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HON. WM. M. MARINE

A Native Of Wicomico County Died In Baltimore Wednesday. Was Soldier, Politician, Lawyer, Public Speaker And Author.

Mr. William M. Marine, Collector of the Port of Baltimore under President Harrison, died Wednesday morning at his home, 2514 Madison avenue. He had been in ill health for several years, but was confined to his home only about a week. The cause of his death was Bright's disease, with attendant complications.

It was stated by Mr. Madison Marine, the son and law partner, that the recent fire aggravated his father's last illness. The firm had offices in the Law Building, and Mr. Marine worried over the loss of valuable letters and manuscripts.

The ancestors of Mr. Marine on the paternal side, on coming to America, settled in D. Rehoboth county between the years 1655 and 1669. Records reveal the spelling of the name as Mareen, Marine, Marine, Marene, Marean, Marain, Mareasin, Morine, Marean and Marign.

Mr. William M. Marine was the eldest child of Fletcher and Eleanor Marine and was born in Sharptown, Md., August 25, 1843. He attended the village schools in Vienna and Bacon Quarter Somers county, and was also enrolled as a pupil in Thomas Gale's private school in Baltimore. Subsequently he went to Irving College, a military institution at Mancheser, Md., and thereafter to the Cumberland Valley Institute, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

During the Civil War, though a mere boy, he was ardent in the Federal cause. He witnessed the 19th of April tragedy in Baltimore, and the next day appeared with an American flag in the lapel of his jacket, which caused him to be threatened with bodily harm. He assisted in raising a company for the Ninth Maryland Infantry and was made second lieutenant.

On March 15, 1890, he was appointed Collector of the Port of Baltimore, and held that office five years and four months, one year and two months of which he served under President Cleveland. He ranked among the most efficient of Collectors.

He had a fondness for literature and was the author of articles that would fill several large volumes.

Many householders of Delmar are making complaints about the quality of the oil furnished by the Standard Oil Co.

THE SHIRT FACTORY

Receives A Call From A Committee Of Salisbury Business Men, Who Look Into Condition Of Affairs. Scarcely Of Stitches Noted.

Upon the invitation of the General Manager of the Salisbury Shirt Factory, the recently appointed committee of business men of Salisbury, consisting of Messrs. R. D. Grier, C. R. Disharoon, Jas. E. Ellegood and Chas. E. Harper, visited the factory on Friday morning. The committee found in point of heat, light, ventilation and cleanliness, the management was to be especially commended. There are a great many windows which in addition to affording ample light to operators, make the rooms specially comfortable in summer time. There are no surrounding houses.

The ironing room seemed to be pretty well filled to its capacity. Mr. Weisbach stated that the difficulty was in securing sufficient stitchers in the sewing room, and that the management were therefore compelled to place a large part of their sewing out of the town, in order to meet the demand of the factory and give the ironing and other departments of the factory steady work.

The committee was informed that they could take on at once forty to fifty stitchers. This would add very largely to the pay roll which is now about \$1200.00 weekly, and would consequently add very much to the business interests of the town. This factory is generally recognized as one of our most important industries. Not only because it gives employment to a large number of men, but especially because it affords a means of livelihood to many of the other avenues of earning an independence are closed. The labor did not appear burdensome nor the hours unreasonable.

The committee would recommend that our citizens take more personal interest both for the interest of the town and for those who may be in need of employment.

WANTED:—A man owning his own mill to saw 150 acres of pine and cypress timber. Address Dr. J. L. Woodcock, 406 Camden Ave., Salisbury, Md.

WANTED:—A good experienced man to work on the farm by the month. Good wages will be paid. Apply to Ernest L. Parker, Salisbury, Md. 2t.

PURE ELECTION BILL

Introduced In Senate By Senator Moore. Makes It Unlawful Either To Buy Or Sell Votes. Full Provisions Made For Penalties. Betting Is Prohibited.

Mr. John P. Moore, of Worcester County introduced a corrupt practice bill in the Senate Tuesday, with some new features.

The bill makes it unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly by himself or through any person:

(a) To pay, loan or contribute, or to offer or promise to pay, loan or contribute, any money or other valuable consideration to or for any voter, or to or for any other person, to induce such voter to vote or refrain from voting at the polls at such election, or to induce any voter to vote or refrain from voting at the polls at such election.

(b) To give, offer or promise any office, place or employment, or to promise or procure or endeavor to procure any office, place or employment, to or for any voter, or to or for any other person, in order to induce such voter to vote or refrain from voting at any election provided by law, or to induce any voter to vote or refrain from voting at such election for any particular person or persons.

(c) To advance or pay, or cause to be paid, any money or other valuable thing to or for the use of any other person, with the intent that the same, or any part thereof, shall be used in bribery at any election provided by law, or to knowingly pay, or cause to be paid, any money or other valuable thing to any person in discharge or repayment of money, wholly or in part, expended in bribery at any election.

To Prevent Bribery.
The second section makes it unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly, by himself or through any other person:

A.—To receive, agree or contract for, before or during an election provided for by law, any money, gift, loan or other valuable consideration, office, place or employment for himself or any other person for voting or agreeing to vote, or for going or agreeing to go to the polls, or for remaining away or agreeing to remain away from the polls, or for refraining or agreeing to refrain from voting for any particular person or persons, measure or measures, at any election provided by law.

B.—To receive any money or other valuable thing during or after an election

provided by law on account of himself or any other person, for voting or refraining from voting at such election or on account of himself or any other person for voting or refraining from voting for any particular person at such election, or on account of himself or any other person for going to the polls or remaining away from the polls at such election, or on account of having induced any person to vote or refrain from voting, or to vote or refrain from voting for any particular person or persons, measure or measures at such election.

Betting Prohibited.

The third section makes it unlawful for any candidate for public office, before or during any election provided by law, to make any bet or wager with a voter or to take a share or interest in, or in any manner become a party to, any such bet or wager, or to provide for or agree to provide, any money to be used by another in making such bet or wager upon any event or contingency whatever arising out of such election. Nor shall it be lawful for any person, directly or indirectly, to make a bet or wager with a voter depending upon the result of any election provided by law, with the intent thereby to procure the challenge of such voter, or to prevent him from voting at such election. Any violation of this section shall be deemed a misdemeanor.

The fourth section makes it unlawful to make use of any force, violence or restraint, or to inflict or threaten the infliction by himself or through another person of any injury, damage, harm or loss, or in any manner to practice intimidation upon or against any person in order to induce or compel such person to vote or refrain from voting for any particular person or persons, measure or measures at any election provided by law, or on account of such person having voted or refrained from voting at any such election. And it shall be unlawful for any person, by abduction, duress or any forcible or fraudulent device or contrivance whatever to impede, prevent or otherwise interfere with the free exercise of the elective franchise of any voter, or to compel, induce or prevail upon any voter either to give or refrain from giving his vote at any such election, or to give or refrain from giving his vote for any particular person at any such election.

Must Not Intimidate.

It shall be unlawful for any employer, either corporation, association, company, firm or person in paying their or its employees the salary or wages due them to include their pay in pay envelopes upon which there is written or printed any political mottoes, devices or arguments containing threats, expressed or implied, intended or calculated to influence the political opinions, views or actions of such employees. Nor shall it be lawful for any employer within 90 days of any election provided by law to put up or otherwise exhibit in its, their or his factory, workshop, mine, mill, boarding-house, office or other establishment or place where its, their or his employees may be working or be present in the course of such employment, any handbill, notice or placard containing any threat, notice or information that in case any particular ticket or candidate shall be elected work in its, their or his establishment will cease in whole or in part, or its, their or his workmen be reduced, or other threats, expressed or implied, intended or calculated to influence the political opinions or actions of its, their or his employees. Any person or persons or corporations violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and any person, whether acting in his individual capacity or as an agent of any corporation, so guilty of such misdemeanor shall be punished as herein after described.

The fifth section makes it unlawful for an employer to influence political actions of employees by discharge or promotion or intimidation in any way.

The sixth section provides that candidates shall within 30 days after an election file an itemized and sworn statement of money expended in aid of their election.

The seventh section prohibits interference with election officers in the discharge of their duty.

The Penalty.

Persons offending against provisions of the first four sections of the act are to be competent witnesses against other persons so offending and may be compelled to attend or testify at any trial or investigation in relation thereto, but the testimony so given shall not be used in any proceedings against said witness, and the person so testifying shall not thereafter be liable to indictment for the offense with regard to which his testimony has been given.

Any person convicted of offenses mentioned in the first four sections shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding a year, or by both fine and imprisonment.

The bill adds the foregoing sections to the General Election Law as Sections 153 to 161, inclusive, the last new section being a clause repealing any former legislation inconsistent with the measure.

NATIONAL GOOD ROADS.

Bill In Congress, To appropriate \$24,000,000. Provides That Each State, County Or Town Receiving Federal Aid Shall Expended An Equal Amount.

The Brownlow Good Roads Bill introduced in the House of Representatives by Hon. Walter P. Brownlow, of Tennessee, is the subject of much talk by the agricultural interests of the country. As legislation along this line is in touch with one of the greatest needs of America, the people generally will wish for the bill a prompt enactment. The principal features are:

1st. For the creation of a department at Washington, with proper superintendents and employees, to take care of the building of these roads.

2d. \$24,000,000 to be appropriated, of which \$8,000,000 is available each year for three years.

