of the departed one; earth would seem tame to its enchanted vision. Fold the hands; life's work is ended. Vell the face; it has been transfigured.

Mr. Toplady in his dying hour said "Light." Coming nearer the expiring moment, he exclaimed with illuminated countenance, "Light!" In the last instant of his breathing he lifted up his hands and cried: "Light! Light!"

Thank God for light in the evening!

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German Street Car Manners.

Writing from Berlin, William E. Curtis says that men in Germany do not usually offer seats to women. "On the contrary, men have the preference. It is the rule that all seats are occupied, that people on the platform may have the benefit of vacancies that occur inside in regular order—the first comer having the preference."

"The other day, while sitting near the door in a Thiergarten car, a breathless old woman, with arms full of bundles, climbed upon the platform. I arose and beckoned her to take my seat, but before she could do so a well dressed brute pushed in ahead and settled down in it. I took hold of his arm and motioned to the woman, but he shook his head. I told him that he ought to be ashamed of himself at which he smiled sarcastically and a small boy on the platform snickered."

"The old woman blockaded the aisle, and this time in a sort of daze until the conductor ordered her back to the platform for people are 'verboten' to stand in the aisles. When I followed her outside, a man who had watched the proceedings kindly explained to me that under the regulations the brute was entitled to the seat when I surrendered it and would probably have taken it even if his own mother had to stand. 'We have our hogs in Germany,' he added, 'but we do not kill them as you do in America.'"

Church Runs a Woodyard.

A man out of work, without money and without food for his family applied no long since to Rev. Dr. George S. Anderson, pastor of the Highland Avenue Congregational church of Somerville, Mass. His case touched the clergyman's heart. Investigation proved the man's tale of woe to be true. Then he conceived the idea of establishing a woodyard on a small scale. Several cords of wood were purchased and piled up in the big basement of the church. Men out of work and seeking employment were invited to come to the chopping block.

The plan proved a success. For every foot of scantling sawed the man with the saw received 20 cents. Two feet, or a quarter of a cord, sawed and split, making five sugar barrels full, netted the worker 90 cents. This was considered fair day's work.

For every three barrels of kindling sold for \$1. Members of the church do this. This pays the first cost of the scantlings and the labor besides. No profit is made. The benefit of the deal goes to the man who works.

At Peckforton, Cheshire, England, to be seen a very queer beehive. It is in the shape of a castle on an elephant's back and is carved in stone.

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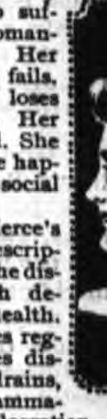
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- 5000 Yards Ribbon, one-fourth to one-half off.
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- Lot of odd pieces, open stock, Decorated China, Patterns we have dropped, from one-fourth to one-half off.
- Men's Ladies' and Children's Shoes, one-fourth to one-half off.
- Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, one-fourth to one-half off.
- Ladies' Knit Skirts, 18c up.
- Muslin Underwear, grand lot at less than bargain prices.
- Bed Blankets, great bargains to close out quick.
- Gentlemen's Undershirts, one-fourth to one-half off.
- Dress Goods, one-fourth to one-half off.
- Ladies' Coats and Capes, at prices within reach of all.

In addition to the above, we have selected all the REMNANTS in the different lines and now offer them at great bargain prices.

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SALISBURY, MD.

LOCAL Correspondence

ALLEN.

Miss Anna Robertson of Mardela Springs is visiting the family of Mr. Robert Lee Griffith this week.

Mr. Morley Harcum has been quite ill with rheumatism for some time, but at this writing he seems to be on the road to recovery.

Ice News: Capt. Fred Wallace of Orleole, Somerset county is spending a few days on the ice at Allen. At night he is the guest of his brother, Capt. W. A. Wallace.

Miss Nina Brewington of near Whayland is the guest of Miss Ethel Malone during the freeze.

Mr. Carroll Banks and sister, Miss Dora, of near Whayland spent Tuesday afternoon last on the ice with the young folks of Allen.

Dr. J. L. T. Long and family were in Salisbury last Tuesday. While there Messrs. Guy and Curtis Long took advantage of the ice and endeavored to show the Salisbury boys a wrinkle or two on skates.

The young folks of Allen gave the fifth of a series of dances last Friday night at the club rooms of the Allen Cottillion Club on Main Street. Those taking an active part in the dance are as follows: Misses Florence and Rose Goslee, Sadie Waller, Gertrude and Addie Griffith of Allen and Miss Lena Griffith of Princess Anne, Messrs. Jno. J. Griffith, Jr., E. K. and Leroy Gunby, R. J. Stewart Jr., Enoch and George Boudin, Grover Porter and Andrew Pollitt, all of Allen, and Messrs. Irving Pollitt, Marion Malone and William Griffith all of Princess Anne. There was also a large number of invited 'onlookers' present. These dances are becoming quite popular in Allen.

This is the 'funny' reply of a very bright and accomplished young girl of a certain school who was passing a 'purely formed' examination in physiology. "Where is the alimentary canal?" was demanded. "Really," was the pleasant reply. "I forget whether it is in Indianapolis or Illinois."

As I have written so much 'tom foolery' for the ADVERTISER of late I thought it would be well to write 'more seriously' this week. You know Messrs. Editors a man don't like to be looked upon all the time as being a sap-head. Many of your readers are very anxious that I should say something religious through the columns of your valuable paper, but my supply of the article just mentioned is so very limited that I am afraid to undertake the job. I need every pound that I have in my warehouse in my business here at home. Just at this time the value of religion is greatly enhanced by the scarcity. Anyone having a surplusage might do a good business in Allen. For the benefit of those who are addicted to profanity I will say never use 'cuss' words on any when in a passion or in friendly conversation. One of your male readers who taketh his drink behind the door and talketh prohibition asked me to 'write up' in the ADVERTISER the effect of an overdose of corn whiskey on the nether limbs. I am also very sorry that I will not be able to comply with this gentleman's request. I cannot do it for the simple reason that I never drink corn whiskey only when at a camp meeting. It being very scarce and hard to get at a place of public worship. I have never as yet experienced that tired feeling in my legs from an overdose of this particular brand. Sorry Mr. X—that I cannot enlighten the general public on this subject. One young lady 38 years of age said to me the other day. "Mr. A—why don't you quit your foolishness in the ADVERTISER and write something sensible, for instance, The effect of powder on the human system. I know you can do it," and she gave me a sweet smile. But Messrs. Editors I can not even do this. I began practicing medicine in my youth on a dog but gave it up in disgust. I desired to cure the dog of the egg-eating habit. I bought some medicine for him in a powdered form, and on the label there was a skull and cross bones. I gave the dog the medicine according to directions as I thought and it cured him for all time, for he died. A gentleman told me afterward that I made the dose too small. I presume Mr. C—that powder would have about the same effect on the human system as it had on the dog when taken internally, but used externally as you use it, it is harmless. Now Messrs. Editors you and your readers can readily see that I am not such a sap-head as pictured by some for I have sense enough to tell what I do not know about things. I confess my ignorance on the subjects just mentioned in tears.

QUANTICO.

The people in Quantico were much exercised and yet feel very thankful that a drowning accident was averted from Mr. Clifton Boudin on Monday. Mr. Boudin is one of our young men, who has been a success in business circles and is well known throughout the lower Peninsula.

Dr. Lee, a representative of 'The New York Vermillion Company' has been giving a short entertainment each evening during the week in Knights' Pythian Hall to which he charged an admission fee of 10 cents. His primary business was the sale of the patent medicines manufactured by his firm. The amount of his sales seem to be indicated by the length of his stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando W. Taylor entertained at their home on Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Messick, Mr. and Mrs. G. Marion Messick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Daehliel, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jobling, Misses Emma Harris and Maude C. have.

"All aboard for 'The Y's pond'" is the cry heard daily when a vast crowd of the young folks start yet for this great source of their winter fun.

Society circles have been in a whirl during the past week in town. On Saturday evening, the Messrs. Boston gave a reception at their home on Main

Street at which the following were present: The Messrs. Ella Brady, Rubie Crawford, Jennie and Florence Boudin, Nellie Brady, Susie Gale, Agnes, Kate and Nannie Taylor, Maude Collier, Myrtle and Elsie Gordy, Ella Brady, Emma Harris and Mattie Gordy and Messrs. Daniel Collier, Ira and Ray Disharoon, Clifford and Byrd Taylor, Jno. and Geo. Graham, Walter Humphreys, Guy Crawford, Wm. Gordy, Talbot Truitt, Harry Jones and Herbert Messick.

On Monday evening, Miss Ella Brady entertained the young ladies and gentlemen of town. The guests were delighted during the evening by vocal and instrumental solos. At 10.30 the company was invited to the dining room, where refreshments, consisting of ices and cakes were served. Those present were, the Messrs. Minnie Anderson, Mattie Gordy, Lillian and Daisy Boston, Maude Collier, Emma Harris, Agnes, Kate and Nannie Taylor, Myrtle and Elsie Gordy, Susie Gale, Rubie Crawford and Myrtle Phillips and Messrs. Harry Jones, Jno. Graham, Walter Humphreys, Clifford and Byrd Taylor, Herbert Messick, Daniel Collier, Talbot Truitt, Wm. Gordy, Guy Crawford and Ira and Ray Disharoon.

To crown the social functions of the week, the elite of town gave a masquerade party on Tuesday evening in Turpin's Hall. The beauty and chivalry of the place were there assembled, and the masked company enjoyed the evening to the greatest extent. At 11.30 an excellent supper was served at which was seated sixteen of Quantico's fair young ladies by the side of as many of her gallants.

The fourth Quarterly conference of the M. E. churches of Quantico circuit was held Monday at Hebron. The people of the whole circuit are unanimous for the return of our present pastor, Rev. C. W. Strickland.

Mr. John Crockett, son of Mr. Fred Crockett of this community, has recently been appointed assistant clerk in the office of the Union Traction Co., Philadelphia. Mr. Crockett's selection to this position is a matter of much pleasure to his many friends in town.

Mr. Levin Gordy, formerly of Wicomico county, but for twelve years a resident of east N. Carolina where he was engaged in the lumber industry, has returned to this county and expects to make Quantico his permanent home.

Mr. Geo. Graham made a business trip to Marion this week.

Miss Beulah Cooper of Allen is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. Marion Messick near town.

Mr. Edward Gordy who has been in North Carolina during the hunting season returned to his home near town Saturday.

PITTSVILLE.

The young people of this vicinity gave Miss Virgie E. Parsons a surprise party Friday evening of last week. Those present were Misses Florence Hamilton, Maye Farlow, Carrie Richardson, Elva Farlow, Mayme Truitt, Ella Davis, Manolis Farlow, Roxie Parsons, Bertha Dennis, Many Parsons, Messrs. Ernest Davis, Clarence Laws, Reese Dennis, Harry Brittingham, Berry Parsons, Ralph Collins, Clarence Holloway of Salisbury, Oscar Adkins, Thomas Davis, Oscar Farlow, J. Roe Shockey, Archie Purnell, Walter Adkins and Solomon Shockey. All spent a very pleasant evening.

Miss Mayme Truitt attended the ball given at Seaside Hotel, Ocean City, last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsall Ewing of Salem, Md. are visiting relatives in this town.

Miss Eva Baker of Salisbury visited her sister, Mrs. B. Brittingham.

Misses Nellie and Ethel Dennis have returned home from a visit to friends at Salem.

Mr. George W. H. Parker is suffering from an attack of lagrippe.

Mr. Vaughn of Ashville N. C. delivered a temperance lecture at the M. E. Church last Wednesday night.

Dr. L. Collins who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Linsley at Stockton has returned home.

Mrs. Wm. Collins gave a St Valentine social Friday evening. Various games were played until a late hour when the young people returned to their respective homes having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. W. Williams of Milford, Mrs. A. A. Gillis and Mr. Chas. E. Williams of Salisbury were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Dennis Thursday last.

Miss Mayme Parker of Ocean City is visiting her father Mr. George W. Parker.

Mr. George Collins of Ocean City is visiting relatives here.

BIVALVE.

The freeze has already begun to break and considerable damage is being done by the ice. Part of the steamboat wharf at Bivalve has already been taken away by the ice.

We understand that there will be an entertainment at the Odd Fellows Hall next week. As this is the first entertainment of the season we suppose it will be largely attended.

While some of our young people were out skating last Monday evening one of the young men met with the misfortune to skate in an air hole and of course went down in the water, as there are no sleepers under the ice, but fortunately came out all right.