3rd. Each state, county or town receiving Federal Aid must add a like amount to the sum received from the United States Government.

This bill is undoubtedly one of the best if not the best of its kind ever introduced, and should receive the support of every citizen interested in the problem of securing good roads. This country, if not the richest, is almost the richest, in the world, yet it has the poorest wagon roads.

Except where a few states have given state aid in building roads, the farmer has had to bear the whole cost of building and maintaining them, although every ton of produce going to cities and towns has to go over these roads, and the cities and towns, as a rule, contribute nothing towards their cost or maintenance.

During the past forty years there has been an immense improvement in railway, trolley and water transportation, and freight rates have, in some cases, been lowered. Our railways are every year spending millions in improving their roads and terminal facilities, but in transportation by wagons or roads there has been hardly any improvement. Forty years ago it cost 25 cents per ton per mile to carry farm produce, lumber, etc., on a wagon road, and it costs same to-day.

It is not the farmer's fault but his misfortune, that, while there has been a great advance in railway and water transportation, to which the National Government has largely contributed, he has not improved transportation on his roads. It is not his fault that he has seen the neighboring towns grow richer, while his lands have not improved in value. He does not want to haul his produce through deep mud and up steep hills, and he would not do it if he could help it. The reason he has not a good, smooth road, free from ruts, stones and mud, without steep hills, connecting his farm with his market town, is simple because he cannot afford to pay for it; he has not, and never will have, the money to pay for good roads.

The United States Government appropriated in 1903 \$32,540,190 for River and Harbor improvements. It has spent many millions in building post-offices, and Federal buildings in nearly every large city in the Union. It has protected manufacturing by a tariff until we have become the greatest manufacturing nation in the world. It pays the veterans and their families pensions which amount to about \$140,000,000 a year. But what has the National Government done for the farmer? It has established Agricultural Colleges, Experiment Stations, made the head of the Bureau of Agriculture a cabinet officer, created free rural mail delivery in certain sections, but after showing a man how to double the product of his farm it has left him unable to market the produce he has created because of the bad condition of the wagon roads.

As a number of states have believed it wise to aid in the building of roads, would it not be wise for the United States Government to do so also, and to aid the farmer just as it has aided commerce and the cities? There can be but one answer to this question, and that is yes.

MARYLAND LEGISLATION

\$200,000 Appropriation Good Roads Bill Passes House. Suffrage Bill Through Senate. Efforts To Make \$350 A Year, Minimum Teacher's Salary.

The measure known as the Shoemaker road bill, which was introduced in the House by Dr. Hill of Prince George's county, passed that body Wednesday afternoon. It will now go to the Senate. It provides for an annual appropriation of \$200,000 from the State funds, which is to be divided among the counties of the State in proportion to the number of miles of roads in each. After the County Commissioners of the respective counties have made a requisition for the amount, they must first agree to contribute half the expense of the improvement.

When those owning two-thirds of the property along a mile of road agree to pay 10 per cent of the improvement, the County Commissioners must notify the State and advertise for contracts for the work. After the preliminary work has been completed requisition is made on the State Treasurer for his portion of the expense.

When the work is completed a Road Commission appointed by the State exercises a general supervision over the improved section of the road. If the County Commissioners fail to keep the improved road in repair, the aid of the State is withdrawn until such repairs are made. In case any county fails to demand all the State money to which it is entitled, the portion remaining in the fund can be distributed among those counties which desire it.

To Eliminate Ignorant Vote.

The Democratic organization measure introduced by Senator Wilson, and admittedly for the purpose of eliminating negro suffrage, as far as possible, passed its third reading and final passage in the Senate Thursday morning. The final passage through the Senate of the most important measure of the Senate attracted no more attention than the disposal of some trifling local bill.

The bill received 17 votes, all Democratic, while the eight Republican Senators were solidly against it. This is the bare three-fifths vote of all the members of the body, which is required when a Constitutional amendment is to be submitted.

Plea For State School Teachers.

School teachers from all parts of the State were in Annapolis Thursday where they were given a hearing by the Legislature on the bill to make minimum salaries \$350 a year and to provide for a full school term in all the counties of the State. The bill also asks for an increased appropriation for the Normal Schools at Frostburg and at Washington College, on the Eastern Shore.

Among those who addressed the Legislature were Mr. M. Bates Stephens, State Superintendent of Public Schools; Mr. Clayton Purnell, representing the State Board; Mr. John D. Worthington of Belair and Mr. F. Eugene Wathen of Annapolis.

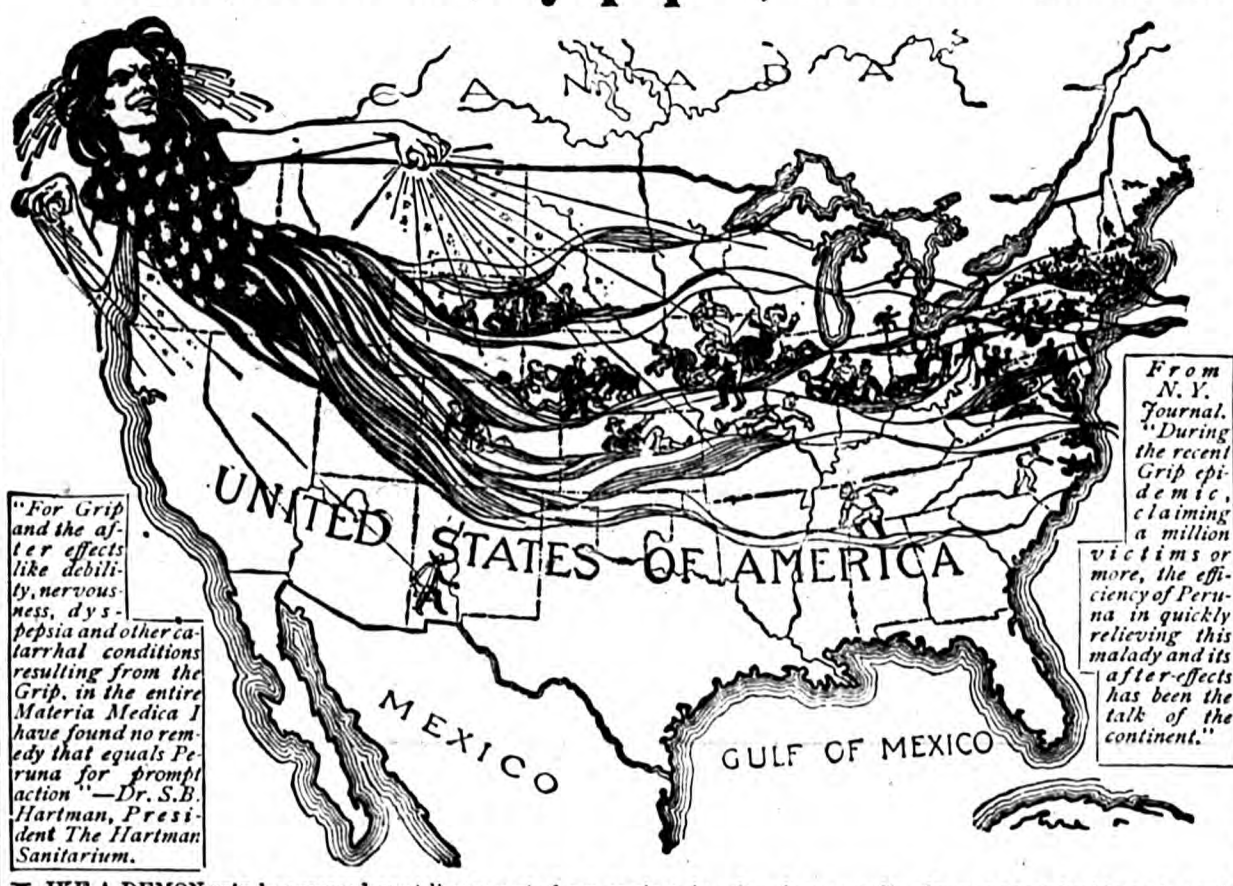
To Reduce Carfares.

Delegate Lipman of Baltimore city is having a bill engrossed reducing street car fares in Baltimore city from 5 to 3 cents between 5 and 8 o'clock A. M. and 5 and 7 o'clock P. M.

The Pennsylvania Railroad is about to put into effect new regulations in regard to shipping explosives, inspired, it is said, by the disaster at Greenwood, Del., a few months ago. In future all explosives shipped must bear a large red tag or sticker, with the word "Explosives" printed thereon in large, black letters. Previous to the accident at Greenwood, car loads with explosives were tagged with a red poster, but not smaller shipments. In future all shipments, of whatever size or kind, must have these red tags.

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This is so true that few grip sufferers are able to make a complete recovery until they have used Peruna.

Never in the history of medicine has a remedy received such unqualified and universal eulogies as Peruna.

A New York Alderman's Experience.
Hon. Joseph A. Flinn, alderman Fifth District, writes from 104 Christopher Street, New York City, as follows:

"When a pestilence overtakes our people we take precaution as a nation to preserve the citizens against the dread disease.

"La grippe has entered thousands of our homes this fall, and I noticed that the people who used Peruna were quickly restored, while those who depended on doctor's prescriptions, spent weeks in recovering, leaving them weak and emaciated.

"I had a slight attack of la grippe and as once took Peruna, which drove the

disease out of my system in a few days and did not hinder me from pursuing my daily work.