Owing to the continued long freeze and our steamer being unable to run some of our merchants were compelled to send to Salisbury for provisions.

Some of our young men spent Tuesday at Tyaskin.

We understand that a certain colored man in speaking of his success made the remark that a turtle would crawl three miles to meet him rather than be caught by a white man.

We are very sorry to report that Miss Margaret Salisbury and Miss Mae Messick are on the sick list this week.

We hope that a certain young lady will soon learn, as she is an apt scholar, what fifty eggs come to at twelve cents a dozen.

Aching Joints

In the fingers, toes, arms, and other parts of the body, are joints that are inflamed and swollen by rheumatism—that acid condition of the blood which affects the muscles also.

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Remember that Saturday, February 22d, will be the last day, and if you have not made your purchase yet, don't delay longer.

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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Some of the Legislation of a Week at Annapolis.

The bill introduced by Senator Betts providing for public libraries in the incorporated towns of the State has passed its second reading. A number of Senators objected to the feature providing for the levying of a tax for the purpose, and the following counties were exempted from the operation of the law: Carroll, Garrett, Harford, Howard, Montgomery, Prince George's, Queen Anne's, St. Mary's, Wicomico and Worcester.

The following is the commission appointed under the Straus education bill, to be known as "the commission for the improvement of public and normal education in Maryland": John Walter Smith, Ira Remsen, Lloyd Lowndes, Henry Page, Richard M. Venable, Edward H. Griffith, Walter W. Abell, Joshua W. Hering, Henry Stockbridge, J. Wirt Randall, Stevenson A. Williams, Benjamin Harris Camaller, Joseph M. Cushing, Ferdinand Williams and W. Bates Stephens.

Mr. Brashears has introduced a bill to re-enact with amendments the law relating to the tax on mortgages. This is the third bill covering the same subject before the House. In explanation of his bill, Mr. Brashears said:

The law now provides that the mortgages shall pay a tax of 8 per centum on the interest on the mortgage debt; that one-fourth thereof be paid to the state and the residue to the counties and the city of Baltimore. This bill provides that all the tax collected in the counties shall be paid to the several boards of county school commissioners, and that collected in Baltimore city to the board of school commissioners in Baltimore city for the use of the public schools.

The school tax in several of the counties is insufficient to maintain the schools, and there must be something done, and, if possible, without an additional direct tax on the real property and personal chattels. It seems to me that this is the opportune time to give the schools the benefit of this tax, because the state will not feel the loss. At the same time, it will be a great help to the several county schools. In the course of a few years the tax derived from this source will put the schools on a sound and firm footing.

Ex Sergeant Ambrose A. Ryan, special agent for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, took to Annapolis the docked horse which has been exhibited in Baltimore and it was inspected with much interest by members of the House and Senate. The Society has four bills in the Legislature, among them one to prevent the docking of horses' tails, and the exhibition is the particularly aggravated case which was purchased by the Society for this purpose. The horse bears a blanket on which is inscribed "Tail Docked—Mutilated for Life—For Fashion's Sake."

Sergeant Ryan went to Secretary of State Bateman, who has charge of the docket for legislative agents and attorneys, and attempted to register the horse as a lobbyist in favor of the S. P. C. A. bills, but Mr. Bateman declined to allow the registry. He wished to register "Victim—6 year old sorrel gelding, mutilated for life, employed in the interest of the bill preventing the docking of horses in Maryland." Secretary Bateman said that he hardly thought it was dignified to allow this to go on the docket, though he was heartily in favor of the bill.

A New District.

Mr. White, of the Wicomico delegation, has introduced a bill in the legislature to create a new election district in this county out of parts of Salisbury and Nutter's districts. It will be known as Camden district, and will embrace South Salisbury. South Salisbury is becoming one of the most populous sections of the city and the residents of that portion of it east of Division street, South, are now in Nutter's district and obliged to go five miles in the country to attend primaries and elections. Mr. White's bill, if it becomes a law, will give the election supervisors authority to establish a polling place in that part of Salisbury. The exact outlines of the district are not familiar to the writer, but it is understood that the boundaries will not extend far into the country.

Governor Smith has reappointed the Wicomico Election Supervisors. They are Sewell T. Evans, of Salisbury, George A. Boudne, Quantico, and John W. Wimbrow, of Parsonsburg.

A BIG SNOW.

Storm That Approaches The Blizzard Of 1899.

The snow storm which passed over this community last Sunday night and Monday was a near approach to the great and memorable blizzard of February 1899. The snow commenced to fall early Sunday evening and by noon Monday had reached a depth of from twelve to fourteen inches, which drifted badly in the country, making travel almost impossible for a few days.

The extremely cold weather has continued for weeks, and navigation on the bay and its tributaries has been at a standstill on account of the ice. This, and the heavy snows throughout this section has prevented the country people from sending their produce to market caused a scarcity in nearly all lines of vegetables and fruits, while eggs are particularly scarce and high. Eggs have been selling in Salisbury this week for 30 cents per dozen, while they have averaged about 27 cents in the cities. Prices on all vegetables have greatly advanced in the city markets, owing to the scarcity.

Dredging has been practically suspended, and oysters can hardly be obtained at any price. The following statement was made by one of the oyster shippers of Baltimore this week: "We are deluged with orders that we cannot fill, and we are compelled to cut the orders of our regular trade, and on orders of five gallons we are sending but three. Prices are higher than they have been in ten years, and oysters that sold from 90 cents to \$1.15 a gallon around Christmas are now bringing \$1.25 to \$2 a gallon."

"It is our opinion that prices will go even higher, and before the latter part of the week oysters will not be obtainable at any price. We have not received a barrel of them over the Baltimore and Chesapeake Railroad Company's steamers for nearly two weeks, and our supply on hand is almost gone."

All the rivers and creeks are reported to be frozen over, and many vessels are held fast in the ice. The tongs are not able to work and the boats have very few oysters on hand.

Practically the same condition exists along the Western Shore, but there are a few dredgers who are battling with the ice and wind, at the risk of losing their vessels.

This condition of things is very hard on those people who depend on their vessel for a living, and a great deal of suffering has been experienced by the poorer classes. In Annapolis and along West river oystermen are daily being encountered who tell tales of terrible suffering from the cold and hunger. Their boats get caught in the ice and the crew are compelled to walk to the nearest town, as they do not carry enough provisions to last them until the ice breaks up.

Here in Salisbury there has been comparatively little suffering on account of the cold. Some of the farmers have been feeding the birds which are unable to obtain food for themselves on account of the snow.

The snow brought an end to the excellent skating which has been so much enjoyed for the past weeks, on Lake Humphreys and other ponds in different sections of the county, but the merry jingling of the sleigh bells was heard almost constantly on the streets of Salisbury until the rain came Friday and created a slush.

Ashore Off Ocean City.

The four mast schooner Anna Murray of New York, Capt. D. K. Queen, stranded on the bar near Indian River Life Saving Station at 5.50 o'clock Monday morning, during a blinding snowstorm, and while a gale was blowing from the west. She was discovered by the patrol from Indian River Life Savings Station, and the crews from Indian River Life Savings Station and Fenwick's Island Life Savings Station shot their tackle aboard the schooner. The breeches buoy was used, and 35 trips were made with this buoy in bringing the crew and their personal effects ashore.

A high sea was running, and the spray flew to the masthead of the stranded schooner. The surf was filled with floating ice coming from Delaware Bay, and this, with the high sea, made it impossible to do anything toward getting the Anna Murray off, as small boats such as are needed for the purpose of running hawsers and anchors could not live in the surf.

The Anna Murray was built at Camden, Me., in 1899, registers 1,524 tons, is 225 feet long, 48 wide and 11 deep, and is owned by Clarence Birdsell of Toms River, N. J. She carried a crew of 10 men.

THE FARMERS INSTITUTE.

A Success In Spite of Bad Travel and Delayed Trains.

The Farmers Institute for this county which had been advertised to come off at the Court House Wednesday and Thursday, was, owing to the snow storm, delayed a day, Director Amos and his corps of lecturers not reaching Salisbury till Wednesday night. As Friday, had been assigned for an Institute in an adjoining county, only the one day, Thursday, was devoted to the work here.

In spite of the almost impassable condition of the roads, leading farmers from more than half of the districts of the county were in attendance and showed a deep interest in the excellent Institute work.

The program was as follows: "Opportunities in Maryland Agriculture," H. J. Patterson.

"Poultry for Profit," C. E. Chapman.

"Value of Water and its Conservation," C. E. Chapman.

"The Relation of Fertilizers to the Quality of the Crop," H. J. Patterson.

"Feeds and Feeding," H. P. Miller.

"The Corn Crop; its Possibilities and Uses," H. J. Patterson.

"The Children's Lunch Basket," Miss Emma S. Jacobs, Director Cooking Schools in Washington.

Vocal music by some of Salisbury's sweetest singers, led by Mr. V. S. Gordy, added to the interest and pleasure of the Institute.

Director Amos was gratified with the meeting in this city. He says the farmers in all parts of the State are awaking to the value of the Institute work, a fact that is evidenced by the larger and ever increasing attendance and the growing demand for bulletins and other records of the experimental work of the station.

A party of fifteen well mounted farmers of Quantico district formed a cavalcade and rode into Salisbury to be present at the Institute.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Misses Ellegood entertained a large number of friends at their home on Division Street at tea from four to six o'clock Friday afternoon, in honor of their guests Miss Richmond of Cumberland and Miss Fontaine of Philadelphia.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with smilax, red carnations, and palms. The rooms were darkened and lighted with candles with red shades, the color scheme being red.

Those receiving the guests in the parlor were, Mrs. James E. Ellegood, Miss Richmond, Miss Fontaine, Miss Maria Ellegood and Mrs. M. A. Humphreys. The guests were invited into the dining room by Mrs. Sheldermine of Philadelphia, Miss Alice Humphreys and Miss Grace Ellegood, while the following young ladies assisted in serving in the dining room; the Misses Sheldermine of Philadelphia, Miss Helen Wootton of Laurel, Miss Barnes of Princess Anne, Miss McMaster of Pocomoke City, Miss Edna Sheppard, Miss Edna Gillis, and Miss Beale Ellegood.

A reception was given in the evening to those who assisted in the afternoon's entertainment to which the following gentlemen were invited: Messrs. G. Vickers White, S. King White, William Richardson, W. P. Jackson, W. U. Polk, M. A. Humphreys, J. Walter Browning, Winter Owens, Edgar Laws, A. F. Benjamin, F. Leonard Wallis and Harvey Morris.

Miss Ola Day gave an "Advertising" Party Friday evening at her home on Isabella Street to which were present a large number of invited guests. Advertisements, cut from various papers and magazines were displayed, and there was a lively contest in guessing the names of the advertisers. There was dancing later in the evening. Besides plants and palms, the house decorations were in lavender and white.

Miss Edna Sheppard will entertain a few friends this Saturday afternoon at her home on Park Avenue.

Fire at Riveries.

Early last Saturday morning the general store of Mr. I. S. Bennett at Riverton burned to the ground, together with all the contents. Mr. Bennett had about \$800 insurance on the building but none on the stock. The building and stock were worth about \$3500 it is said. The loss falls heavily upon Mr. Bennett who has been financially crippled by being surety on collector's bonds and endorsing commercial paper.

It is reported that Mr. Bennett thinks of starting business again in an old stone building near the place which was burned.

OYSTER PLANTING.

Reason Why the Haman Bill is So Staunchly Opposed.

A writer from Easton to the Baltimore Sun some days ago stated the oyster question as follows:

"Some form of oyster culture on leased barren bottoms, to become private reservations for a term of years, would meet with general and almost unanimous approval among all the oyster interests of Talbot county were it not for the overshadowing fear that its simplest form would be an entering wedge for a monopoly or a trust that would eventually control and finally own all the commons of Maryland's part of the Chesapeake bay. This is the bugbear to the tongs and scrapers and other activities where but little capital is invested and much personal labor is necessary to make an oysterman a decent living. All admit that the time must come when there will be private ownership of oyster bottoms where oyster culture will be practiced, but most of those personally interested want to put off as long as possible what they call 'that evil day.' Therefore, in the salt-water sections of Talbot county a large majority of the people are opposed to the Haman bill and to any other material change in the present Oyster law."

And, of course, politics is in it. Senator Dixon's frank endorsement of the Haman bill and the principles underlying it has given the local Republican leaders much concern. They, like other practical politicians, subordinate every proposed measure and every economic principle to their vote-catching power. Letters of remonstrance and censure have been written to Senator Dixon, not attempting to controvert the soundness of his views, but urging that their promulgation is "bad politics" for the Republican party in Talbot. To offset it a leading Republican politician of Easton, and a skillful one, a few days after Senator Dixon's interview was published armed himself with a petition, which he took around for signatures, asking the members of the House from Talbot to oppose the Haman bill. He got a number of people to sign the petition, and also met with some unexpected refusals in his own party. Among the white voters the oyster tongs hold the balance of power between the two parties in Talbot, if they vote as a unit, which, however, they have never done.

There is an important phase of this matter which has not yet had much attention, and that is the gradual withdrawal of both capital and labor from Maryland to Virginia waters.

The situation in Maryland is just this: The oystermen have the monopoly and they do not want to give it up to capital. Their monopoly is a barren possession. They will not plant and they do not want anyone else to plant and have the plantations protected."

Vansville Club Favors Haman Bill.

Hyattsville, Md., Feb. 16—One of the largest meetings in the history of the Vansville Farmers' Club was held last evening at Hilltop Lodge, the residence of Dr. J. R. Owens, this town. President Charles H. Stanley presided, with Dr. J. R. Owens secretary. After an elaborate collation, temptingly served by Mrs. Owens, with the assistance of Messrs. C. A. Councilman, E. A. Cookey and the Misses Christine Owens and A. Louise Fuller, the club was called to order.

Col. W. S. Powell called up the matter of the proposed repeal of the tax on mortgages. He stated that the great state of New York had recently investigated the question, and had decided that the taxation of mortgages was bad legislation. Colonel Powell contended that people were not going to loan money in small sums if the mortgages were to be taxed. He declared it was a bad law, especially for the farming element of the state. The club passed a resolution that the present law taxing mortgages should be repealed in the interest of the farmers.

The club, after remarks by Colonel Powell, Dr. R. S. Hill, Professor Tallaferrro, J. D. Cassard and Lloyd Dorsey favorable thereto, passed a resolution favoring the passage of the Haman oyster bill and urging upon the members of the General Assembly from Prince George's county the importance of securing its passage.

J. D. Cassard, chairman of the committee of nine of the combined farmers' organizations of the state, reported that the prospect for the passage of the bill appropriating \$60,000 for the extension of the work at the Maryland Agricultural College was exceedingly bright.

—J. Dallas Marvill of Laurel has sold the schooner John W. Bell to Capt. H. E. Scott of Seaford for \$1,600.

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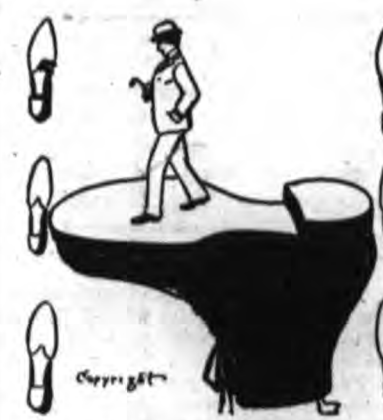
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THE NAGGING HABIT.

One of the sins that destroy the comfort of home.

There is one exceedingly disagreeable habit into which some people fall without seeming to notice it. This is nagging. They cannot say what they have to say and then let it alone, but keep pecking and pecking at it on every occasion, and if occasions do not arise naturally they make them. In this nagging sarcasm or irony bears a leading part. A thing may be said once or twice as a pleasant rally in a general humor, but when repeated over and over it ceases to be fun. It then cuts. Sarcasm is a two edged tool; it cuts and wounds the one at whom it is aimed and it irritates and annoys the one who uses it. It is a dangerous tool for one to use who wishes to be either kind or just. It comes easily to the lips, and the intellect takes a certain kind of delight in aptness, ingenuity or sharpness. It is a growth on one; at least the habit becomes so habitual that it is used unconsciously. However good naturedly one seems to take it, it is almost certain to leave a sting; there is a wound that hurts. Struggle against it as one will, there will often be an impression carried that some part of it is meant in earnest.

Too often do all of us wound the feelings of others by carelessness in speech. We cannot too carefully guard ourselves against the nagging habit. It rasps and wears out the best of dispositions. Let us endeavor ever to make our speech kindly even when obliged to find fault. "A blow with a word strikes deeper than a blow with a sword." We shall never err by speaking too kindly. These naggers are often kind at heart and would not willingly wound another. They have formed the habit unconsciously and are not aware of how frequently they indulge in that kind of talk. It does not occur to them that any one may take a further meaning than they have meant or that any part of it will be taken seriously. It is unavoidable, however, that this is so.

The nagging habit is the real reason why some women find it difficult to retain servants. It is for the sharpness of their tongues that some really excellent people are avoided and disliked in society. People dread the nagging lashings that slip so easily from the lips and without real malice, but they nevertheless cut deep. Let us put a guard on ourselves and see that this habit of sarcastic speech and nagging is not ours. The Chinese have a saying that "a man's conversation is the mirror of his thoughts." There is truth in it. If we habitually talk in a certain way, we grow to be that way in character.—Milwaukee Journal.

Marked For Death.

Dr. Shultz, an old soldier of Wichita, tells a gruesome story of how he was once marked for death and how he kept religion. He had been badly wounded and was in a big hospital near Washington. He noticed that it was the custom of the hospital laundry to close at 6 o'clock every night and that if there was a patient in the ward who was expected to die during the night clean underclothes were brought from the laundry and put by his bed. One night the nurse brought clean underclothes and put them by Dr. Shultz's bed, and he knew then that his time had come.

As the hours wore on a young woman came to him and offered to pray. She was Ella Chase, sister of the famous Kate Chase Sprague and daughter of Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury. The doctor was glad to have her pray, and he admits that he did a little supplicating on his own account. However, he pulled through the night, and the next morning these clean underclothes were carried away.—Kansas City Journal.

Prejudiced.

George Rice Carpenter, professor of English in Columbia university, had instructed each of the members of one of his classes to read on a certain day to read a composition on a subject of his own choosing. One of the students selected the topic "Glees of American Cities." He told of the good qualities of the Chicago girl, the St. Louis girl, the Philadelphia girl, the Bostonian and concluded with the statement that the New York girl was the best of all.

Professor Carpenter's wife is a Boston woman by birth, and it so happened that when the student had finished reading his "theme" another member of the class asked:

"What is your opinion about this matter?" Immediately the professor replied:

"Well, you see, by marriage I am hopelessly prejudiced."—New York Times.

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East African Progress.

Great changes have been made among the negroes of German East Africa. They now use plates, cups, glasses, saucers, looking glasses, spoons, knives, umbrellas and occasionally clocks; they call for soap and kerosene. In their market places they are seen drinking tea with sugar at table. The women have adopted European clothes and make use of sewing machines even in the interior districts.

Ben Hur in Baltimore.

Klaw and Erlanger's original production of "Ben Hur," with cast, scenery, equipment, horses and camels, begins a limited engagement at the Academy of Music, Baltimore, Monday, February 24th. This imposing spectacle is a sermon in varied speech, illustrated by art and music. Its trend of suggestion is forward and upward. The curtain rises on the tableau of the Three Wise Men in the Desert and the flaming Star of Bethlehem, the men's hands raised in awe and reverence as they group about their camels. The dreamy waste of aridity is wonderfully impressive. Then comes the brilliantly colored pictures of the house-top of Jerusalem, the terrace of the Palace of Herod. Next is one of the great scenes of the play—the dim interior of the Roman galley ship—the muscular, grim visaged slaves tugging in rhythmic motion at the oars, then the wreck, Ben Hur and his captives struggling in the waves. The scene changes to the home of Simonides, a moment later comes the vision of the sunlit Grove of Daphne with the superb temple, reared to the God Apollo; Roman maidens dance joyously, but the central figure is Ben Hur, the soldier, stern and unrelenting.

Again the scene changes, and we are at the Fountain of Castalia—a lake dancing in the pale moonlight, with gliding boats and flowery shores, in the cool gray shadows with him, the Egyptian, trying the wiles of a Cleopatra on Ben Hur.

After this is the chariot race, probably the most vividly thrilling moving picture that the stage has ever known. A rumble is heard in the background; the hurrying clatter of hooves' feet. Two chariots, each drawn by four horses, form the centre of the picture. The animals with far stretched necks and dilated nostrils, run like mad, urged on by the whips of the charioteers, Ben Hur and his deadly enemy, Messala. The wheels of the chariots rumble and away. Now Hur is ahead, now Messala, then Hur again, and the race is won.

The last scene is a fitting climax to the brilliant stage pictures. It represents the Vale of Hinnom, which becomes transparent, revealing the Mount of Olives and the City of Jerusalem. Great multitudes come out to greet the Nazarene, ringing hymns of praise and adoration. The miracle of the cleansing of the leper is performed, but the Christ's personality is not represented. His presence is indicated by a great shaft of white light, which tradition says was reflected from His person. Ben Hur, his mother and sister are united amid a great chorus of thanksgiving, swelling out from the hillside all around, as the final curtain falls. The music, which Edgar Stillman Kelley has composed for the production, has much to do with the success of "Ben Hur." It is scholarly and predicable alike for its dignity and serious purpose.

To present the remarkable play no less than 350 people are required. In the chariot race there are twelve horses, but four more, trained animals are always kept close by in case of accident.

Patrons of this fine dramatic spectacle are earnestly requested to be in their seats promptly at eight o'clock in the evening and two o'clock in the afternoon. The spectacle of the appearance of the Star of Bethlehem requires the entire auditorium to be darkened, and it will be impossible to seat anyone until after the prelude is over.

"Ben Hur" will remain at the Academy of Music, Baltimore, for a limited engagement only. The management will fill orders for seats for any of the performances, if accompanied by a check or money order, in the order of their receipt after the opening of sale. The box office sale of tickets opens Tuesday, February 18. The engagement begins Monday, February 24.

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You prefer a quick doctor. So does everyone else in your town, and country, and state. We are all alike; we all want our doctors quick. A doctor that gets his patients up quick, is the doctor that gets the patients gets rich too, if he isn't run to death.

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Death Warrant issued in Florida for the Wrong Man Who is Well Known Here.

Mr. Noah J. Tilghman, of Palatka, Fla., who has recently had the unpleasant experience of having his name inserted in a death warrant issued by Governor Jennings of Florida, intended for a condemned negro, is well known in this county, also Worcester and Somerset. Mr. Tilghman was born in Worcester county and spent many years of his life here. Some years ago he moved to Florida and is a large manufacturer of shingles there. His brother, Samuel H. T. Tilghman, lives in Worcester county and receives occasional visits from his Florida brother. He also visits Mr. W. B. Tilghman and other relatives in Salisbury. It seems that J. B. Brown, a colored local preacher, was convicted in the Palatka court of murder and was condemned to be hanged. When the death warrant came to the Sheriff it ordered him to hang Mr. Tilghman, who is a local preacher, but is not colored, and never killed a man. The Sheriff, fortunately for Mr. Tilghman, did not carry out the Governor's order, and Mr. Tilghman lives to be very much annoyed by the affair.

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Wicomico County, Md., on

WEDNESDAY,

February 26, 1902,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following real estate of which Thomas B. Taylor died, seized and possessed, situated in Wicomico county, and State of Maryland, in and near the village of Mardela Springs, to wit:

NO. 1.—A house and lot in Mardela Springs where W. H. Beach lives, fronting on Main Street of said town, and improved by a two story front building 34x18, with porch in front, two story back building 30x18, with side porch, four rooms, and hallway between, 5 rooms above, all in good condition; outbuildings—smoke house, wood house, barn and stable.

The metes and bounds of the lot are as follows: Beginning in the centre of

Main Street at the corner of Main Street and Branch Street, and running by and with Branch Street, (west side) North 2° West 104 poles, South 88° West 6 poles, South 88° East 164 poles to Main Street and thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 98 perches, more or less.

And bought of Joseph Brattan and wife.

NO. 2.—House and lot in Mardela Springs, where A. S. Venables resides, fronting on Main Street on the South, Taylor Street on the West, Cooper Alley on the North and Beach lot on the East, containing 188 perches of land, more or less, improved by a two story double dwelling 48 feet by 18 feet, side porch all the way down, back building 34x14 and back building 24x12; 7 rooms below and 4 rooms above, corn house, stables and smoke house.

NO. 3.—House and lot tenanted by S. J. Sewell on corner of Church and Brattan streets, bounded on the East by G. E. Bennett lot and on the South by the lot where William Venables lives, containing one acre.