"I should like to see our Board of Health give it official recognition and have it used generally among our poor sick people in Greater New York."

Joseph A. Flinn.

D. L. Wallace, a charter member of the International Barber's Union, writes from 15 Western avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.:

"Following a severe attack of la grippe I seemed to be affected badly all over. I suffered with a severe headache, indigestion and numerous ills, so I could neither eat nor sleep, and I thought I would give up my work, which I could not afford to do.

"One of my customers who was greatly helped by Peruna advised me to try it. I procured a bottle the same day. I used it faithfully and felt a marked improvement. During the next two months I took five bottles, and then felt splendid. Now my head is clear, my nerves steady, I enjoy food, and rest well. Peruna has been worth a dollar a dose to me."

results of your very valuable medicine in its effects in my case after repeated trials.

"First, it cured me of chronic bronchitis of fifteen years' standing by using two bottles of Peruna in January, 1894, and no return of it.

"After I was cured of bronchitis I had la grippe every winter for several winters. But, through the use of Peruna, it got gradually weaker in its severity, until it dwindled down to a mere stupor for two or three days. Now the stupor does not trouble me any more."

O. H. Perry.

A Congressman's Experience.
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

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Real Estate

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State and County Taxes.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale conferred upon the undersigned by law as Collector of State and County Taxes for Wicomico County and State of Maryland for the year 1902, the undersigned, as Collector aforesaid, will sell at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in Salisbury, Maryland, on

SATURDAY,
The 19th Day of MARCH

1904, at or about 2.00 o'clock p. m., to satisfy the State and County Taxes aforesaid, duly levied by the County Commissioners of said Wicomico County on Jan. 9th, 1902, for the said year of 1902, and now remaining unpaid, the following real estate:

NO. 1.—Farm on road from Delmar to Spring Hill in Delmar Election District, with improvements thereon. Containing 82 acres more or less and assessed to Joseph W. Hastings.

NO. 2.—Lot in Delmar, South side, East Street with improvements thereon in Delmar Election District, and assessed to Harvey Hastings.

NO. 3.—Lot in Delmar adjoining the hotel property in Delmar Election District, with improvements thereon and assessed to Wm. L. Sirman.

NO. 4.—House and lot on State Street in Delmar, in Delmar Election District, assessed to Isaac M. Calloway.

NO. 5.—Land on South side of Gum Mill branch on road from Gum Mills to Royal Oak in Quantico Election District, containing 140 acres, more or less with the improvements thereon and assessed to Chas. L. Taylor.

NO. 6.—Lot near Green Hill farm owned by James T. Taylor containing 40 acres more or less, with improvements thereon, situated in Quantico Election District and assessed to Jacob E. Taylor.

NO. 7.—Lot in Hebron on Walnut street formerly owned by John E. Beth and with improvements thereon and assessed to S. R. Henry.

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ORDER NISI.

Jason P. Tighman, next friend, et al.
In the Circuit Court for Wicomico County in Equity No. 177 Jan. Term, to wit, February 20, 1904.

Ordered that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by L. Atwood Bennett and Harvey H. Holloway, trustees, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 22nd day of 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 21st day of March next.

The report states the amount of sales to be \$100.00.

ERNEST A. TOADVINE, Clerk.
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ERNEST A. TOADVINE, Clerk.

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The best way to save is to get the money out of your hands into a reliable bank—the Maryland Savings Bank. You can do this by mail; deposit by mail; pay out by mail; withdraw by mail, if you want to. This new method is explained in a booklet that will be mailed free to anyone writing to the Maryland Savings Bank, Baltimore.

Road Examiners' Notice.

We, the undersigned road examiners, appointed by the County Commissioners of Wicomico County to survey and lay out a public road beginning in Salisbury Election District on the southern side of River Street just opposite the intersection of Oak Hill Avenue with said River Street, then running down the line up, between and through the lands of George Pusey, Ella C. Williams, Marion A. Humphreys, Wm. S. Gordy, Graham Gunby, Amos W. W. Cook, heirs of Mary Cannon, Jan. D. Maddox, Wm. M. Day, Samuel A. Graham, George Maddox, William T. Banks, Roy Rector, Willie Rector and others to the northernly side of the county road leading from Shad Point to Fruitland, hereby give notice that we will meet at the beginning of said road, on Thursday, the tenth day of March, in the year nineteen hundred and four, to execute the trust reposed in us by virtue of a commission issued to us from the County Commissioners of Wicomico County, dated the sixteenth day of February, in the year nineteen hundred and four.

P. S. SHOCKLEY,
W. JEFF STATION,
HARRY WILLIAMS,
Examiners.

Notice of Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore existing between Jesse D. Price and Isaac L. Price, trading as the Salisbury Lumber & Coal Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Isaac L. Price retiring from said firm.

Jesse D. Price who will continue the business under the same style and firm name is authorized to collect all bills and to pay all liabilities of said firm. All persons owing the firm are requested to settle at once.

JESSE D. PRICE,
ISAAC L. PRICE,
Salisbury, Md., Feb. 12, 1904.

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BERLIN.

Mr. Lambert P. Ayre is in Philadelphia this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Buffington, of the Heights, are in Philadelphia for a ten days visit. Left at noon Saturday.

Mayor Charles Disharoon and Mr. E. B. Adkins, of Salisbury, were guests of Berlin this week.

Miss Edna Jones, of Newark, spent Wednesday with Miss Harriett Dirickson at the Cedars.

Miss Margaret Purnell, of East Gate, left Friday for quite a stay, both in Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Mr. Thomas G. Hanley had the honor of dining at our County Almshouse Tuesday by special invitation of the trustees.

Mr. William D. Longwell will be a guest of Mr. Charles Myers at the Point for a week, reaching Berlin, Wednesday.

Mrs. Addie Byrd who has been a visitor at the home of Mrs. Zadok P. Henry, left for Princess Anne Tuesday.

The Harrisons are busily engaged this week uprooting and housing firm trees for the first time since the commencement of the freeze last fall.

A meeting of the Peninsula Exchange will be held at 10 a. m., Bishopville, Saturday, 5th. Also Showells at 2 p. m.

Dr. Sidney Lane, who has been making his home at Golden Quarter, on the creek the past winter, and quite a stranger, was on our streets Monday meeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell Patten who have been guests of Mrs. Harry Jarvis for several days, also their daughter, Mildred, took the noon train Tuesday for Philadelphia, their home.

Mr. Charles Ludlum, of Ocean City, spent Saturday in Berlin, procuring the needed articles and making ready for his pond fishing and early spring catch.

Messrs. Bartlett, Jarvis and Patten were down the bay Monday having lots of fun besides bagging a fine lot of ducks. The long and continued freeze has made wild fowl exceedingly scarce.

Mr. Edward Dirickson, Jr., was taken to the Hopkins last week and treated for appendicitis Friday. Dr. E. J. Dirickson on his return Tuesday night reported a successful operation and happy to say Ned doing as well as one could expect.

Mr. Joseph Schaeffer, of Salisbury stopped in Berlin Tuesday on his route to Ocean City. There are not many families in this section who don't know the genial Schaeffer personally, or experienced the delicious flavor of his bread.

Mrs. H. P. Harmonson, who has been at the bedside of her daughter, Miss Margaret, at the Jefferson, Philadelphia, for the past 10 days, returned Wednesday night. Miss Margaret is improving and growing stronger daily.

Prince, an old horse and family friend belonging to E. S. Farbach, broke his neck Tuesday afternoon whilst running at a high rate of speed, and suddenly coming in contact with a stiff wire fence. After the collision he did not live three minutes. Prince was daily on the street, from store to depot and had made many good friends who sincerely regret his sad ending.

There seems to be very grave doubts whether the present owner is still entitled to wear the gold badge recently presented by the Pigeon Club as champion. Last week he deliberately accepted a challenge from an outsider of the club, the shoot coming off Wednesday, resulting in the club champion's defeat. The other members refuse to wear the badge. The public pulse is with the man who proved himself the best shot.

The citizens of Snow Hill, last Tuesday organized their local band of the Peninsula Produce Exchange by naming of five members to represent them, with stockholders numbering 53, taking considerable stock in the Exchange. Some of our people were anxious to better understand the workings of the Exchange and among those from here were County Commissioner, Thos. J. Whaley, Orlando Harrison, from Bishopville, Ex-Sheriff Wm. Whaley, William Long, Eldridge Cropper, Q. C. Carey and Gideon McNeal. Our community of producers are taking quite an interest and feel sure the meetings to be held in Bishopville and Showells on the 5th, and Berlin on the following Tuesday will be well attended. Don't fail to hear what they have to tell you and judge for yourself.

Mr. Oliver Johnson residing near Friendship, lately a new member, reports the X roads Club still in a healthy and flourishing condition, adhering strictly to the rules and regulations when first formed. The president of said club unfortunately last Saturday night, when called upon to preside at the meeting had just returned from town in a most deplorable condition, which necessitated prompt measures, and a speedy trial resulting in conviction and heavy fine. After close confinement in a court stack for several hours by paying his fine he was at last liberated to the delight of his family. The former president has been deposed and remains still under a heavy bond to keep the peace, on probation also for a month.

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WARDS.

We are glad that we may again be favored with a Delmar paper and home news. Although we were sorry to learn of the discontinuance of the "American" we hope the "DELMAR NEWS" will in time be as welcome a visitor in our homes.