Improved by a 2 story dwelling, 14x18, back building 14x18; 3 rooms below and 2 rooms above; 1 out house 8x20; all in good condition.

NO. 4.—Fourteen shares in Baron Creek Cemetery Company.

NO. 5.—Vacant lot on Brattan Street, bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, containing one and one fourth acres.

This lot is bounded on the North by Brattan Street, on the East by L. N. Cooper's lot, on the South by Baron Creek, on the West by G. E. Bennett's lot.

NO. 6.—Vacant lot at corner of Taylor Street and Cooper Alley, opposite side of the Wheelwright Shop, West end of lot No. 9 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown on plat of said Estate, containing 57 1/2 perches. This lot begins at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Taylor Street, and runs by and with Taylor Street, North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links to a locust post, thence North 88° East 7 poles 13 1/2 links, to a cedar post, thence South 88° West 12 links, thence South 88° West to the beginning, containing 57 1/2 perches, more or less.

NO. 7.—Vacant lot on East side of Taylor St. on south side of R. R. St. Beginning at the end of the lot line of lot No. 6, and running North 6° West 7 poles 14 links to R. R. Street, thence by and with R. R. Street North 84° East, 7 poles 15 1/2 links to a cedar post, South 6° East 7 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 6, thence by and with the second line of lot No. 6 reversed to the beginning, containing 57 1/2 perches more or less. This lot being the West end of lot No. 8 of the real estate of Jos. Brattan as shown by plat of same.

NO. 8.—Vacant lot East end of lot No. 8 of Jos. Brattan estate, as shown by plat of same. Beginning at a locust post at the corner of Branch Street and Railroad Street, and running by and with Railroad Street, South 84° West 8 poles 14 links to the corner of lot No. 7, thence by and with the line of lot No. 7 to a cedar post, thence North 88° East to Branch Street, thence by and with Branch Street to the beginning, containing 61 3/5 perches.

NO. 9.—Vacant lot, being the east end of lot No. 9 of land of Jos. Brattan's estate, as shown by plat; beginning at a locust post at the corner of Cooper Alley and Branch street, and running South 88° East 7 poles 1 link, thence North 6° West 7 poles and 14 links, thence North 84° East 7 poles and 14 links, thence South 88° East 7 poles 14 links to the beginning, containing 55 perches, more or less.

NO. 10.—Vacant lot on east side of Branch St. being the North end of lot bought of Mr. S. A. Brattan, beginning at a locust post on Branch St., at the South West corner of J. E. Bacon's lot or lot No. 17 of the Real Estate of Jos. Brattan, as shown by plat of the same, and running South 88° East 6 poles 11 links to a stone, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's lot South 8° East 84 poles to a cedar post, thence North 88° West 6 poles and 11 links to Branch St., thence by and with Branch St. North 2° West to the beginning, containing 52 perches, more or less.

NO. 11.—Vacant lot on the East side of Branch Street, being the middle section of the lot bought of Mr. S. A. Brattan. Beginning at a cedar post at the N. E. Corner of store house lot, and running by and with Branch St. North 2° West 84 poles to a cedar post corner of lot No. 10, thence by and with the 2d line of said lot reversed 6 poles and 11 links to Mrs. Brattan's line, thence by and with Mrs. Brattan's line South 2° East 84 poles, thence by and with the storehouse lot to the beginning, containing 53 perches, more or less, improved by old stable.

NO. 12.—Storehouse and lot, corner of Main and Branch Sts. beginning in the centre of Main St. and running by and with the West side of the Storehouse North 5° West 84 poles, thence South 88° East 4 feet, thence North 2° West 6 3/4-100 poles by and with Branch St. to a cedar post, South 88° East 5 1/4-100 feet South 8° East 10 poles to Main Street, thence by and with Main Street to the beginning, containing 64 perches. This lot is the original storehouse and lot, part of the Jos. Brattan lot, bought by Mrs. S. A. Brattan and sold by her to T. B. Taylor.

Size of storehouse 40x24, two stories with a shed attached 20x10

NO. 13.—Vacant lot on the North of Main Street, and on the West of Taylor Street, adjoining the Railroad on the West, containing one eighth of an acre, being a part of the L. M. Vincent lot.

NO. 14.—Lot on the West side of Taylor Street, and adjoining the Railroad on the West being lot No. 10 of the estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 76 perches and improved by Wheelwright shop and Blacksmith shop.

NO. 15.—Lot on the West side of Brattan Street and on the South side of Railroad Street, and shown as lot No. 11 on plat of Jos. Brattan's estate.

NO. 16.—Lot on the South side of Railroad Street and North of the Howard and Taylor lot and shown as

strip No. 1 on the plat of estate of Jos. Brattan, containing 6 perches

No. 17.—Part of Young's Purchase, adjoining and surrounding the Presbyterian Church property on the South side of County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and East of the Hotel property, beginning at the first Red Oak on the South side of the Road East of the Spring House, and running thence North 48° West 3 poles to the centre of the County road, thence by and with the road South 50° West 84 poles to the bridge, thence by and with the ditch, South 1° West 23 poles to the Creek, thence by and with the Creek South 77° West 18 1/2 poles, North 54° East 7 poles, thence North 12° West 5 3/5 poles, thence a right line to the beginning. In these metes and bounds the church lot is included.

No. 18.—Twenty-two one hundred twentieths undivided interest in the Grange lot and hall, situated on the North side of Main Street, opposite the Methodist Protestant Church.

No. 19.—One half undivided interest of lot on West side of the railroad, a part of the hotel property, beginning at a small locust tree, on the East side of Brattan St. and running with Brattan Street South 6° East 14 1/2 perches, thence South 88° West 30 feet, thence South 88° East by and with I. N. Cooper's line 30 poles to Baron Creek, thence by and with Baron Creek to the railroad, thence by and with the railroad North 88° West 40 poles to the beginning, about two and one half acres, one-half cripplies.

No. 20.—One half undivided interest of this lot off the hotel property. Beginning at a locust post, nearly opposite J. A. Lowe's store on the South side of Main Street, and running thence South 5° East 204 poles to the R. R., thence North 88° West by and with the R. R. 10 poles and 17 links, thence North 84° West 14 poles and 11 links to the South side of Main Street, thence North 88° East to the beginning, containing 88 perches, more or less.

No. 21.—On 1/2 undivided interest of this lot part of the Hotel property. Beginning on the South side of Main Street, and on the East side of the Railroad, and running by and with the Railroad South 88° East 16 poles and 7 links, thence North 5° West with line of lot No. 20, 14 poles and 31 links to South Side of Main Street, thence by and with Main Street South 85° West 8 poles and 16 links to the beginning, containing 64 perches of land.

No. 22.—Hotel property on the South side of Main Street, containing about 2 acres up, 2 acres down and 2 acres of cripplies, improved by a Hotel front building 54 feet long, 30 feet wide and 3 stories high, with lower and upper front porches. End building 36 feet long, 16 feet wide, 2 stories, back building 48 feet long, 18 feet wide, 2 stories high, with porches on each side of back building; 8 rooms on lower floor and hallway and 18 bed rooms and hallways.

A fine Spring with house over it with bottling house attached. Hen-house and poultry yard. Outbuildings 12x20 feet, 11 stories high; 9 stables with centre hallway and carriage house on the side.

No. 23.—The post office grounds and building, at intersection, of Main and Bridge streets.

No. 24.—Lot on the North side of County road from Mardela Springs to Vienna and about 1 mile from Mardela, where Moses Dashiell lives, about 3 acres of arable land, adjoining lands of L. L. Bounds and fronting on the County road. Improved by a good story and half house with small back building.

No. 25.—All that tract of "Miles End" purchased by Thomas B. Taylor of Josiah Bailey as shown per deed dated May 1st, 1861, situate on the South side of the County road from Mardela to B. C. Mills, and on the North side of Baron Creek, adjoining the land of W. H. Beach on the East, Baron Creek on the South; that part of "Young's Purchase" on the West which T. B. Taylor bought of R. F. Brattan, trustee of Joseph Brattan, and the lot of Maria Griffin and the old schoolhouse lot on the North, containing 12 acres of land, more or less. The above land is all set in thrifty pine timber. Also all that part of Young's purchase sold by Robert F. Brattan, trustee (save and except about one acre and half laid off around and contiguous to the Presbyterian Church Property) situate on the North side of Baron Creek and on the South side of the County road from Mardela Springs to Baron Creek Mills and adjoining the land on the East which Taylor bought of Josiah Bailey and on the West the lot laid off around the Presbyterian Church property, containing about 121 acres; about 3 acres arable and the remainder cripplies and young timber.

Improved by a story and half dwelling and necessary outbuildings.

No. 26.—Timber land on the South side of the County road from Porter's Mill to Bewasick Mills in Quantico district; adjoining land of A. J. Horsey on the East; also House property on the South; land of Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford on the West and binding on the County road on the North; bought by Thos. B. Taylor of J. W. and A. T. Robertson; well set in pine and oak timber; contains 36 acres more or less.

TERMS OF SALE. Ten per cent cash on day of sale. Balance to be paid in two equal installments of one and two years from day of sale, purchaser to give bond with satisfactory security for deferred payments, bearing interest from day of sale.

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Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage from Elias T. Austin and Viola M. Austin, his wife, to Jay Williams, dated July 1st, 1901 and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. No. 81 folio 228, default having been made in the covenants in said mortgage, whereby the whole mortgage debt has become due, I will offer at public auction in front of the Court House door in Salisbury, Maryland, on

SATURDAY, March 1st, 1902,

at 2 o'clock p. m., all that piece or parcel of land situated and lying in Parsons District, Wicomico County, Maryland, on the North side of and binding upon Baltimore Street near the depot of the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company, in the Town of Salisbury and having a front on said Baltimore Street of fifty feet, extending back in a uniform width to Hill Street, having a depth of eighty-three feet, being lot No. 4, as described on a plat of survey as made by Peter S. Shockey, September 28th, 1899, and recorded among the Land Records of Wicomico County in Liber J. T. No. 29 folio 159 being the same property which was conveyed to the said Viola M. Austin from Thomas H. Mitchell and others by deed dated May 9th, 1901. This property is improved by a good, new two story dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE: \$100 cash on day of sale, the balance to be paid in two equal installments of one and two years from day of sale, purchaser giving bond with security, to be approved by the undersigned, bearing interest from day of sale; or all cash at the option of the purchaser. JAY WILLIAMS, Atty. named in said Mortgage.

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A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED.

Friday, February 14. Colonel John A. Polk, aged 82, a cousin of President Polk, died in Kansas City yesterday.

Fire destroyed half a block of business houses at Kimball, S. D., involving a loss of \$60,000.

Sixteen-year-old Agnes Tete, of Philadelphia, attempted suicide by swallowing a large quantity of turpentine.

John Young, convicted of the murder of Washington Hunter at Riverside, N. J., was sentenced to hang on March 18.

In a rear-end collision between Baltimore and Ohio trains at Indian Harbor, Ind., Conductor Hunter and brakeman Brice were killed.

Saturday, February 15. In a street battle at Richmond, Va., Leslie Estill and Shelton Chambers were fatally wounded.

Secretary Long returned to his post at the navy department after a visit to his home at Hingham, Mass.

Peter Buschwah, a pioneer real estate dealer of Chicago, was found dead in his room, with eight gas jets turned on.

The Gloucester (Mass.) fishing schooner Elsie M. Smith was wrecked off Cape Cod and two of her crew drowned.

The late Caroline S. Rathbone, of New York, bequeathed \$70,000 to found a home for aged and infirm persons at Evansville, Ind.

Monday, February 17. Andrew Payack, 12 years old, was burned to a crisp while sleeping in a tin hut on a garbage dump at Passaic, N. J.

The apron of Mrs. Virginia Suret took fire from a stove and she was burned to death in a New York apartment house.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, returned from a two-months' visit to Europe yesterday.

Raymond Herliacher, of Loganton, Pa., while shooting sparrows with a musket, shot 12-year-old Roy Berry through the heart.

Tuesday, February 18. The cracker factory of Frank Goetz, at Manchester, Conn., was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$75,000.

C. R. Mains, a prominent attorney of San Francisco, was arrested for using the United States mails to swindle.

The United States battleship Wisconsin, flagship of Rear Admiral Silas Casey, left Callao, Peru, for Acapulco.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, will deliver a lecture at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

In a fit of despondency John Griffith, a civil engineer, and wealthy, blew out his brains with a shotgun at his home in Jenkintown, Pa.