A few blue birds have been seen in this vicinity which we hope are harbingers of spring.

Miss Olive Parker spent several days last week with relatives at Melsons and Whitesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. White entertained a few friends at dinner on Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morris and sons, Bayard and Norman and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Garlie Niblett, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hearne, Master Everett Hearn and Miss Pearl Hearn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hearn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leates.

Miss Irma Hearn, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Benson, at Cannon, has returned home.

Mrs. Ira Cordery and Mrs. Arrie Kenney, of Wilmington, Del., are spending sometime with friends near here.

Mr. William Ward, of near Delmar, and Miss Cleo Calloway were quietly married at the Line M. E. Parsonage on Wednesday evening, the Rev. J. R. Van Dyke officiating. We wish them pleasant sailing on the sea of matrimony. Dame Rumor says we are to have another marriage soon. Guess who.

The Young People's Literary Club were highly entertained at the home of Miss Minnie Riggan, near Whitesville, on Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. Eureka James, of Sycamore, Mr. Lee Truitt and Miss Essie Truitt, of near Trinity, Mr. Chas. L. Joseph, of Angola, Miss Annie Gordy, near Delmar, Mr. Calvin Hearn, of Whitesville, Misses Minnie, Nannie and Mattie Ward, Messrs. Chas. and Eddie Smith and Bennie Ward, of this place, Mr. Larry Jones, of Lowe's Cross Roads, Misses Sallie Smith, Mollie Hastings, of near Whitesville. The evening was spent in recitations, reading, music, and various games. After the guests were invited to the dining room to partake of a bountiful repast that had been prepared. All departed at a late hour, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Leates and Miss Riggan for such a pleasant evening.

Improve The County Roads.

In an article on the subject of "What we can do to improve our country schools," one of our contemporaries offers the following good advice:

What can we do to improve the school attendance in the country? Improve the roads. How can we expect a regular attendance at a season like this, when the children must wade ankle deep in mud in order to reach the school house? When one rides over the country roads, as we have recently done, and sees the situation for himself, the wonder to him is that the children go to school at all, during a January thaw. Apart from the wading, it is dangerous to life for a delicate boy or girl to tramp through mud and water for a mile or more each day, and sit during school hours with their feet encased in wet shoes and stockings. It is an awful situation, and not one thing is doing quite so much to cripple the country schools.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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A bushel of wheat, by actual count, has been found to contain 869,720 grains.

Extracts From Hick's Forecasts For March.

The first storm period will be general on the 4th., and the chances are good for violent gales, especially over the south Atlantic and Gulf regions. Heavy rain and snow in the interior parts of the country, with a blizzard in the north and west, and a cold wave in the east. The weather will be unsettled and bleak from the 6th., to the 8th., followed by warmer with cloudiness and rain until about the 15th. From the 15th., to the 18th., a blizzard will pass over the north and west, with dangerous eastern gales along the Atlantic. Warmer weather and falling barometer will end in a more decided disturbance on the 23rd and 24th. About the 27th., a general change to warmer weather will begin to move out of western extremes, with cloudiness and threatening. During the 29th., 30th., and 31st., these conditions will break into general and active storms, rain, wind and thunder will visit most southern parts.

The 25 largest London theaters will seat 28,600 people and earn \$30,000 a night.

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Artists' models in Berlin have formed themselves into a trade to protect their interests.

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HOW WOMAN MARRIES

She is Discriminative Between the Ages of Seventeen and Twenty-seven, Then She is Apathetic.

There are times in every woman's life, according to a high feminine authority, when she will marry anybody that comes along. These times are when she is seventeen and twenty-seven. Between these ages she is discriminative, and after the second of the two she is apathetic. To the girl of seventeen, it is said, the idea that she makes a real live man's heart go pit-a-pat is so ecstatic that in gratitude for the distinction of a passionate proposal she easily fancies she is in love. She thinks her refusal to marry Augustus will break his heart and send him to an early grave. So she weeds him out of generous pity in order not to wreck his life. She says "yes" and learns afterward that Augustus's heart is tough and had survived numerous prior desperate attachments. At seventeen it is any man—any individual sufficiently insensitive to allow her to nourish unchecked the illusions which her self-love cherishes. For at this age man is only the occasion, not the object of her affections. He is only a dummy; it is she who occupies the whole stage with her swiftly varying fancies and caprices.

At nineteen she evolved an ideal. It is no longer any man, but a particular man—a man tall, dark, passionate looking, with a Byronic air. One at war with his kind and of abnormal opinions in type. He may be pessimistic and melancholy. His merit is that he finds in her the beauty, purity and innocence that restore his faith in humanity and make happiness again a rational hope. A year later she is still romantic, but experience begins to make her a trifle more practical. The spectacular beauty of striking physical aspect is refined into the strong, earnest man, who looks at things in a lofty, high-minded way and has a fad. Her idol may be a matinee hero, an unappreciated genius, a social settlement worker or a long-haired poet. It is a time of danger. She may accept a theological student of elope with her music teacher. Such is her missionary spirit that she is capable of marrying a drunkard to reform him.

With twenty-two there is less risk of such unpromising ventures. She begins to enjoy life in its objective aspects, without exclusive reference to her subjective meditations. Matrimony, like heaven, is a cherished aspiration, but social incidents have become interesting. She sees farther than before into the drama of life as others play it and it entertains her. Many tepid admirers, she thinks, are better than one who is fiery. In short, she is having a good time and is averse to exchange the gayeties of life for a humdrum husband. If she marries at this age, she is likely to make a discreet choice.

At twenty-seven, however, comes a period of panic and, as ten years before, the danger is great. It is seen that her contemporaries have nearly all married. The girls who were her schoolmates are settled matrons and boast the virtues of their children. She accordingly begins to feel lonesome. The younger set put her aside or ask her to chaperon their parties. Perhaps a gray hair—awful sight!—makes its appearance. Is she an old maid? The idea frightens her. She loses her nerve and plunges wildly, taking the first man that offers. Foolish matches belong to this period—the supernumerary beau or the widower with ten children. Spinsterhood has its own pleasures

which the spinster at thirty-five begins to appreciate. The panic is over and a period of calm and contemplation succeeds. Many marriages of friends have turned out badly and there is consolation in seeing what one has escaped. Love is all right, but she sees that in many cases it was unequal to the trials of matrimony. It is not the only thing to be had in view in marriage, an establishment, with ample income, having in it the promise of a dignified life, if not ecstasy. The subsequent stages are few. At forty the old maid is hopelessly addicted to her late hobby and her own pocketbook, and her matrimonial chances are nil. Some few widows who have acquired the habit of having a master, and are lost without one, marry after that, but the spinster rarely does. When she does, however, she throws judgment and reason to the winds and marries to please a sudden fancy.—Baltimore Sun.

Pretty Handiwork. Enamel work and the designing of jeweled ornaments have become serious recreations for the artistically minded members of society. One Newport woman produces beautiful specimens of enamel work, as the friends who are the fortunate recipients of specimens of her handiwork can fully testify, and is singularly happy in her combination of colors and metals; while there are not a few other smart women who are prodigiously proud and rightly so—of the exquisite hat pins and metal chains and chains which their clever fingers have fashioned. Truly a pretty pastime, and a useful one to boot; and in view of the fact that the era of jeweled lace has already dawned, this is a craft which women will do well to cultivate.

A Few Cautions. Don't use lemon juice too often on the hands. Try white vinegar instead. Lemon juice shrivels and yellows the surface. Don't wear gloves every night, or the hands will become yellow. Occasional use of gloves, however, is advisable.

The Cook's Bequest. A party of Philadelphia business men were relating their experiences with cooks, when one of them said he knew a man in a neighboring city who, after keeping a cook for a week, made a tour of inspection one night, "below stairs." There he found a policeman locked up in the pantry. "How did that man get there?" asked the gentleman, severely. "I'm sure I don't know," was the cool reply; "he must have been left over by the last cook."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Liberal-Minded Class. A teacher in one of the schools near Philadelphia had one day been so disturbed by the buzzing of flies and shuffling of feet of the children that she was on the verge of distraction. Finally she said: "Children, I cannot stand so much noise. Please be quiet for a little while, at least. Let me see if you can't be so still that you could hear a pin drop."

Instantly every child became as still as a mouse. Then a little boy in a back seat piped out, with marked impatience: "Well, let her drop!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Strange Mourning. In Sitka when an Indian wife has lost her husband by death, she goes into mourning by painting the upper part of her face a deep black.—Exchange.

Proved It. The word "furlough" occurred in a reading lesson of an elementary class in one of our large schools. The teacher asked: "Does any little boy or girl know the meaning of the word 'furlough'?" Whereupon one small hand was raised and shaken vigorously in the eagerness of the little urchin to display his knowledge, and, when permitted by the teacher to do so, he arose and with the greatest assurance said: "Furlough means a mule." Not a whit disturbed at the teacher's "Oh, no, it doesn't," the small boy confidently answered, "I have the book at home that says so." Then the teacher told him he might bring the book to school and show it to her. The next day he came armed with the book and triumphantly showed her the picture of a soldier astride a mule, under which was printed: "Going home on his furlough."—Tit-Bits.

No Telling. She—I suppose you are aware, Fred, that an engagement is a serious thing? He—Oh! Yes. Why, come of them lead to marriage.—Illustrated Bits.