Wednesday, February 19. Philadelphia's season of grand opera closed last night with a performance of "Manru."

James R. Keene, of New York, gave \$10,000 for the relief of the poor who suffered in the blizzard.

President Ellsworth, of the New York senate, refused to introduce Admiral Schley to that body.

The plant of the Louisville Bolt and Iron company was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$100,000.

The United States gunboat Machias sailed from Pensacola, Fla., yesterday for Havana to join the North Atlantic squadron.

Charles L. Tiffany, aged 90 years, senior member of the famous New York jewelry firm, died at his home from pneumonia.

Thursday, February 20. William B. Fasig, of Brewster, N. Y., well known horse dealer of the Fasig-Tipton Co., died yesterday.

Robert McCaw, of Philadelphia, secured a verdict for \$16,000 damages against the Union Traction company for the loss of a leg.

The president sent to the senate yesterday the names of Captain Philip H. Cooper and Captain George H. Wadleigh to be rear admirals.

H. H. Matteson, who confessed to embezzling \$75,000 from the First National Bank of Great Falls, Mont., is now alleged to have taken \$178,000.

Anthony J. Drexel's yacht Maritima has been chartered for two months by Mr. Alexander, of the New York Yacht Club. The consideration is \$50,000.

Yesterday's session of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association at New York voted to make an agreement with the Pressmen's Union for five years.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 19.—Flour firm; winter superfine, \$2.65@2.80; Pennsylvania roller, clear, \$3.25@3.50; city mills, extra, \$3.30@3.15; Rye flour steady, at \$3.25@3.35 per barrel. Wheat weak; No. 2 Pennsylvania, red, 88c; corn steady; No. 2 yellow, local, 67c; 67 1/2c; Oats firm; No. 2 white, clipped, 50 1/2c; lower grades, 48 1/2c. Hay weak; No. 1 timothy sold at \$15.50@16 for large bales. Beef steady; beef hams, 19.50@20.50. Pork firm; family, 11c; mixed, 10c@10.50; western, 10c@10.50. Live poultry, 11c@12c for hens, and 8c for old roosters. Dressed poultry sold at 12 1/2c for choice fowls, and at 8c for old roosters. Butter steady; creamery, 35c. Eggs steady; New York and Pennsylvania, 35c. per dozen. Potatoes were dull; eastern, 80@83c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Cattle unchanged; veals, tops, \$7.75@8.25; common to fair, \$5.75@7.50. Hogs slow; pigs, \$5.45@5.50; roughs, \$5.50@5.65; stags, \$4.45@5.00. Sheep stronger; tops, mixed, \$5.00@5.25; western, \$5.25@5.50; yearlings, \$5.25@5.50. Lambs stronger; tops, \$6.55@6.65; culls to good, \$4.45@4.50; common culls, \$3.75@4.50. East Liberty, Pa., Feb. 19.—Cattle steady; choice, \$6.40@6.50; prime, \$6.20@6.40; good, \$5.50@5.90. Hogs steady; prime heavies, \$6.40; best mediums, \$6.20@6.40; heavy Yorkers, \$6.50@6.75; light Yorkers, \$6.30@6.40; pigs, \$5.50@5.60; roughs, \$5.25@5.50. Sheep steady; best wethers, \$5.35@5.50; culls common, \$4.25@5.00; yearlings, \$5.00@5.25; veal calves, \$7@8.

PENNSYLVANIA ALMANACS.

Why One of Them Has Become Fixed In Public Confidence.

Although the predominating race in Lancaster county is Teutonic, it may be said in favor of those still living here that they have during the past fifty years discarded many of the old time beliefs that were brought by their ancestors from the fatherland.

There is an oracle in Lancaster county, however, to which all bend their knee and which, next to the family Bible, holds the place nearest to the rural and in many instances the city heart. It is the almanac, the German almanac.

Lancaster, the ancient, has always been an almanac city. The first one, "The Entirely New and Improved North American Almanac," was published here in 1776 by Francis Bailey in the German language. It became popular at a bound and was the forerunner of a great host of almanacs that have continued to the present day. In 1779-80 three almanacs were issued by Lancaster printers—namely, Francis Bailey, Matthias Bartgis and Theophilus Cossart. In the same year the city of Philadelphia was publishing only two. Allrecht and Lahn published almanacs from 1788 to 1800, and later sons of Lahn carried on the work until some time between 1830 and 1840.

But "the" almanac was still to come. This was the one issued in English in 1825 and in German in 1830 by John Baer, a work which is still religiously consulted in homes not only in Lancaster county, but throughout many other regions in eastern Pennsylvania. Its predecessors commanded the respect of the people, but Baer's almanac won their confidence to a degree never perhaps enjoyed by any publication in the state of Pennsylvania. It all came about in a most peculiar way.

This almanac antedates the weather bureau in the matter of weather predictions. Under every day in the year is set forth the kind of weather that will prevail, and these predictions receive the most unhesitating credence from thousands of people. This confidence arose in this way: One year in the early days of the almanac snow was announced for a day in the middle of July. It was, of course, a typographical error which the proofreader failed to detect. But on the day so specified there was a severe hailstorm, with a few transient flakes of snow. That was enough and fixed public confidence in the almanac for all time.—Lancaster (Pa.) Cor. Philadelphia Press.

Bismarck and Gambetta.

Both in the French and English press there is at present much talk about Gambetta's relations to Bismarck, most of which is wide of the mark. The only occasion on which the great Frenchman visited Germany, with a view, possibly, of meeting the chancellor, was in the autumn of 1881, when the Germans woke up one fine morning to find that he had been prowling about incognito among them.

Gambetta went as far as Konigsberg and thus passed quite close to Varzin, where Bismarck was staying at the time. Referring to this at one of his parliamentary soliloquies, Bismarck said he supposed that the French statesman had really intended paying him a visit, but had abandoned his purpose on learning, perhaps en route, from his friends in Paris that such an act might be misconstrued in France.

Within a month of this mysterious visit to Germany Gambetta had formed a new French ministry and taken upon himself the portfolio of foreign affairs. "He works upon the nerves of Europe," said Bismarck, "like a man who beats a drum in a sickroom."—London Chronicle.

Senator Warren's Way.

Journeying to Boston some time ago, Senator Warren of Wyoming traveled on a certain railroad and lost his trunk. It contained many valuable costumes belonging to his wife and his own outfit, so that its loss was no small matter. He struggled for some time to find a trace of the trunk, but without success, nor could he secure any reimbursement.

Upon returning to Cheyenne he placed a watchman in the railroad yards, with instructions to report the arrival of the first freight car bearing the name of the road upon which he had traveled. In a day or two the watchman gave the necessary information. Senator Warren at once went before a local magistrate and sued out an attachment upon the freight car. Then he wired to the railroad officials stating what he had done and awaited results.

In less than three hours came a dispatch saying that a check for the value of the missing trunk had been forwarded to him and asking him to let the freight car proceed upon its way. Then the suit was withdrawn.—Kansas City Independent.

Letter Writing Ceasing.

The autograph letter is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. Short-hand and the typewriter have killed it. No business man nowadays writes a letter with his own hand. He supplies the matter and his signature, and his typist does the rest. It is an age of short cuts, and even literary men find it more profitable to dictate than to write their copy. One of the most successful of modern newspaper proprietors confessed the other day that he had not written a letter for seven years, although his private correspondence amounted to more than fifty letters daily.

Cabinet ministers alone seem to cling to the old tradition. Lord Salisbury abhors a typewritten letter, and Mr. Arthur Balfour writes a large part of his correspondence himself. Even Mr. Chamberlain, who is essentially up to date, seems to regard the typewriter as altogether inferior to the telegraph as a vehicle for conveying his opinions.—London Tatler.

Thirty-one Days' Tour to California.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Personal Service conducted Tour to California will leave on February 25. Passengers will be transported to El Paso, Texas, in special Pullman cars. At the latter point they will be transferred to the "Mexico and California Special," composed exclusively of Pullman parlor, smoking, dining-room, drawing room, sleeping compartment and observation cars which will be used over the entire trip back to New York. While the best hotels will be used where extended stops are made, the train will be at the constant command of the party.

Round trip tickets, covering all necessary expenses, \$875 from all points on Pennsylvania Railroad except Pittsburgh, from which point the rate will be \$870.

For further information apply to ticket agents; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia. 225.

Marion S. Adams secured in Hagerstown an absolute divorce from her husband, Rev. A. W. S. Adams, now living in Massachusetts with his two sons. Abandonment for more than 10 years was alleged.

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Is often a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

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The Hagerstown Morning Herald has been awarded by Clerk Farran the contract for six years to do the Court of Appeals printing. The printing amounts to between \$7,000 and \$10,000 a year.

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Over 800 loads of freight were moved from Cherry Run Sunday by the Western Maryland railroad. Several of the trains were drawn by two engines and carried about 40 cars.

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—An exchange says: "Bury the croaker out in the woods, in a beautiful hole in the ground, where the bumblebee bums and the woodpecker pecks and the straddlebug straddles around. He is no good to the town, too impractical, stingy and dead, but he wants the whole earth and a part of the crust and the stars that shine over his head. Then hustle him on to the dead, and bury him in the deep, deep ground, he's no good to us here, get him out of the way, and make room for the man that is sound."

—Now and then an American "Statesman" goes off the handle when the proper moment arrives. A gray-haired patriot of Baltimore who happens to be in the City Council; and a member of Congress, each took a little "blow off" recently, inspired by the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to this country. There is really no occasion for this, for an exchange puts it. "We have entertained royalty before, and done it both gracefully and graciously, without any shock to the foundations of our republic."

—President Roosevelt's decision in the matter of Admiral Schley's appeal is adverse to the Admiral on every material point. The President asserts that the Court of Inquiry did "substantial justice" to Admiral Schley. He holds that the Admiral was not in command of the fleet in the Santiago battle, which he characterizes as a "captains' fight." President Roosevelt sharply criticizes Admiral Schley for the Brooklyn's loop. The report is not consistent with the evidence presented to the Court of Inquiry and in spite of the decision of the Court of Inquiry and he President that Sampson was technically in command, the fact is incontrovertibly remains that Schley was the man who put the Spanish out of business at Santiago.

The whole controversy has proven an unhappy affair and it is certain the people, knowing in their own hearts where the glory belongs, are willing to let the discussion drop.

THE OYSTERS AND THE OYSTERMAN.

For years, in fact, ever since the oyster supply began to grow less, caused by the over increasing demand, the different interests have been pitted one against the other. Laws have been enacted from time to time to keep one interest from injuring or ruining another and to give the oyster a temporary respite. But during all this time very little serious effort has been made looking to helping nature to replenish what all engaged in the oyster industry have seemingly been striving with might and main to destroy, bent only on the profits of the day and with no care for the future. The result is what was to have been expected and what many serious students of the oyster foretold and warned against. And when we say serious students we do not mean alone the scientific men, but many practical oystermen who, though they may not have been able to present learned reasons and pages of statistics, saw just as clearly and gave as certain warning. And what is the result? The oyster has become so scarce that no man who is dependent upon it for a livelihood feels any great confidence in the certainty and security of his livelihood. Yet with this condition staring the oyster interests in the face, the different interests seem more inclined to battle one against the other than to unite for the good of all.—Easton Ledger.

ADVICE TO HIS RACE.

Booker T. Washington, the Moses of the Negro race, in a recent speech to his people, delivered at Tuskegee, Ala. said:

"It is with a race as with an individual; the place to begin to make improvements is right where it is. If we cannot improve our condition in the South, I do not believe that there are many spots on earth where we can do so. There is an opportunity open in the South for every black man to purchase a farm and make an independent living on that farm. Agriculture will give the race the foundation upon which to build and prepare itself for more important things.

"Throughout the South the youth of our race should be constantly reminded that we have the occupations that tend to advancement—the mechanical and domestic employments—practically in our hands.

"There is nothing in politics or in any other avenue of life that can begin to compare in importance just now to the negro's securing a home and becoming a taxpayer and educating his children into all the important occupations that are about his doors. The most lasting and potent protection the negro can have in any part of the country is for him to become the most successful man in his community."

—The lecture which was to have been delivered in the M. P. Church of Hebron Thursday evening by Rev. A. W. Lighthorn had to be postponed on account of the weather. If the weather is favorable the lecture will take place next Thursday evening, February 27th.

—Dr. Francis J. Townsend, of Sharptown, has purchased the Hamilton lot on Atlantic Avenue just above the Atlantic Hotel at Ocean City and will erect a handsome two story building 22x44 feet to be occupied by him as a drug store and office the coming season.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Miller of this city were summoned last Saturday to the bedside of Mr. Miller's mother, Miss Mary H. Miller, who died Sunday after a long illness, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. B. Cromer. Her remains were interred Tuesday after funeral services from St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal Church of Baltimore.

—The young friends of Miss Beasie Leonard gave her a surprise party at her home on Newton Street last Wednesday evening in honor of her eighth birthday. Those present were: Misses Grace Ellingsworth, Ruth and Virginia Kennerly, Helen Duffy, Hattie Turner, Martha, Katherine and Ruth Leonard, Henry Mitchell, Everett Melson, Elmer Powell, George Hitch, William Byrd, Franklin Kennerly and Denwood Mitchell. At 10 o'clock the children bade their little hostess good night, wishing her many more happy birthday days.

—Friday evening last being Miss Mamie Dryden's 18th birthday, she gave an entertainment to quite a number of her friends, in honor of the event, at her home on Depot street. About fifty young people were present, and an enjoyable evening was the result. Salisbury was well represented on the occasion. Games were one of the features of the evening. About 10 o'clock choice refreshments were served.—Marylander and Herald.

—Don't forget the birds and small wild animals while the ground is covered with snow and their food supply is hidden away out of their reach. A good idea is to place crumbs from the kitchen, broken grain, grits, etc. in an old basket, or box—anything with a tight bottom, suspend it from a rafter in the wood-shed, cattle shed or any open outbuilding so that the birds may go to it and feed in safety from the cats. Spreading food on the cleared ground or on the floor is very considerate for our feathered friends, but it exposes them to the mercy of the cats which dearly love a bird for a meal at any season of the day or year. An ear of corn placed in the forks of a tree along the fence will be found and appreciated by the squirrels, and by all means get out to the partridges and place some food in their reach. This is necessary for their preservation. State Game Warden Averitt has instructed the farmers of the State to feed and protect the partridges and in April send bill for all food supplied to him at Cumberland.

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MARDELA SPRINGS.

The great snow storm of last Sunday night and Monday almost completely shut off industrial enterprise of every kind. Since then the people of the village and surrounding country have been busy opening paths for travel. The high wind of Tuesday caused much drifting of snow and the roads again became impassable in some places. There is much sleighing which together with horseback riding is about the only way of travel. The B. C. & A. trains have run daily on time as closely approximating the regular schedule as conditions would permit it.

The bay and rivers being frozen over wild geese and ducks have come into the Nanticoke and Baron Creek for food. A number of fine black ducks have been shot by our local sportsmen. Mr. Samuel J. Wilson killed three fine ones Tuesday in a very short time in the creek near his house.

Partridges and the small birds such as cardinals, bluebirds and others of that class are being fed and protected by the farmers. This is an example which should be followed by the people in all sections of the country.

Perry & Cooper's stove factory was at a standstill nearly all the week because of the accumulation of snow. This is the first time this has occurred since the factory started.

The bazaar for the circulating library which was to have been held to-night and tomorrow night has been postponed a week because of the weather conditions.

POWELLVILLE

We have read many articles of great interest concerning the progress of surrounding towns and often wondered that Powellville was seldom if ever heard from. It is nearly time that the readers of your most estimable paper learned something about us people hid back here in the woods.

Through the energy, ambition and enterprise of the thoroughly industrious community we hope in the near future to see Powellville raised from the ancient relics of obscurity to a position worthy of a more general recognition in the county.

We are the people you know, Who laugh at the radiant glow Of the sun-lit snow.

Through the humble yet arduous and faithful efforts of two plain and unassuming Methodist preachers and their wives much good has been accomplished in building up the cause of pure and undeffiled religion. The moral and religious tone of the community is steadily developing.

Soon will be determined by two great Methodist conferences who shall wield the "Sword of the Spirit" in this old battle field of the Cross.

By the mechanical genius and personal labor of the M. P. Minister there has been built at the parsonage the finest henry and exercising shed to be seen anywhere in this vicinity. Another reason why we look for other and much needed improvements in both church and parsonage.

The Powellville Mfg. Co. has proved to be a great blessing to this place and gives employment to about one hundred and fifty people; at times when not in operation, as through the severe weather, Mr. K. V. White has furnished employment for all who apply at a dollar per day. The town is now in one great glow of excitement over the prospects of a new cannery to be built and operated by Mr. K. V. White. Mr. White is now contracting with the farmers for tomatoes and expects little trouble in receiving 300 acres. This new enterprise will give new life and activity to this whole section of the county and although at the present and for years past, we have been hampered for want of railroad or water facilities that would give us easy access to the outside world, yet we now rejoice in the prospect of an electric railroad in the near future.

We all feel grateful for having among us a man like Mr. K. V. White who is always trying to keep the willing hands busy and where necessity and worthiness are combined to lend a helping hand to the poor and needy. Long may he live for the sake of the church, the county and the state.

COLUMBIA.

The recent snow has made traveling very difficult, but some of our young folks are not to be out done, have been traveling around on horse back.

Our school, under the able management of J. Frank Fleetwood, has been progressing finely until we struck this stormy weather. It has been closed for a few days but will open up as soon as the weather permits.

Some of our young folks report a stormy time returning home last Sunday night from their usual haunts. Some stayed all night and returned later in the week.

Mr. Elwood Ellis of near Delmar and Miss Ethel Ellis of this place were married at the home of the bride, L. W. Ellis, on Tuesday evening of last week. The wedding was very quiet only a few of her intimate friends being present.

Rev. A. W. Mather preached his usual sermon last Sunday afternoon at Mt. Skerman, at three p. m.

Skating in this vicinity up till Sunday has been fine for quite a time, and those who went report a fine time.

The proposed new R. R. from Denton via Federalburg, Sharptown, Salisbury, Snowhill and Chincoteague has been much talked about by our citizens. We are right in the line, we want it to tap the Diamond state and run by Columbia. Here it will strike a fine farming district justly celebrated for its fine strawberries and large potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper increased their capital stock \$1,000 this week; it is a girl.

J. S. Cooper and Co's new crate and basket factory will soon be in operation. They also expect to attach a cannery and are now contracting for tomatoes for the coming season.

The fourth quarterly conference for Union circuit will be held at this place Saturday, 23rd inst. A delegate will be elected to the Maryland Annual Conference.

DELMAR.

The members of May Day Council, No. 4 J. O. U. A. M. will attend services in a body next Sunday morning at the Methodist Protestant Church, where the pastor, Rev. L. A. Bennett will preach a special sermon to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hastings of Richmond, Va., are guests of the family of Mr. J. F. Clark.

Miss Mae Freney has been visiting her sister, Mrs. I. S. Brewington of Salisbury.

Mrs. C. C. Gardner of Sandy Hill, Va., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Landen at her home on East State Street.

The marriage of Mr. Ira E. Gordy to Miss Veta Morris is announced to take place Wednesday evening, February 22nd at Melson M. E. Church.

Diamonds and Hearts is the name of a play to be rendered in the Opera House here next Friday evening, February 23rd. The play will be given by the young people of Laurel Epworth League, and is one that has been very popular among amateurs through the country. The prices are reasonable and the young people should have a good audience.

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—Mrs. Mary German is visiting friends and relatives in Wilmington.

—Mr. William Waller of Cambridge spent a part of this week in Salisbury.

—Miss Mamie Thoroughgood of Philadelphia is visiting friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Schneck spent part of this week in Philadelphia.

—Mr. Davis Grier, of Milford, Del., is visiting his brothers Messrs. R. D. and F. A. Grier, in this city.

—The pension of Perry H. Hobbs, of Nutters district, has been increased to \$12.00 per month.

—Mr. John E. Bethard of Hebron spent last week in Baltimore, Wilmington and Middletown.

—J. H. Thorne Dramatic Co., will be at Ullman's Opera House commencing Monday, February 24th. Prices 10, 20 and 30.

—Mrs. Margaret H. Rounds left last Saturday for Wilmington, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. E. Quillen.

—Don't fail to see the J. H. Thorne Dramatic Co., at Ullman's Opera House Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, February 24th, 25th, and 26th. Prices 10, 20 and 30.

—If you want to see a good show for a little money don't fail to see J. H. Thorne Dramatic Co., at Ullman's Opera House, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, February 24th, 25th, and 26th.

—Horses and cattle at the numerous vendues on the Delaware and Maryland Peninsulas are bringing good prices, the former ranging from \$100 to \$200, and the latter from \$25 to \$40.

—Misses Minnie and Pearl Chatham entertained Thursday evening quite a few of their friends in honor of Miss Laura Bailey of Georgetown, Del., who is here as their guest.

—Gordon Tull, Esq., of Princess Anne and Warren B. Long, Esq., of Crisfield, have been appointed receivers for the Somerset Building and Loan Association of Crisfield. The receivers have bonded in the sum of \$10,000.

—William Thomas, of Laurel, Del., the only support of an infirm mother, after kissing her good by, started to his work. In crossing the Nanticoke river Thomas stepped into an air hole and was drowned.

—A Temperance Meeting is being arranged to be held in the M. P. Church on next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited. Special invitation to fathers and mothers. Remarks by pastors and others.

—The Congressional River and Harbor Committee has decided to recommend the following appropriations for Delaware rivers: Appoquinimink river, \$2,000; Mispillion river, \$2,000; Smyrna river, \$5,000; Murderkill river, \$2,000; Broad Creek river, \$1,000.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company in Cape Charles, Northampton County, Va., on the 18th day of March, 1903, at 9 30 a. m.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Humphreys, the Misses Ellegood, Miss Richmond, of Cumberland, Messrs. G. Vickers White, H. Winter Owens, William Richardson and W. J. Brewington, were guests Monday evening of Miss Rosalie Fontaine, in Princess Anne.

—Mrs. Sarah Taylor, wife of James Taylor, died at her home in Frankford last Sunday night. Her remains were deposited in Parsons cemetery Tuesday afternoon after funeral services by Rev. J. S. Boxman, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

—The marriage of Miss Nannie Gillis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gillis, of Hebron, and Mr. L. Reese Lowe of Mardela Springs, is announced to take place Thursday morning, Feb. 26th, at half after seven o'clock at the Presbyterian Church, Mardela Springs.

—Capt. A. L. Jones, of the steamer Endeavor, says that when his vessel reached Love Point, after a hard battle with the ice, there was only 100 pounds of meat on sale in all the Kent Island stores and the population had been cut off from the outside world for seven days.

—A Bible Teacher's Study Circle and Normal Class has been organized in the Sunday School of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church South. Dr. Newton, the pastor, has been chosen leader of the circle, and meetings will be held each Friday evening.

—The second report on the highways of Maryland has been issued. The work is compiled by the Highways Division of the Maryland Geological Survey. The Report is carefully and accurately prepared and is interesting not only for the information it contains upon the Subject of Maryland Highways, but for the missionary work that it is bound to perform in the counties of the State.

—Gov. Smith has issued a proclamation forbidding the importation of cattle from certain southern and western states where the Texas fever is said to abound. The proclamation will be in effect until the middle of November. The district quarantined usually supplies Maryland with many of her stock cattle.

—Reports received by the Marine Hospital Service for the past week show that there are now 13,122 cases of smallpox in the United States, as compared with 4,859, at the same period in 1901. The number of deaths from smallpox for the week was 290 as compared with 55 for the same week of last year.

—The Jas. H. Thorne Dramatic Co., has a three nights' engagement at Ullman's Opera House beginning with next Monday night. Ladies' tickets are being distributed for Monday evening, which if presented at the box office before 7 p. m., with fifteen cents, will be exchanged for the best reserved seat.

—One of our beaux, whose lady-love resides in Cambridge, sought a little chat with her late one night recently through the medium of the Diamond State Telephone Co. There being nobody about and business being at a stand still he took a plenty of time and enjoyed a "heart to heart" talk with her. He has been speechless since he received the bill for the telephone toll. It was \$1.28.

—Mr. Jesse L. Long died in Wilmington last week. He was 82 years old. Mr. Long was an uncle of State Senator Brewington, the latter's mother being a sister of the deceased. Mrs. Wm. W. Gordy of this city is a half-sister. Mr. Long's remains were interred at Laurel, Del., where he had once lived, and where his wife and a daughter are buried.

—Messrs. Phillips & Mitchell, the proprietors and managers of the roller flouring mills of this city, are receiving extensive orders for their products from distant markets. The firm occupies a high place in the milling fraternity which the superior quality of their goods has earned for them. They are receiving car load lots of western wheat.