Why He Didn't Marry. "You were never married. I believe it?" "No, I was never married." "That's singular, isn't it?" "No, not at all. You see, the first time I fell in love I said to myself: 'I'll marry her or none.' " "Why didn't you marry her, then?" "Well, you see, after I had become better acquainted with her, I said to myself, 'I'll marry her rather than her.' Since that I've got along very well with none."

A Handicap Youth. "The trouble about our boy Josh," said Farmer Cornsmeal, "is that he haven't given him the proper kind of a show to come out strong." "We've always been careful and saving," said his wife. "That's just the point. In most stories an' plays the boy that wouldn't work goes away from home, an' ain't heard of till he comes back an' pays off the mortgage. Now we've been that industrious that there ain't any mortgage left for Josh to pay off."—Washington Star.

A Natural Mistake. "I was just telling our friend here, Molly, that it was storming on the day of our marriage." "Surely not, Hiram! The weather was perfectly lovely!" "Well, well! I don't know how I got so mixed up about it—probably because it's been storming ever since!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Natural Conclusion. They had been telling stories of hairbreadth escapes when suddenly the man in the corner awoke.

"Talking of wild adventures," he said, "I remember a few years ago, when I was in the Rocky Mountains, for the purpose of getting a better view I had crawled on to a small rock which overlooked the chasm, five or six hundred feet below. It was a perfect view. But, alas! when I turned to go I found that a huge bear was advancing toward me up the path I had myself ascended—the only one by which escape was possible. I lay powerless and paralyzed with fright. The bear came slowly on, till at last he stood over me, rolling his great tongue in anticipation. The man in the corner ceased, stretched himself, yawned, and prepared for sleep again.

"Well," said one of the fine old sportsmen, tapping him on the shoulder, "what happened? How did you escape?" "I didn't," said the man in the corner; "that maulion bear ate me up!" And he laid his head upon his arm, and again he sank into deep slumber.

A Story with a Moral. Bishop Nicholson, of Milwaukee, has a story of personal experience to tell to those who seem swamped in worries. It happened during the first years of his ministry, when he was rector of a Philadelphia church. The parish matters, social and financial, were in a bad way, and straightening them out was slow work. He was distinctly discouraged one day when, having come to New York on business, he stopped to look at the Brooklyn Bridge, then building. A man, covered with dirt, was working on the abutments. "That's pretty dirty work you are engaged in," said the bishop. "Well, yes," answered the laborer, "but somehow we don't think of the dirt, but of the beauty which is to come out of our work."

Prize or Blank. He—Marriage is a lottery, all right. You never can tell whether you are going to draw a prize or a blank. She—I know. There's Nell and Tom. They were attracted to each other because they both were so fond of dogs. When they were married it came out that he loved St. Bernards while she was daffy on Boston terriers.—Boston Transcript.

At the Photographer's. "Are you the photographer?" "Yes, madam." "Do you take children's pictures?" "Yes, certainly." "How much do you charge?" "Three dollars a dozen." "Well," said the woman, sorrowfully, "I'll have to see you again. I've only got eleven."—Philadelphia Ledger.

ROOT WASHERS.

Two Good Ones at Quite a Low Cost.

It frequently happens that farmers are obliged to harvest potatoes, turnips and other roots when the ground is quite wet, and, as a consequence, so much earth adheres to them as to render them unfit for marketing or feeding to stock. This is especially the case where the soil is clayey and sticks like plaster; it is then almost impossible to remove it without washing each root or tuber separately. This disagreeable task may be eased and facilitated considerably by using the contrivance shown in figure 1. It consists of a kerosene barrel hung in a frame, as shown in the illustration. Two openings are made in one side of the barrel—a large one, two broad staves wide, and a small one only one



ROOT WASHER.

Inch wide. The pieces cut out are used for lids, both of which are fastened with hinges and buttons, and are made to fit tight by having thick cloth tacked around their edges. Half a bushel of potatoes or roots are placed in the barrel with two or three buckets of water; the lids are closed and buttoned, and the barrel is slowly turned. If they are very dirty, open the small aperture, and by turning the barrel back and forth allow the water and mud to run out. Add clean water and turn again. They will soon be cleansed, when the large aperture may be opened, and the roots or tubers emptied into a basket. The fastenings at each end of the barrel can be made by any blacksmith, and they should be bolted on with one-quarter or three-eighths inch bolts. With this simple contrivance a man can wash a large quantity of roots in a day without catching cold or a chill. If kept out of the sun such a contrivance will last a lifetime. In figure 2 is shown an easily made potato and vegetable



VEGETABLE WASHER.

table washer for household use. The ends of the cylinder are cut out of inch board and are twelve inches in diameter. The shaft runs through and has collars, to which the ends of the cylinders are fastened to hold them firm. Strong, bright wire are fastened from end to end, as seen in the illustration. Five of these are fastened together, and form the lid to the aperture through which articles are admitted. The end of the lid is fastened by means of a loop, which springs over a button. The vegetables to be washed are placed in the cylinder, the box is half filled with water, and by turning the crank, or moving it back and forth, they are quickly cleansed without making long fingers. An ordinary tub or a half barrel arranged as seen in figure 3, may be used for the same purpose.

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A TELLING OBJECT LESSON.

If any doubt has existed in the mind of any citizen of Salisbury, as to whether our streets need improving or not their condition since the recent thaw must have driven any such doubt from their mind. To say that Dock, Main and part of Church Street have been in a bad condition, does not begin to express it. These streets would be a disgrace to any village in Wicomico County, or even to any of our County roads. It has been almost impossible to cross from one pavement to the other without wading through mud—even on our raised crossings. If any of our tax-payers are grumbling about unnecessary expense involved in improving our streets, we advise them to make a tour of the streets mentioned above—try the crossings—watch the teams, with heavy loads, pulling through the slush and mire, and then say if they can, that our streets are not a disgrace to our city. That something should be done, and done at once, to improve their condition is evident to every one. The committee that has the matter in hand should give it prompt, but careful consideration. We want the streets improved, and at the earliest possible date, but while we are doing, it ought to be done right. We understand that this committee is considering hard-pressed bricks for the road-bed, as the least expensive. If they have proven a satisfactory road-bed, in the places where they are used, all right, but, if on the other there is room for much doubt as to their efficacy, then let us have something that will stand the heavy traffic on these streets. While we are about it, let us do it right and make a road-bed that is sure to stand the wear and tear of heavy loads constantly passing over it. Shells have proved to be but temporary, as they are not hard enough to stand weighty loads. The heavy teams passing over simply grind them to powder, and it is only a short time before they are worn through and useless. A temporary arrangement is barren economy. Something permanent is required. And it will be sinking money to put anything on our streets that will not last. For this reason Salisbury wants whatever is used to be something that has proven beyond the peradventure of a doubt to be entirely satisfactory as to lasting qualities. The future of this city demands that all branches of the municipality be improved and apportioned to its expanding requirements.

Wicomico County Jurors Drawn for March Term.

Judge Holland drew the following persons for Jury service, Monday, Barren Creek, No. 1—James Green, Benjamin F. Bradley, William E. Elliott, George Bonds, of T. Quantico, No. 2—Edward Freeny, Orlando W. Taylor, Granville R. Howard, Albert Wallace. Tysackin, No. 3—Charles L. Leathery, George W. Burton, Elmer H. Langrall, James E. B. Horner. Pittsburg, No. 4—Mathias White, R. Stansbury Wimbrow, William H. Shockey, Noah T. Rayne, James T. West. Parsons, No. 5—Geo. Tilghman, William C. Morris, Herman L. Hoar, E. Quinton Walston, Sidney C. Dougherty, William M. Gordy, Jonathan Waller. Dennis, No. 6—Henry Jones, Warner L. Baker. Trappe, No. 7—John H. Griffith, Alex W. Hopkins, Roscoe Jones, William T. Vincent. Nutters, No. 8—Wesley Chatham, Alonzo Dykes, Frank J. Bonnevill. Salisbury, No. 8—James F. Rider, William Wesley Mitchell, Samuel Q. Johnson, Herbert H. Hitch, Richard L. Turner, John Shockey. Sharptown, No. 10—William Drennen, John H. Caulk. Delmar, No. 11—James E. Moore, Joseph Frazier, Levin B. Weatherly. Nanticoke, No. 12—John A. Wainwright, W. Riley Dunn, Geo. W. Heath, Samuel T. Robertson.

Unclaimed Letters.

Miss Lovina Anderson, Mrs. Theresa Dehelda, Miss M. Dennis, R. J. Dennis, Miss Lisey Dickes, J. E. Dykes, Mr. Charles Elliott, S. B. Houston, Mr. Groves H. Jones, Mr. Little Willie Jones, Mrs. Hattie J. Leonard, Mr. John W. McKinney, Miss Lila Right, Mr. D. J. Richardson, Mrs. Geo. E. Sappington, Mr. Yarn Savage, Mr. Charles W. Spaulding, Lina Lumber Co., S. B. Twilley, Mr. Jemmy Taylor, Mrs. K. D. Whyte, Warwick Lumber Co., Mr. John T. Wimbrough.

THE BEAUTY OF RELIGION.

The Bible fairly glows with figures of speech that set forth the beauty of religion. Personifying it under the name of Wisdom, Solomon says, "She is more precious than rubies; and all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her. Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace. She is a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her; and happy is every one that retaineth her."