—Mr. Wm. H. Cathell, formerly of Salisbury, died last Saturday in Baltimore, where he had resided several years. He was 61 years old. He had never been married. Mr. Cathell was a genial and whole souled gentleman who made and kept friends wherever he went. In politics he was a republican, and was postmaster of Salisbury under President Hayes, receiving the appointment in 1886.

—Mrs. W. C. Gullett entertained the Ladies Fancy Work Club at her home on Church St. on Wednesday afternoon. The house was decorated with hyacinths and potted plants. Refreshments were served consisting of ices, cakes, mints, nuts and coffee. In the evening several friends were entertained at a seven o'clock dinner in honor of Mrs. Alderman of Tampa, Florida.

—Mr. Wm. F. Messick and Mrs. Ida C. Johnson were quietly married at half after eight o'clock at her home, 427 E. William St. Tuesday evening by Rev. S. J. Smith, of the Methodist Protestant Church, of this city. Quite a number of their friends and relatives were present to witness the marriage. A reception was given immediately after the ceremony.

—Mr. Charles Howard, the Brooklyn man who draws all of the comic valentines used in this country, twenty millions of which are printed at a Brooklyn printing office, has made a fortune out of the business. He says the trade will never languish as long as human nature is cruel. The valentine has been much in evidence this season, the monstrosities, as usual, being most generally in circulation.

—The officials of the B. C. & A. R. Y. Co. started from Baltimore harbor with the steamer Cambridge at seven o'clock Thursday morning, and with the aid of an ice boat managed to reach Calabone by twelve o'clock. They returned to Baltimore and have decided not to attempt the trip again until the ice breaks up. A number of the officials, including Mr. Thomson, was on board the Cambridge when she made the trip.

—Mrs. Martha N. Parsons died in Vincennes, Iowa, February 6th. Mrs. Parsons was the widow of the late Captain Benjamin Parsons, who in his life time was a prominent citizen of Salisbury and a large land owner of the county. He was the donor of the tract of land known as Parsons cemetery to St. Peter's church. Mrs. Parsons was born in Worcester county, her parents going west later, and when her husband died she joined them. She has many friends among Salisburyans who cherish her memory. She was nearly 90 years old.

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Chesapeake	11:15	1:15	3:15	5:15
Washington	11:30	1:30	3:30	5:30
Richmond	11:45	1:45	3:45	5:45
Frederick	12:00	2:00	4:00	6:00
Hagerstown	12:15	2:15	4:15	6:15
Gettysburg	12:30	2:30	4:30	6:30
Carlisle	12:45	2:45	4:45	6:45
York	1:00	3:00	5:00	7:00
Harrisburg	1:15	3:15	5:15	7:15
Philadelphia	1:30	3:30	5:30	7:30
New York	1:45	3:45	5:45	7:45
Boston	2:00	4:00	6:00	8:00
Providence	2:15	4:15	6:15	8:15
Worcester	2:30	4:30	6:30	8:30
Springfield	2:45	4:45	6:45	8:45
St. Louis	3:00	5:00	7:00	9:00
St. Paul	3:15	5:15	7:15	9:15
Chicago	3:30	5:30	7:30	9:30
San Francisco	3:45	5:45	7:45	9:45
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Bits Of Maryland News.

A movement is on foot to make the bridge across the Potomac river at Hancock free.

Miss Tillie Nussbaum of Frederick, sustained a stroke of paralysis Saturday and is critically ill.

J. C. Stonebraker sold to Mrs. Lucinda Baker 11 acres of land east of Hagerstown for \$100 an acre.

Samuel Hollingsworth, one of the best known farmers in Allegany county, is dead, aged 80 years.

The will of the late William B. Heatley of Elkton, was admitted to probate in the office of Register of Wills.

Washington's Birthday will be observed as a national holiday at the Naval Academy with special honors.

Daniel F. McMullen is being urged for the Mayoralty nominated at Frostburg, Md.

The sum of \$600 was cleared by Company B, First Maryland Regiment, at their fair in Hagerstown, just closed.

Governor Smith appointed H. G. Sanner a special policeman for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in Cumberland.

Rev. Dr. Osborne Ingle, of Frederick, states that his son, Rev. James Addison Ingle, will be consecrated February 24 as bishop of Hankow, China.

The sheriff of Morgan county, West Virginia, stopped a force of 75 men from cutting ice on Sunday at Dam No. 6 in the Potomac river.

Dodsworth Kuhn, of Hancock, passed the civil service examination and was appointed to a position in the Census Office at Washington.

Capt. J. C. Byron, of Hagerstown, was ordered by the War Department to go to Philadelphia. He will be stationed at the Schuylkill Arsenal.

Plans have been completed for a new Baptist church in Annapolis, with a seating capacity for 300 and a Sunday-school room for 200 pupils.

Resolute Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., is the wealthiest beneficial lodge in Hagerstown. Its assets amount to \$11,493.88. The membership numbers 806.

Sister Mary Margaret, Mother Superior of St. Joseph's Academy, Emmitsburg, who has been critically ill for the past two months, is slowly improving.

The farm of A. J. Nickle, in the sixth district of Cecil county, containing 55 acres, was purchased by J. J. Hanna at trustee's sale for \$2,350.

An Italian wrestling with a countryman fell from a box car sidetracked at Mountain Lake Park to the track and was run over and killed by a passing train.

Mary, the 4-year old daughter of John D. Long, who was accidentally shot with a pistol by her 6-year old brother at McCoy's Ferry on February 8, died on Monday.

When you lack energy, do not rely on your food, feel dull and stupid, after eating, all you need is a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets.

The handsome residence of William J. Davis, on Singery lane, Elkton, formerly owned by the late William M. Singery, of the Philadelphia Record, was sold at private sale to John B. Byers, of Greensburg, Pa., for \$6,150.

The Town Council and many prominent citizens of Oakland are agitating the question of water works for Oakland, and it is probable that it will be made one of the prominent issues at the coming municipal election, to be held in March.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidence in this Remedy."—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by R. K. Truitt.

A scarcity of eggs, amounting almost to a famine, exists in Washington county. On the Hagerstown market dealers who were selling for 30 cents a dozen refused to sell any more, upon receipt of telegrams announcing eggs had advanced to 40 cents in New York.

John E. Lewis, a native of Wales, is dead at Frostburg, aged 69 years. He was among a number of Welshmen who settled in Allegany county between 1840 and 1850 and was one of the organizers of the Welsh Baptist Church, Frostburg.

At Lake Royer, on the mountain, near Pen-Mar, ice 10 to 12 inches thick is being cut and stored in the mammoth icehouses on the banks by machinery, at the rate of eight and one half tons a minute.

The session of the Presbyterian Church at Lonsconing has voted to dispense with Sunday funerals except in cases of extreme necessity or where the deceased is a member of that church.

Mr. John J. Baumgartner, who was until recently the auditor for Carroll county, has been appointed law clerk in the legal department of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

Mrs. Ethan Allen Cramer, aged 89 years, died February 18 in Frederick. She was a sister of Gay Jones, a sister of Baltimore, and is survived by her husband, four sons and two daughters.

The proposed new charter for Maryland, Allegany county, makes nearly all the officers elective, although the Council can remove any officer for cause. A complete system of borough accounting is prescribed. The expenses are limited by safeguards.

"Quick lunch" is one of the commonest of city signs. The sign doesn't say "a healthy lunch of good food"—the character of the food apparently is not considered. It's just a quick lunch—eat and get away. Is it any wonder that the stomach breaks down? Food is thrown at it, sloppy, indigestible and insatiable food, very often, and the stomach has to do the best it can. Normally there should be no need for medical assistance for the stomach. But the average method of life is abnormal and while this continues there will always be a demand for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the same medicine which can be relied on to cure diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It is not a cure all. It is a medicine designed for the stomach, and to cure through the stomach remote diseases which have their cause in the derangement of the stomach and digestive and nutritive system. It cures when all else fails.

Rev. R. K. Stephenson, pastor of the Elkton Methodist Episcopal Church is conducting one of the greatest revivals in Elkton for the past 15 years. About 125 conversions have been reported.

Throat Sore? There's no telling what a sore throat will do to you if you give it "right of way." Uncertain remedies often cause dangerous delay. Make a cure sure with Painkiller, known for half a century as a specific for sore throat, croup, cough, and all kindred troubles. Keep it by you for an emergency. It never fails. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. 25c. and 50c.

Two West Virginia wild cats, inclosed in an iron bound box, were shipped from Huttonsville, W. Va., where they were captured, to the National Zoological Park at Washington.

Mr. Wheeler Got Rid of His Rheumatism. "During the winter of 1898 I was so lame in my joints, in fact all over my body, that I could hardly hobble around, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. From the first application I began to get well, and was cured and have worked steadily all the year.—R. Wheeler, Northwood, N. Y. For sale by R. K. Truitt."

You Cannot Change the course of a storm by tearing down the signals that give warning of its approach. Neither can you cure a cold by temporarily stopping a cough with Allen's Lung Balm, which will relieve the pain in the chest, the irritation in the throat and the hard breathing. Since it contains no opium, this remedy may be given freely to children, and to the most delicate adults.

Oscar Strauss, ex-Minister to Turkey, has presented to Secretary of State Hay a copy of Oliver Goldsmith's "Life of Shakespeare." It is an early and rare edition, which was once in the library of George Washington, and which bears Washington's personal book-plate and signature.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for literature, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The American Ice Company, which for the past 10 days has had several hundred men and horses at work harvesting ice on the Susquehanna river near Perryville, Cecil county, have completed the work.

Something That Will Do You Good. We know of no way in which we can be of more service to our readers than to tell them of something that will be of real good to them. For this reason we want to acquaint them with what we consider one of the very best remedies on the market for coughs, colds, and that alarming complaint, croup. We refer to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it with such good results in our family so long that it has become a household necessity. By its prompt use we haven't any doubt but that it has time and again prevented croup. The testimony is given upon our own experience, and we suggest that our readers, especially those who have small children, always keep it in their homes as a safeguard against croup.—Camden (S. C.) Messenger. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

Papers incorporating the Annapolis Emergency Hospital Association were filed in the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County. Mayor Dubois is president of the Hospital Association.

Bilious Colic. H. Seever, a carpenter and builder of Kenton, Tenn., when suffering intensely from an attack of bilious colic, sent to a nearby drug store for something to relieve him. The druggist sent him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, three doses of which effected a permanent cure. This is the only remedy that can be depended upon in the most severe cases of colic and cholera morbus. Most druggists know this and recommend it when such a medicine is called for. For sale by R. K. Truitt & Son.

Dr. A. Lee Porter, who had been Baltimore and Ohio examining surgeon at Cumberland, has been transferred to the Philadelphia Division, with headquarters at Wilmington, Del.

Clerk's Wise Suggestions. "I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes M. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro, Mass. "I could hardly eat anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure which I did with most happy results. I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time their digestion must be pretty good. I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia Cure heartily." You don't have to diet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food.

The funeral of Mrs. Florence E. Allnutt, who died Saturday at Unity, Montgomery county, took place from the Methodist Episcopal Church at Laytonville. She was the wife of Mr. William Allnutt.

Saved Her Child's Life. "In three weeks our chubby little boy was taken by pneumonia almost to skeleton," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, O. "A terrible cough set in, that, in spite of a good doctor's treatment for several weeks, grew worse every day. We then used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was soon sound and well. We are sure this grand medicine saved his life." Millions know it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. All druggists guarantee satisfaction. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

The Hagerstown Democratic City Executive Committee has set Saturday night, March 1, as the time for holding the city primaries. The majority convention will be held in Junior Hall Monday night, March 8.

The Last Heard Of It. "My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house," says F. D. Reynolds, Mansfield, O. "We feared he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup. Now isn't a cough cure like that valuable?" One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts immediately. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis and all other throat and lung troubles it is a certain cure. Very pleasant to take. The little ones like it.

Mr. James B. Maughlin, while hunting last week near Rio, Texas, killed a large wolf, and has sent to his home in Montgomery county a number of skins for study.

Educate Your Bowels. Your bowels can be trained as well as your muscles or your brain. Cascarets Candy Cathartic train your bowels to do right. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, too.

A Substitute for Macadam on Country Roads.

While for macadamizing purposes on country roads burnt gumbo is not quite so durable as some of the best grades of rock, it has many advantages to offset this one shortcoming, slight as it is. The process of producing burnt gumbo requires practically no capital or great skill to carry on. The most ordinary labor and a little common sense on the part of one person, as overseer, can produce the best of results. Of course, the road should be properly graded and crowned before putting on the gumbo road metal. A surface of burnt clay, six to eight inches in thickness, is commonly sufficient for good results; or ten inches in particular places where unusual conditions exist or traffic is especially heavy.