Job says of religion, "The crystal cannot equal it." David says, "The righteous shall flourish like the palm tree; he shall grow like a cedar in Lebanon." In various places religion is termed a lily, a rose, and a crown. In Revelation it is designated as a fountain to which the sun throws kisses of gold. Christ declares that it is a banquet of joy, a city perched upon a hill-top, a blaze of light pouring down from an unclouded sky, and a bridegroom taking home his bride.

There is seemingly no end to the metaphors and similes used in the Bible to describe the beauty of religion. Go search this divine Book for yourselves, dear readers, picking out all the references to the life of a child of God, and you will have both hands and heart full of the most brilliant gems—richer and more resplendent gems, indeed, than ever flashed in the coronet of a king or an emperor.

There is nothing repulsive about religion. It is not a toothless, bleary-eyed, wrinkled witch, as the world often portrays it, but a lovely maiden, the blue of the heavens in her vision, the gold of the sunshine in her hair, the glow of the morning upon her cheeks, the gracefulness of an artist's dream in her form, the perfume of roses in her breath, and the gentleness of the South wind in her step. She is a daughter of God. Come and pay court to her charms. The Holy Spirit says, "Come!" We have found delight in her say, "Come!" "Whosoever will, let him come!"

I sometimes fear that many Christian people talk too much about carrying a cross, and not enough about wearing a crown. But the Bible speaks far more of a crown than it does of a cross. Do you wish to know how much more? Well, thrice more. That makes religion one-third cross and two-thirds crown. No, I mistake. Out of twenty-eight references to a cross in the New Testament twenty-two references mean the Cross of Christ, leaving only six that pertain to the Christian, those six references being still further narrowed down to two, for two of them are repeated in three of the Gospels. Many of the crowns mentioned also belong to Christ, but the most of them are for the heads of God's saints. More sunlight than shadow. More bright skies than skies storm-trampled. More roses than thorns. More smiles than tears. More crowns than crosses. Religion beautiful.

Why it seems to me that the Christian life grows more radiant every day. Each time I open my Bible I discover some new beauty. I used to wonder at the joy of some persons over their experience in spiritual things. Now I have ceased to wonder. Ask seriously what religion really is. Ask David, and he will answer you with a shepherd's psalm all quivering with the melody of harp strings. Ask Isaiah, and he will answer you with a sublime poem. Ask Paul and Silas in prison at Philippi, and they will answer you with a song in the night. Ask the Apostle John, and he will answer you with an Apocalypse. Ask John Bunyan in old Bedford jail, and he will answer you with a dream of heaven. There are thousands upon thousands of witnesses. Ask all of these. I hear many of their voices today—voices out of dungeons; voices from dens and caves of the earth; voices from the rack and the stake of martyrdom; voices from chambers of sickness; voices from death beds; voices every where; and all saying of the Christian life, "Beautiful! Beautiful!"

If you have not found religion so, my friend, then the reason of your failure must be in yourself. Are your feet in the right road? When Bunyan's pilgrims forsook the King's highway, climbing over a stile, and thinking to save a few steps along a path that seemed to be more inviting than the one they had been pressing, they learned to their sorrow that they were trespassing upon the grounds of Giant Despair. Seized by the giant's rough hands, they were shut up within the walls of Doubting Castle.

It is exceedingly dangerous to leave the road of piety for any worldly way, however pleasant to the eye that way may appear. If you wish the joy and peace of the Christian life, you must not stray from Him who has promised to lead you in the paths of righteousness. Keep close to the great Shepherd, if you would lie down in the grass green pastures of a happy experience of religion. Too many Christians hang around the flesh-pots of Egypt. There are too many that build up their interests in Sodom. No child of God can have a true title to the real estate of any Babylon. A Christian's deed calls for a mansion in the skies. His old life has been exchanged for a life that is new.

Yes, religion is beautiful. Let those who have never looked upon the handsome features of this daughter of God do so now. It is not well to wait. The best time to see her aright is while life is full, not when it is ebbing away. "Now is the accepted time; now is the day of salvation." William Henry Bancroft, Berlin, Md.

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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.

—Camden, Del., had a \$10,000 fire Monday morning.

—Gordon P. Smith has returned to Charlotte Hall.

—Miss Sadie Malone, is visiting friends in Baltimore and Reisterstown.

—Building lots for sale. Apply to Henry D. Powell, Salisbury, Md.

—Mrs. Sam'l Sterling of Jersey City, N. J., is visiting her sister Mrs. H. L. Brewington.

—Mr. Jas. E. Lowe gave a dinner to a party of friends in celebration of his birthday anniversary.

—Messrs. D. J. Richardson and J. C. Kelly were in Philadelphia several days on business this week.

—Mrs. E. Riall White and children have been spending the week with relatives in Oxford, Md.

—Miss Lamparter, of Lancaster, Pa., who has been visiting Miss Mary Kent returned home Tuesday.

—Mrs. J. Coston Goslee spent a part of last week with her father, Mr. Arthur Lankford, of Pocomoke.

—Miss Lula Patrick is visiting the Misses Ellingsworth, Smith Street.

—Miss Mary Houston is visiting at the home of Ex-Governor E. E. Jackson, Cathedral Street, Baltimore.

—Miss Minnie Nelson entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening at Fitch, at her home on Camden Avenue.

—Mr. Harry Dennis moved his family to the High Street residence, owned and recently remodeled by Mr. Q. Johnson.

—Mr. Thomas Abbott had a large number of friends with him to participate in his 21st birthday anniversary, Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. S. Abbie White, after spending several days with relatives in Salisbury left Friday for an extended visit in Baltimore.

—Miss Katie Rounds entertained a few of her friends at Fitch last Wednesday evening at her home on Newton Street.

—Misses Nina and Addie Hayman were bridesmaids and Mr. W. C. Wimbrough an usher at the Evans-Riggin wedding in Snow Hill.

—Married by Rev. S. J. Smith, at the M. P. Parsonage, Monday evening. Mr. Sherman Gardner Waller and Miss Nettie May Waller.

—LOST—in New Town, Friday night, February 19, a ladies' brown neck fur with six tails. Return to ADVERTISER office for owner and reward.

—There will be a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Home for the Aged at Mrs. L. D. Collier's Tuesday afternoon, March 8th, at three o'clock.

—Rev. S. J. Smith proposes to preach in the Methodist Protestant Church next Sunday evening on the following subject, "You cannot live to yourself."

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—Messrs. C. M. Anderson and G. V. White were present at the annual banquet of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., in Philadelphia, Monday night at hotel Walton.

—Judge Holland has been receiving the felicitations of his friends this week who welcome his re-appearance after nearly a month's confinement to his room on Division Street.

—The Maryland Division of the P. B. W. R. R. has been fitted with new signal lamps which will burn seven days and nights without attention after having been lighted.

—Mrs. G. W. Taylor and her trimmer, Miss Lillian Gale left Monday for New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore to visit the millinery openings and to purchase a complete and full line of up-to-date millinery.

—With pleasure, we announce that all farmers and dealers can get their orders for seed potatoes filled at short notice. Mr. John Kienzie, of 126 Dock Street, Phila., has just informed us that he has now a large stock on hand and no one will have to wait for orders to be filled. See his advertisement in another column.

—Photographer Hitchens announces that his studio will be closed until March 15, while extensive alterations and improvements are being made. The operating room will be enlarged and new accessories and backgrounds added; the reception room will also be enlarged and refurnished. The entire studio will be newly frescoed and painted.

—Miss Florence Ruark entertained a few of her friends Saturday evening last. Present were: Miss Ethel Strickland of Snow Hill, Misses Hattie Brittingham and Bessie Pollitt of Salisbury, Messrs. Elmer Phipps, Woodland Godfrey, Robert Bailey, Arthur Twilley, and Herman Lemon.

—Dr. Watson Nicholson, a fellow of Yale and Harvard, has been secured to deliver a lecture in Salisbury, in the High School Building, on Tuesday evening, March 22, under the auspices of the University Extension Society. Dr. Nicholson's subject will be "Some Phases of Shakespeare's Humor and Pathos." The price of admission to this lecture will be only 25 cents.

—Mrs. Lowenthal, is selecting new spring millinery goods in New York.

—Miss Grace Ellegood is visiting Mrs. Harry C. Tull, of Nanticoke.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones, of Allen, were visitors in Washington, D. C., this week.

—Mayor and Mrs. Chas. R. Disharoon will include Philadelphia in a trip to day on the occasion of their twentieth marriage anniversary.

—Mrs. Levin W. Dorman and daughter, Mrs. Chas. T. L. Vines, of Baltimore are expected at the Dorman home tomorrow.

—Messrs. Ray Truitt, Arthur Richardson and Ernest Ellis spent a few days in Baltimore and Philadelphia last week.

—Rev. Adam Stengle, the district Presiding Elder will preach at the Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow morning.

—Mr. Peter A. Wim'row has had his gasoline launch taken out of the river and a cabin put on it. This adds improvement in its appearance as well as comfort to the occupants. Mr. Wim'row will transport the boat by rail to the St. Martins river this spring.