By selecting for improvement the heaviest parts of the road first, since the worst stretches are often caused by the very heavy material that makes the best grade of road metal, and systematically working under intelligent guidance, five years would find every principal highway in a county as passable the year around as a paved city street, and at very little more cost than is now usually squandered on "working the roads." The county surveyor could easily superintend the whole work for his district; and, with local overseers as head burners, he could soon produce as good a system of highways as any one could wish for. Once properly prepared, two men could easily keep the roads of a whole county always in good repair.

With no more expenditure of money and effort than is now put on the country roads, ballasting with burnt clay would produce in a dozen years a system of highways equal to any of those for which France has so long been famous.

A burnt gumbo road is never muddy, for that property is lost in burning. The surface of the road is hard and smooth. As a speedway for bicycles and automobiles it is ideal. For carriages and heavy wagons it has no superior. No vegetation can grow on it. It is practically free from dust, after the highway system has been well developed, so that mud is not brought in from the tributary roads. Moreover, the warm red highways contrast pleasingly against the green landscape at those seasons of the year when country drives are most enjoyable.—From "Burnt Clay for Roads in the West," by Charles Rollin Keyes, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for January.

Two Weeks' Tour to Florida. The second Pennsylvania Railroad tour of the season to Jacksonville, allowing two weeks in Florida, will leave New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington by special train on February 18.

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And great bargains are being offered in every department. Extra salespeople have been employed and everyone can be waited on promptly.

In this sale we are offering at greatly reduced prices, to make room for spring stock, the following:

- 5000 Yards Ribbon, one-fourth to one-half off.
- 10,000 Yards Hamburg Embroidery, 3 to 35c per yard.
- 50 Doz. Corsets, from 18 to 65c.
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- Lot of odd pieces, open stock, Decorated China, Patterns we have dropped, from one-fourth to one-half off.
- Men's Ladies' and Children's Shoes, one-fourth to one-half off.
- Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, one-fourth to one-half off.
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The above goods are not seconds or mill ends, but are perfect goods—remnants of our own stock.

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LOCAL Correspondence

NEWS FROM ALL SECTIONS OF WICOMICO SENT IN BY THE ADVERTISER'S REPRESENTATIVES.

ALLEN.

Mr. Mark L. Long, of Philadelphia arrived in town last Friday night accompanied by a severe case of whooping cough.

Capt. L. T. Collins, who received a paralytic stroke some weeks ago is now on the mend, we are glad to report.

Misses Gertie and Addie Griffith of "The Everglades" are spending the week with Mrs. Roscoe Jones at "Locust Grove".

The egg market leaped upward this cold spell. Our merchants are now paying 83 cents a dozen for all they can get. We can visit all we please but we may expect to get the ham without the eggs.

The first real blizzard of the winter struck Allen last Sunday evening about six o'clock and never slacked its pace until Wednesday evening. It began, easy like, the snow falling gently as if it feared some one would see it and order it to stop, for all the world like a boy when he creeps into the kitchen of a Sunday morning to steal his skates. This way of giving the people a blizzard was to slow for old Boreas. He saw some fun in the game and he made haste to get in it. He came out of his hiding place at a time when all honest folks should be in bed and made things lively. He whistled around corners and over house-tops in the biggest kind of hurry and piled the snow in great heaps on the sidewalks and in the street, leaving places perfectly level where no one ever had occasion to travel. The old gentleman made pedestrians think very hard of him, while railroad officials and trainmen are "asin" yet. He has put our "Uncle Sam" behind in delivering his mails and kicking up the mischief generally. We hope he will not get gay again this winter.

The boy who wrote the following essay would make a fine writer as he undoubtedly understood the business. He wrote: "The hornet is the smartest bug that flies anywhere. He comes when he pleases and goes when he gets ready. One way a hornet shows his smartness is by tending to his own business, and makes everybody who interferes with him wish they had done the same."

I have been importuned by my friends to start a question bureau in the ADVERTISER for the edification of the community at large. The bureau therefore makes its debut in this issue of the ADVERTISER. I wish to say that the bureau will continue to do good work every week, but the first man or woman that asks a foolish question—well—down goes the bureau.

Who is the author of "Pecks Bad Boy" and where could I get a copy of same? Bishop George W. Peck. Any dealer in religious books can supply you. I should think your Sunday School would have it in its library.

Is Mark Hanna an Irishman or a Dutchman? He is worse than either, he is a United States Senator.

Please give the names of the Senators from South Carolina, also from Delaware. At the opening of the 57th Congress Benjamin R. Tillman and John L. McLaurin were the senators from the Palmetto State, but since then these gentlemen have resigned and South Carolina is now represented in the Upper House of Congress by Benjamin R. Tillman and John L. McLaurin. As to poor little Delaware, she has no senators now and never will have as long as some of her fool people continue to follow Addicks.

Has President Roosevelt any foreign relatives of note? Certainly. The present Amir of Afghanistan is his third cousin.

B says that Adam was smooth faced and C says that he wore whiskers as long as Ex-Senator Peffer's. Please state who is right. B is right. History tells us that Adam stopped at the barber shop to get shaved every evening on his way down town to meet the boys.

To whom should I apply for a clerical position in the navy department? Apply to no one. All that you need do is to write a duodecimo book of some fifty or sixty pages on the "Battle of Santiago," in which you must be sure to use the words "catiff, coward, liar" and other endearing words—for ward a copy of same to Secretary Long, and you will get a position very near that gentleman.

What is the character of the examinations to be taken by candidates for the rural mail service? In the first place you must know how to treat successfully spinal meningitis, and box a compass. You must also be able to tell how many cloth covered caskets a bull pine will make, the pine measuring 3 feet across the stump and sixty feet high. The examiners will expect you to have a thorough knowledge of the drug and lumber business and to know how to sell a ten dollar suit of cotton clothes for fifteen dollars, guaranteed to be all wool, without telling a lie. If you can "do these things" and stand well with "the powers that be" you will be likely to get what you are looking for.

QUANTICO.

On Friday evening, St. Valentine's Day was celebrated by a fashionable party given by the Misses Gordy at their home, "Maple Hill". The decorations were white and blue. The feature of the evening was a "Musical Romance" in which romantic questions were asked and answers were played upon a musical instrument. The guests were expected to detect the name of the song from the music and thus answer the questions. The prize for the greatest number of correct answers was won by Mr. Earle Dabhiell. At 10.30 refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Myrtle and Elsie Gordy, Lillian and Daisy Boston, Mabel Humphreys, Nellie Brady, Mabel Bailey, Nellie Graham, Myrtle Phillips, Mattie Gordy, and Ella Brady,

and Messrs. Talbot Truitt, Ray and Ira Disharoon, Geo. and Jno. Graham, Walter Humphreys, Wm. Gordy, Edward Humphreys, Lyle and Knowles Gordy, Earle Dabhiell and J. Walter Huntington.

Mr. Herbert Messick, Miss Susie Gale and Miss Nannie Taylor attended a social fete given by Miss Minnie Anderson at her home in Rockwalking on Friday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Jones who has been making an extended visit in Baltimore and Annapolis returned to her home in town Friday.

The Misses Blanche and Marie Taintor, who teach in the county, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents in town.

Delegate A. L. Jones was home with his family during the first part of the week. He returned to Annapolis Tuesday.

Rev. F. B. Adkins was entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Disharoon this town.

Miss Beulah Cooper of Allen who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. M. Messick near town, returned to her home Saturday.

Miss Lala Jones who has been spending sometime with relatives in Dorchester Co., returned to her home in town this week.

The season of Lent, which is religiously observed by the communicants of the Episcopal Church of town, having come again the many social fests and gaieties that have been indulged in for several weeks in town will be dispensed with until after the Easter holidays, and their functions will be replaced by serious talks and sober appearances. During a part of this season there will be special services held in the F. E. church by the rector, Rev. F. B. Adkins.

Mrs. A. L. Jones who was ill earlier in the week is now convalescent.

The fall of snow here during Sunday night and Monday was a foot in depth. The folks in and about town have thoroughly enjoyed the sleigh-riding during the entire week. It would seem from the severe weather that the ground hog surely saw his shadow on the much spoken of Feb. 8.

A cavalcade of fifteen men upon horses broke the thoroughfare from this town to Salisbury on Thursday, much to the convenience of those wishing to visit the county seat.

On account of the extreme weather we were not able to get any mail on Tuesday and several other days of the week. The obliging carrier, Mr. F. D. Smith, was compelled to take his pouch to Hebron and go to Salisbury on the train since it was utterly impossible for his team over the county roads.

Mr. Ray Disharoon upon one of his bi-weekly visits to White Haven or vicinity Sunday last became snow bound, but fortunately got back to Quantico during the week, declaring he would not go again—meaning of course, until another two weeks has elapsed.

Mr. Albert Robertson of east North Carolina has purchased from Mr. Lee Taylor the house and lot at the north end of Main Street, this town.

Reports are, that we are to have two new canneries to be operated in town, this coming season. Mr. W. S. Disharoon is to erect one on the "Taylor Farm" and Messrs. J. L. Langsdale and Wm. Fletcher one on the "Tainter Farm". These, with the factories of O. W. Taylor, G. M. Messick and T. R. Jones & Bro., which have been doing work for several years in town and the county around it, will furnish an ample market for all the tomatoes that can be grown upon our land. It is said \$6.50 per ton will be paid for the goods delivered at the factories. This industry is a long established one in Quantico, and every year adds much to the general resources of the people.

WHAYLAND.

We are having winter now and the young folks are enjoying sleighing. Until last Sunday it was skating.

Mr. W. W. Chatham now has charge of the postoffice at this place. Owing to the inconvenience of getting the mail the people are very much in favor of the free delivery system as some have to drive two and three miles to get to the post office.

Whooping cough is prevalent here. We are glad to report Mr. Earle Harcum who has been ill several weeks with rheumatism, improving.

Mr. E. A. Denison had a house moving Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Lee Cantwell we are glad to say is much improved at this writing and also Master Earle Fiddle who has had an attack of pneumonia.

Plenty of snow and the young folks and old folks too are enjoying sleigh riding and boat riding on the snow.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Messick of Poplar Hill spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Messick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Cooper.

Messrs. J. H. Goode and Lee Cantwell have purchased a part of the vessel, "Mountaineer" from T. W. H. White. Capt. W. T. Cantwell and J. R. Cantwell expect to sail the vessel till summer.

Mr. Charlie Layfield of Green Hill is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

A certain young gentleman rode on horseback one night this week to call on a lady friend and the horse became restless and tried to wrap up in the old man's wagon curtains and the "boss" says come and pay damages and he can come to see the girl again if he wont hitch to his wagon wheel.

The Outlook in its March Magazine Number has no less than ten illustrated special features—certainly a good showing as to quantity in a magazine which is also a weekly newspaper and devotes even in its "magazine numbers" large space to current topics, editorials, and book reviews. Among the illustrated articles of this month are: Two College Presidents (Mark and Henry Hopkins); Edward Everett Hale's "Memories of a Hundred Years"; E. A. Steiner's "Crackow and Polish Patriotism"; Poulton Bigelow's "Henry the Baller Prince"; W. A. Brown's "Some Rare Musical Instruments"; and Clifton Johnson's "When the White Mountains are White."

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O. J. DEROUSSÉ, Secretary.

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As time and tide for no man wait. Then why not buy a time piece straight. The train is coming and will go. Without a time piece you'll be slow. From U. E. Caulk's the place to buy. If you don't believe it come and try. He carries the stock that will tell. The time correct to beat or belie. Bicycles too are in his line. Which often help to be in time. With wing machines, he sets 'em true. With them you'd work you all can do. If you should break your ring or chain. Just bring them down here. I mend the same. The place to find this jewelry shop is on the corner in Twilley's block.

All Next Week Beginning Feb. 24th

We will offer some big bargains in all our lines of jewelry, etc., which will be of special interest to you. We make this special offer in order to clear our wall and show cases quickly to make room for spring goods. If you are interested watch our windows. They will tell the story of reduced prices.

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Overcoats, 15, 12, \$10 kind, for 10, 8 and \$7. Suits, 16, 14, 12, \$10 kind, now 8.50, 7.50, 6.40, \$5 PANTS, ONE-FOURTH OFF.

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