—"Resolved that Bachelors should be taxed on their condition" was the subject of the debate held at the High School yesterday afternoon. Misses Rebecca Smith, Martha To die, Margaret Woodcock and Nina Venable argued in favor of the affirmative; and Messrs. Harry Adkins, William Fooks, Chester Sheppard and Miss Hilda Howard, for the negative. As there were not more than three boys in the class, Miss Howard consented to act as a boy for the occasion. The affirmative won.

—Mr. Edwin Abell, president of the A. S. Abell Company, publishers of the Baltimore Sun, died at 5 o'clock Sunday morning, in his sixty-fourth year. He was also a director of the Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

—Mr. Abell leaves by his former marriage two sons A. S. Abell and W. W. Abell, who have been associated with him in business for some years, and a daughter, Mrs. James Dudley Morgan of Washington.

—After a strenuous debate of over three hours, the bill to repeal the mortgage tax was defeated in the House of Delegates, Thursday, it failing to receive a constitutional majority. The vote was 50 for and 47 against.

—At the night session, Mr. Godwin moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost. This was carried and the bill recommitted to the Ways and Means Committee, from which it may be reported later.

—A library of thirty-eight volumes of nicely bound books has just been received at the Double Mills school house in Baron Creek District. The pupils who worked so hard to raise funds necessary to securing the library are: Misses Edna Bennett, Lettie Bennett, Lulu Wilson, Lena Wright, Stranglin Howard, Mary Phillips and Julia Windsor; Masters George Wright, Clyde Twilley and Norman Wilson. Miss Nannie Wright is teacher of the school.

—At the nineteenth annual meeting of the stock holders of the Talbot County Fair Association held at Easton the following directors were elected: Dr. I. A. Barber, M. T. G. Early, Wilfred Bateman, John A. Barwick, Henry A. Nichols, Robert J. Smith, William B. Dulin, Robert F. Walker, Edward H. Roe, F. E. Towers, M. B. Nichols and J. Frank Turner. Secretary Nichols made his report, which showed the association to be in good condition. The receipts were \$5,007.25; expenses, \$4,067.25; balance in treasury, \$430.

—"Footprints on the Sands of Time," have been left by the late Goldsborough S. Griffith, of Baltimore. Since the trying days of the Civil War when he did a large humanitarian work in the aid of suffering soldiery, he has been notably engaged in benevolent work. Mr. Griffith had been president of the Maryland Prisoners' Aid Association for a number of years. He was also one of the managers of the School for Colored Girls at Cheltenham, of the Society for the Protection of Children from Cruelty and Immorality and of the Henry Watson Children's Aid Society.

—The "Brownies" will be in town this afternoon and may be found at the home of Miss Maria Ellegood between the hours of three and five. They will give a "Brownie Tea" in which refreshments will be served and a musical and literary programme rendered as well. A souvenir will be given each guest by one of the young gentlemen Brownies. The tea is given for the purpose of raising missionary money for the primary class of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which Miss Ellegood is the teacher. The "Brownies" will be impersonated by several of the larger members of the class. Some of the best young talent of the town has been secured for the occasion and all are cordially invited to be present and hear some of their favorite vocalists. A charge of 10 cents admission will be made.

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Bas-Relief Of Senator Jones For New State House.

The Senator took advantage of the absence of President Spencer C. Jones on last Monday to introduce an order for \$300 to paint his portrait to be hung in the new State House annex as the promoter of the movement for its construction. It is now proposed to substitute for a painting a bronze bas-relief tablet, which would be more in harmony with the general appearance of the building and more enduring than a painting. Senator Jones' leonine countenance, it is urged, is peculiarly adapted for reproduction in bronze. The suggestion seems to meet with favor by the Committee on Finance, to which the order was referred.

Four Drowned After Being Caught In Floating Ice.

A dispatch from Norfolk, Va., says:—"News has been received here of the drowning of four sailors in the Chesapeake bay, between the mouth of the Potomac river and Smith's Island. The men are reported to have been members of the crew of the oyster schooner Elwood. The Elwood has been frozen in the ice for the last six weeks, and as food was running short the men cut an opening in the ice and attempted to get to shore in a small boat. The warm weather and the heavy rains of the last few days had broken the gorges. The great flocks sweeping down the river caught the little boat, which was crushed, and all four are reported to have gone. The men were trying to reach Smith's Island, where they expected to replenish their food supply."

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LOCAL Correspondence

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

DELMAR.

Mrs. H. D. Renninger spent Friday in Cape Charles.

Miss Cora Culver of Seaford, has been the guest of the Misses Culver, Second Street extended, this week.

Miss Sadie Culver gave a "Flinch" party Saturday evening in honor of Miss Cora Culver, of Seaford.

Hon. G. Earnest Hearn, of Pittsville, was in town Monday.

Mrs. L. W. Bounds, of Cape Charles has been visiting friends in town.

Mr. Joseph J. Adkins, of Philadelphia visited his father, Mr. S. B. Adkins, this week.

Mr. Ray R. Fairbanks spent Sunday with his parents at St. Michael's, Md.

Mrs. B. W. Parker and Miss Hattie Parker returned Saturday evening from a visit to Mrs. Parker's brother in Philadelphia.

Mr. Carlos Ellis, of Philadelphia, returned home Monday after a visit to his parents near town.

Mr. F. G. Elliott made a business trip to Aberdeen this week.

Miss Rena Lankford, of Salisbury, was the guest of Miss Ruth Webster Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. N. Cannon, Misses Georgie Landon and Lora Blizard spent Wednesday in Norfolk.

Miss Lillian Ellis will entertain the Anona Society next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. T. Layfield, of Wilmington, has been visiting Mrs. P. W. Vincent this week.

Miss Polly Culver is visiting friends in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. W. H. Chipman, of Laurel, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tomlinson the latter part of the week.

Mrs. W. S. Melson and Mrs. F. G. Elliott spent Thursday in Harlock.

Herbert Sipple's form reposes now in a handsome Morris chair, a gift from fellow members of the Sussex Club.—State Register.

The roads of Sussex and Wicomico counties are built on the sandwich principle, that is, a thin layer of mud-coated sand is inserted between two layers of water. Doubting outsiders can be easily convinced.

Farmers in the surrounding country are becoming anxious about their horses as glanders are prevalent to considerable extent.

It has been reported here that Seaford has eighty-four vacant dwellings. All Delmar's are occupied and many applicants are unable to get them at any price, though several have been built in the last year. We understand several more are to be built this year but it is doubtful if the supply equals the demand.

We understand that a new barber shop is to be opened in town by a gentleman from Berlin, Md.

The Delmar Cornet Band has engaged the services of Prof. C. P. Snyder, and the genial professor will again soon be in our midst.

The plant of the Delmar Lumber Manufacturing Company is now running full time. This factory gives more people employment than any industry in Delmar.

Governor Warfield has made the following appointments for Delmar: Justice of the Peace, W. A. Williams, Notaries Public, Theodore A. Veasey and J. G. W. Penloe.

Many of the streets have again been in a miserable condition part of the week. Driving has been very bad and the outlook is not at all encouraging for the rest of the winter so far as streets are concerned. It is hoped that before another winter comes efforts will be made looking toward a betterment of their condition. Such streets are detrimental to the advancement of the town and should be improved by all means.

The bond of Daniel H. O'Neal to be constable for Delmar district has been accepted by the Board of County Commissioners.

The Jr. O. U. A. M., attended services in a body at the M. P. Church Sunday morning when Rev. L. A. Bennett delivered an address on "Education."

Wicomico Tribe No. 13, Imp. Order Red Men, have moved their wigwags from the Masonic Temple to the A. O. U. W. Hall.

Mr. C. C. Tomlinson, Delmar's newly appointed postmaster, assumed the duties of his office last Monday morning, vice Mr. W. H. Hayman, whose term has expired. The new clerk is Miss Susie Hastings, and with the office in charge of such capable people it is safe to say that the public will have no just cause for complaint in regards to their mail matter. We feel confident that we voice the opinion of the people in wishing them much success.

Died Monday morning at 5.30 o'clock, Clarence, invalid child of W. A. C. and A. M. Williams, aged 10 years, 1 month and 14 days.

His sixteen years of life upon earth were sixteen years of suffering and misery for him and sixteen years of

care and heartache for papa and mama. This tells the whole story. "I feel that my life's work is ended" were the words that came from his mother's lips when his eyes were closed in death.

Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock by Rev. D. M. Lomax, assisted by Reverend Slemons and Webster. Interment was made at the William's home by M. W. Ellis & Sons, undertakers.

Rev. L. P. Cochran, at one time pastor of the M. E. Church here, has been invited to return as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Milton, Del.

The Majority of the ministers of the coming Methodist Protestant Conference will favor the time limit for pastorates.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the M. E. Church was held in the lecture room of the church Saturday evening. Routine business was transacted and committees appointed. By a unanimous vote of the members of the Official Board Rev. Z. H. Webster was asked to return as pastor another year.

Rev. L. A. Bennett last Sunday morning occupied his pulpit for the first time in three weeks, and delivered an address to the school teachers and scholars on "Education." The Jr. O. U. A. M., was present by request.

Rev. Adam Stengle, Presiding Elder, preached an eloquent and forceful sermon in the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

"Moral fitness to partake of the Lord's Supper" will be the subject of Rev. Z. H. Webster's sermon at the M. E. Church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The night services will begin at 7 o'clock, and the theme of discourse for the evening will be "The Closed Door."

Love Feast will be held at the M. P. Church Sunday morning at 9.30 o'clock. Every member is requested to be present. Preaching 10.30 a. m., Subject, "What have I done?" Sunday School at 2 p. m., Railroad Class, 5.30 p. m., Evening service 7 p. m., subject: "Satan's Fall."

Rev. U. G. Murphy, returned missionary from Japan, will preach at the M. P. Church Sunday evening, the 13th, at 7 p. m. Rev. Mr. Murphy is one of the most successful missionaries ever in that country, and on account of the war between Japan and Russia his coming is particularly timely.

Another meeting of the tomato growers was held Tuesday afternoon but on account of the absence from town of Mr. F. G. Elliott the meeting was adjourned to convene again March 8th. The canners have accepted the terms of the farmers, which means that \$7.00 per ton will be paid for tomatoes this season. A committee was appointed to examine the factory, warehouse, etc., and report at the next meeting.

A petition has been in circulation this week asking the N. Y. P. & N. R. R. to build a crossing on Elizabeth Street.

N. Y. P. & N. engines 25 and 26, just constructed by the Baldwin Locomotive Works, at Philadelphia, arrived Wednesday and will be placed in service in a short time. These engines do not materially differ from engine 24, which has been in use for some time.

Class No. 11, of the M. E. Sunday School, held a "Mum" Social at the home of Mrs. S. M. Ellis last Friday evening for the purpose of raising money for foreign missions. An admission fee of ten cents was charged, and it is safe to say everyone got their money's worth. Just how some of those present remained "mum" for half an hour will perhaps always remain a mystery. Many means were adopted to make them talk but few were of avail. Many of them found it necessary to suck their thumbs in order to keep quiet. This caused considerable laughter and merriment among the ladies, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who were present. Ice cream and cake were served in the dining room. The Delmar Cornet Band made its first appearance for about three months and furnished excellent music.

POWELLVILLE.

Miss Cleora Davis and Mr. Charlie Palmer were married Thursday night at the home of Mr. David Clark, by Rev. Howard Davis.

Mr. Theodore Hall, after spending a few days with his mother left Friday to return to his position.

Miss Abbie White left Friday to make quite a long stay in Salisbury and Baltimore.

Mrs. Maria Adkins spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. Elisha Powell.

Miss Marlie Hastings is visiting with Mrs. Edward Williams this week.

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Congressman Klutts, of North Carolina, who refuses to stand for an assured reelection, comes from the same district in which, in 1810, a United States senator-elect refused to serve because he did not propose to ride to Washington in the mud.

PARSONSBURG.

Seems like the hardest of our freezing weather must be over from the way March opens her first pages.

Mrs. Annie Wilkinson and daughter, Grace, who have been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Henry, returned home Saturday, after having met with a very painful accident while in this vicinity, falling and breaking one of the bones of her wrist during the sleet.

Look out boys! Mad dogs around again and if one bites you Sunday night while you are going to see your girl, and you go mad (to see her) and then you bite the girl, and she goes mad to see you, (go home) you better take advice and prepare for the father of the lady, possibly he may be mad the next time you go.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Annie Hastings to Mr. Virgil P. Wilkins, to take place next Wednesday night. Boys don't bother them old Saws and Bells, they keep too much noise at a serenade for some people.

Mr. D. E. Parker and Mr. Daniel J. Parsons, took a trip to Baltimore this week to look at the ruins caused by the great Baltimore fire.

Mr. I. Washington Parsons, of Wilmington, has moved his family to Parsonsburg and will reside in his handsome residence which he has had rebuilt recently.

We are glad to report Mr. A. Q. Parsons out again.

Mr. Larry Parsons is laid up with Grippe this week.

Mr. Granville A. Parsons and wife took a trip to Baltimore this week but have not returned.

Mr. S. P. Parsons and Mr. Frederick E. Hayman are playing feathers, which is a social game this week.

WILLARDS.

Services at Eden M. E. Church Sunday, March, 6th, as follows: Sunday School 2 p. m.; Class Meeting 3 p. m., Preaching by Rev. Howard Davis 7 p. m.

Mr. Clarence Hearn was the guest of Mr. Albert Ennis last Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Smith, after spending a few days at Mr. Elijah Adkins, returned home Sunday.

Mr. James Evans and sister spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Elijah Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Truitt spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ennis.

Mr. Emory Mitchell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hearn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp of Philadelphia, who has been spending a vacation here, were guests of their friends in Whaleyville.

Mrs. Parker returned home Wednesday after a brief visit to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Downway.

Misses Ida Lewis and Beulah Wilkins were guests of Miss Blanche Wilkins last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. T. A. Jones and daughter spent Wednesday with Mrs. Elijah Lewis.

Miss Irma Lewis was married to Mr. Washington Smith, of Whaleyville last Wednesday by the Rev. Mr. Jamison.

Miss Lizzie Bradford gave to her many friends a party last Monday evening, being her sixteenth anniversary.

WEST.

Mr. Edward P. Bounds, who was taken from his home at this place a short time ago, and carried to the home of his son, Mr. Edward G. Bounds, near Loretto, died on Sunday, Feb. 21st, aged 67 years. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday of last week, in Friendship M. P. Church, by the pastor, Rev. F. J. Phillips. The deceased is survived by a widow, Mrs. Emily Bounds and six children. Mrs. Lee Lankford, of Texas, Mrs. Honest Hayman, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Clayton Ward, of Laurel, Del., Mrs. George U. McAllister and E. G. Bounds, of Somerset County and Miss Maud Bounds, of Salisbury.

Master Elwood Pusey, son of W. J. Pusey, has been very low with pneumonia, but we are pleased to note that he is now steadily improving.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of Pocomoke Circuit, M. P. Church was held in Friendship Church last Friday afternoon. The business was transacted in a very quiet spirit. Mr. D. H. Hastings was declared delegate to attend next session of Maryland Annual Conference, which convenes April 6th., 1904, in Baltimore. The delegate was instructed to ask for the return of present pastor, Rev. F. J. Phillips. Mr. S. Mac Pusey was elected alternate.

Mr. F. Jones, of near Nassawango M. P. Church, died last week of consumption. The funeral services were conducted in Nazareth M. P. Church, Saturday afternoon, by Rev. Avery Donovan, of Snow Hill and the Pastor, Rev. F. J. Phillips, after which the remains were laid to rest in adjoining cemetery.

Services on Pocomoke Circuit M. P. Church will be as follows: Friendship Sunday School at 9.30 a. m., and preaching at 10.30 a. m., Union, preaching 2.30 p. m.

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COLUMBIA.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference, for Union Circuit met at this place last Saturday, with a fairly good attendance. W. D. Gravenor, of Sharptown was elected delegate to the Annual Conference and S. J. Lowe, of Columbia alternate. The delegate was instructed by a unanimous vote of the Conference, to ask for the return of the Rev. H. W. D. Johnson to this circuit for the ensuing year. J. S. Cooper, J. F. Beach, R. J. Mills, G. T. Owens, W. D. Gravenor, J. F. Henry, Rev. H. W. D. Johnson and L. A. Ellis were appointed a committee on campmeeting. The stewards of the circuit will meet at the parsonage in Sharptown, the last Saturday in March to close up the finances of the circuit for the present conference year.

H. Hobb Owens has been seriously ill with a severe attack of pneumonia.

On Wednesday the 9th day of March last, C. B. Elzey will sell at public sale, at his late residence near here, his corn and fodder, live stock, farming implements and household and kitchen furniture.

Mrs. Bertha Owens, wife of U. Sherman Owens has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

S. J. Lowe attended the spraying machine exhibition at Wyoming, Del., this week.

There is considerable inquiry for second growth white seed potatoes through this section. Last year's crop was almost a failure with some of our farmers, hence there was not enough raised for home demand.

Mud and slush, slush and mud seems to be the order of the day every time the ground thaws. The roads are almost impassible in some places.

PITTSVILLE.

Gordy--Dennis.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized here Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, the contracting parties being Mr. Roy D. Gordy, of Snow Hill and Miss Laura Dennis, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. A. Dennis. Among the guests present were, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Farlow, of Pittsville, Md., Mr. F. O. Gordy, of Snow Hill, Mrs. Mason, of Elizabeth City, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rayfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Rayfield, of Mappsville, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Twilley, Misses Bertha Truitt, Madeline Jones, Messrs. Ray Jones, of Temperanceville.

Lohengrin's wedding march was beautifully rendered by Mrs. R. S. Wimbrow of Pittsville, sister of the groom. The bride was handsomely attired in a traveling suit of blue tulle, and carried a beautiful bouquet of Japonica, Jessamine and ferns.

The groom was attired in a suit of black. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Twilley, of Temperanceville. After the ceremony the guests were invited to the dining room where fruits, cream, cake and ices were served in abundance. They were the recipients of many useful and handsome presents.

The happy couple left for their home, near Snow Hill, Md., where the groom is a prosperous young farmer.

Acting General Superintendent Trump of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., has issued instructions to the heads of departments all over the line that "first aid to the injured" boxes and stretchers are to be placed in all baggage, combination baggage and mail, express, work and wrecking trains. This plan was recommended some time ago by the Pennsylvania Railroad Relief Department. It is the intention to distribute the stretchers and aid boxes to all yard masters, office, stations and terminals, shops and other convenient points in the various divisions. All the employees that have anything to do with the movement of trains are to be taught in classes the use of these aid packages.

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